

## **PSYCHOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENT OF HERO TO CODE HERO:**

### **A FAREWELL TO ARMS**

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#### **ABSTRACT**

A Farewell to Arms came out in 1929 and it proved to be an instant success. It established Hemingway as a major literary figure. A Farewell to Arms is a very well-written novel, a novel that does have its own order and sequence. When it was published, A Farewell to Arms immediately jumped to the head of the best-seller list, more than one eminent reviewer felt obliged to refer to it as masterpiece. Hemingway also called A Farewell to Arms my “Romeo and Juliet”<sup>1</sup> in response to the critics who considered it as romantic tragedy. Hemingway's description of “caporetto retreat was so convincing that Mussolini's Government banned the novel, which was not published in Italy until after world war 11.”<sup>2</sup>

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