



The Sacred and the Saints Are They Compatible?

An Instance of their Relationship in *Angelus from dawn to the evening Angelus* by Jammes and in the *Poems* of Bonnefoy

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Abstract: Usually, the sacred and the holy oppose each other. However, are they incompatible? The catholic Francis Jammes, in *Angelus from dawn to the evening Angelus*, links the cycles of nature to humble people's lives, which gives them depth and gravity. The sacred is at the service of the holy. The atheist Bonnefoy, in *Poems*, finds back the Christian values by returning to the essential and fundamental elements of human condition.

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