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Learning To live



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John Shea does not tire of reminding people: »We always practice what we already know how to do«

In doing so, he wants to shake us and move us to attempt something new, to try out new ways.

Erich Fried poses some essential questions in this regard:

Where do we learn to live
and where do we learn how to learn
and where to forget
in order that not only live what we have already learned?

Where do learn how to be smart enough
to avoid the questions
that do not make our love harmonious
and where
do we learn to be honest enough
- and for the sake of our love -
not to avoid the questions?

Where do we learn
to resist the reality
that wants to cheat us
of our freedom
and where do we learn to dream
and be alert for our dreams
so that something of them
might become our reality?

Pursuing these questions could be a wonderful task for Lent!

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