

Contemplation and Conclusions.

Reflecting upon one's own observations, relying on the knowledge base and verified facts might be intelligent things to do. Reaching conclusions and deciding how to apply them is something different, once considered an attribute of old age. Something that makes you wonder why for decades scientists searched the universe for intelligent life. What if it doesn't wish to be found?

Living within three different cultures, two political systems and ideologies with their ever-changing economic assumptions and interpretations, inevitably leads me to depend on own reasoning when facing changes in our complex world. Believing in something would indeed be so much easier.

Connecting observation with conclusion, however, is not that complicated. Like an empty bank account with an empty pantry. Or the state of a garden deprived of water, nutrients and pollinators. The hubris of the human mind complicates what ought to be simple. Many of us have no choice but to worry about what so many deny outright.

I savour what's real. Life, working within trajectories started by other living beings billions of generations ago. Relentlessly shaping the hostile world to sustain my essential life's requirements. While so many of us believe that it is what they are doing.

How to kindle my gratitude?