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As a 52 Parindey Fellow, Anil has explored Food Systems and natural ways of growing. He intends to continue exploring food systems, as he believes there is a lot more to learn, unlearn and relearn. He dreams of creating healthy food systems and resilient local communities and intends to pursue growing his own food.

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What is food ?

I was having a narrow understanding about food.

I started understanding food when i was adviced to eat healthy.

Why Food Systems?

- The ways we produce, distribute, consume food touch every aspect of our life.
- Food is a basic human requirement not just a commodity.



There are many people already investing in making things healthy.

I don't want to stand still and watch the procession passing by.

I decided to walk with all those who are walking.

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The road I chose to travel.

designed for journey
not for destination



The Journey

**was a POEM
that I wrote to myself**

**travelling alone,
carrying home with me.**



Farming Activities

Growing Food



Delicious Local Food

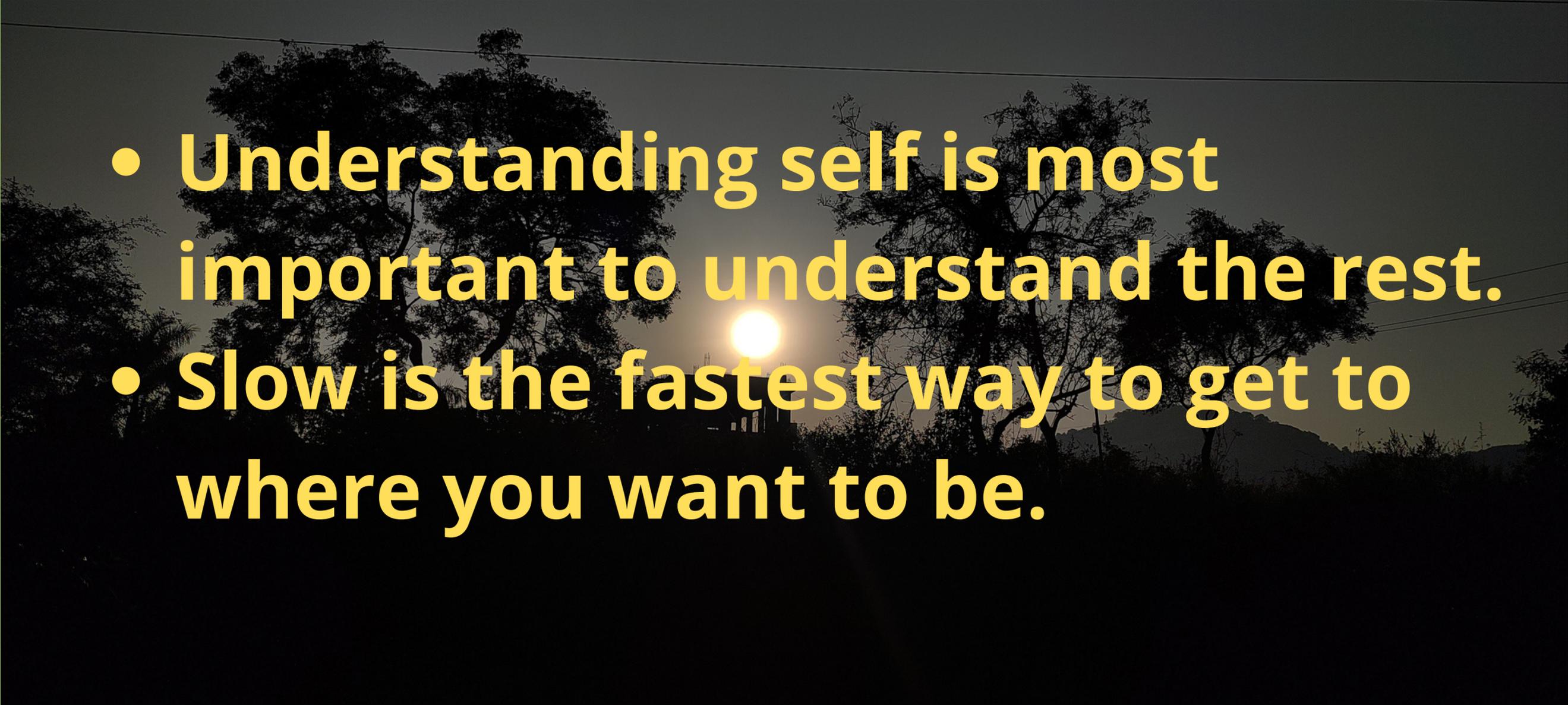




**There is First time
for everything we do.**



Rewards

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- **Understanding self is most important to understand the rest.**
 - **Slow is the fastest way to get to where you want to be.**



Alivelihoods

- **Regenerative**
- **make the one pushing it feel alive**

**Farming is not
just another livelihood.
It is a way of living**

**It is well to dream of glorious war sitting in armchair at home.
But its very different to see it first-hand.**

- **Environment**
- **Markets**
- **Limited knowledge**



The Beginning

I did for me. I loved it.
I was good at it. I was really alive.



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