A Critical Reading Of The Selected Poems Of T.S. Eliot

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His works were rich with literary allusions to cater to the larger design of his poem. He explored the theme of the artist in society and the isolation he must face. Eliot rejected the idea of a center, so to speak. His poetry is rich with uncertainty, acting as an antithesis of Victorian art. This sense of uncertainty at the face of remarkable change is present in "The Journey of the Magi," in which the Magi are alienated, trapped between two worlds that symbolize the old order and the new.