

Owl's Fables

The Lighthouse and the Fog

Lessons you wish weren't true



The **owl speaks** when dusk is deep,
Where **truths** are sown, but none dare reap.
A **tale** once told will **haunt the mind**,
For those who **look**, but **still are blind**.

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A lighthouse stood steadfast on a rocky shore, warning ships of danger with its steady beam. One night, a thick fog rolled in, muffling the light.

“Why do you obscure me?” the lighthouse called to the fog.

“I only show what is truly there,” the fog replied.

When the morning sun burned the fog away, the lighthouse was no longer standing—only jagged rocks and empty sea remained.

Moral: Illusions often feel safer than truth.



0.1.1 中文版本 (Mandarin Translation)

一座灯塔坚定地矗立在岩石的海岸上，用稳定的光束警告着驶来的船只。一天夜晚，一股浓雾涌来，掩盖了光芒。

“你为什么遮掩我？”灯塔对雾说。

“我只展示真实的事物，”雾回答。

当晨曦的阳光将雾气驱散时，灯塔不再屹立——只剩下参差不齐的岩石和空荡荡的大海。

道德：幻觉往往比真相让人感觉更安全。

0.1.2 拼音版本 (Pinyin Transliteration)

Yī zuò dēngtǎ jiāndìng de chùlì zài yánshí de hǎi' àn shàng, yòng
wěndìng de guāngshù jǐnggào zhe shǐ lái de chuánzhī. Yītiān yèwǎn,
yī gǔ nóng wù yǒng lái, yǎn' gài le guāngmáng.

“Nǐ wèishéme zhēyǎn wǒ?” Dēngtǎ duì wù shuō.

“Wǒ zhǐ zhǎnshì zhēnshí de shìwù,” wù huídá.

Dāng chénxī de yángguāng jiāng wùqì qūsàn shí, dēngtǎ bù zài yìlì
——zhǐ shèng xià cēncī bùqí de yánshí hé kōng dàng dàng de dàhǎi.

Dàodé: 幻觉往往比真相让人感觉更安全。

