



Quote Quest



Octavia Butler - The Only Lasting Truth

Octavia E. Butler (1947–2006) was an American science fiction author. In 1995, she became the first science fiction writer to receive a MacArthur Fellowship, and she won many awards for her writing. Her work explored themes such as hierarchies and violence, hybridity and bioengineering, alternative communities and African American spiritualism.

“All that you touch you _____ .
All that you _____ changes you.
The only lasting truth is _____ .
God is _____ ”

OCTAVIA E. BUTLER

Questions

1. What word is missing from the quote?
2. Do you agree with the statement in the quote?
3. Why is it so hard for humans to accept change? Do you think other animals find it easier to cope with changes?
4. Can you think of a current event or an event from your own life that corresponds with the quote?
Does it relate to a tv show, a movie, a game or a book that you like?
5. Make up your own quote or saying. If you had one message to convey to the world, what would it be?