THE DOCTOR AND THE ALCOHOLIC

We hear, not we are told, but what we want to hear
Our habits, interests and upbringing condition our perceptions.
Our biases, and p[prejudices color our thinking.
We can grasp that much of truth only that our emotions and feelings allowo it to be filtered though.

A Doctor gave a lecture to a large gathering about the evils of drinking alcohol. At the end of his lecture to make his point clearer the Doctor gave the audience a practical demonstration.

He kept on his table two transparent glasses. One filed with crystal clean water, and the other with pure alcohol. Then, placing a worm in the glass with clean wat he demonstrated how the worm in clean water not only survived but it seemed to enjoy it. Next, he placed another worm in the glass with alcohol, The poor creature soon squirming and wringing in no time died/

Then, the Doctor asked the audience: Did you get the message of today's talk and experiment? Someone in the crowd shouted, "Yes. Doctor, I learned that if I have to keep clean from worms, I have to drink plenty of alcohol