

A Paper Spittoon

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These are raw and unedited...seeds for future writings. If something catches your eye, expand it or maybe add something of your own. Comment on images that these ideas bring forth...

Impossibility

Adults rarely test reality. How often do you try to do things which are impossible? Everyday I still try to fly, walk thru walls, teleport or some other whim which tests the universe. Children do this all the time. Yet so many adults lose this trait. If you try the impossible on a frequent basis, then consider your fortune as being pretty unique. In my informal survey of asking people, I found it to be a rare trait outside of artists, madmen and children.

A Conversation with Julie

Is it easier to destroy than to create? Yes, but why? I believe it has to do with the combination of data, required materials and required patterns to establish something. In thought, it layers down as:

- It's easiest to do nothing
- Next easiest just go with the flow
- Then to destroy
- Then to create

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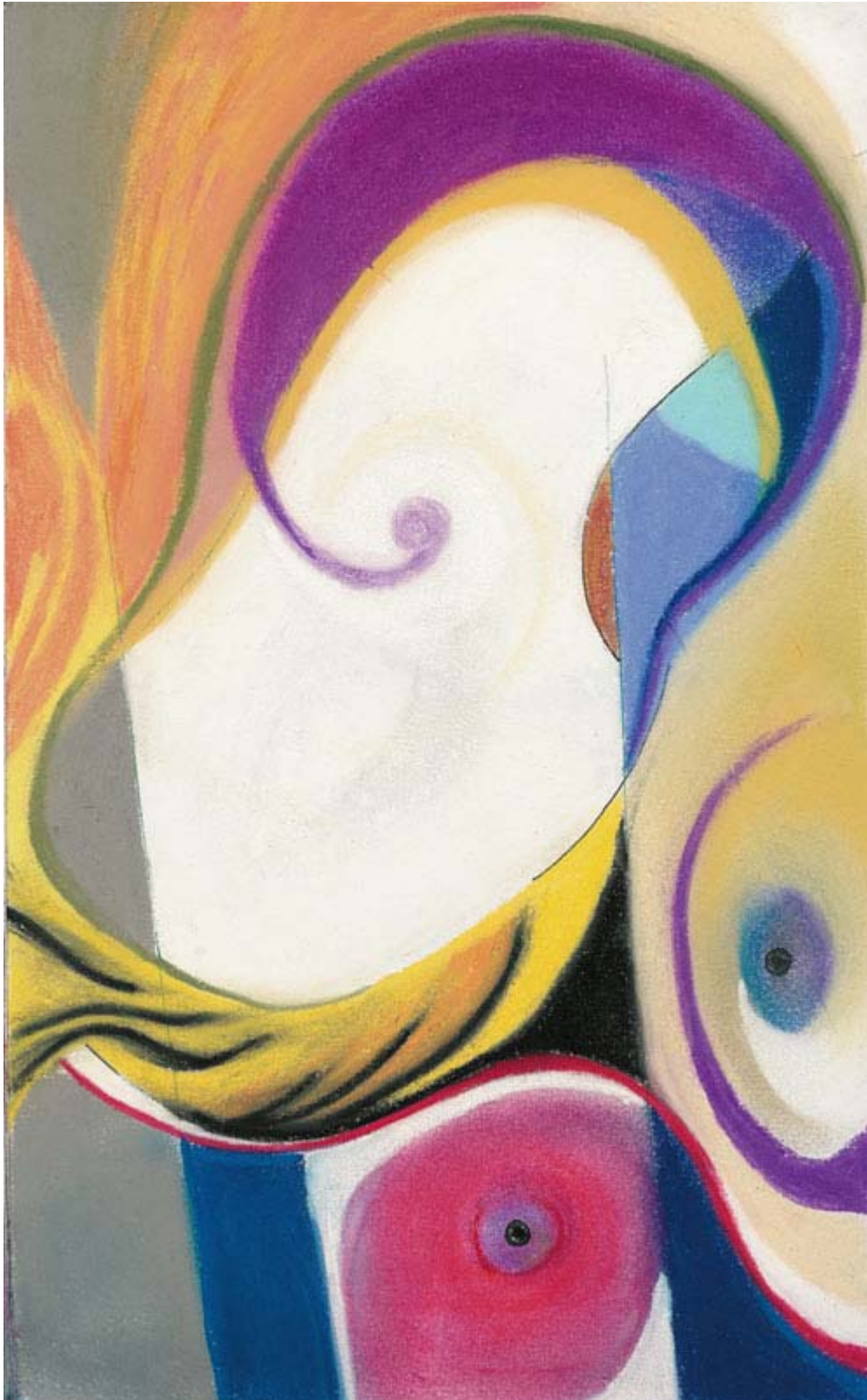
This question was posed within the Google group "Minds Eye". Within this conversation I liked the conclusion that creation and destruction are the same thing: change. To create is to also destroy, and conversely to destroy was to create.

Word Math

Written language is a powerful / useful tool. Words are useful in the same manner that physics uses math to model the universe. However, both words and math are only abstract modeling mediums.

Language permits the binding of a community in the present time. Written language connects a community across the past into the future, in a stronger fashion.

Portraits



The empty mind

Performing magic is to fill in... the empty spaces.

A waste of time

“A waste of time” is an interesting statement. If life is time, then to waste time is to waste life. But if life is eternal, then we can never truly waste time. More interestingly: the saying “time is money”. If again life is time, seemingly the economic systems can then place a value upon life down to the seconds we live. But if life is eternal, then a second becomes valueless amid the eternity of our life. If people were to accept their eternal nature, it could collapse the entire modern world economic structure! Shhhhh, don’t tell anyone! I don’t want the World Bank boycotting this book. I need the revenue ;^) to buy me some of those seconds they are trying to sell me.

Words

Words are shallow.

Orality: Morality without the 'm',
Speaking out human nature.

It's too easy, to become a preacher.

This in any style: Poetry, street savior, sermons

Becomes a hollow sound: The classic noise of one hand
slapping another person down

Walking

Ever watch people walk? I am sitting in the café right now, watching:

- Striding laid back, kewl to an angle
- Stiff, pulling each leg forward
- Plodding
- As if he owned the ground
- As if she owned him
- In-different
- Bouncing
- Heavy steps pounding into the ground the bad day
- Planting heels, one heel at a time to step ahead

So much of who we are projects forth in our walking.

Mind Body Spirit

A balance in a physical practice is important. I wonder if acting outside of our nature, is partially responsible for causing feelings of dimming / depression to occur?

Actions

We can't always have a teacher, or guide.

So don't wait or hesitate; when something feels right, move to it, explore, make mistakes and grow.

Trees grow strong in the wind, and weak with inaction.

Reflections of Ourselves In the World at Large

The world is not
Fair, moral, just, any other human value
The world is just the world

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