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Grooks*

Piet Hein**

T. T. T.

Put up in a place
where it's easy to see
the cryptic admonishment

T. T. T.

When you feel how depressingly
slowly you climb,
it's well to remember that

Things Take Time

The Road to Wisdom

The road to wisdom?—Well, it's plain
and simple to express:

Err
and err
and err again
but less
and less
and less.

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