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Thread: [Where does a thought go when it's forgotten?](#)

Carrot - March 18, 2021, 5:06 pm

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and then when you try to think of it, you feel like its right there.. its teasing you, but you just can't remember any detail.

Deany - March 18, 2021, 5:16 pm

I forget thots all the time thanks for asking

TB12 - March 18, 2021, 5:19 pm

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Carrot - March 18, 2021, 5:27 pm

(Mar 18, 2021 05:19 PM)TB12 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It goes to the shadow realm
a spooky place, one must travel to in order to retrieve such thoughts

Neon™ - March 18, 2021, 5:37 pm

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X-32 - March 18, 2021, 5:46 pm

Your brain burns it off like a calorie.

Parks - March 18, 2021, 5:56 pm

Do you want the scientific answer?

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Carrot - March 18, 2021, 5:58 pm

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no cap. he stealin everything nowadays, from bytes, too more bytes.

Lyrlei - March 18, 2021, 6:55 pm

Happens to me sometimes, and I hate it every single time it happens, like when I'm trying to get something but forgot what I was getting, lmao.

duke007 - March 18, 2021, 7:43 pm

It's funny how you can remember the thought by backtracking the conversation/actions sometimes.
Weird how the brain works like that

HooliganMedia - March 18, 2021, 7:45 pm

I have a notes called 'my great ideas'.... I try to write it down before getting a coffee!

SIM-2501407 - March 18, 2021, 8:23 pm

My recycle bin (like on ur computer). Sometimes it is recovered, but most of the time, it is not.

Carrot - March 18, 2021, 8:34 pm

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hmm people say that you should go back to where you was when you initially had the thought and it'll come back to you.
never worked for me though

Isolate - March 18, 2021, 8:48 pm

I like to think they go into a special thought lottery where all your really good ideas and other misc thoughts go, etc.. eventually they make they way into someone else's memory bank and now Amazon. That is all.

Juoku - March 19, 2021, 2:19 am

There's a whole process that's supposed to help you remember stuff more easily with associations and such, I forget things in the daily and I'm working on it, I can have a conversation and forget what it was about midway.. I've been doing much better now tho

A Nobody - March 19, 2021, 4:34 am

Is this not common to do all the time?

Forensic - March 19, 2021, 5:01 am

Doesn't go anywhere. It's in your memory somewhere and you just need something to trigger that memory.

Yanix - March 19, 2021, 5:21 am

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That was a usual thing for me most of the times when I am thinking of too many things in life specially if there's a problem that needs attention :D

Shrooms - March 19, 2021, 5:22 am

This happens pretty often to me, it's very annoying

Dopamine - March 19, 2021, 5:30 am

Carrot, your post hit me hard this morning.

Carrot - March 19, 2021, 5:52 am

(Mar 19, 2021 05:30 AM)Dopamine Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Carrot, your post hit me hard this morning. harder than remembering a thought? lol