

I was aimless, but it felt fine. (This is not what I wanted to feel though. I wanted to feel a great absence, a longing, a distance that would finally inspire.)

I felt happy to no longer be loading Windows Vista and testing.

To no longer be loading Ubuntu 10.04 and testing.

To be loading OS X Leopard and testing.

To not be scanning hundreds of pages listing out Cocoa delegates.

To not be looking at MSDN's giant list of ERROR codes, separated into groups of 500, each with tiny, repetitive and opaque one-line descriptions.

To not be fighting NULL.

To not be downloading Code Project sample projects which illustrated custom WinProc-style callbacks, but not in the way I was looking for.

To not be studying source files in an old CVS directory tree for their use of