



LET'S IMAGINE SOMETHING ELSE.



WHAT IF THE MOST IMPORTANT QUESTION WE HAVE TO ASK OURSELVES RIGHT NOW IS NOT WHY ARE WE HERE, BUT WHAT DOES "HERE" ACTUALLY MEAN, AND HOW MUCH OF IT DO WE REALLY SEE?



WE LIVE IN AN ACCELERATED ERA. HYPER-CAPITALISM IS IMPOSING CONSUMPTION OF TIME AS THE PRIMARY MEANS OF PRODUCTION--WHERE ONCE THE PRIMARY MEANS WOULD BE LABOR, NOW IT IS THE TIME WE DEDICATE TO THE LABOR AT HAND.



THIS ACCELERATION COMES AT A PRICE. WE SPEND OUR TIME WITH THE MACHINES, AND IN TURN WE ARE BECOMING MORE LIKE THEM. WE ARE BECOMING COLD--

THAT'S SIR.



OH. "P" AND WHY? NO, PLEASE, SPEAK.



DIGITAL DUALISM DOESN'T SOLVE ANYTHING. ITS CHOICE OF HEGELIAN NATURE-ROMANTICISM AS OUR ETERNAL SAVIOR HAS BEEN ALREADY PROVEN A FAILURE BY SCHOPENHAUER.

MACHINES ARE NATURE, TOO.

TELL THAT TO THOREAU, PLEASE.

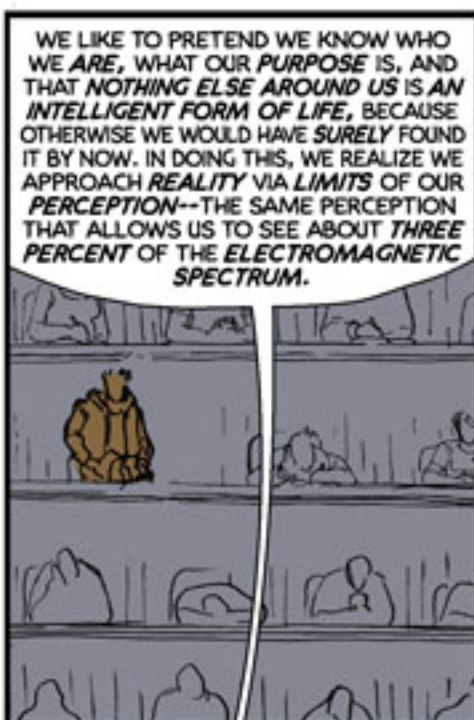


I WILL--ONCE THE MACHINES REVIVE HIM. SHOULDN'T TAKE TOO LONG GIVEN OUR PROGRESS IN QUANTUM COMPUTING AND A.I...



AS I WAS SAYING--

--THIS ACCELERATION COMES AT A PRICE.



"ALL YOU NEED
TO MAKE A MOVIE IS
A GIRL AND A GUN."

-JEAN-LUC GODARD

COLT DETECTIVE SPECIAL.
STATUS: GUN. LEGALLY ACQUIRED.
MARKET VALUE: USUALLY STARTS
AROUND \$900.

**KLONOPIN. ALSO KNOWN AS
CLONAZEPAM, KPIN, PIN.**
STATUS: SCHEDULE IV CONTROLLED
SUBSTANCE. ILLEGALLY ACQUIRED.
BLACK MARKET VALUE:
\$1-2 PER 2MG PILL.

NYLON DAHLIAS.
STATUS: HUMAN BEING. ACTRESS.
MARKET VALUE: GOING DOWN.

SOME DAYS, NYLON DAHLIAS WANTS A ROLE.
TODAY, LOS ANGELES IS TOO HOT, TOO
SHAKY, LIKE HER PERCEPTION IS SHAKY--
IMAGINE RESTING AGAINST A CORNER
OF A TABLE WHEN YOU'RE TOO DRUNK--
MAKE ONE BAD MOVE AND YOU'LL SLIP
AND CUT YOUR HEAD OPEN. GAME OVER.

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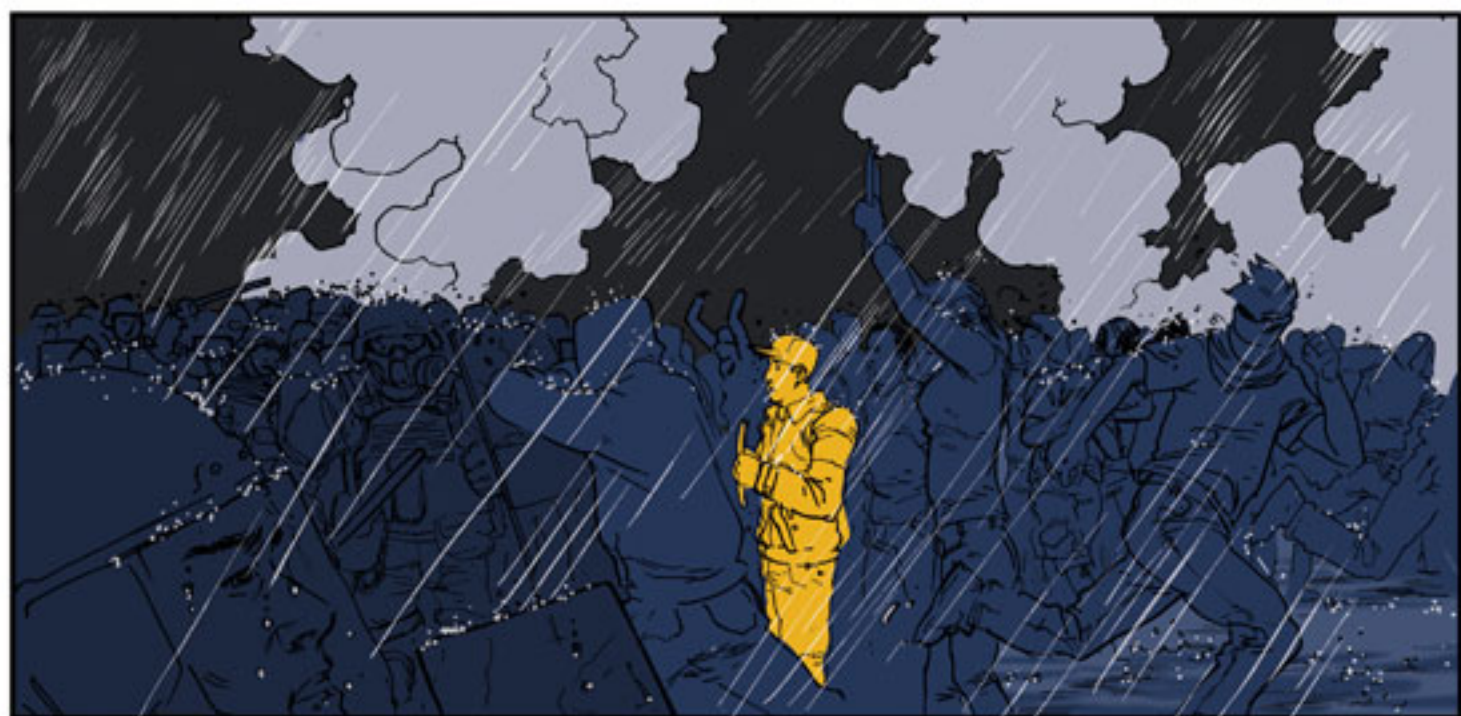
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