

Download Deep Wisdom From Shakespeare's Dramas

The dreams of Shakespeare's dramas work to wake us to our slumbers, to break the dark barriers of fortified unconsciousness and let in wisdom's light. If Erasmus before him came to praise folly, Shakespeare came to bury it, but not by homily or invective, not as a preacher or a rhetor, but as a maker of mirrors by which, in Hamlet's words, he meant to show "virtue her own feature ...From off a hill whose concave womb reworded A plaintful story from a sist'ring vale, My spirits t'attend this double voice accorded, And down I laid to list the sad-tuned tale,Publication The publication history of Romeo and Juliet began in London in 1596 or 1597, when printers John Danter and Edward Allde produced a mistake-ridden quarto version of the play copied in the audience during a performance."Shakespeare and the Goddess of Complete Being" brings us closer to understanding the Bard's writings. Ted Hughes has intuitively perceived that Shakespeare's plays are linked together and constitute a single narrative.