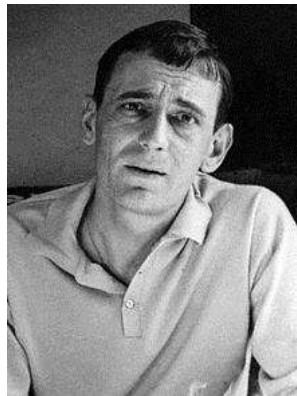


My Hero

by Willis Hall

When interpreting and analysing a poem, we need to first know the poet's background so that we are better able to relate it to what he or she may be trying to convey.



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About the Poet

Willis Edward Hall was born on April 6, 1929 in Hunslet, Leeds, England. He was an English playwright and also a radio and television writer. In his younger days, he volunteered for the regular army in the National Service where he served as a signals corporal in Malaya. Here he started writing plays that were later broadcast on Radio Malaya and designed sets for Singapore little Theatre.

Throughout his writing career, Hall wrote more than a dozen children's books, wrote radio and television plays as well as scripts for musicals. Following his fight with esophageal cancer, Hall passed away on March 7, 2005 at the age of 76.