





A new bit of graffiti appeared on the tow path on the leafy south bank of the Thames. The large white block capitals were neatly painted on the top of the low wall that divides the lower pathway from the upper one, from where the steep bank slants down to the water. The graffiti included the instructions 'google 6,000000 lies'.

J, now aged 82 and living in London since the 1950's, came across this on his daily walk. Returning with a bucket of soapy water and a scrubbing brush, he managed with difficulty to remove enough of the paint to make the writing illegible. Some weeks later the same message, in the same deliberate hand appeared again on a bench further along the river bank, near the railway bridge from where trains head into town.







