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lost us Heav’n, and all this mighty Host In horrible destruction laid thus low, As far as Gods and Heav’ly Essences Can perish: for the mind and spirit remains Invincible, and vigour soon returns, [ 140 ] Though all our Glory extinct, and happy state Here swallow’d up in endless misery. But what if he our Conquerour, (whom I now Of force believe Almighty, since no less Then such could hav orepow’rd such force as ours) [ 145 ] Have left us this our spirit and strength intire Strongly to suffer and support our pains, That we may so suffice his veneful ire, Or do him mightie...Â Is this the Region, this the Soil, the Clime, Said then the lost Arch-Angel, this the seat That we must change for Heav’n, this mournful gloom For that celestial light? John Milton - John Milton - Paradise Lost: Abandoning his earlier plan to compose an epic on Arthur, Milton instead turned to biblical subject matter and to a Christian idea of heroism. In Paradise Lostâ€”first published in 10 books in 1667 and then in 12 books in 1674, at a length of almost 11,000 linesâ€”Milton observed but adapted a number of the Classical epic conventions that distinguish works such as Homerâ€™s The Iliad and The Odyssey and Virgilâ€™s The Aeneid. Among these conventions is a focus on the elevated subjects of war, love, and heroism. In Book 6 Milton describes the battle between th John Milton is the most important poet and the most representative of the Puritan Age. His poetry was influenced by the historical events of his time. From a literary point of view, he was not a man of the age.Â To this period belong Paradise Lost, Paradise Regained, a short epic poem which tells of Christâ€™s victory over the temptation by Satan in the desert, and Samson Agonistes, a tragedy dealing with the biblical story of Samson and the Philistines. Paradise Lost is a secondary/literary epic poem ( primary epic is oral, for instance Beowulf, Iliad and Odyssey). It is about Satanâ€™s rebellion against God. He believed God was a tyrant. It retells the story of the loss of the garden of Eden as narrated in the book of Genesis and revolves around one great theme: the rebellion against God.