## afternoons

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afternoons are under-rated. i like the emptiness of afternoons, their drowse-inducing stillness. sounds are muffled and the sun is toobrighttoohot. they should ban rains during afternoons; raining is for morningseveningsnights. afternoons are sun-time.

i think god composed afternoons with crayons - drew them out thick and orange and smudgy and powdery.