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your face
a double face
a Devil's face!

one face
turned towards your own society
deplores any injustice.

turning your other face
looking outwards
your morality changes
your ethics change.

Like a flood light
it beams out
from the North to the South

scrutinising
one-way
like a torch

never back
never -
the other way!

backed by science
backed by the military
backed by anthropology
backed by sociology

denial of humanity
no morning
only righteousness

a sickening feeling in the pit of people's stomachs!

(Dear) Complicated Beast,
can we beam it the other way

have the discussions in a reciprocal way
talk as people to people?

Founded on empirical data - verbatim quotations, with minor modification, from transcribed interview with Prof Catherine Odora Hoppers, 28 November 2001.

Globalization in 25 Words or Less

Between the horrifying myth and the over-simplified discourse is the reality, where from an edge of many silent tears a few greedily smile.

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Food, places, people—everything looks pretty much the same.

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Globalization is the intertwining of nations in order to link the entire world and promote the unity of all people.

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