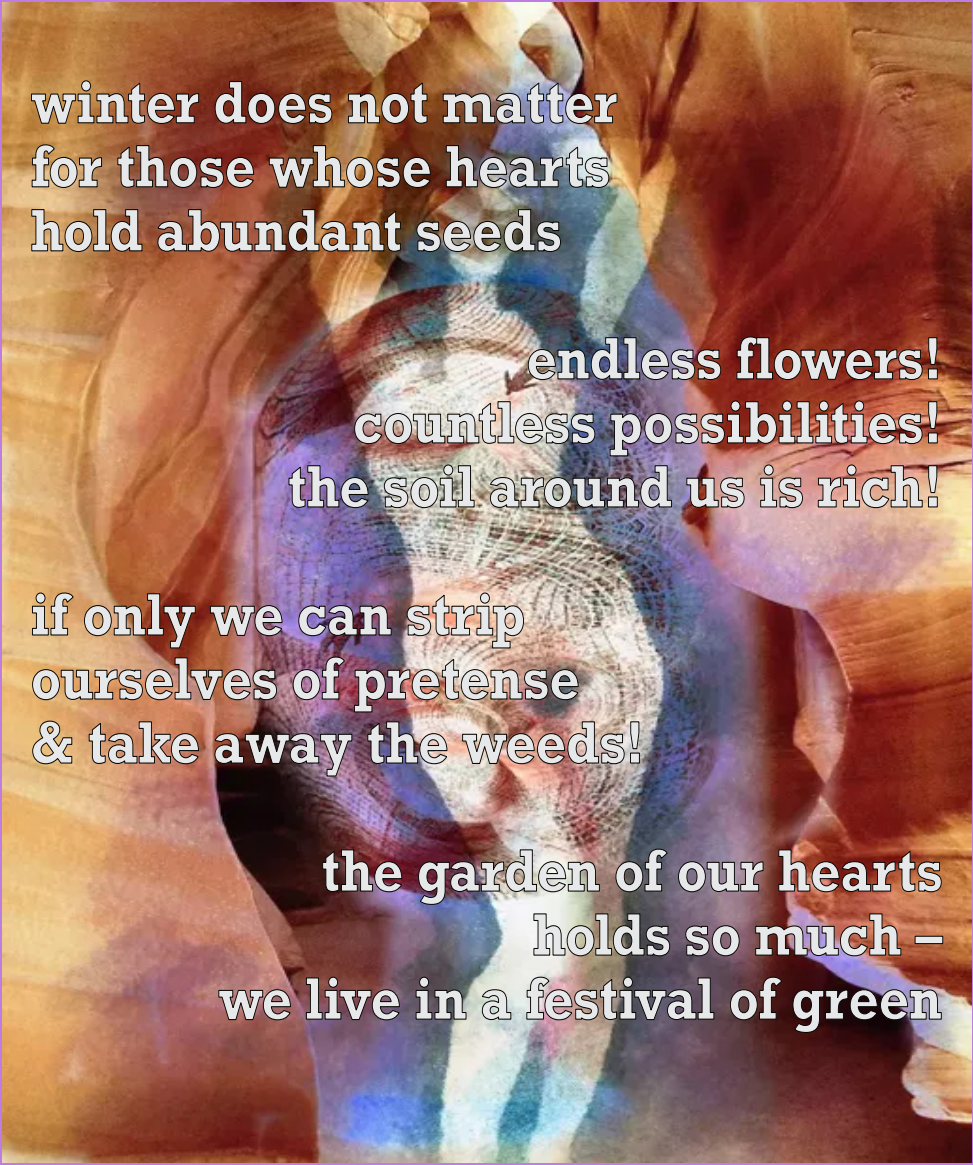


FERTILE SOILS:

A Naively Romantic Effusion



winter does not matter
for those whose hearts
hold abundant seeds

endless flowers!
countless possibilities!
the soil around us is rich!

if only we can strip
ourselves of pretense
& take away the weeds!

the garden of our hearts
holds so much –
we live in a festival of green

– T Newfields

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