

PD24 - Commentary and Translation of PD 24

Post by “Godfrey” of September 4, 2020 at 3:58 PM

Excellent thread! In a less scholarly vein regarding perceptions of the mind...

So I was just eating tortilla chips with my lunch. I picked up a chip and looked at it. I noticed a *spontaneous memory* of eating chips in the past, and also noticed a *spontaneous anticipation* of the pleasure I was about to experience. Eating the chip confirmed the truth of that pleasure.

In other words my sensations (vision, touch, smell) stimulated mental perceptions, in this case a *spontaneous* memory and anticipation of pleasure which served as a guide to action.

In reference to the fact that we may have multiple senses (up to 20?) senses and two feelings, it seems probable that we have several types of prolepses, of which this description is just one.

Just some food for thought. 😊 (ouch)