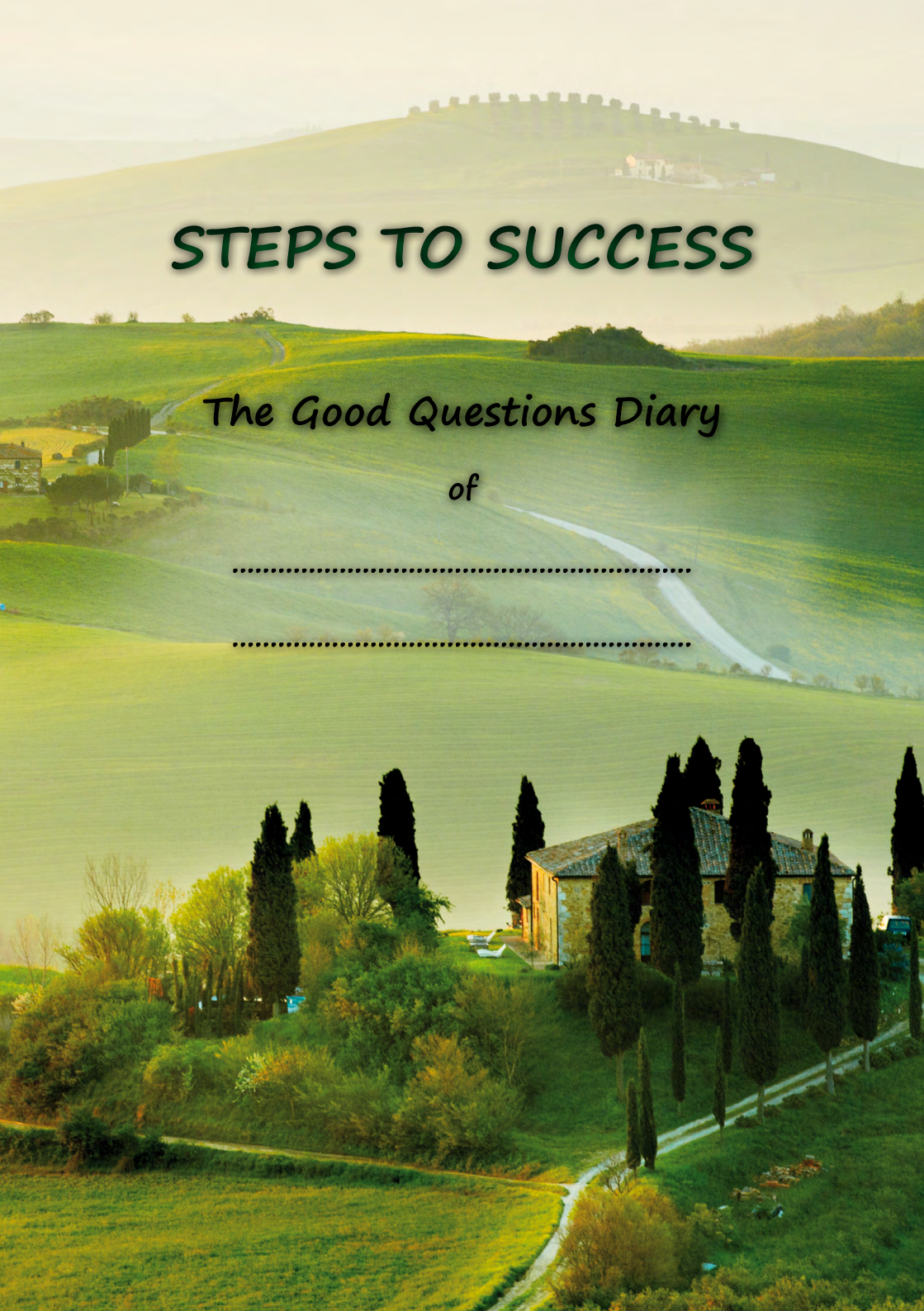




STEPS TO SUCCESS

The Good Questions Diary
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'My mother made me a scientist
without ever intending to.
Every other Jewish mother in Brooklyn
would ask her child after school:
"So? Did you learn anything today?"
But not my mother.
"Izzy," she would say,
"did you ask a good question today?"
That difference - asking good questions -
made me become a scientist.'

Isidor Isaac Rabi,
1944 Nobel laureate
for the discovery of
nuclear magnetic resonance

What do we think is a good question?

A good question:

- Makes sense;
- Is asked on time;
- Is important and useful;
- Can be answered in several ways;
- Informs present and future actions;
- The responses lead to new questions;
- Requires thinking before responding;
- Leads to new learning/understanding;
- Is often difficult, but can be answered;
- Does not allow for automatic responses;
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Today,,

Did I ask a question?

No. ☐

Yes. ☐ What question did I ask?

Who did I ask it to?

What did s/he (they) reply?

Was it a good or a bad question?

What makes me think it was good (or bad)?

What do I think about asking next?

Today,, what question did I ask?

Who did I ask it to?

What did s/he (they) reply?

Did I learn something from this?

No. ☐

Yes. ☐ What did I learn?

What do I think about asking next?

Today,, what questions did I ask?

Who did I ask them to?

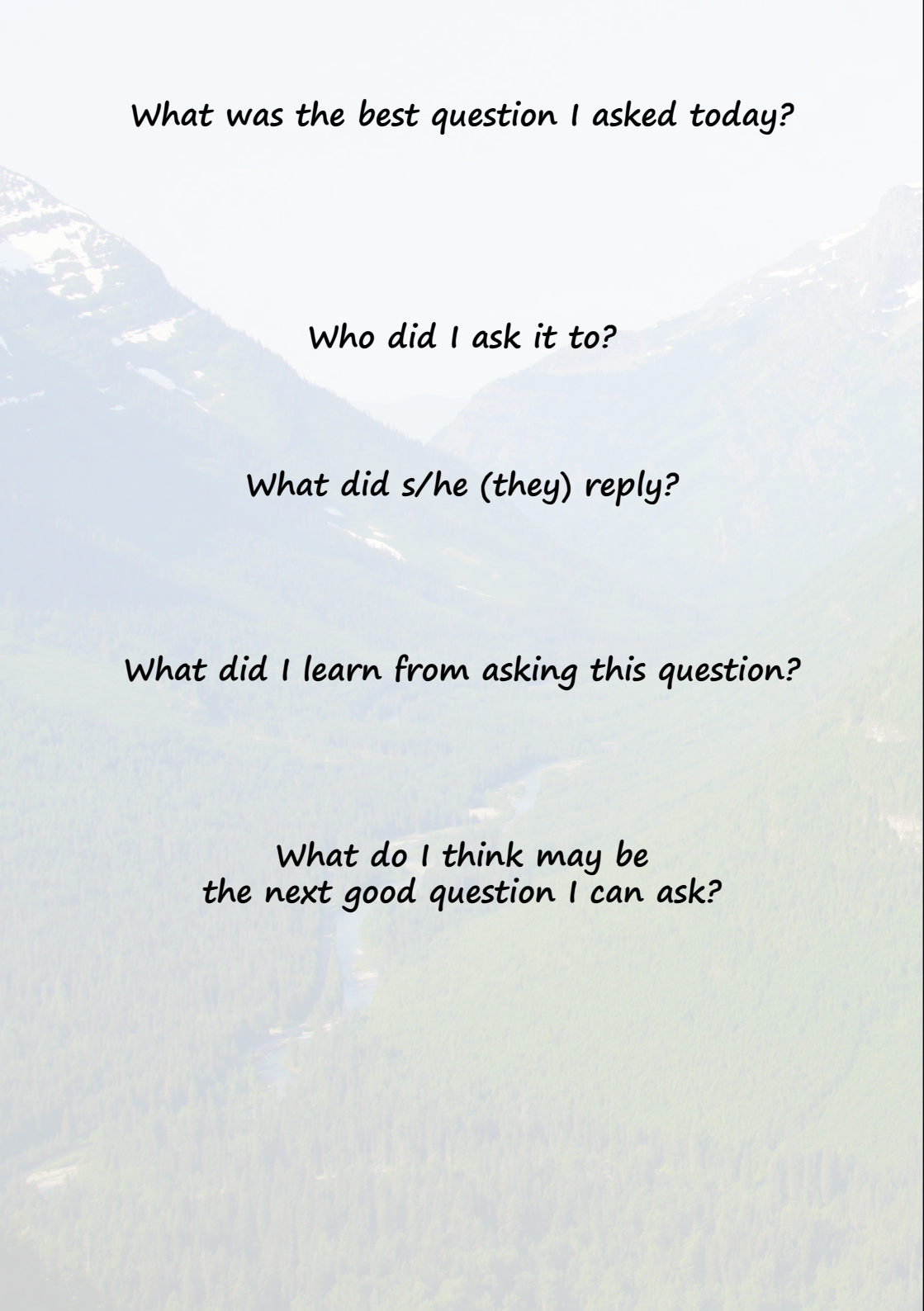
What did s/he (they) reply?

Did I learn something from this?

No. ☐

Yes. ☐ What did I learn?

What do I think about asking next?



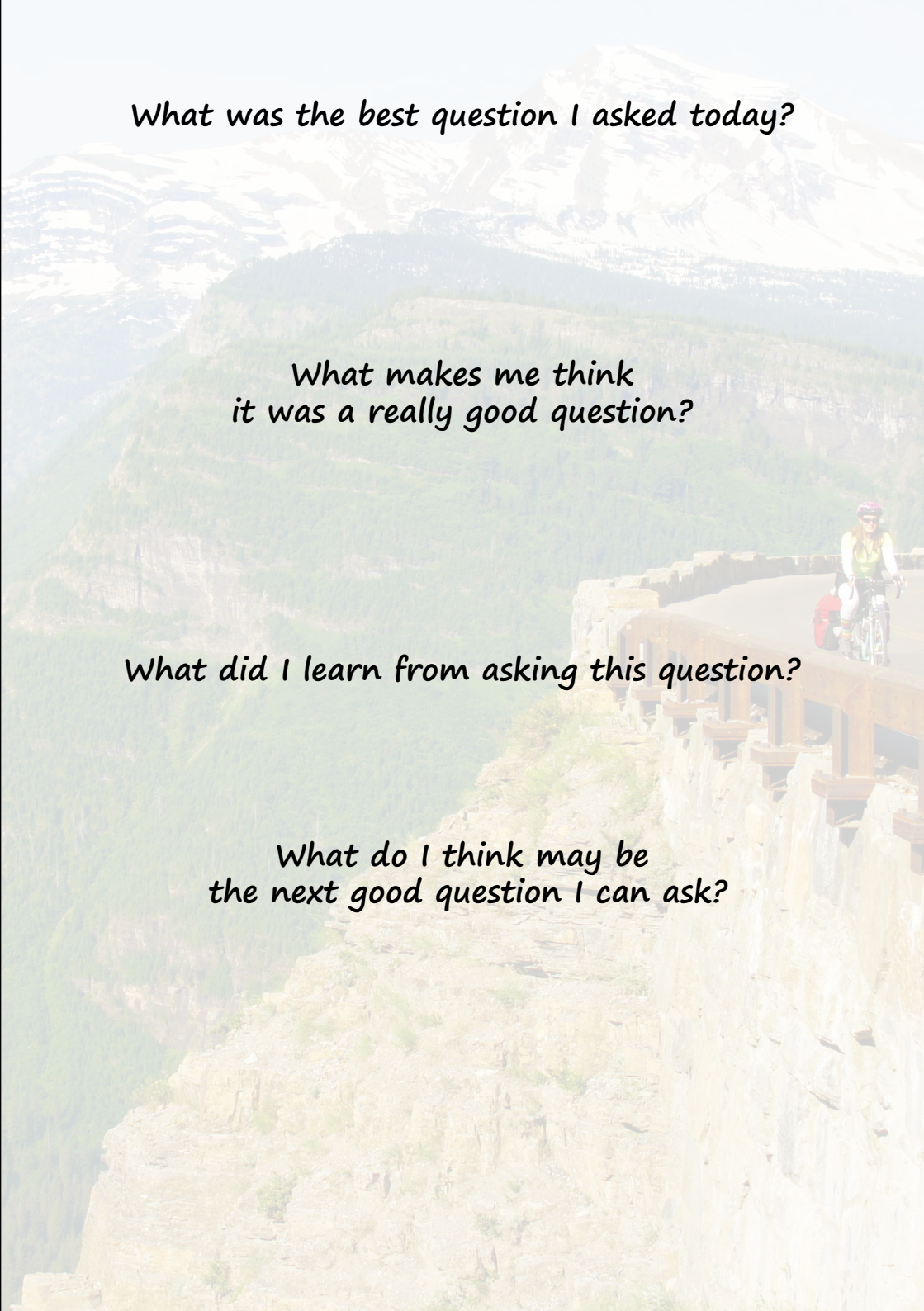
What was the best question I asked today?

Who did I ask it to?

What did s/he (they) reply?

What did I learn from asking this question?

*What do I think may be
the next good question I can ask?*



What was the best question I asked today?

*What makes me think
it was a really good question?*

What did I learn from asking this question?

*What do I think may be
the next good question I can ask?*



What was the best question I asked today?

In what way was it so good?

What did I learn from asking this question?

*What do I think may be
the next good question I can ask?*

*What were the best questions
I asked recently?*

What other good questions did I ask?

What did I learn from asking these questions?

*What do I think may be
the next good question I can ask?*



*What were the best questions
I asked recently?*

In what way were these questions so good?

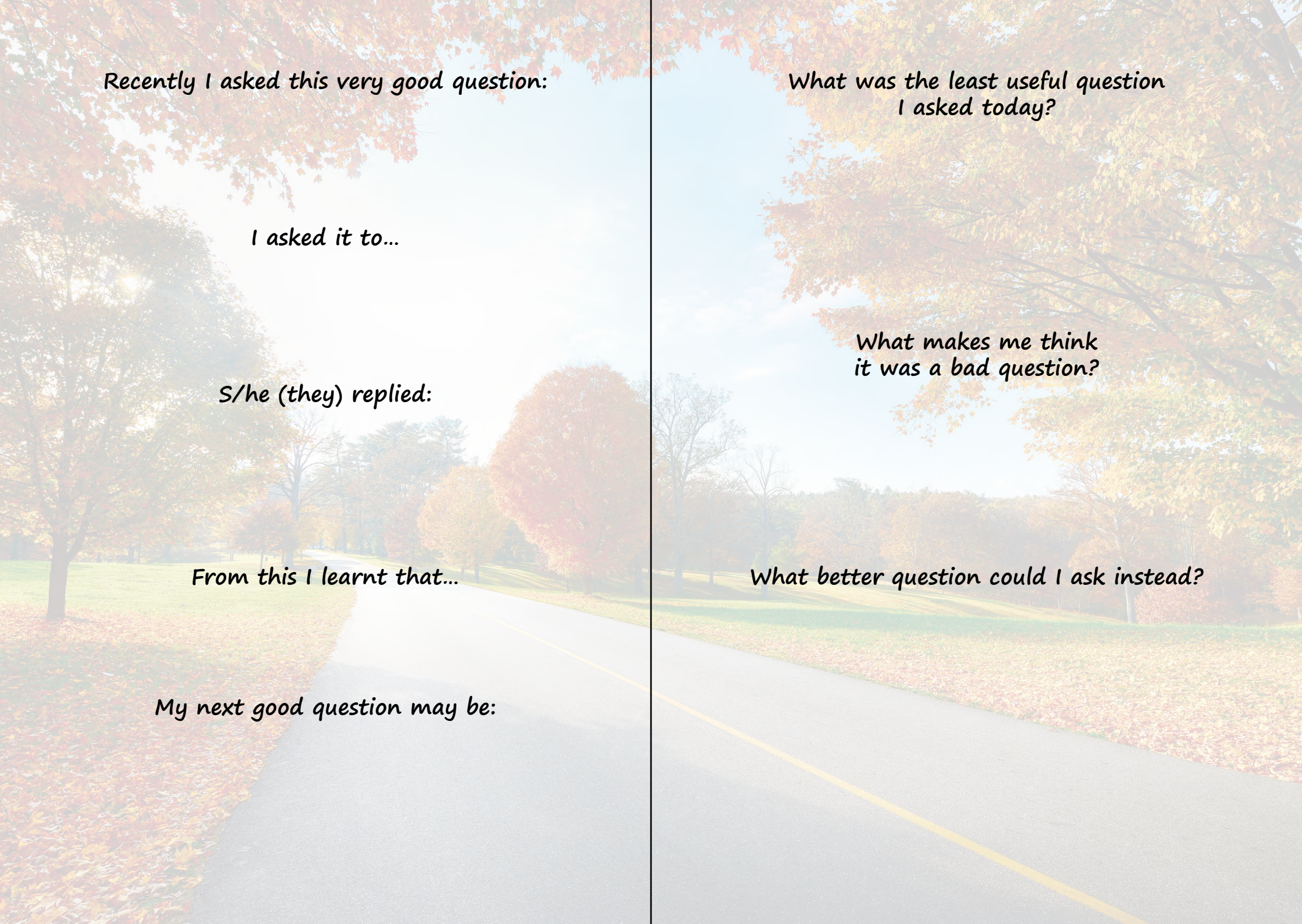
What did I learn from asking these questions?

*What do I think may be
the next good question I can ask?*

*What was the most useful question
I asked today?*

*What makes me think
it was such a useful question?*

*What may be the next useful question
I can ask?*

A scenic autumn road with trees and fallen leaves. The road is paved and has a yellow line down the center. The trees on both sides have vibrant orange, yellow, and red foliage. The ground is covered in fallen leaves. The sky is a pale blue with some light clouds.

Recently I asked this very good question:

I asked it to...

S/he (they) replied:

From this I learnt that...

My next good question may be:

*What was the least useful question
I asked today?*

*What makes me think
it was a bad question?*

What better question could I ask instead?

Recently I asked this very good question:

I asked it to...

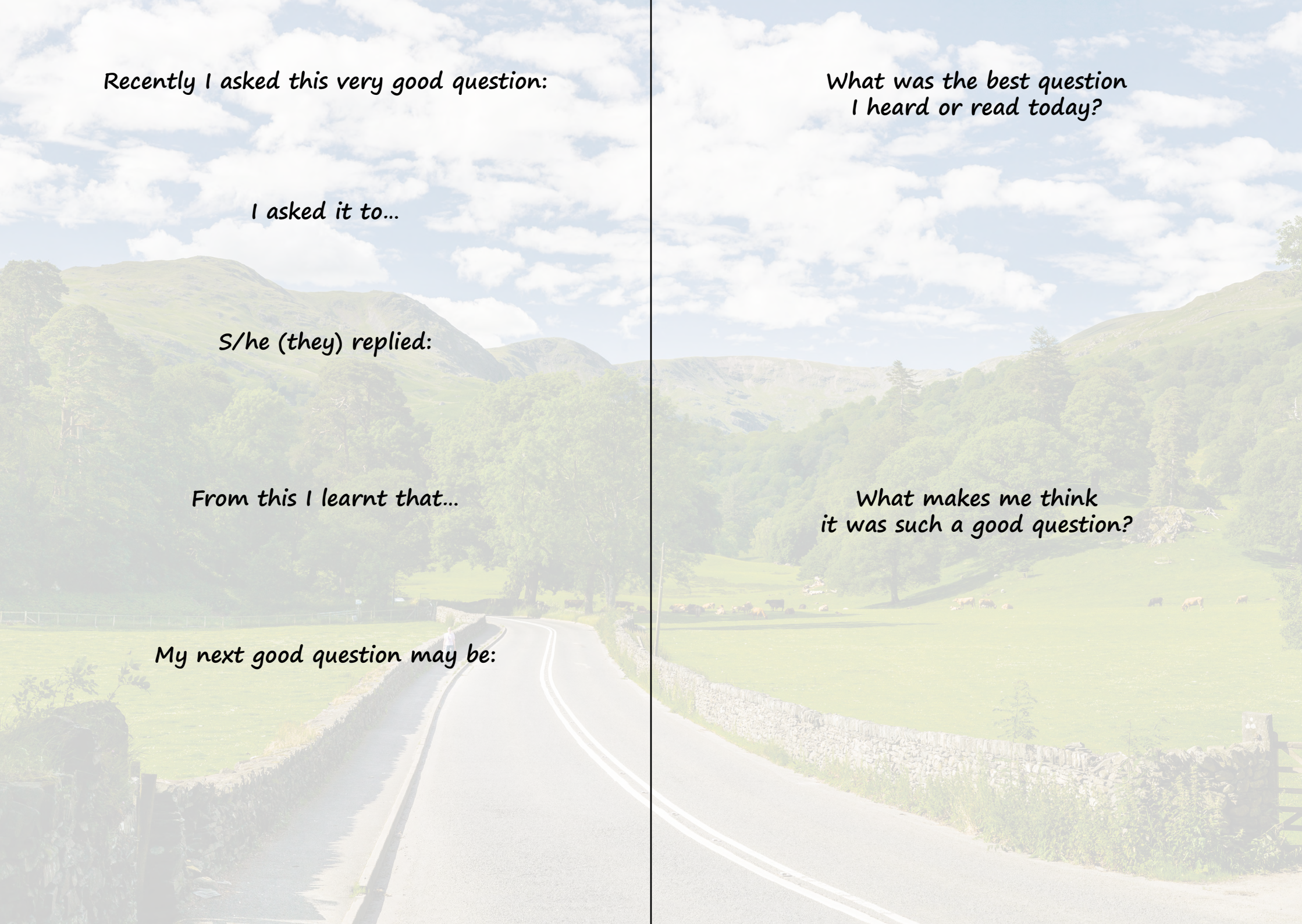
S/he (they) replied:

From this I learnt that...

My next good question may be:

*What was the best question
I heard or read today?*

*What makes me think
it was such a good question?*



What do you think makes a good question?
A good question is:

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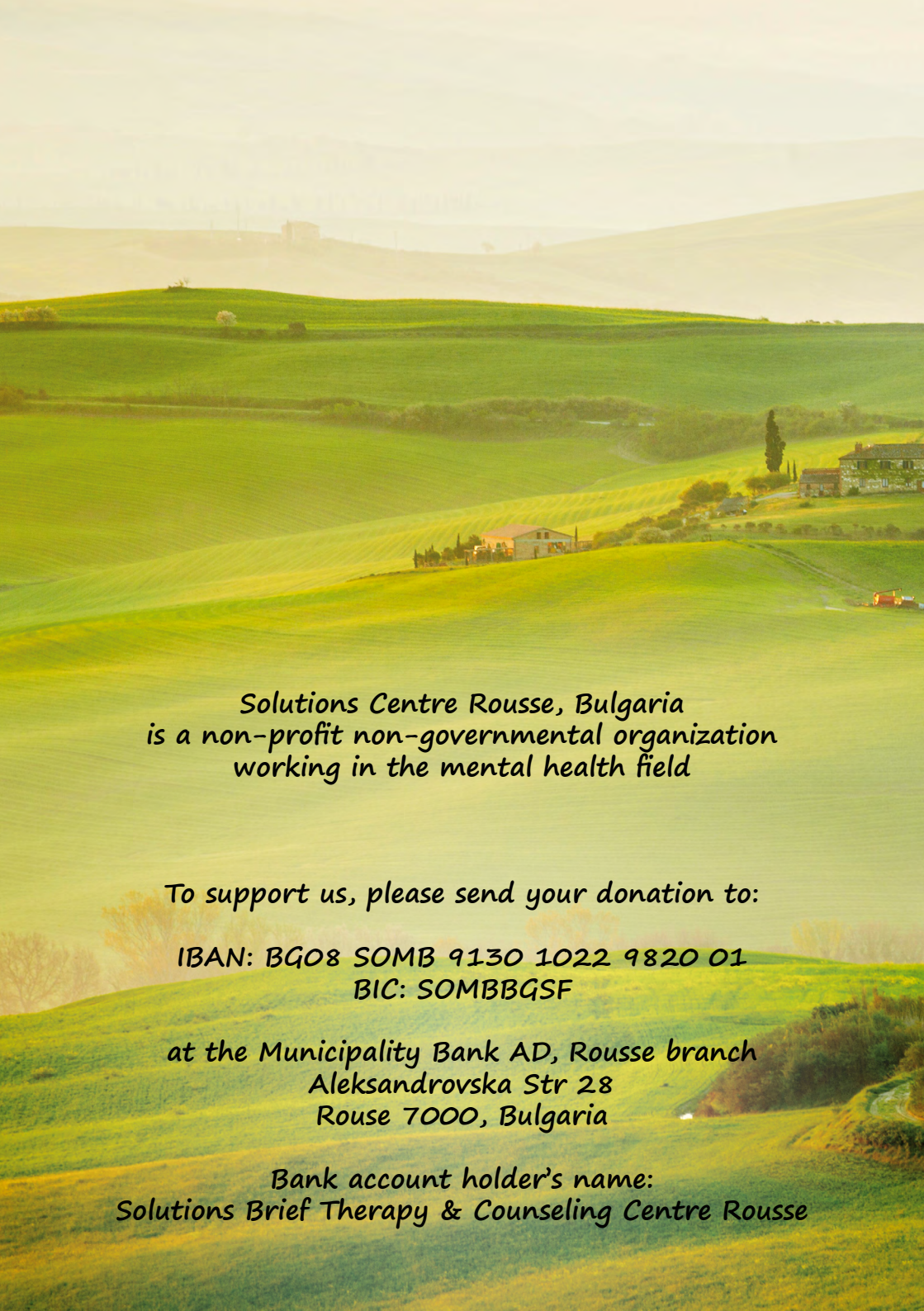
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Space for other personal ideas on questions:
(with more sheets if I need)

Today,.....,
Did I ask a good question?

☐ No: I missed a chance today.

☐ Yes. I won today:
I made a step
towards success !



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