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is not a man,
is more than a country
is you and I
is Justice



Kolade Ogunbayode

I am June XII

The late great Chief Obafemi Awolowo once referred to Nigeria as a "Geographical Expression", describing the colonial conquest of the English in our great land. But is this "Geographical Expression" worth saving despite the gross injustice, suffering and hyper-corruption that abounds? Many seem to think so, despite the odds! Enter June XII, a proper Omoluabi and upstanding citizen #1, saving the marginalised populace from the cancerous and endemic avarice postulated by those in power.

June XII's mysterious abilities and disdain for corruption and injustice reminds us that we are not merely spectators of this nonsense. His incessant fight against evil and its purveyors reminds us that there truly is a higher power that answers prayers. The response to those prayers is in humanoid form and powered by the constant cries of the downtrodden. Justice wears a green and white costume. The downpressors shall be wiped clean of this land, for good!

Flee, greedy and wicked ones whilst you can as June XII is here to stay, until the job is done.

- Kolade Ogunbayode

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INSIDE IKEJA CITY MALL

NOTHING. THIS IS WHAT DANIEL WANTS. THE **CULT** HASN'T MOVED HIM UP THE **CADRE** IN A WHILE. HE WANTED A GAME UP. HE CAME TO ME. OR US YOU'LL PREFER.

WHAT HAVE YOU DONE WITH THE BOY!?

WHAT'S THAT YOU CALLED ME? A **CANCER**. WATCHOUT, ROGUE CELLS HAVE BEEN SET LOOSE!

THE BOY WAS CONFUSED AND YOU LED HIM DOWN THE PATH OF HIS DESTRUCTION

YOU HAVE GONE FAR INTO THIS BODY. BUT YOUR STAY IS WORN OUT. TIME TO LEAVE.

HE FOLLOWED. HE FOLLOWED THE PATH. I JUST POINTED THE WAY. CONFUSION IS

NEVER AN EXCUSE FOR WRONG CHOICES... YOU ALREADY KNOW THAT DON'T YOU?

HOW ARE YOU GOING TO DO THAT? WITHOUT KILLING THIS BODY... I KNEW YOU HELD BACK. WHOEVER YOU ARE.



I WILL DEAL WITH YOU IN TIME LAALU. YOUR TIME COMES.



SOBI BARRACKS, ILORIN

THE BODY YOU TOOK IS A WANTED MAN. IT'S TIME TO DELIVER HIM TO WHERE HE NEEDS TO BE. ONE SECOND, THEY ARE BOTH IN THE MIDDLE OF THE MALL WITH ALL THE BROKEN STUFFS. NEXT...





LEAVE.

HANDS UP THERE!!

DONT MOVE!

AND IT WAS SUCH A FUN RIDE



"AHH!"

HA! HA! HA! HA! HA! HA!

ARRRRGHHHH



WHAT HAVE I DONE? BUT HE HAD IT COMING. HE DESERVED IT. I DON'T OWE HIM ANYTHING. I WAS THE ONE EVERYBODY WANTED TO BE WITH. NOT HIM OR HIS DAUGHTER!

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DANIEL, WETIN HAPPEN NAH! ITS ALL OVER THE NEWS. THE BODIES ARE BEING REMOVED

YOU FOR TELL THE BOYS NAH... WE FOT ENGINEER AM A DIFFERENT WAY. SEE, WITH THIS, YOU HAVE TO VANISH SMALL.

I HAVE ONE PLACE, YOU WILL GO THERE THE GUYS ARE COMING WE NEED TO RALLY.

BOYS! .NA THAT GREEN SPIRIT! NA THAT GREEN SPIRIT!!

NO HIDING FROM ME!!

A WARE HOUSE IN AJAH, LAGOS.

JUSTICE APPEARS



JUNAID,
IS ALHAJI AWARE THAT HIS
TOP-IN-ARABIC-CLASS SON IS NOW
A HITMAN FOR A UNIVERSITY FRATERNITY?
OR DO YOU JUST PUT ON YOUR CAP AND
HOPE THE ABLUTION WASHES AWAY
YOUR LIES AND CRIMES? I HAD

BUT...
HE LOOKS SMALLER THAN
ALL THE STORIES YOU GUYS
HAVE BEEN TELLING ME. SHEY
THIS IS THE GUY THAT
MESSED UP THE
HIT ON THE EAGLES



WHO
BE THIS
TIN!

CHANGE
AM FOR
AM!!!

?!

AND YOU TOO CHIDI...
YOU HAVE NOT BROUGHT YOUR PARENTS
THE JOY THEY HAD HOPED YOUR BIRTH BROUGHT
THEM. DIDN'T YOU JUST LAST MONTH TRY TO STAB
YOUR FATHER? OVER HIS REFUSAL TO LET YOU
SEE HIS WILL? YOUR DAY IS NEAR



LET IT GO DANIEL.
NO EVIL WILL EVER CREATE GOOD.
THE THINGS YOU WANT CAN NEVER BE
GOTTEN WITH VIOLENCE. YOUR ANGER
HAS LED YOU INTO THE CLUTCHES
OF SOMEONE YOU CAN
NOT YET COMPREHEND.
LET IT GO. LET HIM GO.

WHY?!
WHY CANT I GET
WHAT I WANT
?!



LET IT GO,
THE ANGER, THE
GREED, THE DESIRES, THE
FALSE POWER. CHANGE YOUR
FOCUS AND YOU CAN STILL BE
REDEEMED FROM THIS. DO
NOT LET THIS SPREAD. THE
CORRUPTION IN YOUR
MIND IS A CANCER
WITH A MIND
OF ITS OWN

DEATH
IS NOT FOR YOU TO
DEAL. ONCE YOU COME
TO ITS LEVEL, IT NEVER
LEAVES YOU

HE DESERVED IT!
THEY ALL
DESERVED IT
!!!





HA! HA!
HA!

THIS POWER YOU HAVE CHOSEN TO WIELD WILL CORRUPT YOUR SOUL, IF YOU DO NOT RELINQUISH THIS DARKNESS NOW I WILL HAVE TO PUT YOUR STORY TO AN END FOR YOU WOULD BE BEYOND REDEMPTION AND BE CHAOS ITSELF.



THE PRESENCE OF DARKNESS BRINGS ESSENCE TO LIGHT



THE DIE HAS BEEN CAST

I...

AM..

GIVE IT UP!
THIS WILL ONLY PROLONG THE INEVITABLE

THIS IS NOT THE KIND OF POWER THAT LETS GO EASILY WHO ARE YOU TO COMMAND ME?!

I AM THE ONE WHO STANDS AGAINST YOU ...

JUSTICE!!!



JUSTICE
ENDS HERE
!!!



ONUKU
....



ARHK!!

I HAVE EXISTED
IN TIME FOR EONS,
LIGHT HAS NO
END



ONUKU - NIGERIAN IGBO TRADITIONAL DIALECT MEANING FOOL

**NEXT STRIKE
GUARD**

**#6 GRAVE
SACRIFICE**





LAALU ...

YES.. MY DEAR

BUHA/HA/HA!

THERE'S REALLY SOMETHING ABOUT THIS BOY. HE REGRETS WHAT HE HAS DONE YET HE WON'T CONVINCCE HIMSELF ENOUGH TO LEAVE US. I GUESS WITH GREAT POWER COMES

EQUALLY GREAT MADNESS.

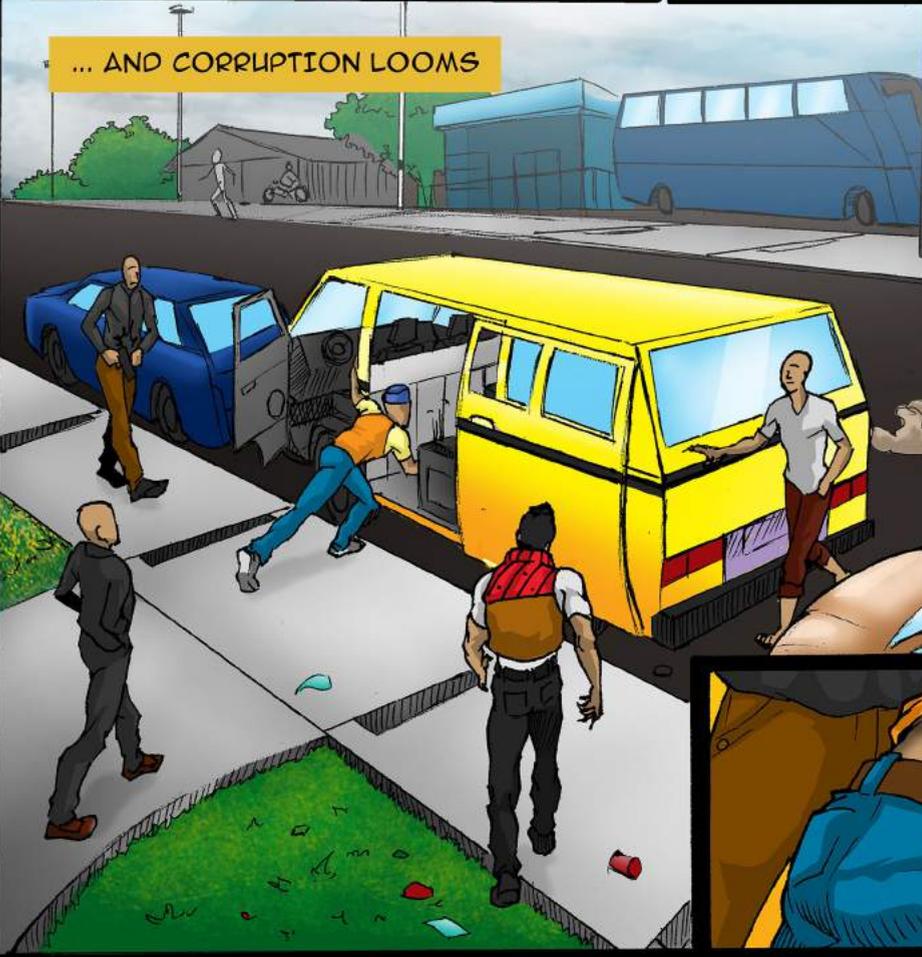
MILLIONS OF TORMENTED SOULS CONSUMED BY CORRUPTION



A SPLIT SECOND OF WEAKNESS



ONLY A SPLIT SECOND ...



... AND CORRUPTION LOOMS

MILE 2, BUSTOP. LAGOS





WELCOME SIR. TRUST THE FLIGHT WAS GOOD SIR? THE DOCTOR WAS JUST TELLING ME...



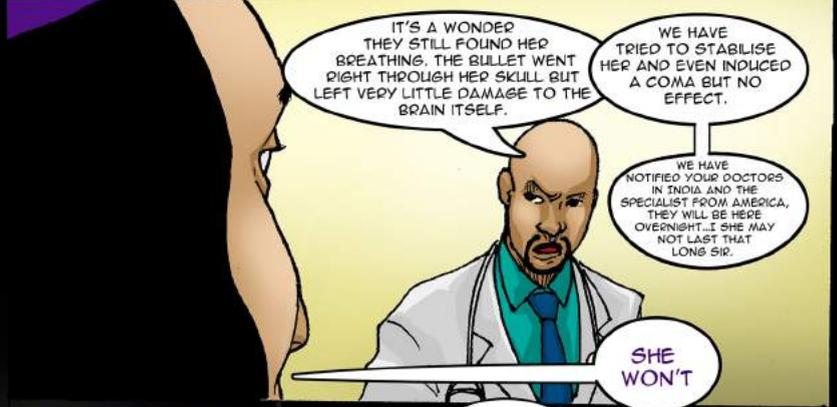
EH.. YES SIR

I AM SURE THE DOCTOR CAN TELL ME HIMSELF

GOOD, AFTERNOON SIR



WELL SIR, ITS AN HONOUR TO MEET YOU SIR, DESPITE THE TRAGEDY THAT HAS CAUSED IT



IT'S A WONDER THEY STILL FOUND HER BREATHING. THE BULLET WENT RIGHT THROUGH HER SKULL BUT LEFT VERY LITTLE DAMAGE TO THE BRAIN ITSELF.

WE HAVE TRIED TO STABILISE HER AND EVEN INDUCED A COMA BUT NO EFFECT.

WE HAVE NOTIFIED YOUR DOCTORS IN INDIA AND THE SPECIALIST FROM AMERICA, THEY WILL BE HERE OVERNIGHT. I SHE MAY NOT LAST THAT LONG SIR.

SHE WON'T



THE GUARDS AT HIS HOUSE WERE ATTACKED FIRST. THEY DIDN'T MAKE IT, POLICE THINKS IT WAS SOMEONE THEY KNEW

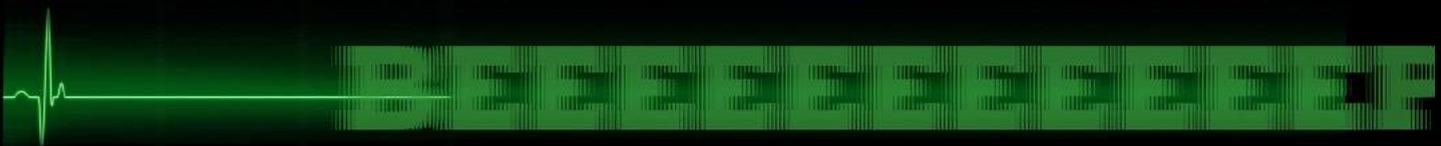
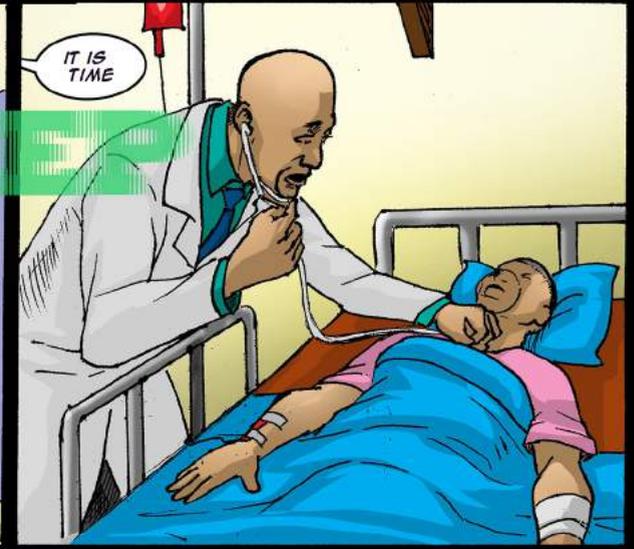
FIRST SUSPECT IS HIS CO-CONTESTANT IN THE LAST ELECTION. THE ONE WHO LOST TO YOUR COUSIN.

SUPPOSED TO BE IN SCHOOL. THE MEN ARE ON IT. DPO AKIN SENDS HIS CONDON - LENCES

ANY WORDS FROM THE POLICE?

THEY WONT FIND HIM, HOW ABOUT HIS SON

EEP-BEE

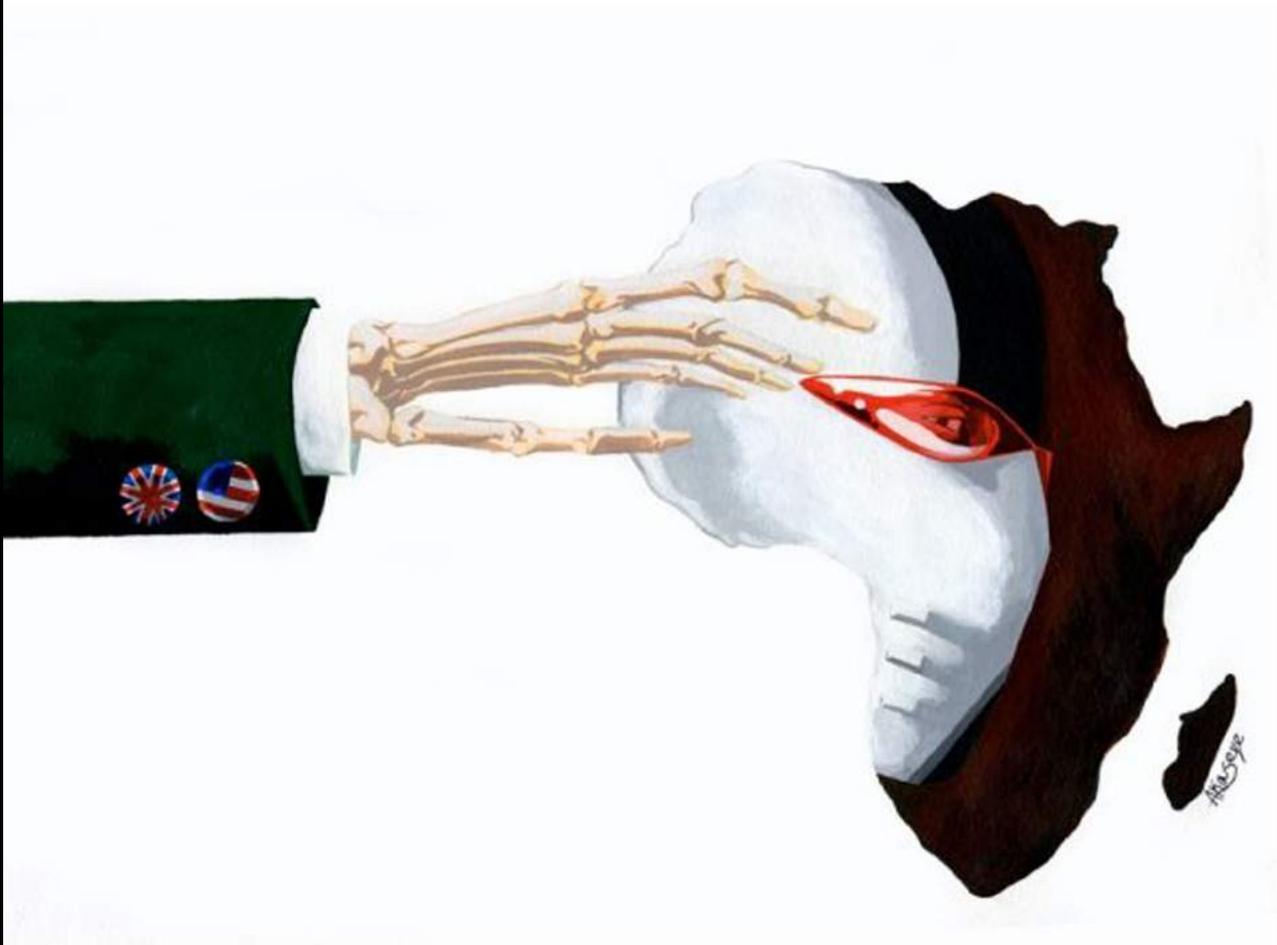


MAY

CREATED BY AKINSEYE BROWN

SANNK  FAMAAN

Pet The Beast II





WHY WOULD YOU DEFEND THESE ONES? WHAT IS IN IT FOR YOU?

I DEFEND THOSE THAT NEED THE DEFENCE. I STAND FOR THOSE THAT CAN NOT DEFEND



THEN JOIN ME. WHY FIGHT WHEN WE CAN BE SO MUCH MORE...TOGETHER

LIGHT AND DARKNESS DO NOT MIX. LIGHT CAN ONLY DESTROY DARKNESS. YOU WILL BE DESTROYED.



BUT YOU KNOW YOU CANT DO THAT..WITHOUT DESTROYING ALL OF HUMANITY. THEY CANT LIVE WITHOUT ME.

THEY HAVE NOT ALL YIELDED TO YOU YET LAALU. THEY NEVER WILL!



WILL DANIEL MAKE IT? I AM SURE YOU WANT HIM TO...



LAALU... THAT IS...



THIS HOST WILL BE DEAD ONCE YOU LEAVE IT ANY WAY



ENOUGH!!!

THE SPIRIT LEAVES DANIEL, WITHIN AN INCH OF HIS LIFE



THE END OF DARKNESS IS THE BEGINING OF HOPE

NEXT: HOPE



We Need A Change In Our Mind-set.
Corruption is the Fundamental Obstacle to Nigeria's Development as a Nation:

DEFENCE:

Corruption destroys trust in military institutions and the armed forces, risking lives in the process. When leaders buy arms because they've been bribed or received favours, it is the soldiers in the field who are left with shoddy guns or inadequate protection. Soldiers exist to protect citizens, but governments have a duty to protect their soldiers, and they buy from defence companies to do so. Corruption, on the other hand, protects only the corrupt.

HEALTH:

Corruption in the health sector can mean the difference between life and death. Poor people are worst affected. Medical staff can charge unofficial fees to attend to patients. They may demand bribes for medication which should be free. Or they may let patients who bribe them queue-jump. Corruption also costs lives when fake or adulterated medications are sold to health services.

POVERTY:

Transparency International's Global Corruption Barometer confirms that corruption hits poor people hardest – with devastating consequences. A bribe demanded by a police officer may mean that a family can't afford school fees or even food to eat. Findings from Mexico, for instance, show that the typical poor family must spend one-third of their income on bribes.

EDUCATION

The cost of corruption is high. Stolen resources from education budgets mean overcrowded classrooms and crumbling schools, or no schools at all. Books and supplies are sometimes sold instead of being given out freely. Schools and universities also 'sell' school places or charge unauthorised fees, forcing students (usually girls) to drop out. Teachers and lecturers are appointed through family connections, without qualifications. Grades can be bought, while teachers force students to pay for tuition outside of class. In higher education, undue government and private sector influence can skew research agendas.

THE HYDRA THEORY

The point is, We have major problems with (Poor Healthcare, Defence/Security, Poverty, unemployment, Illiteracy) BUT CORRUPTION IS AT THE HEART OF ALL ISSUES. Just like the Hydra. Cut off one head and it grows back; If we target corruption then those heads cant grow back. I have also provided a previous illustration we used to describe this situation.

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JUSTICE WE TRUST



Spoil Light

Woah you have to admit this issue was intense somuch going on alongside the manage version which tells the same story but in a different perspective, now the question everyone is asking “whose the purple Alhaji. **Food for thought:** A June XII Aly or like force?

JUNE XII, Tell us ... DO YOU BLEED?

Yes he bleeds, well maybe not in literal terms but atleast now we know that he can collect a punch and do you know what happens when he shows a moment of weakness? In page 9 you would notice that the moment J12 was punched by Laalu some crazy thing start to go down in Mile 2, this explains J12 holds corruption at pay a second of him down and the world as we know it will end. Question is can he go down?

Say hello to AFRICA'S greatest real life VILLIAN “Laalu”

Spoiling ... wait a minute! There's nothing to spoil, we all know him, we all struggle against him daily, Laalu is the spirit of corruption and an arch enemy to J12 rivalling the somewhat assumed infinite power of J12, What we can tell you J12 is about to get BUSY.

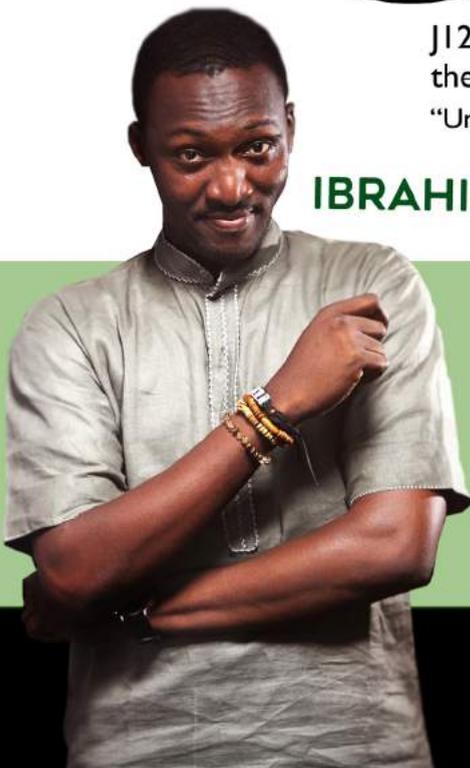


NEW ERA, NEWMAN

Since our Art Director, Chike 'Newman' Nwankwo joined with us beginning of the year after MUCH persuasion vortex quality of products have rocketed in terms art standard (not like we were not dope) but the coming of newman has had quite an effect on our art network, taking the riegn from an art diety such as SIRGAI is no easy task, but with training under the diety in past years there was no better artman to take the scroll of J12, the artstyle might be a drastic change but the essence remains the same #WEAREJUSTICE

“Understanding the Character is the heart of it all” - Chike .N. Nwankwo

IBRAHIM GANIYU Creator June XII



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“And the light shineth
in darkness; and the darkness
comprehended it not”

- John 1:5 (King James Version)

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