

Take a look at this!

James Joyce spent 17 years writing his last novel. In addition to standard English, it uses new languages Joyce invents, with lots of neologisms, puns, and allusions. Stream of consciousness makes it difficult to follow the plot and understand the characters.

Take a look at it, though, and start to read. It's different from anything you've probably ever read before, a wonder of the human imagination. It was published in 1939.

Joyce, James. *Finnegans Wake*. London: Faber and Faber, 1939.

