

# Adelaide Anne Procter Quotes

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Joy is like restless day; but peace divine like quiet night; Lead me, O Lord, till perfect Day shall shine through Peace to Light.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

No star is lost once we have seen, We always may be what we might have been.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Dreams grow holy put in action.

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One by one the sands are flowing, One by one the moments fall; Some are coming, some are going; Do not strive to grasp them all.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

One by one bright gifts from heaven Joys are sent thee here below; Take them readily when given, Ready, too, to let them go.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

The men are much alarmed by certain speculations about women; and well they may be, for when the horse and ass begin to think and argue, adieu to riding and driving.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Kinds hearts are here; yet would the tenderest one Have limits to its mercy; God has none.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Half my life is full of sorrow, Half of joy, still fresh and new; One of these lives is a fancy, But the other one is true.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Do no cheat thy Heart and tell her, 'Grief will pass away.'

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Dreams grow holy put in action; work grows fair through starry dreaming, But where each flows on unmingling, both are fruitless and in vain.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Hours are golden links, God's token Reaching heaven; but one by one Take them, lest the chain be broken Ere the pilgrimage be done.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Do not look at life's long sorrow; see how small each moment's pain.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Seated one day at the organ, I was weary and ill at ease, and my fingers wandered idly over the noisy keys. It seemed the harmonious echo from our discordant life.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

I know too well the poison and the sting of things too sweet.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

I do not ask, O Lord, that life may be a pleasant road.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

See how time makes all grief decay.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Be strong to hope, O Heart! Though day is bright, The stars can only shine In the dark night. Be strong, O Heart of mine, Look towards the light!

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Each man has some part to play.

~Adelaide Anne Procter

Have we not all, amid life's petty strife, / Some pure idea of a noble life /  
That once seemed possible?

~Adelaide Anne Procter

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