

FOR THE TEACHERS & EDUCATORS...
words of Fernand Deligny.

"It's a children's job, it's an apostle job, an adjuster job, or better a presser job. And the folds are tough in the body and mind of the kids who have suffered the weight, with all its inert mass, of a society of perfectly indifferent adults"

"To hell with those who want infancy to rhyme with innocence"

"In great riots you are the smiling calmness. In great calm, you are the wind"

"Don't teach them to saw if you don't know how to hold a saw; don't teach them to sing if singing bores you; don't teach them how to live if you don't love life"

"You know how a raft is made: some wooden logs are tied loosely together, so that when mountains of water fall upon them, the water flows through the separate logs. In other words: we don't withhold the questions. Our relative freedom comes from this basic structure (...) When questions fall upon us we don't close ranks -we don't bring the logs together- to become a well arranged platform. Quite the opposite. We retain from the project just what relates us to it (...) The bond must be sufficiently loose but must not fall apart."

"Who will say, and in what language, the distance between two bodies"

"This being said, an attempt is not a laboratory or a couch, its the jumble, its the mirage. Its a premature we, but it doesn't mean a priori that its a precursor"

Kind regards, FD

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