

# Beyond Disintermediation & “I Arise Again”

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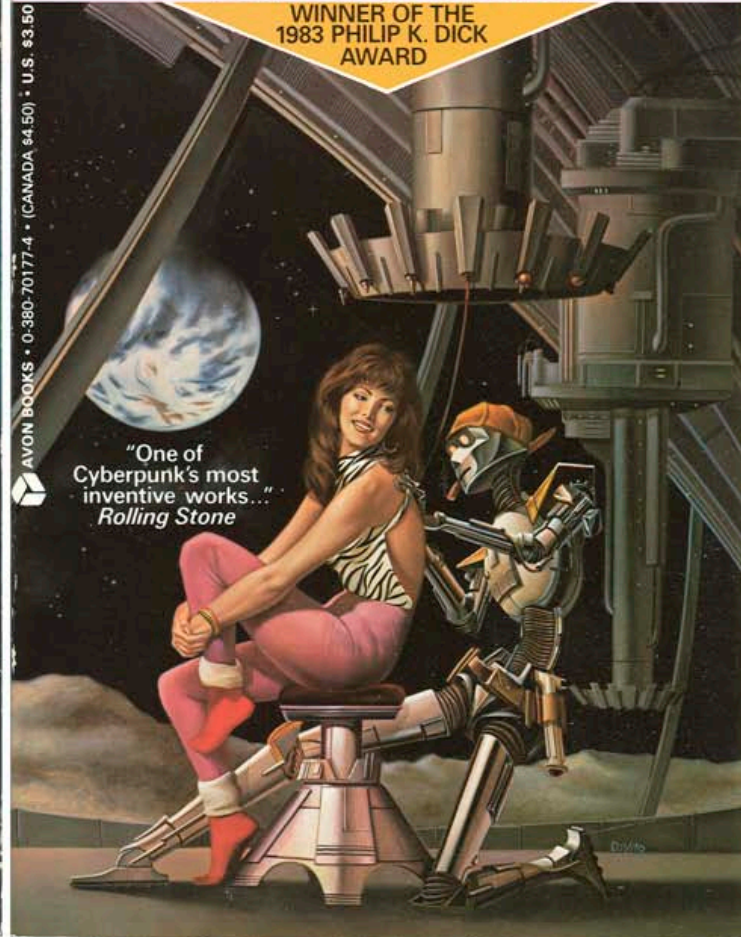
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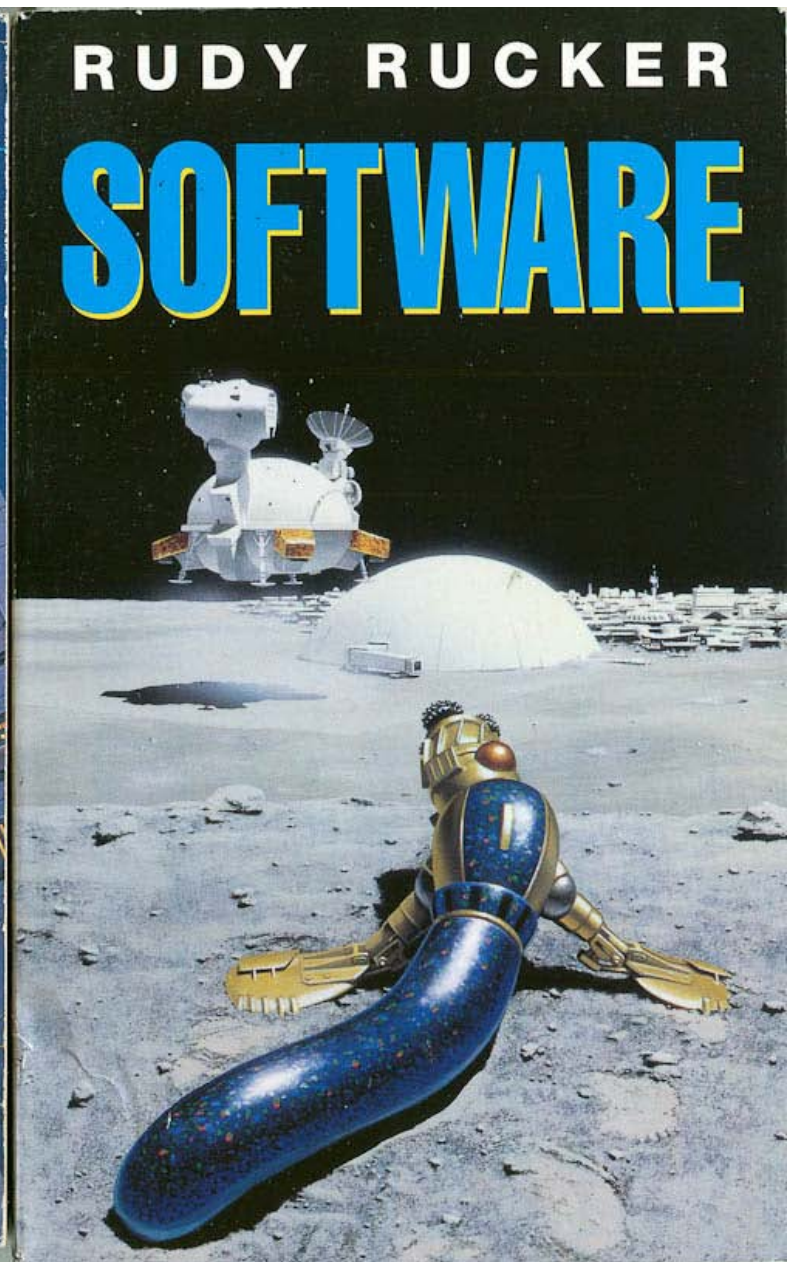
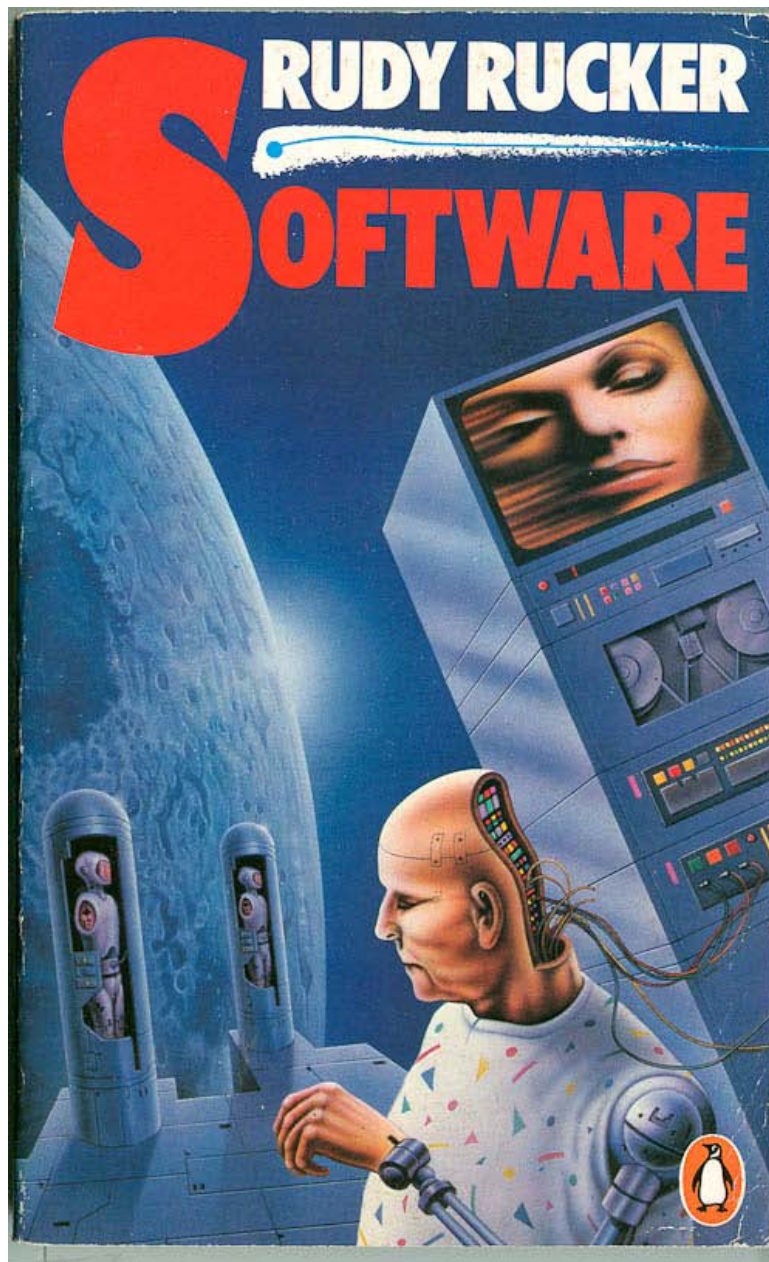
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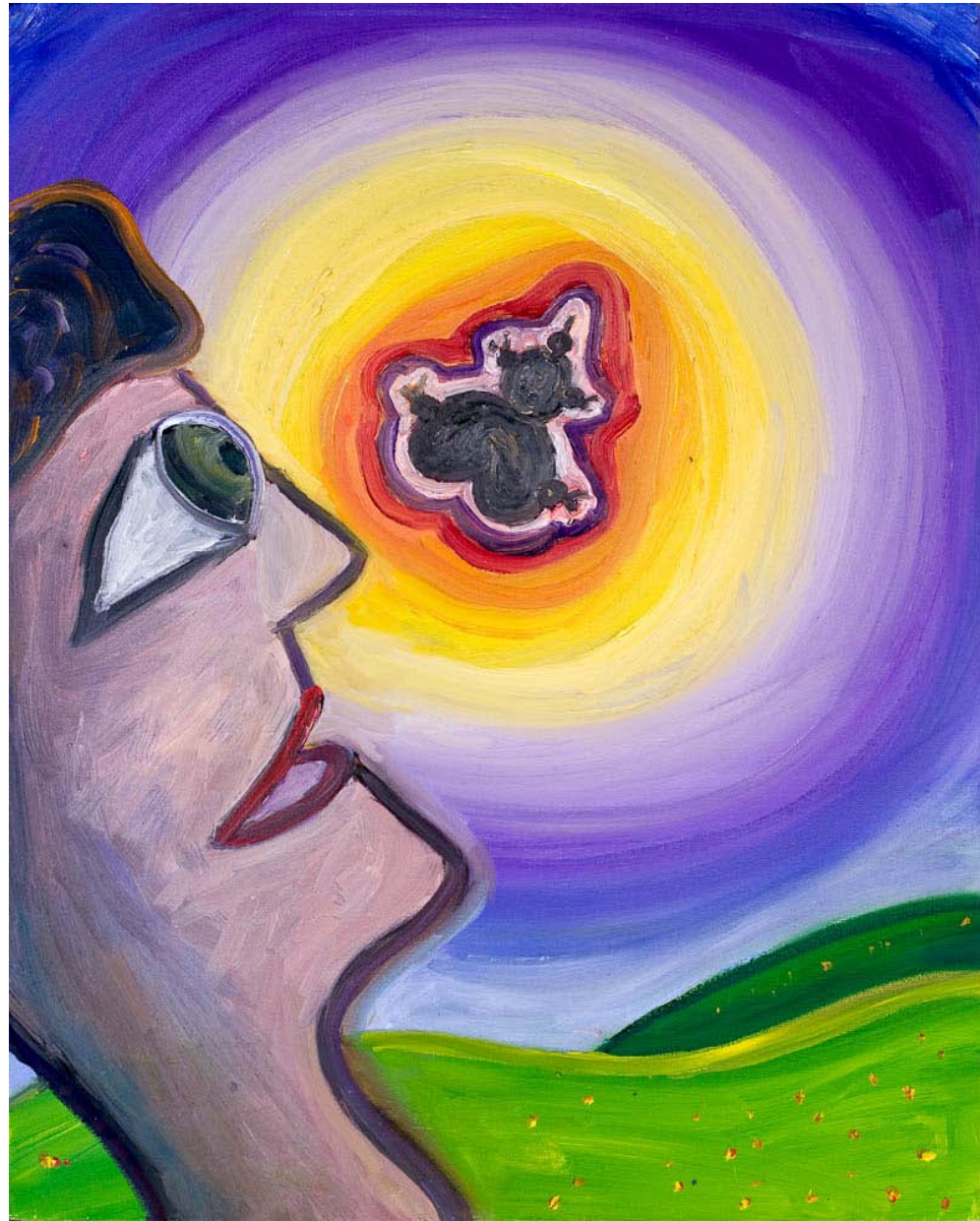
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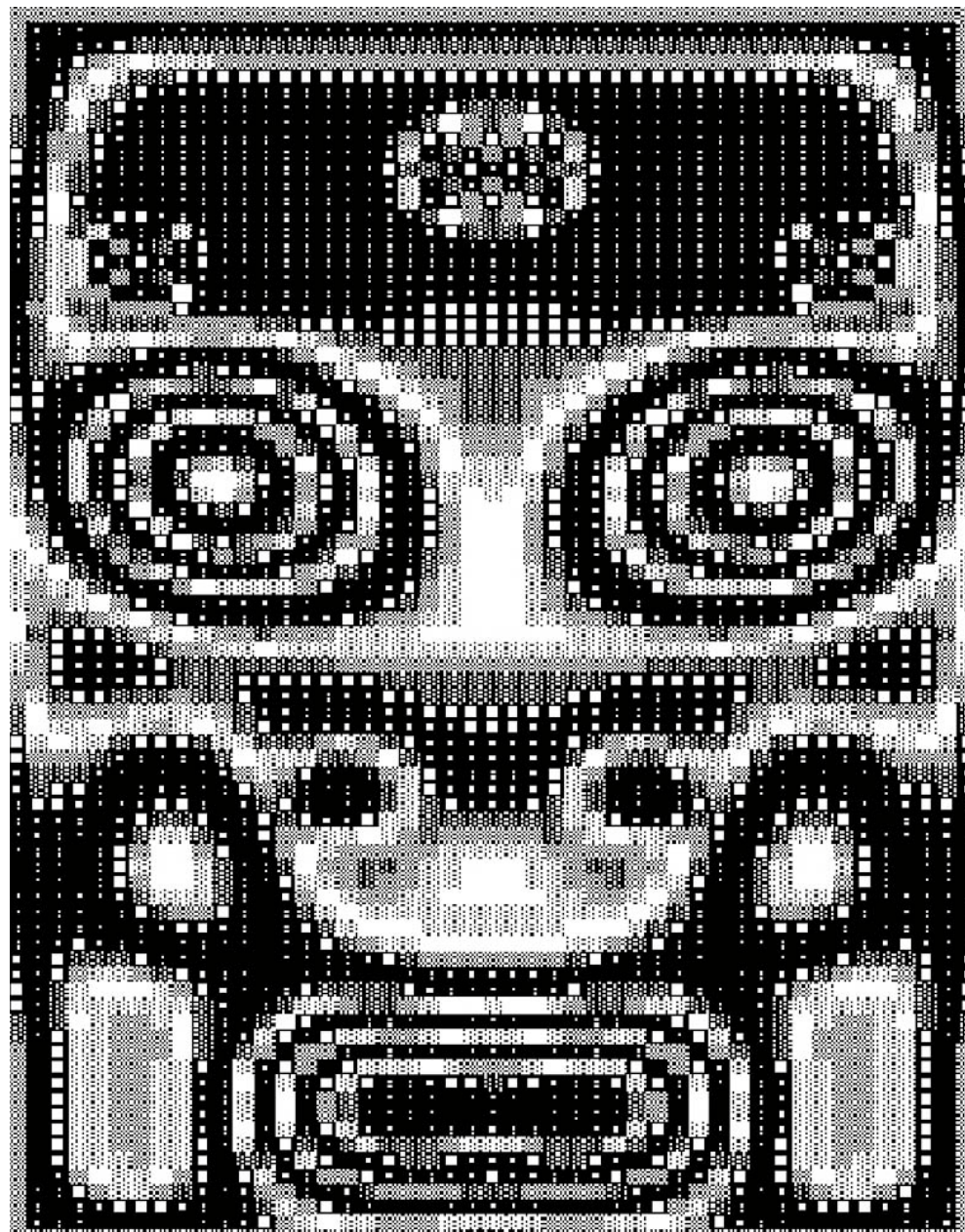


















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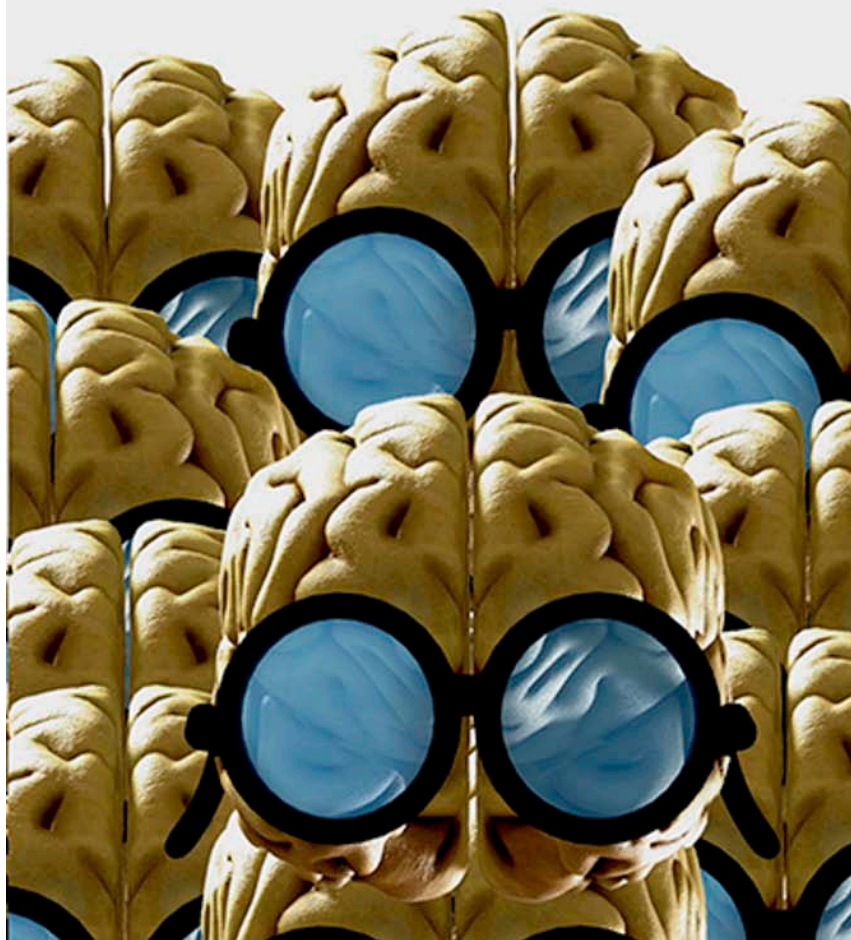
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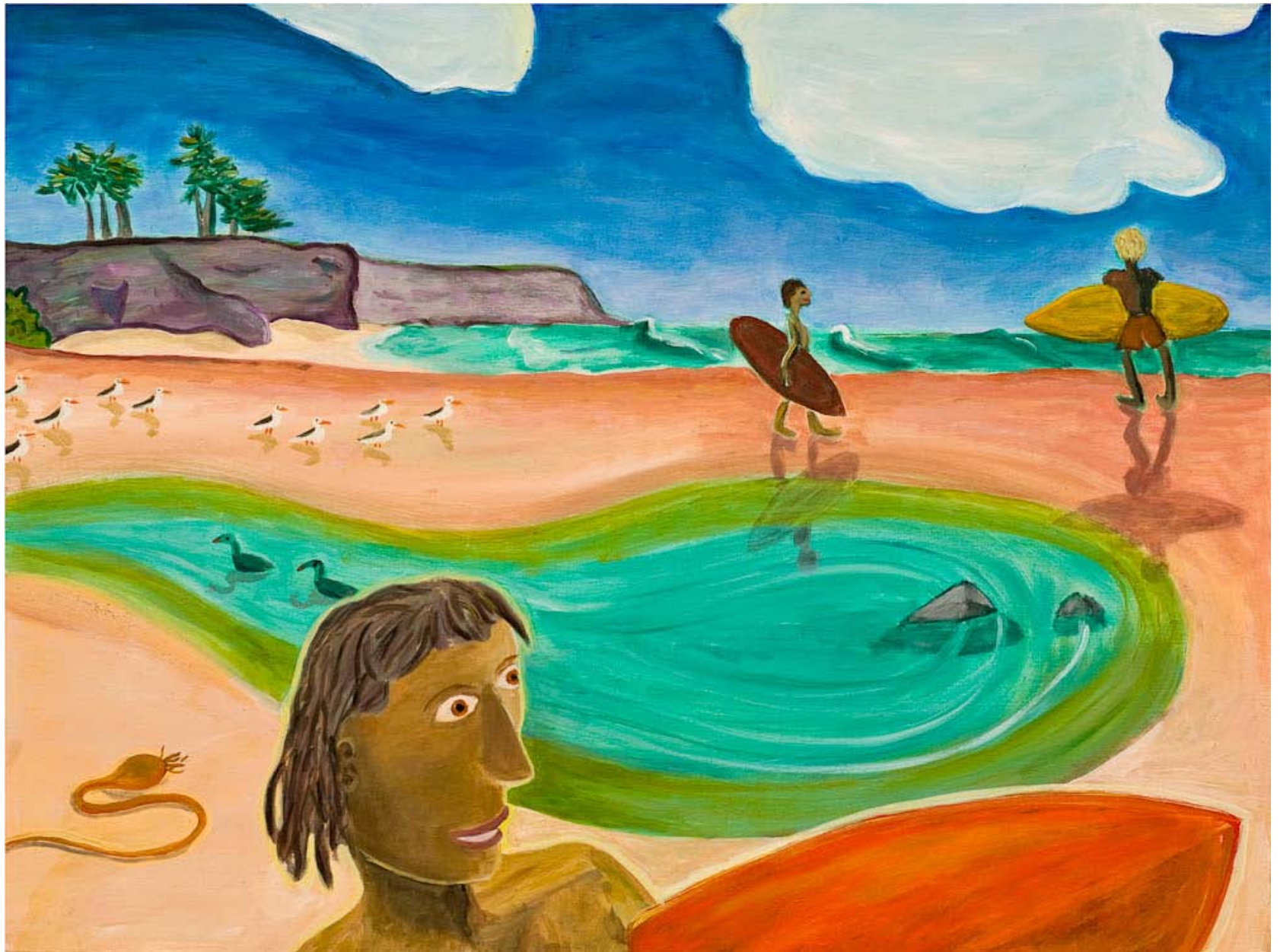
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Crude artist Zad Plant works with living paint.  
Career's on the skids, wife Jane threw him out.

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Qwet makes you high and gives you telepathy.

A loofy psychedelic revolution begins.  
Oh-oh! Mouths in midair, eating people!  
Zad and Jane travel through a wormhole

And meet the aliens.  
Stranger than you ever imagined.  
What is the Big Aha?

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Rudy Rucker is a writer, a mathematician, and a computer scientist.

He's authored thirty-plus books, two of which received Philip K. Dick awards.

His works include cyberpunk and transreal novels, plus nonfiction books on infinity and the fourth dimension.

Rucker is the only novelist to have known both Kurt Gödel and William Burroughs.



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THE BIG AHA

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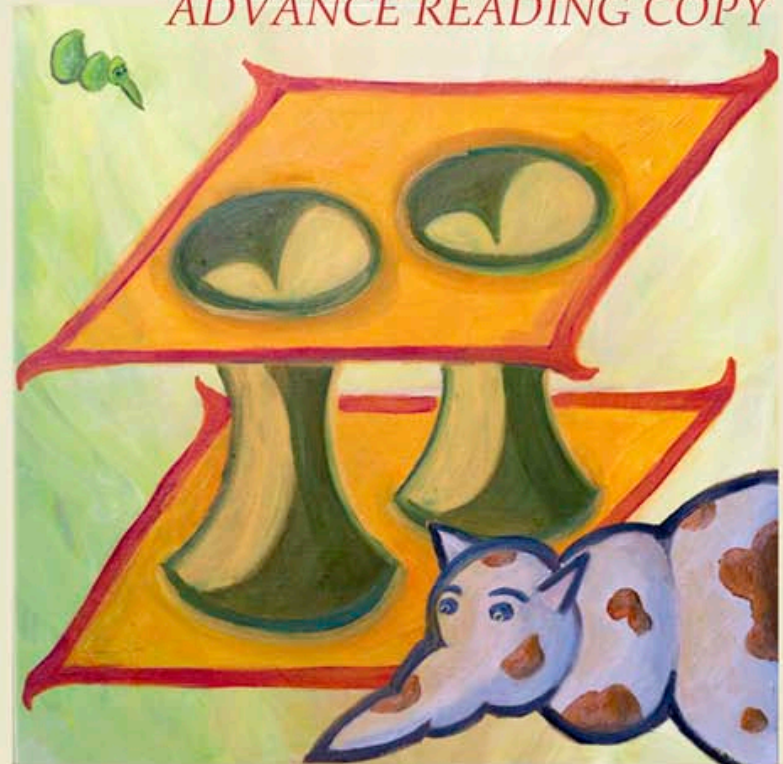


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