

Nobel Prize: Literature



- **2007: *Doris Lessing, UK***,
“that epicist of the female experience, who with scepticism, fire and visionary power has subjected a divided civilisation to scrutiny”
- **2006: *Orhan Pamuk, Turkey***
- **2005: *Harold Pinter, UK***
- **2004: *Elfriede Jelinek, Austria***
- **2003: *J.M. Coetzee, South Africa***
- **2002: *Imre Kertesz, Hungary***
- **2001: *V.S. Naipaul, Trinidad / UK***
- **2000: *Gao Xingjian, China / France***
- **1999: *Guenter Grass, Germany***
- **1998: *Jose Saramago, Portugal***