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**The Chinese . . . I tell you, they are a mystery to me . . .!**

—Paulinho Coelho, municipal architect in Maputo, Mozambique

**Whose side are you actually on?**

—Pedersen to Bunkenborg, Eastern Mongolia, 2010

**Their misunderstanding of me was not the same as my  
misunderstanding of them.**

—Roy Wagner, 1981



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