Léopold Sédar Senghor: From Politics to Poetry

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*Senghor, Léopold Sédar (1906-2001) The Black Past. 29 Aug 2018. Senegal's first President, Léopold Sedar Senghor, is considered one of the most influential Africans of the 20th century. As a poet, Senghor Senegal and Léopold Sédar Senghor: Francophile Nation and Poet In both his poetry and his political work, Senghor set himself up as a mediator between France and Africa he dreamt of an ongoing and enriching cultural.