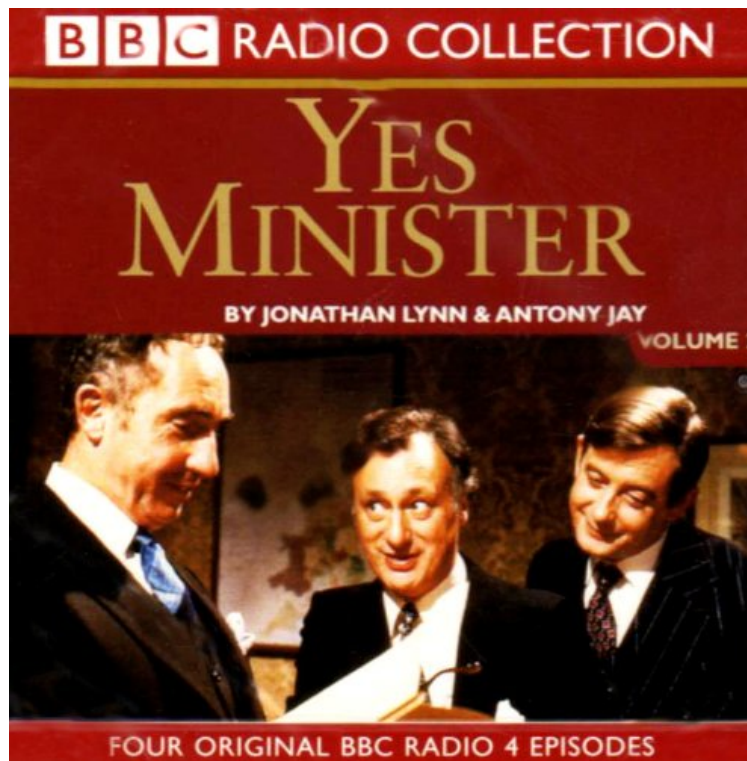


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About the Author Antony Jay is a British writer, broadcaster and director. He joined the BBC in 1955 and worked in the television current affairs and Talks departments. In 1980 he co-created *Yes Minister* with Jonathan Lynn, and the pair went on to write two series of the sitcom, followed by two series of *Yes Prime Minister* and a successful stage adaptation. Jonathan Lynn is a British writer, film director and actor. At Cambridge he joined the Footlights Club and went on to become an actor, appearing in the West End and in TV sitcoms including *Doctor In The House* and *The Liver Birds*. Among his directing credits are the films *Nuns on the Run*, *My Cousin Vinny*, *Sgt Bilko* and *Clue*.