

It needeth us to have knowing of the
littleness of creatures and to hold as nought
all things that is made, for to love and have
God that is unmade. For this is the cause
why we be not all in ease of heart and soul:

that we seek here rest in those things
that are so little, wherein is no rest,
and know not our God that is
All-mighty, All-wise, All-good.
For He is the Very Rest.

God willeth to be known, and it pleaseth
Him that we rest in Him; for all that is
beneath Him sufficeth not us. And this is
the cause why that no soul is rested till it is
made nought as to all things that are made.
When it is willingly made nought, for love,
to have Him that is all, then is it able to
receive spiritual rest.

Julian of Norwich
Chapter V

To one who has faith,
no explanation is necessary.
To one without faith,
no explanation is possible.

Thomas Aquinas

A time is coming when men
will go mad, and when they
see someone who is not mad,
they will attack him saying,
“You are mad;
you are not like us.”

St. Anthony the Great