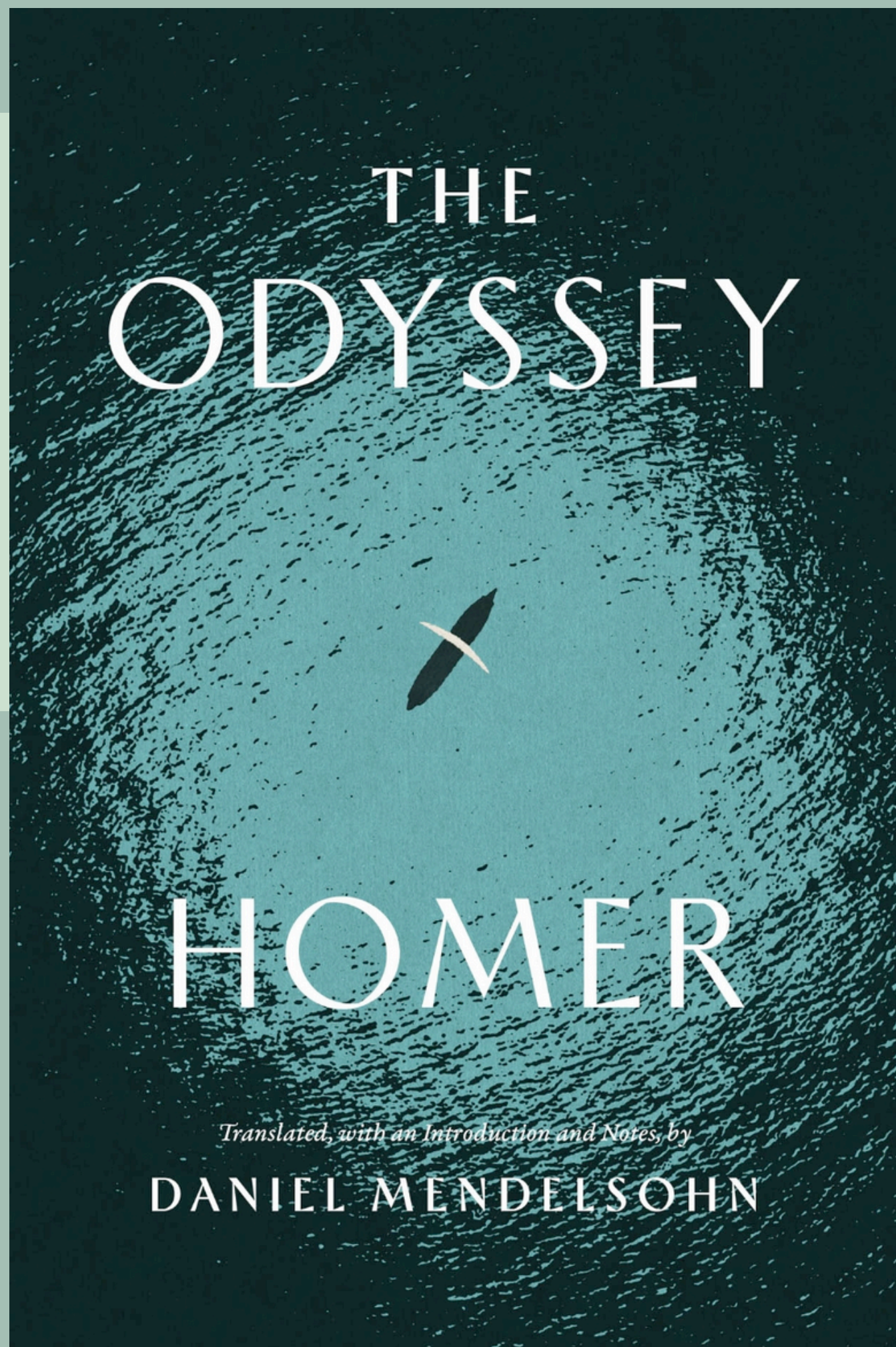


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Classicist, critic, essayist and author Daniel Mendelsohn will speak about his new translation of Homer's *Odyssey*, a translation called "fast, fluent, thrilling", "the edition for our time and beyond."

Mendelsohn's recent works include *An Odyssey: A Father, a Son, and an Epic* (2017), named Best Book of the Year by NPR, and *Three Rings: A Tale of Exile, Narrative, and Fate* (2020) named Best Foreign Book of the Year in France.

Mendelsohn is known for his keen eye for the ways in which Classical Studies help us to see contemporary culture more clearly.

