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RESPONSES AT THE MARRIAGE OF TRUTH AND MEMORY

Did Lao Tzu speak the truth, yet fail Because he underestimated doingness? He did.

Did Buddha speak the truth, yet fail Because he lacked data on structure? He did.

Was Christ crucified because he tried To get men to confront their facsimiles? He was.

Is Scientology capable of succeeding There all of those men failed? It is.

WILHELM REICH

(This poem is dedicated to the Food and Drug Administration of the United States of America, which believes that a dead genius is better than a live one. -- See title.)

was he the only same man In a world of madmen?

He left the question unanswered. And he left his body unthanked.

And he left us with a choice:
Between theta energy and bicarbonate of soda.

Early 16th CENTURY

While in France and Spain
The rulers made rehearsels of despotism,

In England our noble King Henry VIII Trote a song in which he said:

"... But every man hath his free will"; and we see the beginnings of rule by agreement.

TO THE PARKITS

Coreature whose life to be is a film Of which you are the Producers And he is the Director.

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DEFINITION

Poetry is the supreme orderliness. It is the spring cleaning of words.

It is taking 3, 1 and 2 And placing them 1, 2 and 3.

It is the replacement of effect cause and By cause and effect.

It is not a thing of imagination: It is the imagination of a thing.

ON THE POSSIBILITY OF STARTING

At any time in history,

If a man in prison for a long spell

Had begun to emerge from the apathy in which he was plunged

by the severity of the sentence,

And begun to sweep the dust from the floor of his cell,

And begun to audit his fellow prisoners and the warders,

He could have started the greatest civilization

we have yet seen.

GENUS: CRITIC: SPECIES: BOOK REVIEWER

Most of his life is spent underground, concealed.

But when the bright new leaves of the new novels appear He emerges and flies about and begins to chew, Not pausing until the author has died.

And the larger the crop of books The more of him there are.

Shall we classify them under the coleoptera or the diptera?

And shall we be driven to spraying the dust-jackets of review copies with insectioides?

I HAVE LEARNED

I have learned to look at clouds
Not just as obstructions between me and the sky
But as things to be valued for themselves.

And to look at a tree with buds but no leaves as a thing which is about to explode.

And to look at the shadows that dart Across the fields in the evening As things which are running a race with time.

DESIRE FOR ADMINATION

But does the Supreme Being wander up and down Among the orange groves, beating his chest And declaring very loudly: "I did it"?

ADVERTISING

Try Cadenza
The new, magio shampoo-hair-restorer.

Try Minuet
The magic new stockings that make you feel you're dancing on air.

Try Flamenco
The only Spanish sherry that's truly British.

Try Symphony
The new, magic deodorant. In Bach, Mozart or Beethoven sizes.

UNDESTRED EVENT

Picking up the profile, she sneers, "Well, what is he dramatizing?"

But I say to you that Scientology is not just A means of telling what is wrong with people,
But the science of cultivating the gods and goddesses that are hiding within.

THE DATA OF SCIENTOJOGY

When I walk in dangerous places they are at my side:

And the Codes are more precious to me than a suit of armour with etchings;

and the Axioms are more precious to me than a flexible sword with jewels;

And I would rather wear the Factors above my head than a hat with plumes.

AH YES, BUT SHE WAS A GODDESS

When her feet moved, did her sandals touch the pavement? I swear that they did not.

When he eyes shone did they breathe light? I swear that they did.

Were the movements of he limbs not superior
to the most graceful of trees?

And were her thoughts not restful to be with
as a lake with stars?

AMOTHER KIND OF SCIENCE

To emerge from the darkness and complication of the technological museum and watch the flow-pattern of the water going over the weir and see the spiralling curl of the hair of a blonde.

3 RAHDOM QUESTIONS ABOUT A PASTORAL SCENE

Were you restimulated by the song of the nightingale?

Shall we go out and congratulate the shepherdess for enjoying the sunset?

Was the Lorelei responsible for the drowning of the boatman?

MORAL TALE ABOUT A SUNSET

Seven men with seven glasses
Drank toasts to the sunset in seven languages.

But the sunset was unimpressed by the flattery, and went on Being the sunset until the sun had gone.

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