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## The Travelers and the Tree (2 pages)

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Aestatis tempore,  
viatores nimio meridiani solis calore laborant.  
Platanum vident et [sub arborem] configuiunt.  
[Sub arboris umbr ] se sternunt et recumbunt.  
[Ad arborem] deinde convertunt oculos.  
[Inter se] dicunt,

"Quam infructuosa haec arbor est,  
et inutilis hominibus!"

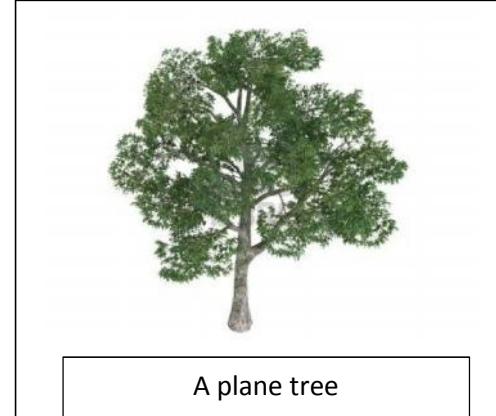
Arbor respondet,  
"O vos ingratos!

Meo beneficio adhuc fruentes,  
inutilem infructuosamque me vocatis!"

### Vocabulary

platanus - plane tree  
viator - traveler  
aestas - summer, summer heat  
tempus - time  
nimius - too much, excessive  
meridianus - mid-day  
sol - sun  
calor - heat  
arbor - tree

configio - take refuge  
umbra - shade, shadow  
se - reflexive pronoun  
sterno - stretch out  
recumbo - lie down, recline  
deinde - finally, at last  
converto - turn  
oculus - eye  
dico - say, speak



quam - how  
infructuosus - non-productive  
hic - this, this one  
inutilis - useless  
homo - person, man  
respondeo - answer, reply  
o - o! oh!  
vos - you (plural)  
ingratus - ungrateful  
meus - my, mind  
beneficium - good deed, kindness  
adhuc - thus far, until now  
fruor - enjoy, make use of (w/abl.)  
voco - call