

5HC : Strong men weep and women faint.

The Urth list — 3 messages, 3 voices, 02 Feb 2005

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Jim Raylor — 02 Feb 2005, 19:09

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No you are holding it upside down.

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Once you reach the final pages you know what happened and (if it is good) you will never re-read it again without knowing the ending.

But what is the last page in a novel shaped like a moebius band?

You find it by a process of eliminaton and relaxation.

I don't want to spoil it for others.

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Maru Dubshinki — 02 Feb 2005, 19:22 · in reply to Jim Raylor

In a moebius loop, you must go through 720 degrees to return from whence uou began, because one loop is 360 degrees, and you are flipped on the first loop, it takes a second. So the last degree is located precisely 719 degrees from the begining degree. There is a fake ending, when you reach 359 degrees, a tonic which fools you perhaps but doesn't return you to the key you began in (read 'Godel Escher Bach:...' if that makes no sense to you.). What makes you so sure you found the home key, the skeleton key, teh real solution?

~Maru

No luck with Gmail still eh? that stinks.

On Thu, 3 Feb 2005 03:09:24 +0000 (GMT), Jim Raylor
<rjraylor at yahoo.co.uk> wrote:

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Nathan Spears — 02 Feb 2005, 20:33 · in reply to Jim Raylor

--- Jim Raylor <rjraylor at yahoo.co.uk> wrote:

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That sounds like a colonic. Do you guys think you could spend a little more time thinking and making your points clear before submitting a post? A proofread or two would also go a long way.