

Where do the fine arts come from?

Subtopic: The relevance of art in the
technocratic age



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LECTURE PLAN

My lecture aims to present and discuss the **origins** or the **sources** of **fine arts**. Questions for discussion:

1. Some remarks on Heidegger. Where does the **artistic creativity** come from?
2. Does **contemporary technology** (computers, smart phones, etc.) let our **creativity flourish**? Or, does it **kill** our **creativity** instead?
3. Do the fine **arts** still **matter** in the **technological age**?

Human, All Too Human

"He who thinks great thoughts
often makes great errors"

~ Martin Heidegger

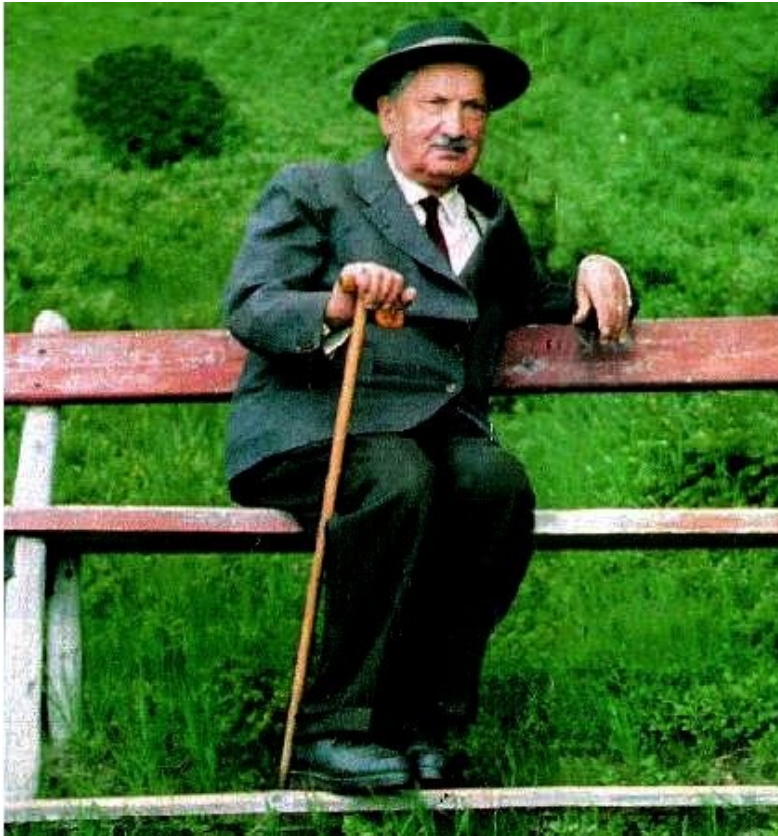
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Heidegger in Todtnauberg (I)



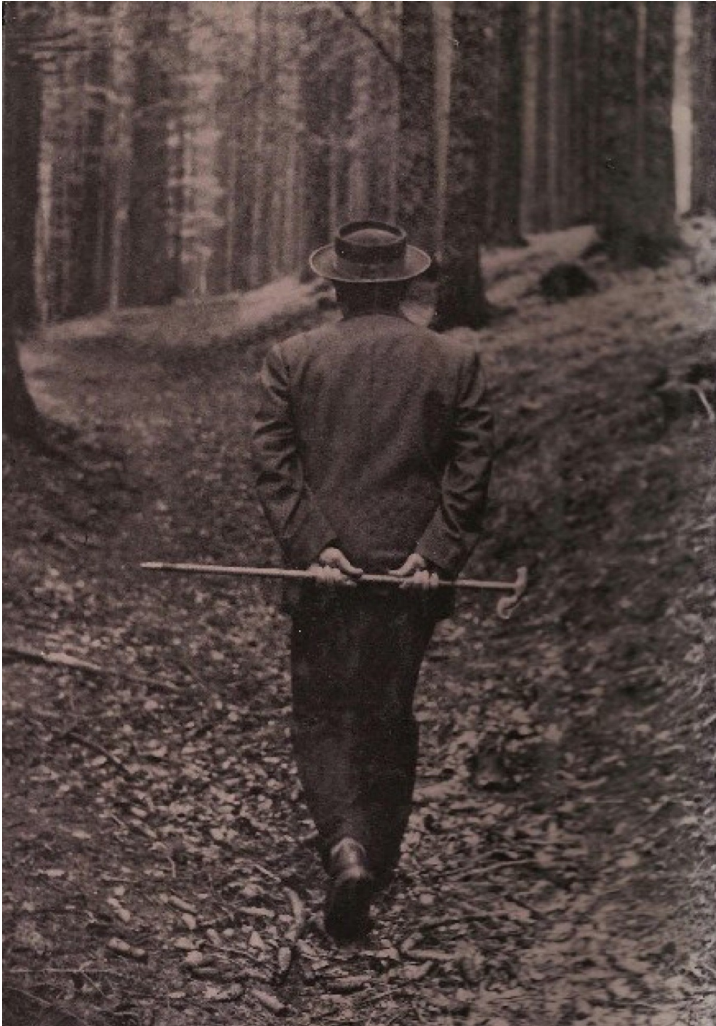
Heidegger by his hut

Heidegger in Todtnauberg (II)



The lived-world as a source of inspiration?

Heidegger in Todtnauberg (III)



Heidegger with his wife Elfride

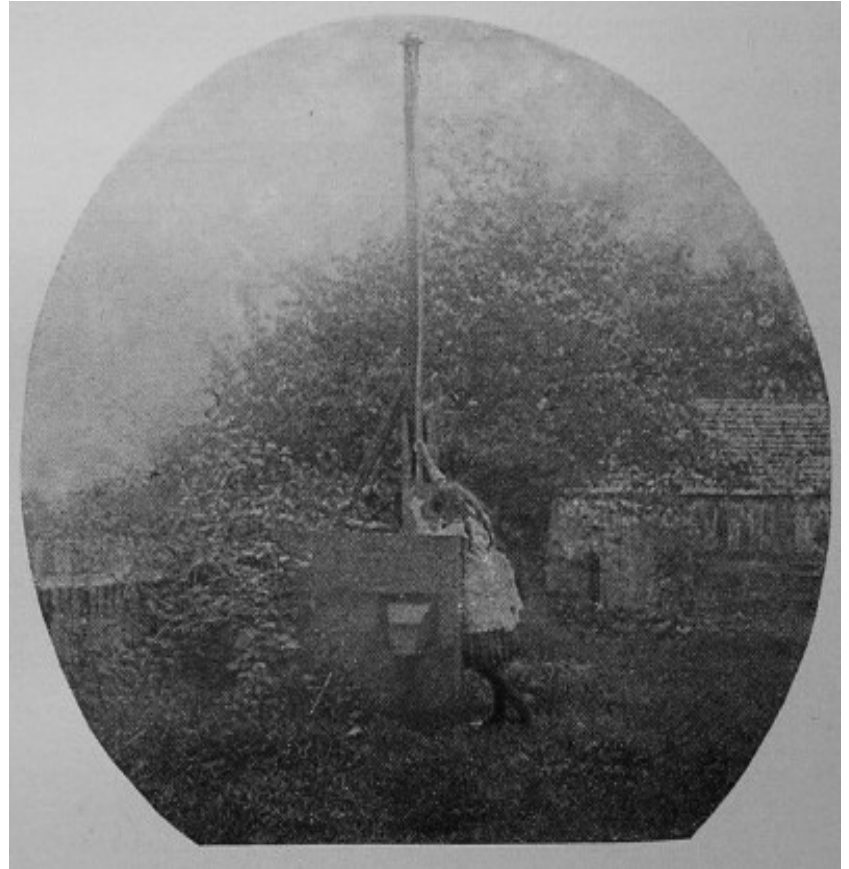
...Meet the Tribes... Before They Pass Away...

What can we learn from each other?

<http://youtu.be/mPPxBpTP5hE>

www.beforethey.com/#journeymap

Hand made vs...



Well Sweep at Fort Pelham Farm circa 1880
Massachusetts

... vs. Machine made



Oil platforms in
Alaska

... vs. Machine made



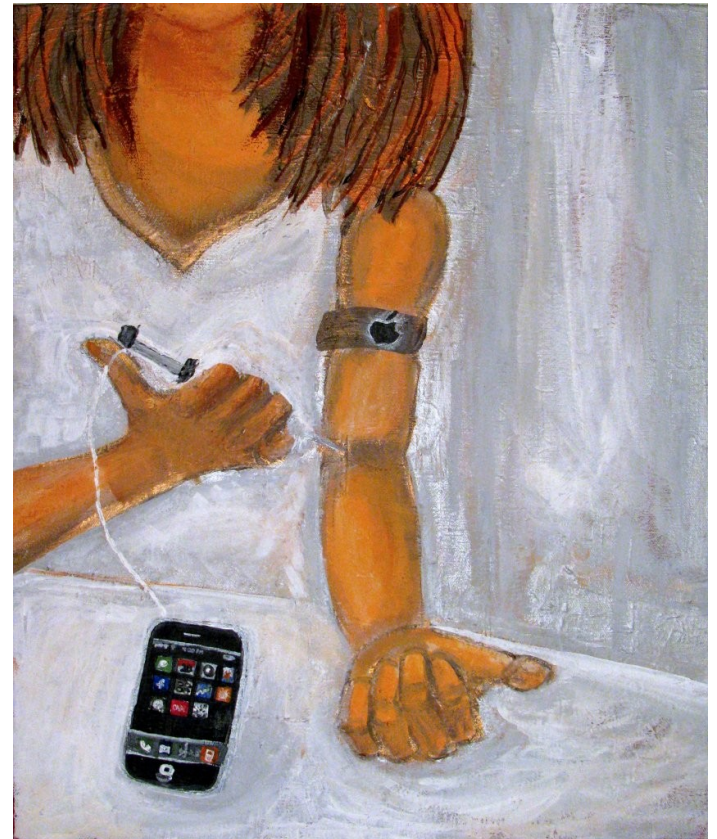
Minery in Siberia



Addicted, obsessed, dependant?



Addicted, obsessed, dependant? II



So on and so forth...

Hand made vs...

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THANK YOU!

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World...