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The classical definition of knowledge that presents it as justified true belief (JTB) has fallen in trouble since the appearance of E. Gettier's counter-examples in 1963. Some authors found the examples to be not relevant, others tried to pursue a strategy for a definitional enrichment of JTB. But in spite that different amendments have been suggested, there is still no common agreement among specialists how to get rid of the notorious *Gettier problem*. There are different theories of justification, but they can provide no help as well, since every such theory exhibits specific conceptual flaws and limitations. Thus a solution to the Gettier problem has still not been reached, to be admired by the majority of philosophers. The solution that I develop in an intended book of mine is not concerned with improvement of JTB, but rather with an elucidation of the cognitive reason that makes the considered problem possible.

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