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The Lyric of Lafracoth (Or: Love among the Hostages)

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For Meg

And
Persons of Conscience
in the
Succeeding Generation

*Most especially, as **They** appeared
in my life:*

Joseph, Sarah and Erin

Although aware of the relativity of all the various life styles which have given meaning to human striving, the possessor of integrity is ready to defend the dignity of his own life style against all physical and economic threats. For he knows that an individual life is an accidental coincidence of but one life cycle with but one segment of history, and that for him all human integrity stands and falls with the one style of integrity of which he partakes.

Erik H. Erikson
Identity, Youth and Crisis



At the basis of this world are values
which are simply there,
perennially, before we ever speak of them,
before we reflect upon them and inquire about them.

Vaclav Havel
Politics and Conscience

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