

Algernon Blackwood Quotes

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The wise are silent, the foolish speak, and the children are thus led astray, for wisdom is not knowledge, it is a realization of the scheme and of one's own part in it.

~Algernon Blackwood

Not easily may an individual escape the deep slavery of the herd.

~Algernon Blackwood

My imagination requires a judicious rein; I am afraid to let it loose, for it carries me sometimes into appalling places beyond the stars and beneath the world.

~Algernon Blackwood

Ritual is the passage way of the soul into the Infinite.

~Algernon Blackwood

Time is measured by the quality and not the quantity of sensations it contains.

~Algernon Blackwood

I searched everywhere for a proof of reality, when all the while I understood quite well that the standard of reality had changed

~Algernon Blackwood

But the wicked passions of men's hearts alone seem strong enough to leave pictures that persist the good are ever too luke-warm.

~Algernon Blackwood

The best match in the world will not light a candle unless the wick be first suitably prepared.

~Algernon Blackwood

No place worth knowing yields itself at sight, and those the least inviting on first view may leave the most haunting pictures upon the walls of

memory.

~Algernon Blackwood

The dark side of life, and the horror of it, belonged to a world that lay remote from his own select little atmosphere of books and dreamings.

~Algernon Blackwood

No man can describe to another convincingly wherein lies the magic of the woman who ensnares him.

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