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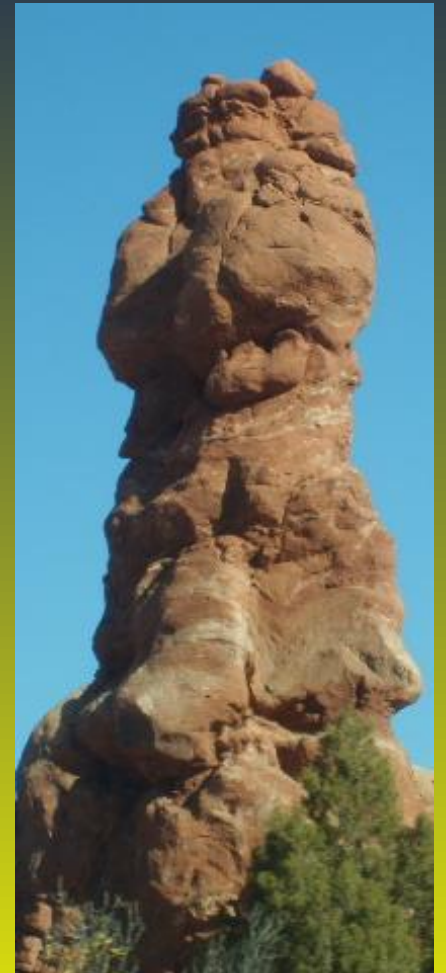
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Foreword

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Translation of Latin words and expressions

- 5 fulminare: to flash with thunderbolts**
- 6 cursor: runner**
- 7 alibi: elsewhere**
- 8 in posse: potentially**
- 9 januis clausis: with closed doors**
- 10 susurrare: to whisper**
- 11 lex loci: law of the place**
- 12 non obstante: notwithstanding**
- 13 prima facie: at first sight**
- 14 ex mero motu: out of pure simple impulse**
- 15 quieta non movere: don't move the settled**
- 16 vis inertiae: power of inaction**
- 17 ratum et consummatum: confirmed and completed**
- 18 punctatim: point by point**
- 19 fons et origo: source and origin**
- 20 nunc pro tunc: now for then**
- 21 abducere: to detach**
- 22 in toto: as a whole**
- 23 apricus: full of sunlight**
- 24 ab extra: from beyond**
- 25 imber: rain shower**
- 26 rebus sic stantibus: things thus standing**
- 27 pari passu: at equal pace**
- 28 ecce signum: behold the sign**
- 29 stereo: solid**
- 30 et nunc et semper: now and for ever**
- 31 terra firma: firm ground**
- 32 ne quid nimis: nothing in excess**
- 33 cor unum: one heart**
- 34 genius loci: the spirit of the place**
- 35 in fieri: in becoming**
- 36 de profundis: from the depths**
- 37 esse est percipi: to be is to be perceived**
- 38 modus ponens: method of placing**
- 39 clavis aurea: golden key**
- 40 decus et tutamen: an ornament and a safeguard**
- 41 abyssus abyssum invocat: deep calls to deep**
- 42 absconditus: hidden**
- 43 uno flatu: in one breath**
- 44 eximietate: uncommonness**
- 45 eluvies: a flowing over**
- 46 in articulo mortis: in the grasp of death**
- 47 frigere: to be cold**
- 48 alieni generis: of a different kind**
- 49 fortis et liber: strong and free**
- 50 catervatim: in troops**
- 51 alis propriis volat: flying with its own wings**
- 52 ubi mel, ibi apes: where honey, there bees**
- 53 de die in diem: from day to day**
- 54 capax infiniti: capable of the infinite**
- 55 domitere: to tame**
- 56 diuturnus: lasting a long time**

57 tempus vernum: summer time
58 in limine: on the threshold
59 lux brumalis: the light of winter
60 quantum sufficit: as much as needed
61 ad utrumque paratus: prepared for either alternative
62 pax et lux: peace and light
63 disjecta membra: scattered limbs
64 ex hypothesi: from the hypothesis
65 ordo ab chao: out of chaos, comes order
66 defalcare: to deduct
67 ens causa sui: existing because of oneself
68 nomen nudum: naked name
69 nihil obstat: nothing is an obstacle
70 non compos mentis: not of sound mind
71 natura non contristatur: nature is not saddened
72 nemine contradicente: no one contradicting
73 aere perrenius: more lasting than bronze

74 brutum fulmen: senseless threat
75 et sequentes: and the following
76 ab incunabulis: from the cradle
77 ad eundem: to the same
78 astra inclinant: the stars incline
79 felix culpa: happy fault
80 gradatim ferociter: by degrees, ferociously
81 a capite ad calcem: from head to heel
82 draco dormiens: a sleeping dragon
83 manus in mano: hand in hand
84 in perpetuum et unum diem: forever and one day
85 adequatio intellectus et rei: correspondence of the mind and reality
86 ad pondus omnium: to the weight of all things
87 cavillari: to jeer
88 crepusculum: twilight
89 solis occasum: the setting of the sun



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fulminare





in posse

A wide-angle landscape photograph of a geothermal area. In the foreground, there is a dark, gravelly or sandy ground. A shallow, light-colored stream or pool of water flows across the middle ground. In the background, a large, dark, forested hillside rises. Several plumes of white steam or smoke are rising from the ground in the middle ground, partially obscuring the forest. The sky is blue with scattered white clouds. The overall scene is a natural, rugged landscape.



susurrare



lex loci

An aerial photograph of a geothermal field, likely in Yellowstone National Park. The image shows a large, irregularly shaped area of vibrant green and yellow mineral deposits, possibly sulfur or iron sulfide, which are surrounded by reddish-brown and greyish-brown mineral-rich soil. The terrain is rugged and appears to be a high-altitude environment. The colors are highly saturated and contrast sharply with the surrounding landscape.

non obstante





prima facie



ex mero motu



quieta non muovere



vis inertiae





punctatim

fons et origo

nunc pro tunc







in toto









**rebus sic
stantibus**

A photograph of a steep, layered rock cliff face. The rock is composed of large, rectangular blocks of varying shades of grey, brown, and tan, showing clear horizontal bedding. The cliff is partially covered with green vegetation, including small trees and shrubs, particularly at the top and bottom edges. The overall appearance is that of a well-exposed geological formation.

pari passu

ecce signum





et nunc et semper



terra firma



ne quid mimis

A wide-angle landscape photograph showing a valley with a river, surrounded by mountains and trees with autumn foliage in the foreground. The sky is blue with light clouds. The text "ne quid mimis" is overlaid in the upper right.



genius loci



in fieri

de profundis

A photograph of a river flowing through a deep, rocky canyon. The water is turbulent and white with foam. The canyon walls are steep and rocky, with some sparse vegetation. The text "de profundis" is overlaid on the image.



esse est percipi

modus ponens

A wide-angle photograph of a vast, flat, light-colored landscape, likely a dry lake bed or a vast plain. The foreground and middle ground are covered in light-colored, textured earth or sand. In the background, a large, dark, forested mountain range stretches across the horizon. The sky is clear and blue. The text "modus ponens" is overlaid on the right side of the image.



clavis aurea





**abyssus abyssum
invocat**

absconditus



uno flatu





eluvies

in articulo mortis



frigere



alieni generis



fortis et liber



caelervatim



alis propriis volat



ubi mel, ibi apes

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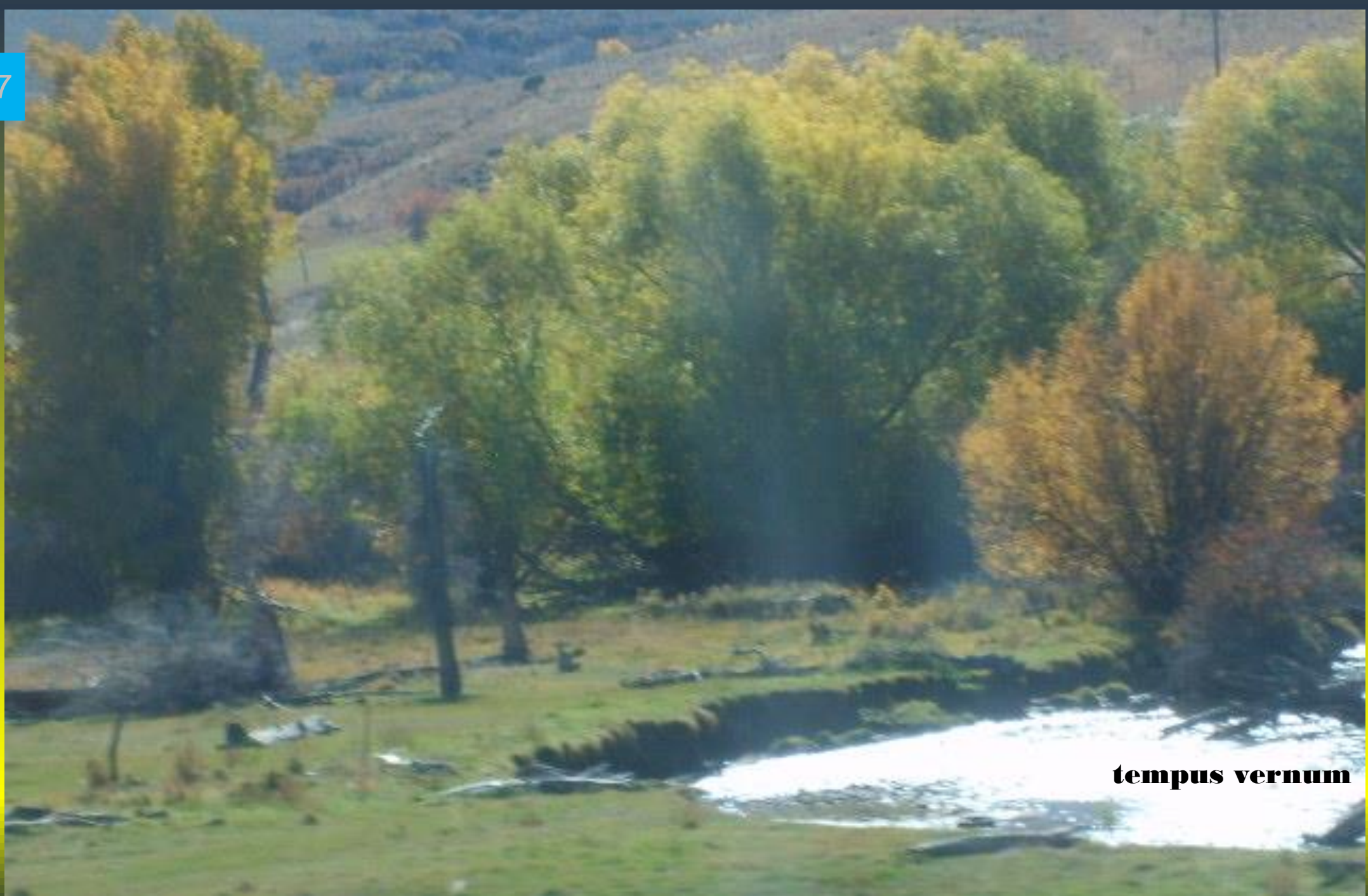
capax infiniti

domitere





diuturnus



tempus vernum



in limine



lux brumalis



**ad utrumque
paratus**



pax et lux



disjecta membra



ex hypothesi



ordo ab chao

defalcare



ens causa sui



nomen nudum



nihil obstat



**non compos
mentis**



**natura non
contristatur**



**nemine
contradicente**





aere perrenius

brutum fulmen



An aerial photograph of a pond with a greenish, slightly turbid surface. The pond is surrounded by a mix of brown, grey, and white earth and rocks. The text "ab incunabulis" is centered in white over the pond. The overall scene is a natural, somewhat desolate landscape.

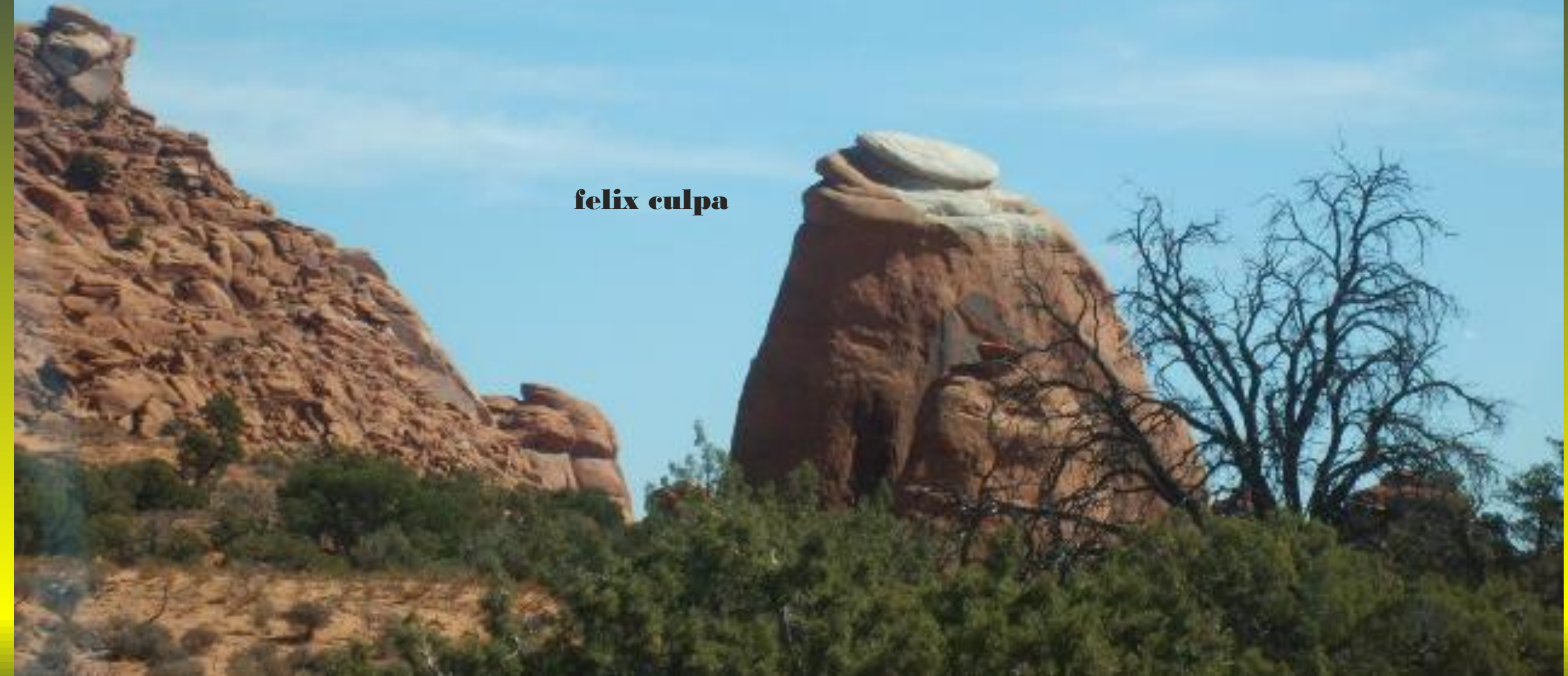
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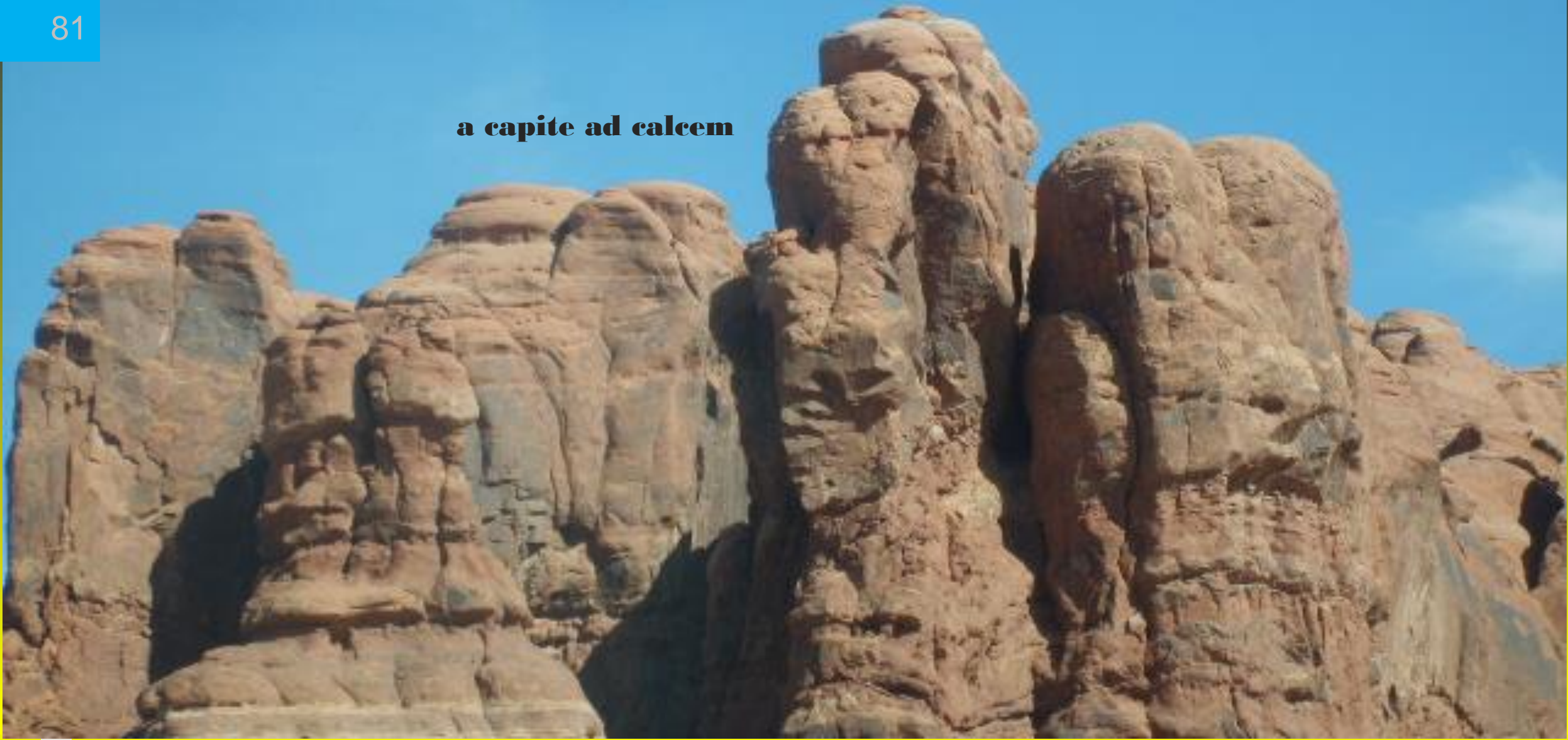
felix culpa



gradatim
ferociter



a capite ad calcem





draco dormiens



manus in mano

in perpetuum et unum diem







cavillari





solis occasum



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