

THE WIND AMONG THE REEDS

In a letter to his publisher, Yeats referred to *The Wind Among the Reeds* as "a book of short lyrics Irish & personal." It may also be described as a collection of love poems both intense and indirect. Now considered a watershed in Yeats's career, the book received mixed reviews when it was first published in April of 1899. More recently,...



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I bring you with reverent hands
The books of my numberless dreams. W.B. Yeats, *The Wind Among the Reeds* //

But I, being poor, have only my dreams;
I have spread my dreams under your feet;
Tread softly because you tread on my dreams."
(Aedh Wishes for the Cloths of Heaven) W.B. Yeats, *The Wind Among the Reeds* //

Reader's Opinions

Yeats runs around in the field because he knows lighting will strike him. Reading the poems between the ones you will own is worth the time. Past despair will help a reader here.

Years continue to improve the poems here are much more concise and determined but there is too much repetition for this collection to really be considered great. Very enjoyable, though, and miles ahead of the previous efforts.