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The dullard finds even wine tasteless, while the sorcerer is intoxicated by the mere sight of water.

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~Hakim Bey
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Ten minutes in a video store should convince any impartial observer that we live in a police state of consciousness, far more pervasive than the Nazis.

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If rulers refuse to consider poems as crimes, then someone must commit crimes that serve the function of poetry, or texts that possess the resonance of terrorism.

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Nature has no Laws â€" only habits.

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Art tells gorgeous lies that come true.

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Those who understand history are condemned to watch other idiots repeat it.

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Sorcery: the systematic cultivation of enhanced consciousness or non-ordinary awareness & its deployment in the world of deeds & objects to bring about desired results.

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To say that 'I will not be free till all humans (or all sentient creatures) are free' is simply to cave in to a kind of nirvana-stupor, to abdicate our humanity, to define ourselves as losers.

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~Hakim Bey
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In short, it occurred to me that perhaps the only possible avant garde is the avant garden.

~Hakim Bey

the dullard sees no eros in fine champagne; the sorcerer can fall intoxicated on a glass of water

~Hakim Bey

Words belong to those who use them only till someone else steals them back.

~Hakim Bey

The sorcerer is a Simple Realist: the world is real--but then so must consciousness be real since its effects are so tangible.

~Hakim Bey

The last possible deed is that which defines perception itself, an invisible golden chord that connects us: illegal dancing in the courthouse corridors.

~Hakim Bey

Moloch merely shovels babies into the fire of productive capitalism. Mammon hooks them on the dead heroin of envy.

~Hakim Bey

Turn to yourselves rather than to your Gods or to your idols. Find what hides in yourselves; bring it to the light; show yourselves!

~Hakim Bey

A Tong can perhaps be defined as a mutual benefit society for people with a common interest which is illegal or dangerously marginal - hence, the necessary secrecy.

~Hakim Bey

Don't just survive while waiting for someone's revolution to clear your head.

~Hakim Bey

The media of sameness and separation represent the world in its most religious form - the structuring of the social in images.

~Hakim Bey

Mummies are dehydrated & they long for the blood of living words.

~Hakim Bey

...only drugs make you feel as good as people in TV ads appear to be.

~Hakim Bey

The autonomy of the individual appears to be complemented & enhanced by the movement of the group; while the effectiveness of the group seems to depend on the freedom of the individual.

~Hakim Bey

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