

Down but not out in London

A walk with George Orwell through London



A Lecture in English with Slides by Stefan Howald

George Orwell (1903-1950) was the foremost political commentator of his period, a tireless advocate for civil liberties and social justice. An intellectual, yearning to live in the countryside, he explored the city, its pitfalls and possibilities, from hostels for the unemployed to the ideal pub.

The lecture will trace Orwell's journeys through London. Slides will illustrate all the locations he is connected with, and the commentary will look at what has become of them today. Social history is combined with contemporary anecdotes.

The lecture, first given at the Swiss Embassy, has been updated and improved; so don't miss out this time.

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