Abbreviations

This book employs a system of abbreviations for citing frequently quoted primary texts. The full reference to each work and edition is provided in a footnote on their first citation, as well as in the bibliography, with further references incorporated into the body of the argument.

- AA An Autobiography
- AS Autobiographical Sketches
- BC Barchester Towers
- EW Early Writings of Charlotte Brontë
- FA 'Farewell to Angria' in Tales of Glass Town, Angria, and Gondal
- HC 'Memoir of Hartley Coleridge' in Poems
- JE Jane Eyre
- LCB The Last Chronicle of Barset
- LD Little Dorrit
- Life The Life of Charlotte Brontë
- NC The Newcomes
- NE 'Novels and their Endings' in The Works of John Ruskin
- SH The Small House at Allington
- TP The Professor