

Wordsworth and Jung: the Sublime and the Numinous

Jerwood Library, Wordsworth Trust, Grasmere 26/6/11

Programme

(Note: main speakers will present for up to 30 mins followed by 15 mins discussion)

9.15 Tea and Coffee

9.40 Welcome and Introduction (Phil Goss)

9.45 Poetry reading: *Wordsworth on the Sublime* (Gordon Bottomley)

The Sublime and the Numinous: Describing the ineffable

10.00 *Healing Images in Wordsworth and Jung: the Commonplace and Ineffable* (Beth Darlington)

10.45 *The dual character of the Numinous and the Sublime* (Ann Casement)

11.30 Tea and Coffee

12.00 *Wonder and Miracle in the late Wordsworth* (Jeffrey Robinson)

12.45 Introduction to the Wordsworth Trust (Jeff Cowton)

1.00 LUNCH (in Villa Columbina restaurant)

The Sublime and the Numinous: Landscape, Projection and the Ineffable

2.00 Poetry reading: *Landscape and the Sublime* (Polly Atkin)

2.15 *Inscape and Landscape* (Rachael Davenhill)

3.00 Tea and Coffee

3.30 *Moments out of time: Anima, Landscape and Loss* (Phil Goss)

4.15 Discussion/ closing thoughts

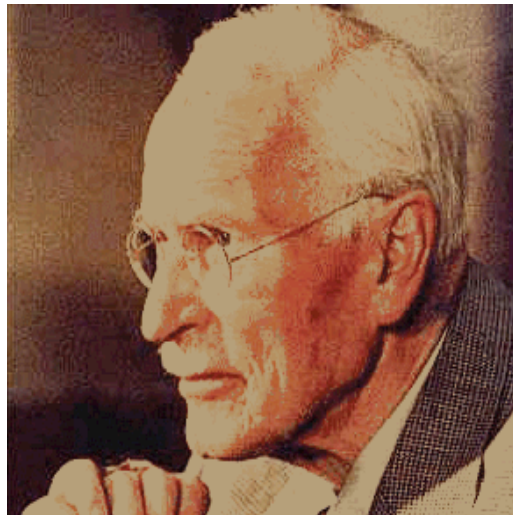
4.30 Close

4.30 – 5.30:

Introduction to the Jerwood Library and Wordsworth Trust (Jeff Cowton) for those interested.

Wordsworth and Jung: *'The Sublime and the Numinous'*

Sunday June 26th 9.30-4.30, Grasmere



This unique event, hosted by the Wordsworth Trust, in the Jerwood Library, Grasmere, brings together eminent speakers from the Jungian and Romantic Studies communities to consider how Wordsworth's *Sublime* may usefully be compared to Jung's ideas on the *Numinous*. Both terms may be seen as attempts to capture the ineffable in ways that begin to describe human experiences of the mysterious and the divine, via encounters with the natural (and man-made) world, as well as via inner experience. Speakers confirmed are:

Ann Casement, Beth Darlington, Rachael Davenhill, Phil Goss, Jeffrey Robinson

There will also be plenty of opportunity for discussion, and poetry readings. The cost for the day is £80 (concessionary rate information available) and includes lunch and refreshments.

If you wish to receive further details of the day, including how to book, please contact Phil Goss at:

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