

“Perfect Round”

By Kurt Wright

Fifty seven “Optically perfect” spheres...
created by the right brain of Dr. Philip Alexander, M.D.

Each of the 57 perfectly round spheres is an exquisite example of what your right brain can accomplish when it is allowed to function without interference from your left brain. Each of the spheres is “about as close to optically perfect as you can get,” according to Dr. Philip Alexander, M.D., who shaped them by hand while “operating in the right brain” and working on his lapidary stone.

In using the words “optically perfect,” Dr. Alexander refers to the fact that if he were to start one of the spheres rolling very slowly across a clean, glass-top table, it will continue to roll in a perfectly straight line until it reaches the edge of the table.

“The right brain can ‘feel’ perfect round”

That’s what Dr. Alexander told me the first time he rolled one of his magnificent, hand-crafted “marbles” across his desk and into my lap. Dr. Alexander is a doctor of internal medicine who practices in Bryan, Texas. He is also one of many people around the world who regularly gains direct access to his brain’s powerful right hemisphere by consciously shutting off its left.

The above incident took place in April of 1982, some 15 months after Dr. Alexander read the book, *“Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain,”* by Betty Edwards—and discovered the awesome power of making this simple shift in consciousness. Once he’s “in the right brain,” as he describes it, he can take an ordinary piece of mineral, or “rock,” hold it against a lapidary stone and continue to grind away at it until his left hand (which is connected to his right brain) can “feel” that it is gradually becoming perfectly, spherically round.



You and I are capable of doing this, too!

Yes, it is a well-established fact that any one of us is fully capable of duplicating Dr. Alexander’s ability to “feel perfect round” by learning to shut off your analytical mind.

Doesn’t this make you wonder what else your intuitive mind could do for you—if only you were able to stop the interference from your analytical mind?

Special features of your intuitive mind...

- It processes information at least a thousand times faster than your analytical mind.
- It runs so fast that words and numbers couldn’t possibly serve as its processing language.
- It relies instead on an extremely high speed processing language that’s based on **feelings, patterns** and **pictures**, or symbols—and does not come with an operator’s manual.
- It depends on your analytical mind to slow down its complex, high speed processing language and translate it back into words and numbers so it can be communicated.
- It naturally seeks to find or reach the state of “perfect round” in everything it does.
- It is, for all practical purposes, dormant until engaged by questions that tap into its natural orientation toward seeking “perfect round.”