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"The Wisdom of Youth"

It is hard to question the wisdom of a child
Their perceptions of our world
Have not been corrupted by thoughts
Of what they `should' see.

They see only what is before them
And how it makes them feel

This wisdom of youth
Is the essence of creativity

Oh how old some of us have become
And oh how rare and wonderful
Is the person blessed with the wisdom
Of eternal youth.

by Tom Knestrict (turtlesongs 1994)