

And again, what is a blog?

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What's New?

So why have I not written here for so long? Well, a lot has happened, some settings changed, some challenges were delaying. And today I decided, it is a blog. I will write what I think. I've told you before I write for myself. Perhaps that was my problem. I've been in too many marketing events which stress the importance of setting high goals, knowing exactly what you want and then relentlessly going for it. Don't get me wrong. Nothing against that. I learned a lot too. However, this is not my marketing blog. I'm not letting the pressure of financial success or gain curb my desire to express what's going on inside me.

(Recurring Heading) Reflection

Oh-oh, now, how honest will I really be? It's January 26th, Australia Day and my deceased mother's 98th birthday. I've just delighted at the images of my relatives Down Under enjoying the twenty acre property she bought with money from her parents' sale of their country property in the Bavarian Forest during the nineteen seventies.

So I'm processing feelings of legacy, of belonging, of homesickness, of third country kids (TCKs).

Social Media

I've just posted a [video](#) of the sun shining onto the snow in our garden for the first time. And now on [FaceBook](#) tracking the icy snow and my religious ritual of walking barefoot on the grass every morning.

I can't tell you how grateful I am now in this terrace house where I have committed to going downstairs every morning to walk barefoot on the grass before pulling on my support hose. Meanwhile I am back up here in my "Control Room", my office on the first floor where I have a view down to the back yard, still covered with snow.

Next Day

And that was it. That's all I wrote. After months of impressions, feelings, emotions. Today I have just listened to [Silke Schaefer](#) and am again so inspired by her astrological advice and guidance. And she too, again, urges and confirms, how important it is to be yourself, to show yourself, to have confidence in your own individual message. Before Silke I watched the video of [Elon Musk](#) as he addresses his concepts and visions of the future. I reflect how easy it is to judge, to criticize. I remember hearing last week on the radio that he earns more in one second than an average person earns in one year. It got me thinking about poverty, about need, about peace on earth. And I wondered how could he really contribute to solving some of the world's problems? Then I hear him describe the human race as a single, delicate candle.

I don't hear him say God. I don't know his religious views. But I wonder. With such a concept of wanting to protect life, which he calls consciousness, I have to place him in that category of a philanthropist. And here we already immediately clash with the common concepts of money, greed, wealth and selfishness. It is so easy to criticize others without doing anything of value ourselves. So I am wary of even expressing these thoughts - some-one might criticize me. And exactly that is the point of this blog. It is my own reflection, my own thoughts, and yes, there are lots of controversial people out there. Am I one of them? I like to be diplomatic. I like to keep the peace.

Three sisters

Have you seen the video of the three Irish sisters singing about first, second and third born? The middle one likes to keep the peace. I grew up with four brothers and had five sons. It was enchanting to see my great niece's sharing a deck chair at the family day Down Under.

Time to post. More next time.