

## Caleb Williams

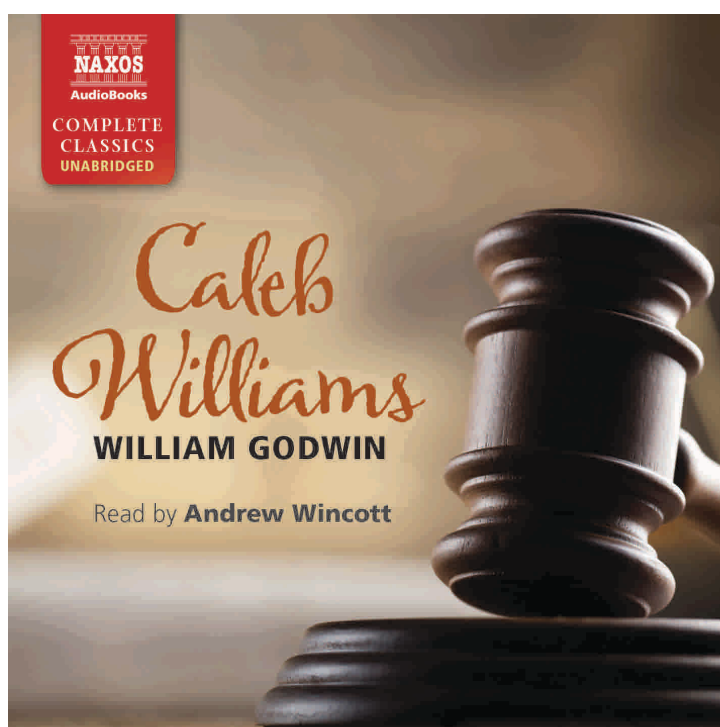
By William Godwin  
Unabridged  
Read by Andrew Wincott

### DESCRIPTION

Young, honest Caleb Williams enters the employment of Squire Ferdinando Falkland - a cultured, kindly gentleman who harbours a dreadful secret. When his curiosity uncovers the truth, Caleb finds himself the victim of false accusations, persecution and a corrupt system of justice. His vulnerability is apparent at every turn. Published in 1794, the novel was William Godwin's sophisticated attack on the political oppression and gross inequality that he saw all around him. It is no ordinary rich-versus-poor narrative; as gripping as a thriller, it is a multi-layered and provocative story with a searing reality at its core.

### SALES AND MARKETING POINTS

- William Godwin was the father of Mary Shelley. *Caleb Williams* is considered to have been an influence on Shelley's *Frankenstein*, also available on Naxos AudioBooks.
- Andrew Wincott's textured baritone perfectly compliments the brooding mystery and suspense in Godwin's novel.



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