

The image features a central black rectangle containing the text "THIS IS THE TITLE" in a white, hand-drawn, sans-serif font. This central element is surrounded by a grid of 30 small, square, low-resolution images. These images are arranged in a 5x6 grid, with the central black rectangle occupying the middle four rows and the first and last columns. The small images depict various scenes, including landscapes, abstract patterns, and figures, rendered in a pixelated, low-quality style. The overall composition is symmetrical and visually striking due to the contrast between the central text and the surrounding imagery.

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THIS BOOK, , IS A PROJECT COMPLETED FOR THE 2014 RUNNING OF NANOGENMO (NATIONAL NOVEL GENERATION MONTH) WHERE, INSTEAD OF WRITING A NOVEL AS IN NANOWRIMO, PARTICIPANTS WRITE CODE THAT PRODUCES A 50,000 WORD NOVEL. YOU CAN LEARN MORE ABOUT NANOGENMO AT [HTTPS://GITHUB.COM/DARIUSK/NANOGENMO-2014](https://github.com/dariusk/nanogenmo-2014).

THE BOOK YOU'RE READING IS THE OUTPUT OF A PERL PROGRAM THAT BEGAN RUNNING AT 05:06 PM EST, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30 AND FINISHED A LITTLE AFTER 05:06.

I DECIDED TO MAKE A GRAPHIC NOVEL, CHOOSING 250 PAGES AS THE TARGET LENGTH.

THE RESULTING PAGES WILL VARY IN CLARITY AND AFFECT, BUT I THINK WHEN IT WORKS, ACTUALLY HAS THE FEEL OF A GRAPHIC MEMOIR.

THE IMAGES ARE APPROPRIATED FROM YOUTUBE VIDEOS THAT USERS HAVE UPLOADED WITH SIMPLY A DEFAULT FILE NAME INSTEAD OF A DESCRIPTIVE TITLE. I ASSIGN THEM TO PAGES ACCORDING TO A SCHEMA SUCH THAT, FOR EXAMPLE, PAGE 36 MIGHT INCLUDE IMAGES FROM A VIDEO TITLED IMG_0036.MOV OR GOPRO036.MP4.

THE TEXT IS APPROPRIATED FROM TWEETS THAT INCLUDE THE HASHTAG #TBT.

FOR MORE ON THIS NOVEL AND TO VIEW ITS SOURCE CODE, VISIT [HTTPS://GITHUB.COM/ZACHWHALEN/NAGRANOGENMO](https://github.com/zachwhalen/nagranogenmo).

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