

Romans 8 in Classic Literature

Two verses from Paul's letter to the Romans:

- “We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labor pains until now” (8:22).
- “All things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose” (8:28).

From *The Return of the Native* by Thomas Harvey (1878):

- Clym bemoans the travails of life: “I get up every morning and see the whole creation groaning and travailing in pain, as St. Paul says.”

From *Wuthering Heights* by Emily Brontë (1847):

- Joseph the servant exclaims, “Thank Hivin for all! All warks together for gooid tuh them as is choozen, and piked aht forr' th' rubbidge! Yah knaw what t' Scripture ses.”