

Fitz-Greene Halleck

Quotes

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The wild-flower wreath of feeling, the sunbeam of the heart.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

There is an evening twilight of the heart, When its wild passion-waves are lulled to rest.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

This bank-note world.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

What is man's love? His vows are broke even while his parting kiss is warm.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

And thou art terrible--the tear, The groan, the knell, the pall, the bier;
And all we know, or dream, or fear Of agony, are thine.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

Strike-for your altars and your fires; Strike-for the green graves of your sires; God-and your native land!

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

I sorrow that all fair things must decay.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

They love their land, because it is their own, And scorn to give aught other reason why; Would shake hands with a king upon his throne, And think it kindness to his majesty. - Fitz

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

Ere the dolphin dies Its hues are brightest. Like an infant's breath Are tropic winds before the voice of death.

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It is a rich storehouse for those who love quotations. It is as full of fine bon mots as a Christmas pudding is full of plums.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

And Burns--though brief the race he ran, Though rough and dark the paths he trod, Lived--died--in form and soul a man, The image of his God.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

I cannot spare the luxury of believing that all things beautiful are what they seem.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

None knew thee but to love thee.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

Beauty,--the fading rainbow's pride.

~Fitz-Greene Halleck

Green be the turf above thee, Friend of my better days! None knew thee but to love thee, Nor named thee but to praise.

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