

STRANGELY ORTHODOX: R. S. THOMAS

Barry Morgan, the current Archbishop of Wales, knew poet R. S. Thomas well and is running a short course at Gladstone's Library in March 2013 to consider not only Thomas's poems but to give an unpretentious summary of the poet's religious concerns.

This reading list (see reverse) has been compiled by Archbishop Morgan for those who are interested in R. S. Thomas. These texts can be used in preparation for the 2013 course, or just for personal reading.

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R.S. Thomas, Autobiographies	R39 Ts/9
R. S. Thomas, Between Here and Now	R39 Ts/36
R. S. Thomas, Counterpoint	R39 Ts/19
R. S. Thomas, Collected Poems 1945-1990	R39 Ts/7
R. S. Thomas, <i>H'm</i>	R39 Ts/43
R. S. Thomas, Laboratories of the Spirit	R39 Ts/40
R. S. Thomas, Mass for Hard Times	R39 Ts/20
R. S. Thomas, Not That He Brought Flowers	R39 Ts/40
R. S. Thomas, No Truce with Furies	R39 Ts/11
R. S. Thomas, Residues	R39 Ts/25
R. S. Thomas, A Choice of Wordsworth's Verse	R34 W/153
R. S. Thomas (ed.), The Penguin Book of Religious Verse	G49 130
Damian Wolford Davies, Echoes to the Amen (Essays after R. S. Thomas)	R39 Ts/28
Elaine Shepherd, R. S. Thomas: Conceding an Absence	R39 Ts/16

Journals (available on request from library staff)

Agenda, Special Edition: A Tribute to R. S. Thomas, vol. 36 no.2 (1998)

'R.S. Thomas talks to J. B. Lethbridge', Anglo-Welsh Review, vol. 74 (1983)

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