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The book titled Enchanted objects by David Rose talks about several subjects: Terminal World: the domination of glass slabs, Prosthetics: the new bionic you, Animism: living with social robots, and Enchanting everyday objects. It talks about how the world we see is being transformed into a more technological world he calls the "Terminal World". He writes about what technology is about and he gives examples of how people might see it, where we can find technology in everyday life, and how it can also save people's lives. For Rose, the Terminal World doesn't bother him. Some people will not see it as a good thing, while others will just adapt. In my point of view, technology has its ups and downs. These are the reasons why I'm not against it.

David Rose wrote about living with social robots. Meaning people who have technology integrated into their bodies so that they can live a healthy and normal life. This is a really good example of how technology can have a positive influence when integrated into our society for health reasons. Technology helps disabled people in everyday life. For example, for talking, walking, breathing, etc. One example I like the most is about a woman named Aimee Mullins. A woman who has no legs because she was born without shinbones. Her legs were cut until her knee. With the use of technology, artists and engineers made her some legs so that she can walk again. In her story, she talks about how her friend was jealous because she can change her height. (Mullins) People think about her being disabled but for her, she's not. This is what I call a successful way of integrating technology into our lives. It helps the user while not turning them into a superhero where they can shoot a firearm with their legs.

I think there should be a limit on how technology is integrated into the human body. For example, David Rose talks about how "A person born without hearing who receives a cochlear implant can recognize, without lip-reading, 90 percent of all words spoken and 100 percent if they do lip-read." (Rose).

Hearing better is a good thing to have but hearing something from a distance that a human has no capability to do so should not be integrated into their body. I find that there is a reason for things to be built the way it is. For example, if a person has depression and has been given this ability to hear from a distance,he or she might hear something bad about him or her. This

conversation was not meant to be not heard by that person. This person will be more depressed than ever. The following is proven about some individuals with depression:

"Some people may be more at risk of depression because of their personality, particularly if they have a tendency to worry a lot, have low self-esteem, are perfectionists, are sensitive to personal criticism, or are self-critical and negative." (Beyondblue) This is one of the reasons why technology that increases human capacity shouldn't be invented. Everyone will want to have it even the people who have depression.

To conclude, there should be a limit on how technology is being used to protect people from using it poorly. In the future, it might be all about technology but I hope that it's not all about being an upgraded human with unnatural capabilities.

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