

Angelus Silesius

Quotes

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I am like God and God like me. I am as large as God. He is as small as I. He cannot above me nor I beneath him be.

~Angelus Silesius

Paradise is at your own center; unless you find it there, there is no way to enter.

~Angelus Silesius

If Christ were born in Bethlehem a thousand times and not in thee thyself; then art thou lost eternally.

~Angelus Silesius

By the will art thou lost, by the will art thou found, by the will art thou free, captive, and bound.

~Angelus Silesius

The rose is without 'why'; it blooms simply because it blooms. It pays no attention to itself, nor does it ask whether anyone sees it.

~Angelus Silesius

A monk asks: Is there anything more miraculous than the wonders of nature? The master answers: Yes, your awareness of the wonders of nature.

~Angelus Silesius

Do not seek God in outer space-- Your heart is the only place in which to meet Him face to face.

~Angelus Silesius

God does not care what good you did, but why you did it. He does not grade the fruit but probes the core and tests the root.

~Angelus Silesius

If in your heart you make a manger for his birth then God will once

again become a child on earth.

~Angelus Silesius

Love is difficult, because loving is not enough: We must, like God, ourselves be Love.

~Angelus Silesius

Though Christ a thousand times in Bethlehem be born, If he's not born in thee thy soul is still forlorn.

~Angelus Silesius

We keep so busy talking we are so keen to act that we forget that in the heart lies all we need untapped, intact.

~Angelus Silesius

It isn't bread that feeds you; it is life and the spirit that feed you through bread.

~Angelus Silesius

Springtime is at hand. When will you ever bloom, if not here and now?

~Angelus Silesius

Time is of your own making; Its clock ticks in your head. The moment you stop thought Time too stops dead.

~Angelus Silesius

God, whose love and joy are present everywhere, can't come to visit you unless you aren't there.

~Angelus Silesius

God is a pure no-thing, concealed in now and here; the less you reach for him, the more he will appear.

~Angelus Silesius

The name of Jesus is as ointment poured forth; It nourishes, and illumines, and stills the anguish of the soul.

~Angelus Silesius

The one awakened liberated sees all things as one unseparated.

~Angelus Silesius

God never does withdraw; His works come to no halt; If you don't feel His force, yourself must be at fault.

~Angelus Silesius

Nothing can throw thee into the infernal abyss so much as this detested word - heed well! - this mine and thine.

~Angelus Silesius

The Rose which here on earth is now perceived by me, has blossomed thus in god from all eternity.

~Angelus Silesius

What is outside yourself does not convey much worth; Clothes do not make the man, the saddle not the horse.

~Angelus Silesius

The rose does not have a why; it blossoms without reason, forgetful of self and oblivious to our vision.

~Angelus Silesius

Christ could be born a thousand times in Bethlehem - but all in vain until He is born in me.

~Angelus Silesius

The rose has no 'Why?' It flowers because it flowers.

~Angelus Silesius

A rose is but a rose, it blooms because it blooms; it thinks not of itself, nor asks if it is seen.

~Angelus Silesius

I am as vast as God; there is nothing in the world O Miracle: that can shut me up in myself.

~Angelus Silesius

Don't think that some tomorrow you'll see God's Light. You see it now or err in darkest night.

~Angelus Silesius

The rose that with you earthly eyes you see, has flowered in God from all eternity.

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