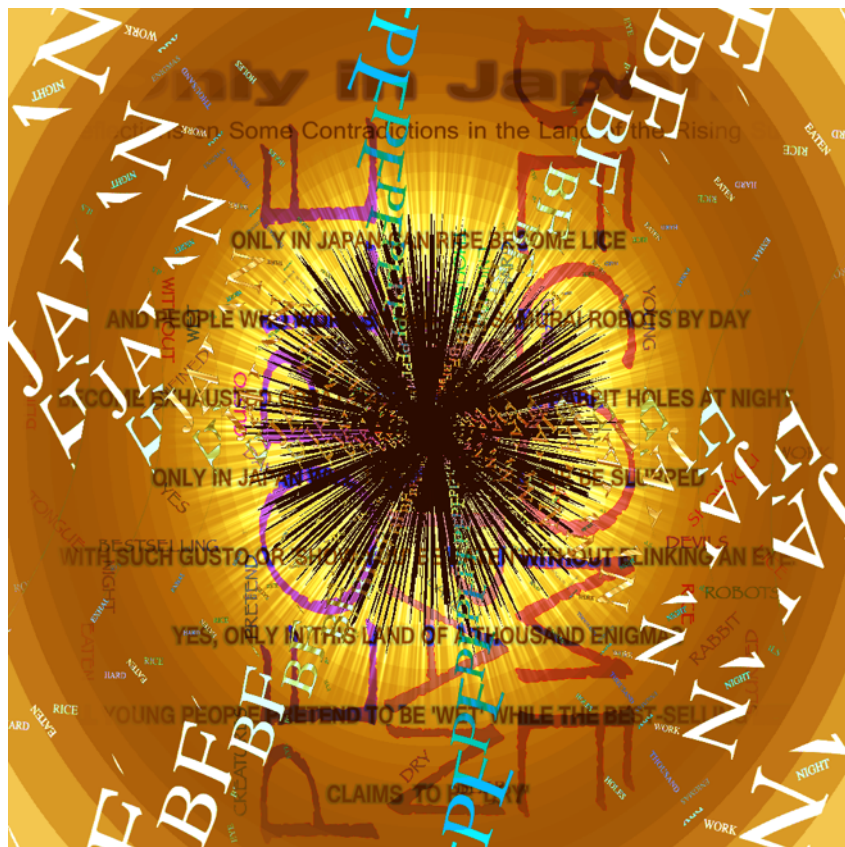


# Only in Japan:

Reflections on A Fragmented Nation



**Bhāraté:** Is Japan really this fragmented?

**Daiki:** (Scratching his forehead) Such questions have no "objective" answer.  
To many people, Japan does appear as an increasingly fragmented society.

**An-Yi:** If you look closely enough, I suspect every society is fragmented.

**Chariya:** (Nodding) Don't worry. There are enough distractions around to make sure most people do not look too closely. I would say the general tendency is to look quickly, then ignore.

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