



# R. D. Laing: 50 Years Since 'The Divided Self'

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Once again, we thank you very much for your participation in this collection. We are still convinced that this book of ours is far and away the best and comprehensive selection still available about R.D. Laing and his work.

With best wishes,

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R.D. Laing: 50 Years Since The Divided Self Edited by Theodor Itten & Courtenay Young. PCCS Books. 2012. £16.00 (pb). 290 pp. ISBN: 9781906254544. Yet another book on R. D. Laing may appear self-indulgent. In fact, several of the contributions to this edited collection do seem to be of this nature. However, the title registers the half-century anniversary of Laing's *The Divided Self*, first published in 1960, which the authors and editors "commemorate and celebrate in [their] various ways" (p. vii). The book appraises "Laing's life, work, frailties, brilliance, and his wide and varied influence." *The Divided Self* - by R D Laing (Paperback)

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