

William Beckford

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6 Mar 2007 . When William Beckford (1760-1844), the famous writer, collector and recluse, was just 10 years old he inherited one of the greatest individual William Thomas Beckford was the son of Alderman William Beckford and Maria Hamilton, daughter of the Hon. George Hamilton. Maria was the widow of Francis The Beckford Society Vathek (Oxford Worlds Classics): Amazon.co.uk: William Beckford The life and letters of William Beckford, of Fonthill : Benjamin, Lewis . This first-ever biography of William Beckford provides a unique look at eighteenth-century British history from the perspective of the colonies. Even in his own BECKFORD, William (1760-1844), of Fonthill, nr. Hindon, Wilts William Beckford, Junior, the only legitimate son of the Lord Mayor Beckford, was born at Fonthill Giffard, Wiltshire, September 29, 1759. His fathers death took William Beckford: The Fool of Fonthill - Gay History and Literature The Beckford Society, founded in 1995, has the following aims: 1. To promote an interest in the life and works of William Beckford and his circle. 2. To encourage Fonthill History - The Fonthill Estate

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