



I FAUST

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The work won the international literary contest “La penna perfetta”, 2018 edition. The novel is a stride towards freedom. In our absurd age, a Faust who could see the smile of salvation was desperately needed: someone who can pursue love even though he’s lost in the maze of permanent iniquity. Lucio is an unusual travelling companion, a diverse and changeable kaleidoscope of traits: serious and mocking, inviting and horrific, nagging but intimately profound, always ready to make others pay but also to pay himself. All the characters are presented like symbols without actually being symbols. They are an essential part of that whirlwind of thoughts, sensations, ecstasy and deception. An essential part of those stories that punctuate our Faust’s life. He will finally get to the truth; that Truth that frees and elevates us, that leads us to the entrance of a life that becomes tomorrow’s history.

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