

Thank you

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I feel it's only appropriate that I make one of my first posts on this blog this morning a note of thanks to everyone who subscribed as a consequence [of my appeal for funding, made yesterday](#).

I admit that I made that appeal with some trepidation because it feels quite difficult to ask for money for something that I want to do, and which I want to expand, even though I know that at present, if it does develop, that will result in a loss being made.

I think that around 90 people donated yesterday, most with new monthly subscriptions, and I cannot express how much I appreciate that. There are two reasons.

One is that the money will help, and the other is that it simply feels like a massive vote of confidence in what I am doing, and in itself, that feels really important because everyone needs such a boost every now and again. Being a blogger and social media creator is quite an isolated activity in some ways: it does feel good to think that it matters to some people, and I believe it is appropriate to share that.

So, very straightforwardly, thank you, most sincerely, because I really appreciate the support that has been offered.