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Hhlengleichnis in einer Hhle unter der platonischen lebe, wohl eine Art Pflichtlektre. man sollte sich nicht durch die  
"unzeitgemä" Sprache abschrecken lassen. Im Vergleich zu manch neuzeitlicher Schrift ist sie doch gradliniger. Hier  
werden Fragen behandelt in einer Weise die selbst uns denen schon jede Revolution bekannt zu sein scheint einen

gehrigen Schreck einjagen kann. Dem komplizierten, verlausulierten Stil so manches Denkers unserer Zeit liegt wohl hufig nur der Versuch ber die Inhaltslosigkeit hinwegzutuschen zu Grnde. Niemand sollte vergessen das eine einfach dreiwortige Aufforderung fr einen Mann zu einer lebenslangen Auseinandersetzung mit derselben fhrte die in seine Hinrichtung mndete. Ein einzelner stellte Fragen, die Mehrheit stimmte ab und entschied auf Tod. Wenn man Sprengstoff sucht, versuche man nur Gorgas zu verstehen.

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