

Ruskin and the English Lakes. By the Rev.
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The scenery alone of the English lakes is enough to attract attention, but what adds so much of charm and interest to that region is the personal connections it has with the few great men who lived there. Of these no one drew more inspiration from his surroundings or gave more effort and sympathy back to the men who lived there than Ruskin. The stepping stones of his life's work were quarried there as a young man, and there Nature opened the eye that was to prove so sensitive to the beautiful in art and life later on. All this is spoken of in an appreciative, almost reverential way in the present book.

