Robert Louis Stevenson (1850 –1894) was a Scottish novelist, poet, and travel writer. His most famous works are Treasure Island, Kidnapped, and Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde.

He was a celebrity during his lifetime. Today Stevenson ranks among the 26 most translated authors in the world.

Bed in Summer
by Robert Louis Stevenson

In winter I get up at night
And dress by yellow candle light.
In summer, quite the other way,
I have to go to bed by day.

I have to go to bed and see
The birds still hopping on the tree,
Or hear the grown-up people’s feet
Still going past me in the street.

And does it not seem hard to you,
When all the sky is clear and blue,
And I should like so much to play,
To have to go to bed by day?

Here you can see five famous British writers. Which one is Robert Louis Stevenson?