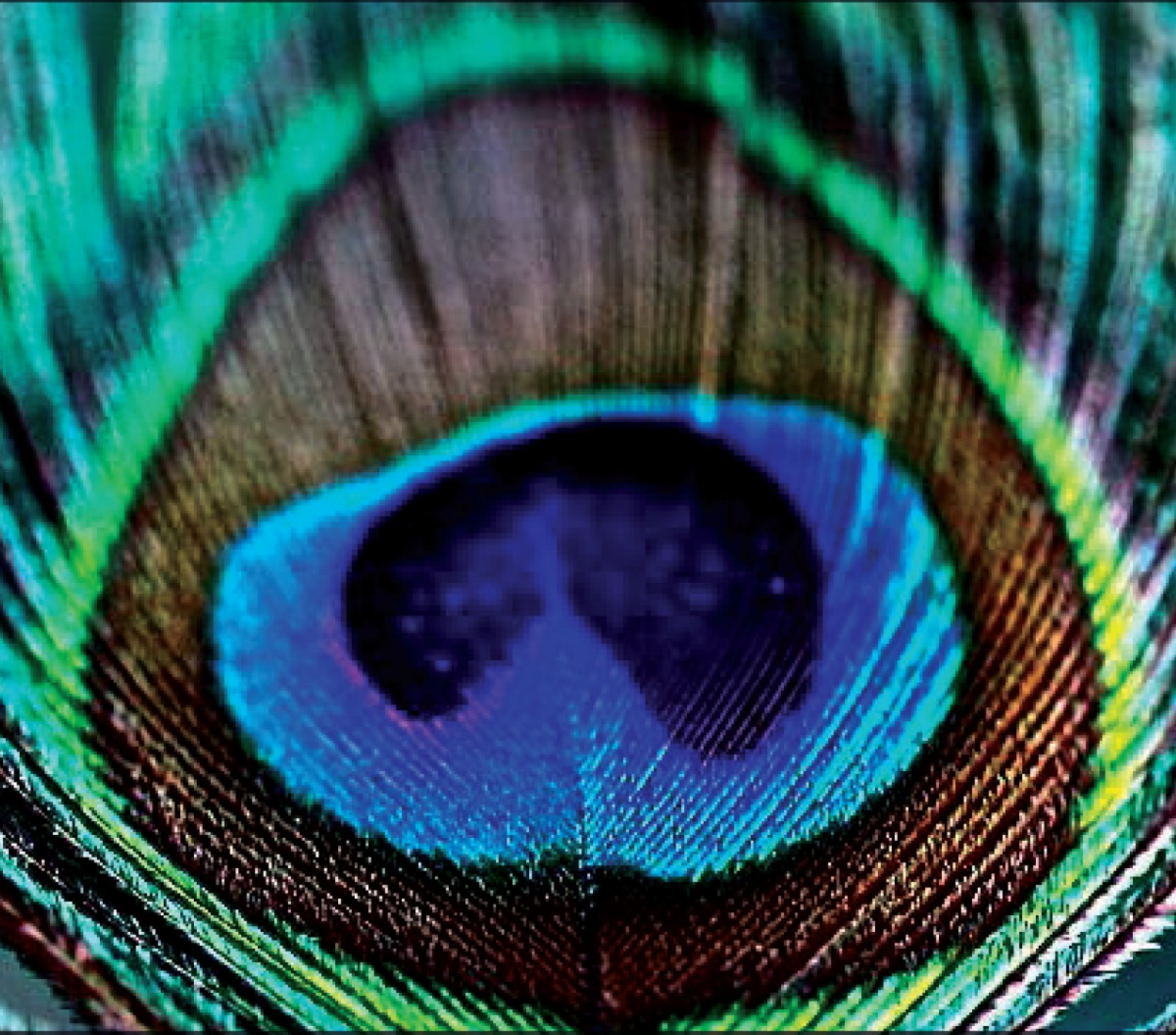


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Introduction

To stand before the eye of a peacock's feather is to stand before a mystery. It dazzles with turquoise and green, deepens into violet, and seems almost to glow from within. Yet if you take a fragment of that feather in your hand, you will find no pigment, no paint, no hidden reservoir of colour. What you see is not substance but structure, not dye but light itself woven into form.

This is where our journey begins.

For beauty in nature is never as simple as it first appears. The colours that move us most deeply often arise not from matter, but from resonance — the dance of light and structure at scales smaller than the eye can see. A feather, a butterfly wing, a seashell: all become canvases where physics and poetry converge.

But this book is not only about the science of beauty. It is about why beauty matters. We are built to perceive it, nourished by it, made happy by its presence. Beauty calms our nervous system, expands our breath, awakens our sense of wonder. It is as essential as food or water, and yet so easily overlooked.

Here, we will explore how nature creates beauty — through interference and diffraction, through photonic crystals and shimmering layers. But we will also look beyond the mechanics, to the intelligence behind them: to the fact that nature does not create only what is necessary for survival, but what is extravagant, celebratory, even gratuitous.

To understand beauty is to understand coherence. It is to see that the world is not chaos wearing a mask of order, but order choosing to reveal itself through form. The peacock does not simply survive; it dazzles. The morpho does not simply hide; it blazes with the colour of the sky. And we do not simply look; we behold.

This is the heart of the journey: the recognition that beauty is not decoration but revelation. It tells us something about the world, and something about ourselves.

So let us begin where the colours burn brightest — in the eye of the peacock — and follow the light where it leads.

Chapter 1: Beyond Pigment

Most of the colours we know are the work of pigment. Pigments absorb certain wavelengths of light and reflect others, painting the world with dyes and stains. The red of a rose, the brown of earth, the black of ink — all are the fingerprints of molecules tuned to catch and release light in particular ways.

But the most extraordinary colours in nature are not pigments at all. They are illusions of structure, born not from chemical dyes but from the architecture of matter itself. These are the colours that shimmer, shift, and glow — the peacock's feather, the morpho's wing, the iridescence of a beetle's shell, the rainbow sheen of oil upon water.

Scientists call this phenomenon structural coloration. It is colour without colour, beauty conjured from the interference of light waves. At the microscopic level, surfaces are carved with patterns so fine that they bend, scatter, and weave light into brilliance. The feather contains no blue, the wing no dye, the shell no rainbow. The colour lives only in the dance between light and structure, and disappears when the structure is destroyed.

To see this is to realize something profound: beauty in nature is not always embedded in the material, but often arises in the relationship between light and form. What dazzles the eye is not substance, but coherence.

And here lies the deeper truth. Beauty is not an accident of matter. It is an expression of order so

precise it sings. To move beyond pigment is to enter a world where physics becomes poetry, and where the most breathtaking sights are not painted on the surface, but written in the language of light itself.

This is the realm we now enter. The morpho and the peacock will be our guides — two creatures who wear not pigments but geometry, and whose splendour reminds us that the world's greatest colours are not stored in bottles, but woven into the very fabric of creation.

Chapter 2: The Peacock's Eye — Nature's Photonic Crystal

There is a reason the peacock has been revered across cultures as a living icon of beauty. Its train opens like a jeweled fan, each feather patterned with eyes that seem to look back at the beholder. What few realize is that the magic is not in the pigment, but in the light itself — sculpted by nanostructures smaller than the wavelength of colour. The peacock does not wear paint. It wears geometry.

If you take a single barbule of the feather and magnify it under an electron microscope, the surface reveals an exquisite lattice of rods: melanin cylinders embedded in a matrix of keratin. Arranged in an orderly grid, they form what physicists call a **two-dimensional photonic crystal**. The term may sound technical, but its essence is simple: just as a gemstone crystal shapes the passage of atoms, a photonic crystal shapes the passage of light. It bends it, traps it, allows some colours to pass and others to resonate, and in doing so creates the shimmering blues, greens, and bronzes of the peacock's fan.

But there is something more: recent experiments have shown that when light is directed into these feather lattices, they can actually behave like **natural laser cavities**. That is, the nanostructure provides the perfect feedback loops required for light to stimulate more light of the same frequency, creating coherent beams of colour. The peacock feather is not just reflecting sunlight — under the right conditions, it is capable of amplifying it into laser-like precision.

It is staggering to consider: nature has already built optical technologies we associate with human invention. Long before engineers etched photonic crystals into silicon wafers for telecommunications, the peacock was walking the earth with them spread across its tail. The peacock, in this sense, is a living laser, dazzling not by pigment but by resonance.

And yet, all this would mean little if there were no eye to see it. The structure is there, the physics is there, but the **experience of beauty** is something that comes alive in the moment of perception. The human eye, tuned to the visible spectrum, is the final collaborator in this design. It is as though the feather and the eye were meant for each other: one weaving light into coherence, the other unfolding coherence into wonder.

When you gaze into the eye of a peacock feather, you are not looking at colour in the usual sense. You are looking at light disciplined into form, at order so precise it sings. You are looking at the intersection of physics and poetry, of biology and metaphysics. Beauty here is not decoration; it is revelation.

Perhaps this is why the peacock has so often been a symbol of divinity, immortality, and vision. Its beauty is not superficial. It is coherence made visible — light finding itself through structure, and structure becoming more than itself through light.

Chapter 3: The Blue Morpho — Interference in Motion

The blue morpho butterfly does not merely fly — it glows. Its wings shimmer with an electric azure that seems almost unreal, as though a piece of the sky had broken loose and taken flight. To see one drift through the forest canopy is to glimpse light itself in motion.

And yet, if you were to pick up a fallen morpho wing and grind it into dust, the colour would vanish. No pigment hides in the powder, no dye stains the fingers. The brilliant blue lives only in the intact structure of the wing, and once that structure is destroyed, the colour dissolves into dull brown.

The secret lies in **scales upon scales**, each one layered with microscopic ridges. These ridges are built from alternating layers of chitin and air — transparent materials stacked like sheets of glass. As light enters, some wavelengths interfere destructively, canceling each other out, while others reinforce each other in resonance. The spacing of these layers is tuned so precisely that the reflected light is dominated by a single hue: a dazzling, iridescent blue.

This is not colour as substance, but colour as interference. It is light colliding with itself, sculpted by the nanostructure of the wing. And because the wing is covered in overlapping scales arranged like roof tiles, each with slightly different angles, the blue shifts and shimmers as the butterfly moves. What we see is not just colour, but **a dance of coherence and change**.

Unlike the peacock's crystalline lattice, which can trap and amplify light into lasing, the morpho's wing is a master of scattering. The scales do not only reflect blue but diffuse it widely, so that the butterfly flashes with luminous intensity even in dim forest light. In fact, this scattering is so effective that engineers have studied morpho wings as inspiration for brighter screens, anti-counterfeit coatings, and even solar panels. Once again, nature has beaten technology to the punch by millions of years.

But just as with the peacock, the final miracle belongs not to the structure but to the beholder. The human eye is tuned to perceive the interference pattern as radiant blue. If our spectrum of vision were shifted even slightly, the morpho might appear as a shadowed blur. Instead, it appears as living light, a moving flame of sky.

In the morpho, beauty is bound to motion. The colour is not static, but alive — changing with every tilt and flutter, like a jewel that only exists while it dances. The butterfly's gift is not just the blue itself, but the reminder that beauty is not a fixed possession. It is a resonance that appears only in relationship: light with structure, structure with motion, motion with perception.

To watch a morpho in flight, then, is to see the physics of light turn into poetry. It is interference turned into wonder. It is coherence on the wing.

Chapter 4: The Canvas of Light

When we place the peacock's feather beside the morpho's wing, we are not simply comparing two curiosities of evolution. We are looking at two masterpieces painted on the same invisible canvas: the canvas of light.

The peacock builds with lattices, crystalline in their precision. The morpho builds with layers, tuned to interfere and scatter. Each chooses a different brushstroke, yet both arrive at beauty beyond pigment, beyond matter. The underlying canvas is not keratin or chitin — it is **the frequency of light itself**.

Nature does not struggle with the "how." The principles are remarkably simple: interference,

resonance, diffraction. With these tools alone, endless effects are possible. A physicist could sketch the equations in a few lines. But the “**what**” — the choice of which pattern to weave, which colours to release into the eye of the beholder — this is where intelligence reveals itself.

The canvas is infinite; the artist is selective. To cover the morpho’s wing with sky-fire, to etch the peacock’s feather with eyes that seem to look back at us — this is not random. It is talent. It is creation as artistry, intelligence as discernment.

The human eye completes the process. We are tuned to the narrow spectrum where these wonders are revealed, blind to the ultraviolet and infrared where they might have vanished unseen. The fact that we see them at all suggests not only an accident of evolution, but a conversation. Beauty exists not in the object alone, but in the **relationship between structure, light, and perception**. It is coherence shared across scales of being.

Perhaps this is why beauty feels like a truth. It is not an illusion, but a resonance: matter choosing a form that reveals something deeper than itself. The peacock and the morpho remind us that intelligence is not measured only in complexity of mechanism, but in the elegance of design. To know what to create — that is the highest art.

And so, when we look upon the luminous wing or the jeweled feather, we are not only witnesses of physics. We are witnesses of intention woven into light. The canvas may be infinite, but what is painted upon it is meaningful.

Chapter 5: The Eye That Completes the Picture

A peacock’s feather without an eye to see it is just structure. A morpho’s wing without light to strike it is just matter. But when light meets structure and the human eye receives the resonance, beauty is born in the eye of the observer.

The human eye is often described as a lens, but in truth it is more than glass and aperture. It is the final collaborator in nature’s design. The retina is lined with cells tuned to a narrow slice of the electromagnetic spectrum — a band so slim it is barely one octave on the cosmic piano. And yet within this octave, nature has chosen to compose its most dazzling songs.

We see the blues of sky and morpho, the greens of leaves and feathers, the reds of sunset and flame. These are not random assignments of colour, but signals embedded in the range of perception we were built to receive. The fact that the morpho’s wing flashes in the exact band our cones detect is not trivial — it is relational. Beauty is not an isolated property of the butterfly, but a conversation between wing and witness.

Other creatures see differently. Bees glimpse the ultraviolet patterns on flowers. Snakes sense infrared heat signatures in the dark. Birds perceive more colours than we can imagine. And yet, for us, the human eye is tuned to the frequencies where structural coloration achieves its most exquisite effects. It is as though our sight was built to be moved.

The genius of nature lies not only in weaving structures that manipulate light, but in designing a beholder capable of receiving the gift. Without the eye, the morpho is not blue. Without perception, the peacock does not shimmer. The act of seeing is not passive; it is the completion of the work.

This is why beauty feels like revelation. It is not pigment, not substance, not accident. It is coherence unveiled in us. When we stand in awe before the wing or feather, we are not merely decoding information. We are participating in an event where light, structure, and perception align in harmony. The beauty is not out there, nor in here — it is **between**.

Perhaps this is why the eye itself has been a sacred symbol across cultures: the Eye of Horus, the

all-seeing eye, the “eye of the heart.” To see truly is to complete a circuit of coherence. To see beauty is to glimpse intelligence woven into the fabric of light.

In that sense, the human eye is indeed the best lens — not because it magnifies, not because it resolves, but because it perceives beauty as beauty. Instruments may dissect the mechanics, but only the living eye can feel wonder.

And wonder, in the end, is the point.

Chapter 6: The Signal of Beauty

In the natural world, beauty is not rare. It is the norm.

The iridescent feather, the shimmering wing, the fractal unfolding of a fern, the spiral of a seashell, the crystalline lattice of a snowflake — everywhere we look, nature spends beauty as though it were currency. And perhaps it is. A currency not of scarcity, but of abundance. The universe, it seems, pays for life with colour, symmetry, and resonance.

From an evolutionary standpoint, beauty often serves a function. Flowers bloom in extravagant hues to invite pollinators. Birds display bright plumage to signal fitness to potential mates. Butterflies scatter flashes of light to dazzle predators. Biologists describe these things in the language of survival, and indeed there is truth in that. Beauty can attract, distract, and protect.

But when we look closely, the functions never fully explain the extravagance. The peacock’s tail is far larger than necessity demands. The morpho’s blue is far brighter than camouflage alone requires. The song of a nightingale is far more elaborate than a simple mating call needs to be. Beauty seems to exceed utility. It spills over, abundant, gratuitous — as though nature is not content with survival alone but insists on celebration.

And here lies the deeper signal: beauty is not only functional. Beauty is revelatory. It points beyond itself. It tells us something about the coherence of the whole — that life is not a random scattering of forms, but a pattern rich in intelligence and meaning.

So why, if beauty is everywhere, do we so often replace it with ugliness? Why do we cut down forests and replace them with concrete grids? Why do we drain rivers and replace them with channels of steel? Why do we silence birdsong and replace it with the hum of machines?

The answer cannot lie in nature, for nature overflows with beauty. It must lie in us. The ugliness we impose on the world is the ugliness we have allowed to grow inside ourselves. Where our vision has become distorted, our creations follow. When we lose touch with coherence, we no longer build in resonance with it. Instead, we construct systems that reflect our disconnection — systems that flatten, distort, and devour the very beauty that sustains us.

This is why beauty matters. It is not decoration, not luxury, not an optional extra. Beauty is a signal of coherence. To honor it is to align ourselves with life’s intelligence. To destroy it is to reveal our own incoherence, and to accelerate our own decline.

Perhaps this is why beauty wounds us when it is lost. When a forest burns or a species vanishes, we do not grieve only the loss of utility. We grieve the loss of resonance. We grieve the silencing of a voice in the great choir of coherence.

And yet, the signal remains. As long as a butterfly takes flight, as long as a flower opens, as long as light strikes the eye of a feather, beauty speaks. It calls us back to ourselves. It reminds us that abundance is not something we manufacture, but something we are invited to recognize.

The real question, then, is not why nature creates beauty, but why we choose to ignore it.

Chapter 7: The Language of Resonance

Beauty is not a luxury. It is essential to our well-being. The human nervous system is tuned to it like a string to a note. We calm at the sight of trees, we expand at the sight of the horizon, we soften in the presence of flowers. Beauty is not an optional pleasure but a form of nourishment. Without it, something in us starves.

We are built to perceive beauty. Our eyes are tuned to the frequencies where it shines most vividly. Our ears are tuned to harmonies and rhythms that soothe or stir us. Even our sense of touch finds beauty in texture, flow, and warmth. Every doorway into perception is a doorway into resonance. Beauty is the language spoken through them.

And yet, look around. How much of the human-made world is ugly? Straight lines where nature curves. Harsh noise where nature sings. Monotony where nature plays in infinite variation. Instead of resonance, dissonance. Instead of abundance, scarcity. Instead of coherence, distortion.

Why do we do this to ourselves? Why do we make an ugly world when we are wired for beauty?

The answer lies in coherence. Beauty arises when structures are in harmony with the patterns of life. Ugliness arises when they are not. To create beauty requires listening, humility, and alignment with something greater than ourselves. To create ugliness requires only disconnection — a failure to listen, a turning away from the resonant field.

When we build without listening, we impose our own distortions onto the canvas of the world. We cover living landscapes with concrete grids. We replace diverse ecosystems with monocultures. We fill silence with static. These are not neutral choices. They reveal the state of our own inner resonance.

For beauty is coherence made visible, and ugliness is incoherence made visible. What we create outside reflects what we carry inside. When the inner song is discordant, the outer world will echo it.

This is why beauty is more than aesthetic preference. It is a measure of alignment. It is evidence of relationship. When we walk through a forest and feel peace, it is because the forest is coherent — and our nervous system, tuned to beauty, comes into harmony with it. When we walk through a city of glass and noise and feel anxious, it is because the environment is incoherent, and our body struggles to find resonance within it.

Nature speaks the language of resonance fluently. We, too, once spoke it — in the cathedrals built to echo the voice of heaven, in the gardens planted to mirror paradise, in the songs that rose from villages into the night sky. But in forgetting this language, we have created a world that jars against us rather than completes us.

And still, the language is not lost. It waits in every feather, every shell, every falling drop of water. The moment we turn to listen again, beauty returns. It always has been there. The question is whether we will hear it, and whether we will allow our creations to speak it once more.

Chapter 8: The Intelligence of Design

The canvas that nature paints upon is infinite in possibility. With the physics of light and matter, any number of structures could be woven: lattices, layers, spirals, crystals. The how is not the hard part. Interference, diffraction, resonance — these are simple tools, simple principles. The real genius is not in the mechanics. It is in the artistry.

The true intelligence lies in knowing *what* to create.

The peacock could have chosen dull feathers and still survived. The morpho could have settled for

camouflage and still persisted. But nature does not merely choose survival — it chooses celebration. It chooses eyes that blaze with fire, wings that scatter sky, blossoms that glow with impossible colours. This is not efficiency; it is elegance. It is intelligence expressed through discernment.

Beauty is intelligence in resonance. It is the sign of a mind — whether we call it nature, creation, or something divine — that does not merely calculate but composes. The precision of the equations explains the mechanics, but it does not explain the choice. The choice belongs to artistry.

We often confuse complexity with intelligence. But nature shows us the reverse: simplicity that knows where to flow. The spiral of a shell is based on a single ratio, yet it embodies both strength and grace. The lattice of a feather is a repeating grid, yet it gives rise to fire in the eye. The fractal branching of a tree is guided by a simple rule, yet it fills the sky with forests.

Intelligence is not the multiplication of detail. It is the clarity of form aligned with purpose. It is knowing what to leave out, what to emphasize, what to reveal.

This is why beauty feels meaningful. It is not arbitrary. It arises from the highest economy of choice — the minimum means for the maximum resonance. It tells us that life is not chaos wearing a mask of order, but order choosing to express itself through form.

When we create without intelligence, we clutter. We distort. We impose forms that jar against the deeper harmonies. But when we create with intelligence — when we listen, when we align with coherence — we too can participate in the artistry of the canvas. Our buildings can resonate like trees. Our music can echo the mathematics of the stars. Our lives can shimmer like wings in the sun.

The canvas is infinite, but not everything painted upon it sings. Intelligence is revealed in the choices that make the invisible visible, that turn light into wonder, that allow resonance to flow without distortion.

And so beauty is not an accident, not an afterthought. Beauty is the fingerprint of intelligence. It is the proof that creation knows not only how to weave, but what to weave.

Chapter 9: Beyond Survival — Beauty as Revelation

When biologists explain beauty, they often stop at function. The flower is bright to attract bees. The bird sings to claim territory. The butterfly's wings shimmer to confuse predators. And while these explanations hold a measure of truth, they are never enough.

For beauty always spills beyond its purpose.

The peacock's tail is not merely a signal of health; it is an excess of splendour. The morpho's blue is not merely camouflage; it is a fragment of sky loosed into motion. The nightingale's song is not merely a mating call; it is music that breaks the heart.

Again and again, beauty exceeds necessity. It goes further than it "needs" to, further than survival demands. In a universe governed by efficiency, this extravagance should not exist. And yet it does.

Why?

Because beauty is not only about survival. Beauty is revelation.

When we encounter beauty, something in us awakens. We stop, we breathe, we feel. The experience is more than sensory pleasure — it is recognition. We recognize in beauty a coherence greater than ourselves. We glimpse the order behind appearances, the intelligence woven into form. Beauty is not a mask over chaos; it is a window into truth.

This is why beauty moves us so deeply. It is not decoration. It is disclosure. It reveals to us that the

universe is not indifferent, but articulate — speaking in colour, sound, and form. It reveals that life is not a bare mechanism, but an artistry.

And this is why the loss of beauty wounds us so much. When a forest is cut down, when a river is poisoned, when a songbird vanishes, we feel more than ecological loss. We feel the silence of revelation. A voice in the great choir has gone missing, and the world feels thinner, flatter, emptier.

Yet even in the midst of destruction, beauty persists. A single flower pushing through a crack in the concrete. A bird singing in the noise of a city. A butterfly drifting across a wasteland. These moments strike us with such force because they are defiant revelations. They say: coherence is not destroyed. Light still shines. Wonder still speaks.

Beauty, then, is not a luxury. It is a necessity of the soul. It reminds us who we are and what the world truly is. It keeps alive in us the memory of coherence, even when we forget.

To see beauty is to remember that life is more than survival. It is gift. It is abundance. It is revelation.

Chapter 10: The Eyes of the Heart

We are taught that beauty belongs to the eye — that it is a matter of vision, of wavelengths translated into colour. But the longer we live, the more we realize that beauty is not only seen. It is also felt.

The eye receives the image, but the heart receives the meaning.

This is why two people can look upon the same thing and see differently. One may glance at a butterfly and notice nothing more than an insect. Another may see light incarnate, a messenger of transformation. The difference is not in the wing, but in the eye that perceives — and in the heart that listens.

Across cultures, the heart has been called the true seat of perception. The “eye of the heart” sees what the physical eye alone cannot. It recognizes coherence, not merely colour; resonance, not merely pattern. It perceives beauty not as surface but as truth revealed.

To see with the eyes of the heart is to understand why beauty matters. It is not an ornament of life, but an essence of it. It is not subjective fancy, but a universal resonance. The heart knows this because the heart itself beats in resonance with the field of life. It is an instrument attuned to coherence.

And so, when we encounter beauty, it is the heart that responds first. The breath catches, the chest expands, something softens inside. These are not trivial sensations. They are signs of recognition. The heart is saying: *this is real, this is true, this is what you were made for.*

To live without beauty is to live with a starved heart. To live surrounded by beauty — whether in nature, in art, or in human kindness — is to live in coherence with the song of life.

The eye may see colour and form, but the heart knows when beauty is true. It knows because it resonates. It knows because it remembers.

In the end, beauty is not just what we see. It is what we allow ourselves to recognize.

Chapter 11: The Harmony of the Whole

To create one beautiful thing is remarkable. To create many is astonishing. But to create a world where a multitude of beautiful lifeforms coexist, each different, each unique, and yet all in harmony — this is genius on another scale.

The morpho butterfly is dazzling, yes. The peacock is resplendent. A single rose can move us to tears. But these do not exist in isolation. The butterfly depends on the forest, the peacock on the grove, the rose on the soil and bee. Beauty in nature is not solitary — it is relational. Every form of beauty participates in a larger choreography.

What makes nature so extraordinary is not only its individual masterpieces, but the way they compose a symphony together. The green of the leaf complements the blue of the sky. The flash of the bird answers the silence of the stone. The song of the cicada fills the stillness of dusk. Each lifeform adds its own timbre, and yet the whole does not collapse into chaos. It becomes harmony.

This is the true marvel: **coherence at scale.**

We marvel at an artist who paints a single masterpiece. But imagine an artist who paints billions of different works, each unique, and then arranges them all together into a living gallery where nothing jars, nothing truly breaks the whole. That is what nature has done.

And here, beauty reveals another layer of intelligence. It is not only a matter of form, but of relationship. It is not only “what” is created, but “how” each creation resonates with the others. The world is not just a canvas of isolated beauties, but an orchestra of interwoven voices.

When we destroy beauty, we do not just lose a single song. We silence a part of the choir. Harmony becomes thinner. Resonance weakens. But when we allow nature to flourish, the fullness of beauty returns: not just isolated brilliance, but the extraordinary harmony of the whole.

Perhaps this is the deepest reason beauty matters: because it is not solitary. It is communal. It teaches us that we, too, are meant to resonate not in isolation, but in concert — each life a unique note in the great symphony of coherence.

Epilogue: The Gift of Wonder

In the end, beauty is not a puzzle to be solved. It is a gift to be received.

The morpho’s wing, the peacock’s eye, the blossom in spring, the arc of a shell — all of these could be reduced to mechanics, to layers and lattices, to pigments and proteins. And yet, the explanation never exhausts the experience. However much we understand of the “how,” the “why” still shimmers just beyond reach.

Beauty does not need justification. It is its own reason. Its presence is proof enough that the universe is more than survival, more than efficiency, more than machinery. Beauty tells us that life is not only sustained, but celebrated. It tells us that coherence is not hidden but revealed.

And what is our role? To perceive. To notice. To let the gift do its work in us. For when we truly see beauty — not glance at it, not consume it, but behold it — something in us is changed. The breath deepens. The heart opens. The soul remembers. We remember that we are not separate from the canvas, but part of the painting. Not outside the song, but a note within the harmony.

Wonder is the natural response to beauty. And wonder is not weakness. It is strength, for it aligns us again with what is real. In wonder we find humility, reverence, gratitude. In wonder, we are restored to coherence.

Perhaps this is why the world is filled with so much beauty — not because it is useful, but because it is necessary. Necessary for our happiness. Necessary for our remembrance. Necessary for our survival not just as organisms, but as souls.

So let us look, and keep looking. Let us listen, and keep listening. For beauty is everywhere, and wonder is always waiting.

The gift has already been given. All that remains is to receive it.

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