

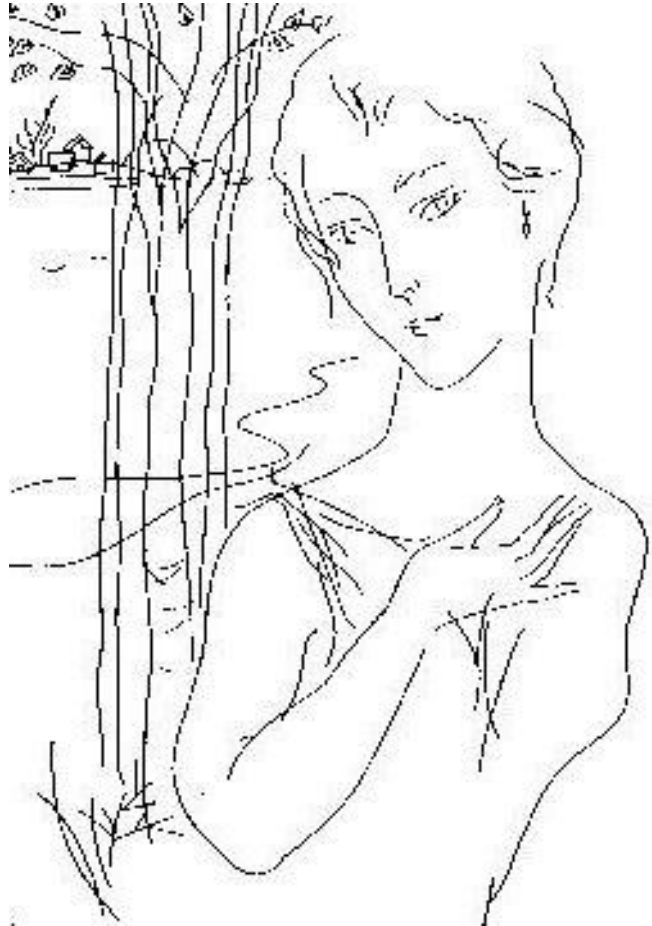
Earth is Our Common Home
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My life is interwoven
with countless other lives,
human and non-human;
together we create the wholeness
that is earth.
I cannot be except as part
of that wholeness;
because of that wholeness
I am a world citizen.

In humanity,
Life becomes especially conscious of itself.
It can reflect upon who it is
and thus can open the gate
to new possibilities born
of self-knowledge.

I am creative.
As life, I am one with the forces
of growth and progress.
As consciousness, I can direct
those forces with imagination and
with knowing, with wisdom and skill.
I can build what has never
been built before.
We can love and know
dream and change.

Together, we can serve
the destiny of life in our world
and unlock deep potentials.
In this service
is a key to our identity as humanity.
It is through this power
that I can fulfil my role
as a world citizen.



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