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THE CHARACTERS IN THE PLAY

Viola – a shipwrecked lady,

later disguised as Cesario

Duke Orsino – Duke of Illyria,

in love with Lady Olivia

Lady Olivia – a rich countess

Sebastian – also shipwrecked,

twin brother of Viola

Malvolio – Olivia's steward,

managed her household

Feste – Olivia's jester

Maria – Olivia's attendant,

her lady-in-waiting

Sir Toby Belch – Olivia's uncle

Sir Andrew Aguecheek – friend of Sir Toby

Fabian – a member of Olivia's household

The Captain – Captain of the wrecked ship

Antonio – another sea-captain,

friend of Sebastian

Valentine – Orsino's servant,

his messenger to Lady Olivia

The Priest – Olivia's priest

Curio – another servant to Orsino

PORTRAIT GALLERY



Viola



Duke Orsino



Lady Olivia



Sebastian



Malvolio



Feste



Maria



Sir Toby Belch



Sir Andrew Aguecheek



Fabian



The Captain



Antonio



Valentine



The Priest

Twelfth Night

ACT ONE

Orsino, Duke of Illyria, was listening to music. He was thinking about Olivia, the lady he loved. At first, the music seemed beautiful to him, but suddenly he was tired of it.

Orsino's servant, Valentine, had tried to see Lady Olivia. She refused to see him. Her brother was dead, and she had decided to shut herself away for seven years. Every day, she cried for her brother.

Orsino felt hopeful anyway. One day, Olivia might love him even more than she had loved her brother. He would continue to dream of her.