

No critique can adequately set forth the merit or excellence of a given work. True appreciation can only come through a devotion of the soul :

It is when

We gloriously forget ourselves and plunge
Soul-forward, headlong into a book's profound,
Impassioned for its beauty and salt of truth—
Its then we get the right good from a book."

Every line the gifted professor of English literature in the Catholic University of Washington has ever written has made for the betterment of the Catholic people of America. Critics may divide upon the merit of his work, but in this just and acceptable tribute they will all fondly unite.



AFTER YOU, MONSIEUR.'