



In times when many things are closed to the public, and where so much is narrowed and locked, another force is also at work: openness. At the moment, however, it works rather quietly and silently. But almost everyone knows that it sometimes works wonders. But what does openness mean anyway? Are you open? What are you really open to? You can only answer these questions for yourself.

I would like to invite you to answer these questions for yourself and to show your personal openness in public.

„open“ – Your action in 3 small steps and one big one!

1. Write down what you are open for: "Open for ...". Whether handwritten, drawn or printed, whether on a small piece of paper, on a cardboard, as a photo or as a large poster. Do it the way you like it.
2. Place your open statement "Open to ..." in a way that is highly visible to everyone: in your window pane facing the street, in your car, in the window of your store, as a sign around your neck, on your bike (weatherproof with clear wrap or laminate), in your front yard, on a public bulletin board or other visible place in public space.
3. If you like, send me a photo of your publication in public space. By sending you agree that I may use this photo for documentation purposes on my website, Facebook, for press releases and for other artistic actions in the context of "open".
4. Be open - open minded, open spirited and open hearted!

„open“ – Why?

The action "open" is a sign of the personal value of openness. This sign of the open mind, the frank spirit and sincere heart can be shown publicly by every individual. When many individuals put their "open" into the public space, it becomes a silent movement of opening from below, which is contagious in its diversity and power. Because the one question remains open: "How do we want to live?"

More information and the call "open" in other languages at: www.archiv-des-nichts.de

Photos of your action "open" are welcome at: us@archiv-des-nichts.de

If you like, share it with your friends.

Sincerely, and may openness open many doors
Stephan US

Die Aktion „offen“ findet im Rahmen von *Psssst!* – dem kulturellen Reigen um Stille und Schweigen statt und wird gefördert durch: