A Reader's Guide To Fifty Modern British Poets

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Modernist Poets And Poetry - Introduction. Modernism in English poetry it could be argued began with the publication of Walt Whitman's Leaves of Grass in 1855 in the United States of America. This unusual book, decades in the making, announced a freewheeling poet to the western literary world. Poetry would never be the same again. This article is a guide to what I consider to be 20 of the most important and influential modernist poetry books. I shall give the author, title, date of publication, the significant poems and the reasons why I think it deserves to be amongst the top 20. His poems can sometimes overwhelm the reader but they never fail to rouse feeling and thought. Alone, he built the new poetic road as he forged ahead. A young Robert Frost around 1915. | A Reader's Guide to Contemporary Literary Theory. Fifth edition. Raman Selden Peter Widdowson Peter Brooker. A Reader's Guide to Contemporary Literary Theory. A Reader’s Guide to Contemporary Literary Theory. FIFTH EDITION. Raman Selden Peter Widdowson Peter Brooker. British Library Cataloguing in Publication Data A CIP catalogue record for this book can be obtained from the British Library. Library of Congress Cataloging in Publication Data Selden, Raman. A reader’s guide to contemporary literary theory / Raman Selden, Peter Widdowson, Peter Brooker. 5th ed. p. cm.