

## Schreiben ist eine Art von Luftwiderstand

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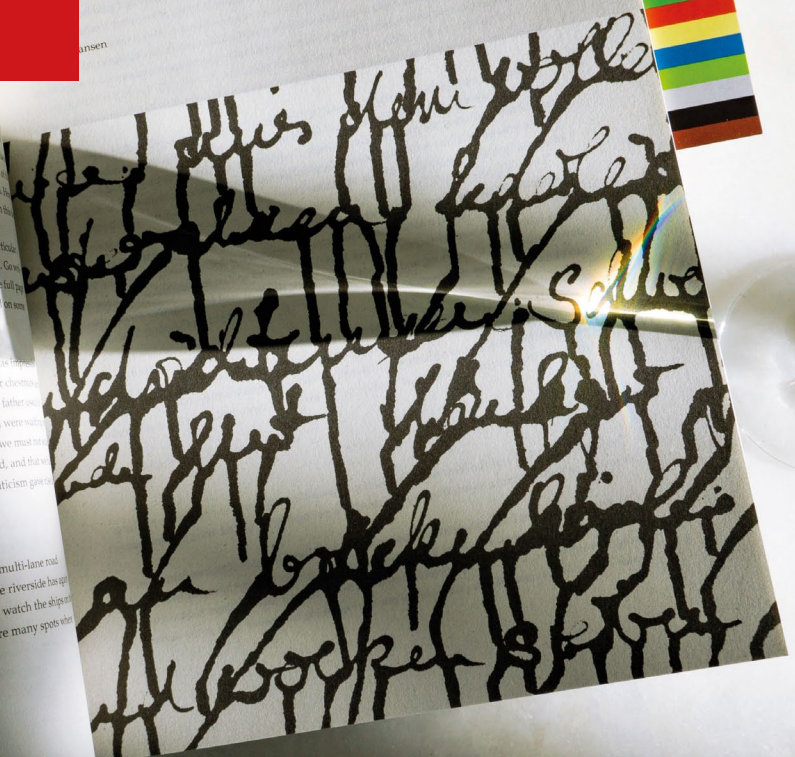
Art Nouveau period and is located in a former...  
...ing on in the neighborhood through open...  
... the quarter and apartment prices are exploding. A new generation...  
... the snug taverns with entrance stairs crooked from...  
... how things change, not just the compo...

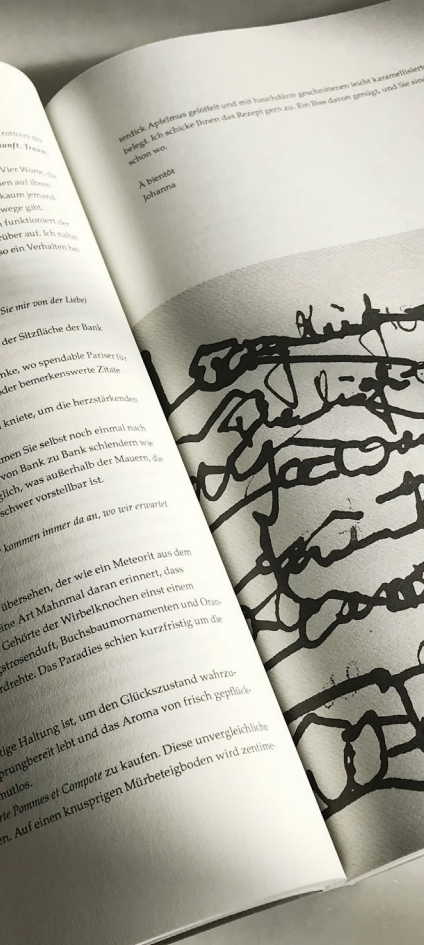
A few days ago I felt, it was ac...  
buy an aerosol can of artificial snow. Maybe it...  
me do so. So I bought a can of snow and left the store. The moment was shouting...  
minutes. Thick snowflakes were falling from the sky. A child was standing, quite amazed, be...  
mother opened her red umbrella. I was standing on the street, quite amazed, I was still...  
snowing, even if only for a very short time. I swear by the aerosol can, I was still...  
hand: it was real snow, that was falling from the sky...  
from wintery Rhineland.

very...  
conscious contrast to the...  
that constitutes the border to the...  
by bronze statues, blackberries and ivy entwining...  
are the anonymous urn fields. The department for soldiers, "fallen" in action in the...  
seems to me that the dead are falling out of this world faster and faster. The living ones...  
just crossed the line, when many of their graves are leveled again. You find all kinds of...  
fashions here in peaceful coexistence. I like cemeteries, because they are urban open spaces...  
almost forgotten. Scarcely visited reserves for hares, songbirds, squirrels. The entrance gates...  
South Cemetery are adorned by golden swords of flame. A cemetery keeper checks the area...  
is easy to remember, that we are part of a natural cycle. Urban life easily distracts you from...  
Remembering is a prerequisite for telling. And writing can help to fathom things. In particu...  
writing to try and find your way home through art. It can be a place or a state of motion. Com...  
ting. And bowing in front of a sheet of paper, the empty page, from which I depart. The fall...  
to which I return, reading. It is not by coincidence, that you find the open book symbol on...  
tombstones.

Your letter strongly reminded me of the forest of my childhood. It was certainly not as...  
as the woods in Oregon. It was a small forest on a tiny hill, just big enough to gather...  
go sleigh-riding in winter. The top of the hill was called "the end of the world". My father...  
tell my siblings and myself, that deep down in a well in the forest unborn children were...  
their parents. So we had to move quietly and cautiously through the forest. Also, we must...  
the ether. That the forest was their home and a place, where we were only tolerated, and...  
to respect. To my father, the forest still had the magic dimension German Romanticism gave...

You said that you do extensive hikes in the woods of Oregon.  
Why do you love going into the forest so much?  
Years ago Düsseldorf returned to the Rhine. For a long time, there had been a multi-lane road...  
right next to the river. Now that the traffic has been re-directed to a tunnel, the riverside has...  
become a walking promenade. You can stroll underneath sycamore trees and watch the ships...  
river. Or the sheep, keeping the grass on the riverside meadows low. There are many spots where...  
nature gradually returns into the city.





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Wegen der begrenzten Plätze bitte ich um eine frühzeitige Anmeldung,  
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