With a little help of VMS' Friends (season 2)

(Gérard Calliet recorded by HP-Interex France)

Good trip

Heureux qui, **comme Ulysse**, a fait un beau voyage,

Ou comme cestuy-là qui conquit la toison,

Et puis est retourné, plein d'usage et raison,

Vivre entre ses parents le reste de son âge!

Joachim Du Bellay

Good trip

• Happy like Ulysess...



Good trip

- Odysseus is fine :
 - The ship and the crew are fine (HP & us)
 - We CAN go home (Convergence)
 - Penelope is waiting for us (ours intrinsiq qualities can be preserved every night)

Bad trip

• The captain scuttled the ship



Bad trip

• Why ?



• Excel mermaids + forgotten links?

Good trip & bad trip

- There are some serious reasons
- The mission critical IT systems context is changing

(see With a little help of VMS's friend (season 1))

■We have to do somethings

Going back to Itaque

- HP cannot be the « hub » in this context
- We have to go from centralised processing to CO-PROCESSING
- O How ?
 - We must demonstrate we exist
 - We must demonstrate we have the willingness

We demonstrate we exist

- How many companies, customers, users
- How much turnover, billions of line code
- How our qualities are rare
- What is possible / impossible for us in a « transition »

■We are a major part of Odysseus

We have the willingness

- We aknowledge the mission critical world has changed
- We prove we can change, we are opened...
- And it is not the same thing that forgetting our mission critical necessities

■We need convergence

Action!

- HP-Interex France initiated a survey (read it, download it, answer at <u>www.hp-</u> <u>interex.fr</u>)
- Other initiatives exist (In Sweeden, with Sue Skonetsky...)
- We have to coordinate

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