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her up in the staunch Unitarian tradition.  
*Karen Blixen - Wikipedia*  
Isak Dinesen, pseudonym of Karen Christence Dinesen, Baroness Blixen-Finecke, (born April 17, 1885, Rungsted, Denmark—died September 7, 1962, Rungsted), Danish writer whose finely crafted stories, set in the past and pervaded with an aura of supernaturalism, incorporate the themes of eros and dreams.

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(Author of Out of

Africa) - Goodreads

Isak Dinesen earned international fame for *Seven Gothic Tales*, *Out of Africa*, and other stories that skillfully combine elements of fable, social conflict, and psychological drama. She was twice nominated for the Nobel Prize. Yet the story of her life - her travels, affairs, and friendships - remains the greatest story of all.

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Isak Dinesen (April 17, 1885 - September

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7, 1962) was the pen name of the Danish author best known for *Out of Africa* (1937), a now-controversial memoir of her life as the owner of a coffee plantation in Kenya. She is also considered a master of short-form fiction.

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Isak Dinesen was a fascinating woman who lived an exciting life and left us with a wealth of literature, all of which is based on experiences from her own life.

Judith Thurman does a great job in telling us how close the book was to her life, and where there were some discrepancies between fact and fiction.

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Karen Blixen moved to British East Africa in late 1913, at the age of 28, to marry her second cousin, the Swedish Baron Bror von Blixen-Finecke, and make a life in the British colony known today as Kenya.

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Nobel prize, is the author of the compelling memoir, Out of Africa.

**Isak Dinesen - The New York Times**

Isak Dinesen, she of the many pen names matured slowly while alternating her life between a pampered bourgeois life in Denmark and a wildly iconoclastic life in British East Africa that was partly feudal and partly anarchic. Two influences punctured her life for better or worse: her bout with syphilis that made her an outsider and helped shape her interest in humanity at large rather than her own household and the debt she owed to her dead love which she bungled when he was alive because she ...

**Isak Dinesen Biography - eNotes.com**

The first comprehensive biography of Isak Dinesen in any language. The author draws on diaries, correspondence, first drafts, unpublished early notebooks and childhood plays, as well as on interviews with family and

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Isak Dinesen's life may be divided into three parts, namely her childhood and youth, her time in Africa, and her years as a recognized writer. Her parents came from very different social backgrounds. From her father, Wilhelm Dinesen, a landed proprietor, she inherited a love of adventure, nature, and storytelling.

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by Judith Thurman  
Baroness Karen von  
Blixen-Finecke  
(Danish: [kʰʌʌʌn  
ʔbʔleʔʔsnʔ]; 17 April  
1885 – 7 September  
1962), born Karen  
Christenze Dinesen,  
was a Danish author,  
also known by the pen  
name Isak Dinesen,  
who wrote works in  
Danish, French and  
English. She also at  
times used the pen  
names Tania Blixen,  
Osceola, and Pierre  
Andrézel.