

JEWEL

I met Jewel in 2017 at the Wisdom 2.0 conference in San Francisco. (It was a brief meeting, funny story.) I found her to be a wonderful and inspiring presence.

She sang songs and gave a presentation seeking collaborators for her web site. I left a package with her associates and look forward to an opportunity to follow through and link our mutual endeavors to whatever extent is possible.

Her website jewelneverbroken.com is inspirational and hopefully many people will participate. The home page suggests that we “Learn to Make Happiness a Habit” – there is a parallel on my home page with the suggestion that “You Are What You Imagine Yourself to Be.” I’ve seen a number of other parallels and hope the collaboration develops.

Jewels never break. They may tarnish but the shine can be recovered. Her story is inspiring. So also are the stories of everybody if they could be told as eloquently.

Somehow, somewhere on my web site there will be an examination of the difference between sensation and joy (or exaltation). Jewel is the age of my son. I am likely the age of her father. Some of the things we both have done remind me of the writings and life approach of Buckminster Fuller.

Too much to think about right now. I learn from people of all ages – and I learn to unlearn.

I have a sincere hope that bridging the generations between two strangers will contribute to the growing wisdom of our mutual compatriots.