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Jesus and Saint Germain**

Speak On:

**In God We Trust, Spiritual Assimilation
Cultivating Holy Spirit, Resurrection Flame, Eternal Now,
Giving is Living, Wise Use of Life, Becoming Still,
Presence of the Father, Spiritual Partnership,
New Opportunity, Lords of Karma, Establishing
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P R E F A C E

Life is a gift from God! Life, therefore, is intelligent and does respond to direction. Life is obedient to man because God (by whatever Name you choose to call Him) *directed* the intelligence in life to obey. Life is immortal *because it is the essence* of God Who is Immortal; given freely into the creation of planetary systems, individual beings, and generally, *all that lives*.

Mankind are studying life. No scientist has yet been able to actually generate life, although many dedicated men and women have prolonged life in a particular form. The orthodox people refer to life as that which "The Lord giveth and taketh away". However, they err in their belief that the Giver *actually takes away life*. That life which seems to have been "taken away" is merely summoned to function in a different sphere, still under the direction of the free-will of its user. You, gentle reader, are one of the billions of souls belonging to this Planetary System who have been given the use of life, which has obediently fulfilled your conscious or unconscious commands through the ages. The nature of your soul, the state of your mind and bodies (inner and physical) your surroundings and aura are a result of your qualification of life through the ages. Now We come to a time when you are offered the knowledge and application by which you may redeem the life given to you, resurrect the Divine Image in which you were created and generally allow life within and about you freedom to express perfection.

Beloved Holy AEolus

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AEOLUS:

The Nature of God is good! Therefore, it is His Will, Desire and Eternal Decree that all His creations express that goodness in every facet of their experience and in any sphere or plane in which they are fitted to dwell. The strength of the Spiritual Hierarchy of Ascended Beings lies in Their full acceptance and Trust in God's Holy Will as being beneficent, loving, merciful and always endeavoring to externalize Perfection through all His creations.

The weakness of the outer consciousness of mankind lies in the fact that through centuries of living in the forgetfulness of the true nature of their Divine Source, they have assumed the Will of God to include for them unpleasant and distressing experiences and every type of chastening of soul -- expressed as punishment for human mistakes, consciously made or otherwise. In Truth, such is not the case, and it is now the desire of the Beloved God of the Universe that mankind come again into a *conscious acceptance* of God's goodness, as well as His desire for Perfection to act to, for and through them individually and en masse. It is the fiat of 1958 issued by the Spiritual Hierarchy that mankind shall accept and feel, as We do, that "IN GOD WE TRUST" .

EL MORYA:

The qualities of Faith and Trust are, of course, FEELINGS! There is no self-conscious intelligence which cannot feel nor which does not have emotions of one type or another. Therefore, each

chela must examine himself to find out exactly in what he has placed his Faith and Trust; then, through self-conscious endeavor, each chela must *personally* try to place and keep his feelings of Faith and Trust in God and His Holy Messengers. Through the use of free-will, every individual actually magnetizes by the release of his feelings of Faith and Trust, that in which he believes! In order to experience the goodness of God (each one's own individualized "I AM" Presence) right here in this physical appearance world, Faith and Trust in Him must be self-consciously directed toward Him, daily and rhythmically. Then back through that channel so formed by the rising energy of Faith and Trust in that God Presence, will flow the visible tangible blessings which will be sufficient proof to any individual of the efficacy of such spiritual exercise and control of his emotional world.

KUTHUMI:

As Educators of the Shepherds and the human race, We are called upon at this time to emphasize the feelings of Faith and Trust in God and His Divine Messengers. Herein, again, We must point out the use of God-discrimination and wisdom. Faith and Trust in God are *practical* and require the loving, willing co-operation of the outer self of the chela, according to his developed faculties. Many well-meaning men and women who are taught to trust God expect to receive manifestations of a super-human nature, *without any endeavor on their part to consciously co-operate with the inspirations and directions of God to and through them.* They just "lean on the Everlasting Arms", expecting God to do FOR them what He only CAN and MUST DO THROUGH THEM! Disillusionment and discouragement are bound to result from assuming such a negative and childish attitude. The very gift of free-will in the use of life is a

sign-post to the alert that they, themselves, must co-operate with the God Who made them and that His spiritual vitality will then sustain their endeavors. As has been said so often -- "God needs a body" (through which to serve). The Beloved Ascended Master Jesus was One Who cognized this Truth during His ministry on Earth and, although He had absolute Faith in His Heavenly Father, Jesus Himself was always (and still is!) *practically* "about His Father's Business." This spiritual partnership develops within the chela the strength of his own God-Presence acting through him and the joy of self-conscious creation of Perfection. TRY!

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

It is in the inherent God-power within the Holy Christ Self of each individual (anchored right within each one's beating heart) that We place Our Faith and Trust for the expansion and development of their ultimate spiritual victory. The actual concentrated Rays directed from Our Brotherhood nourish and encourage the development of their ultimate spiritual victory. The actual concentrated Rays directed from Our Brotherhood nourish and encourage the development in all the particular God-gifts, talents, powers and general mastery along the lines which fulfill their Divine Plan on the Earth plane. *Would that mankind also would develop such Faith and Trust in the Ultimate perfection to be expressed through every member of the human race!* Unfortunately, most of mankind judge each other by the outer personality and condemn them on the presence of their personal idiosyncrasies (which are of a temporary nature), rather than judging them as Beloved Jesus once said: "by righteous judgment" (holding the Immaculate Concept of their Eternal Divinity for them). In this year when Faith and Trust in God are being particularly emphasized, may I humbly suggest that Faith and

Trust in the CORE OF GOOD (God) in every man be also incorporated into the earnest chelas' feelings!

This does not mean that a discriminate individual should either accept or condone the imperfections of any personality (either audibly or silently), for this is but flattery and does more harm than good. It means that every sincere chela should endeavor to fully realize that within the beating heart of the personality there abides that Holy Christ Self of Perfection which, when lovingly encouraged, can and will externalize Its God-perfection through that Personality, finally transmuting it completely. Thank you for your endeavors so to do!

SERAPIS BEY:

The subject "In God We Trust" is particularly interesting to Me because I have the privilege and opportunity to examine each lifestream desiring to make the Ascension and to prepare for them the particular initiations which their inner-most thoughts and feelings require for their spiritual development and expansion. These initiations are not punishments, but are opportunities to strengthen the chelas' Faith in God and Trust in His goodness. Sometimes the experiences which are necessary for this transformation from the human into the Divine seem extraordinarily difficult, *especially when a chela asks that his entire nature be transmuted in one embodiment; whereas, according to natural Divine Law, he or she might have as long as twenty embodiments to achieve this transformation!* It is the tremendous speed of transforming the human nature into the Divine which often causes the chela to feel that he is being "tried" beyond the limits of his endurance. Yet, is it not better that what must be done -- be done quickly, *inasmuch as it must be done sometime?* Chelas sometimes "beg off" further initiations at Luxor under Our

direction and prefer to finish their course in a future life. It is entirely a matter of their own free-will. Yet, one day, one year -- in some embodiment -- every such chela will have to complete this transformation of the human personality and be able to say and feel -- as We do -- "In God and His Goodness -- We do trust"!

HILARION:

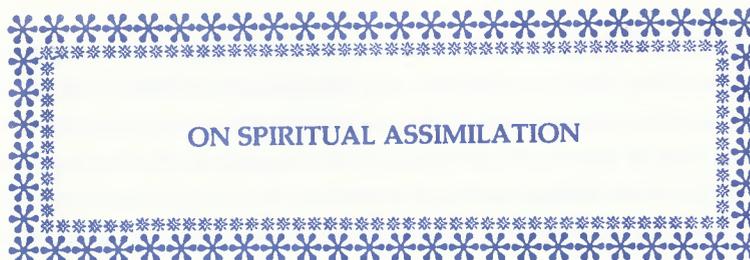
Faith and Trust are particularly interesting subjects to Me. As you all know, at least part of My service to life is to help those skeptics and agnostics who have mis-placed their Faith and Trust in some activity wherein they found bitter disappointment and disillusionment. This has left deep scars of doubt, suspicion and unbelief in their etheric bodies and these people are not easily persuaded to use the beautiful Virtues of Faith and Trust in God and His Holy Messengers again! It requires infinite patience and perseverance (both on Our part and their own) to dissolve their self-created "shells" of dis-trust before they will even listen to the sound and balanced doctrine of Truth, realizing that it was their own mis-placed Faith and Trust which caused the bitter experiences through which they passed, rather than any power outside of themselves. However, once they have been thus persuaded, then can We begin to present to them the Truth that GOD IS LOVE and, gradually, according to their capacity to accept this Eternal Verity, are they again willing to use their Faith and Trust in God and His Goodness to help them rise out of their embittered and unhappy estate. I am so willing to help any interested individuals on Earth in this Cause which is so dear to My heart. On your own behalf, or on behalf of your loved ones, *ask Me for My feeling of Faith in God and Trust in His goodness! I shall answer you instantly!*

JESUS:

In My experience of nearly two thousand years ago, during My ministry upon Earth I had the daily and hourly God-assistance of that magnificent Faith in the goodness of My Heavenly Father. Of course, in My Ascended Master consciousness today, that Faith is tremendously expanded and all-powerfully active. This Faith in God's power to act instantly and perfectly through Me enabled Me to bring about every miracle which I performed. Yet, I realized fully that I, Myself, had to set up in My Own consciousness the thoughts and feelings through which the Father could freely act. Many individuals who sought My aid were wise enough to ask: - - - - - "Lord, help Thou my unbelief!" For this I was very grateful for it enabled Me to help them accept the assistance they required. Others refusing to accept the power of God acting through Me, could not receive the blessings for which I was then the channel. Therefore, blessed ones, in the secret prayers of your own heart, do not hesitate to ask Me to help your unbelief. I shall do so!

SAINT GERMAIN:

It is not by happenstance that the statement "In God We Trust" has been placed upon the "coin of the Realm" of the American people. It was a Divinely inspired message from "on High" which the masses of the people could (although most do not, unfortunately) read, accept and use in their daily barter and exchange. In this year when the Angelic Host are coming closer and closer to humankind, I say: "IN YOU (the Christ dwelling within your beating hearts) I TRUST! THAT TRUST SHALL YET BE MANIFEST IN WORKS WELL DONE." So be it!



ON SPIRITUAL ASSIMILATION

AEOLUS:

In every kingdom the capacity to assimilate the already provided wealth of nourishment is determined by the individual consciousness. The development and perfection of the individual being is based on his own power of assimilation of the God gifts provided. For instance, two tulip bulbs planted side by side have equal access to the nourishment of the Earth, the moisture of the water element, the stimulation of the air, and the fecundating powers of the Sun. One will magnetize, assimilate and make it on its own with all these forces and become a magnificent bloom. The other may lie dormant and not fulfill its Divine Plan through the "free will elective". It is likewise true of angel, man and beast. The process of evolution is determined by the desire for and capacity to utilize the ALREADY PROVIDED SPIRITUAL NOURISHMENT which forms the atmosphere of the soul.

EL MORYA

Certain specific cycles of time allow Us opportunities to focus into the atmosphere in which Our chelas abide, additional spiritual stimuli which We can only HOPE will be absorbed by their consciousness through free will acceptance and assimilation. For instance, at present We are able to open the door to the Ascended Masters' Octave and to allow the Cosmic Beings and Ascended Masters to

present Their own instructions in comprehensible form to the chelas. How long this cycle will last only the Great First Cause knows. As the cycle of springtime offers particular stimulating currents to the growth of nature, so do Those of Us engaged in developing a race of Perfected Beings, seize upon any beneficent spiritual tides which can bring Us closer to those through whom We must endeavor to reach the plodding consciousness of the race.

KUTHUMI;

Each individual determines, consciously or unconsciously, according to his spiritual development, how much of the spiritual blessings he will draw into his own soul. The lethargic will not make the necessary effort to magnetize the currents of a spiritual hour. Thus, in the Ministry of Jesus, millions lived on, absorbing little or nothing of His Presence, and only the few alert enough to grasp that Hour rose on the impetus of the Christ Power into their own Ascended Master Presence.

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

We can provide all of the knowledge, the inspiration, the methods of application required to make a man God-free. However, in the final analysis, what each soul does with that proffered assistance (in the privacy of his own heart) will determine the progress of that soul toward mastery and freedom.

SERAPIS BEY:

Nature is constantly endeavoring to remind the consciousness of man regarding the necessity of spiritual alertness and sustained

enthusiasm. There are the two activities manifest in all life -- centrifugal and centripetal force. Each manifest intelligence, from an inanimate object, an elemental expression in the nature kingdom, to the soul of man, wields these two powers to a greater or lesser degree. The durability of a piece of furniture is determined by the magnetic power drawn by its creator and focused into its building and finishing. If it is put together lovingly, graciously and with symmetry of thought and harmony of feeling it will long outlive a piece of furniture created specifically as a commodity of sale with the motive power behind its creation being that of securing money. If man, drawing toward himself through the magnetic power centered in his heart, received knowledge, wise is he then to reverently, graciously, rhythmically and enthusiastically build from that knowledge a more perfect nature in himself and then an impersonal blessing to his fellowman.

HILARION:

Good health, physically speaking, depends upon the body's capacity to assimilate the nourishment provided through food, sunshine, air, etc. There are many individuals who are "exposed" to all of the gifts of nature but who live with impaired physical vehicles because of the incapacity to assimilate the gifts of nature provided for sustenance of the flesh form. This is likewise true of the inner bodies which mankind for the most part ignore. If the soul cannot assimilate the spiritual blessings which fill the atmosphere, which are brought by the Presence of the Masters and the Angelic Hosts, that soul is "sick" and requires the same assistance that a physically impaired vehicle requires to allow the gifts of the Spirit of Truth to enter into, nourish and develop the God nature. Where students are

often sympathetic with those experiencing *physical incapacities*, there is so often extreme intolerance with regard to the limited capacities of other lifestreams to recognize, assimilate and accept what (to the chelas) are self-evident truths. Conscious chelas must realize that it is the healing of the souls of men which is their particular service in this present hour. When the soul is opened through grace, kindness, prayer, invocation and application to the reception of Truth, there will be no argument nor barrier of bigotry in the ones you desire to help. You cannot *drive* a soul toward God but you can *lead* it.

JESUS:

Let us liken the souls of two men to a small child and a grown man. The wise man will not expect the small child to assimilate as much from the teacher as the mature man. Yet, students so often expect all souls to be in the same state of spiritual growth and equally capable of assimilation of spiritual truths. If you could look upon a congregation from the inner spheres, you would see the difference in the size of the upraised consciousness its vibratory action, its color, all of which determine how much such an one can possibly assimilate from the service.

Wise is the teacher who invokes the Presence of the "I AM" within the heart of the very least of his students to help the soul assimilate all that it is capable of accepting and then asks that the soul utilize that nourishment to its own development and the blessings of the race. This develops a kindness, a tolerance, a loving understanding between the teacher and the aspirants. Overly zealous teachers expect more of some souls than they can possibly give forth. Working impersonally with the Presence of God Who knows the capacities of each soul, the teacher is relieved of the sense of

personal responsibility and strain and the aspirants are nourished by the loving understanding of the teacher to whom they look as the open door to the Kingdom toward which their hearts aspire.

SAINT GERMAIN:

Students must learn to make the truth they hear and read their own. As the shell of destructive living through the centuries imbeds the mental and feeling worlds of the average man, so much of the Masters' instruction is deflected by even the most earnest consciousness. With the same care, precision and wisdom that the wise farmer plants his crops in the springtime knowing that his life and well being will be determined by their harvest in the autumn, so should the student plant within the consciousness the Words of the Master, nourish them, pluck out the weeds of irrelevancies, and bring to harvest in his own world the Master's Consciousness. This admonition cannot be given too often for the outer self is inclined to "gloss over" instruction which it has heard before in favor of the unknown. Instruction from the Master is not repeated if it has been assimilated the first time. When repetition occurs, the wise chela stops and knows that he is being "fed again" because he has not assimilated the nourishment offered him previously. Impatience and the desire to "plumb the heights of the heavens and the depths of the sea" rather than the development of the Christ nature in self, have taken many a chela off the path during a period of particularly auspicious spiritual currents. Remember, the Master knows your every requirement and before your soul has called he will have answered with exactly what you require at that given moment!



CULTIVATING THE HOLY SPIRIT

AEOLUS:

It is My responsibility and obligation to the Cosmic "I AM" Presence to nourish, develop and externalize the Holy Spirit through every lifestream upon the planet Earth, or who belongs to Its evolution. The Holy Spirit is the true nature of Divinity and it is fore-ordained that every child of God must, sometime and somewhere, manifest a Holy Spirit through the energies of his own world. When the Spark of Divinity signifies that It is ready to begin upon that endeavor, I come to assist in the development of the Holy spirit of such an one.

EL MORYA:

God, The Father, the Cosmic "I AM" Presence, created man in His Own Image and Likeness. The Son, so created, then was given free-will to externalize the spiritual nature of The Father through his own thought and feeling centers. Thus, each such Son develops a Holy Spirit of his own. It is the first step upon such a Path when a man desires to "rise and go unto his Father" -- to become like Him in nature. Then, We are privileged to assist such an earnest man to raise the vibratory action of his thoughts, feelings and outer self *consciously*, so that he becomes a radiating center of the Spirit of Holiness.

KUTHUMI:

The "I AM" Presence within every heart knows within Itself that Its ultimate destiny is to direct, control and expand the radiation of love, harmony, peace, purity, balance, faith and beauty. Through the usurping of the energies of the lifestream by the outer self, the "I AM" Presence has been denied the opportunity to direct and qualify those primal energies to bless all the life around It. The emotional, mental, etheric and physical bodies of mankind --*created to be instruments of the "I AM" Presence* - - have become, instead, the directors and qualifiers of the use of primal life. The resultant chaos, limitation and distress of the individual's aura as well as the world's atmosphere, is a far cry from the natural beauty and perfection of God's Kingdom, which is intended to be established on this Earth for the pleasure of man and the glory of his Creator. Educating the outer consciousness to the proper control of his vehicles of expression and bringing the direction and qualification of life back to the "I AM" Presence, is part of the service of the Brothers of the Golden Robe.

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

A man *can* learn to consciously control the type of thoughts he allows to enter his mind and which he allows to develop there. By learning to reject and refuse to allow thoughts of a negative nature to enter and dwell within his mind, he raises the vibratory action of his mental world and it becomes sensitive to the promptings of the "I AM" Presence rather than to the stimulation of the impure thought-patterns which are the product of mass thinking. Such conscious elevation of thought must be practiced and sustained

through an effort of free-will. When the mental body is so elevated, even for short periods of time at first, it becomes a magnet to draw thoughts from the Higher Spheres toward it. These thoughts become the *seeds* which, if cultivated by feeling, will grow as a harvest of beauty in the individual's world and environment. *Thus the Spirit of Holiness is externalized by the man willing to discipline his thinking.*

SERAPIS BEY:

A man's emotional body can also be trained to reject emotions of violence, anger, resentment, rebellion and to cultivate feelings of tolerance, love, understanding and compassion. These feelings raise the vibratory action of the emotional world and magnetize the feelings of like vibration radiated forth by Masters, Devas, Angels and other God-free Beings. When the mind and the feelings are held upon constructive patterns, the individual is beginning to be a magnet for the Cosmic radiation of the Spirit which helps him to become a Holy Spirit in himself.

HILARION:

The inter-relationship among the emotional, mental, etheric and physical bodies of an individual cannot be stressed too much. What affects *one* affects *all*, constructively or otherwise. Just as a charioteer driving four horses is impeded in his progress by the lameness or incapacity of one of his steeds, so is a man impeded in his spiritual progress by the insubordination or incapacity of one or all of his vehicles of expression. Therefore, each chela should take an impersonal inventory of the nature of his thoughts, feelings

words and action and endeavor to nourish, discipline and develop the particular vehicle which he finds less amenable to the expression of the Spirit of Holiness, through his own aura and world.

JESUS:

Every man created by the Father must complete his own Trinity by reflecting and radiating the Nature of that Father -- the Holy Spirit -- through his own consciousness and vehicles of expression. The present purification of the inner bodies of the students will make it much easier for them to keep their thought and feelings elevated and their resultant words and actions will reflect this inner purification. Finally, the inner bodies will come to realize their purpose in being . . . to *consciously create* and radiate the virtue and beauty of the Heavenly Father in all the God qualities and God ideas which will naturally externalize in their personal worlds as peace, health, beauty, opulence and spiritual grace.

SAINT GERMAIN:

Measuring one's thoughts and feelings against the thoughts and feelings of the Master is a good way to determine whether the vibratory action of those vehicles of expression has fallen below the natural estate intended for each chela. This need not be a severely imposed discipline but rather a happy experience for the person determined to be a radiating center of God's Presence on this sweet Earth. To every such one, We offer all the stimulation of Our friendship until the aspirant can sustain his vibration of holiness and sanctity by himself.



THE RESURRECTION FLAME

AEOLUS;

In the Kingdom of Heaven where there is eternal life, ever increasing opulence of expression, and neither disintegration nor decay are known, the Activity of the Sacred Fire known as The Resurrection Flame is not required. However, for the evolution presently developing upon the planet earth, the Mercy of Life has provided such a Restorative Power for those wise enough to invite It and humble enough to use Its revivifying, life giving essence.

EL MORYA:

The word "resurrection" means to "bring back or restore to a *normal* condition". The Activity, therefore, is taken out of the category of the "miraculous" and becomes a Workable Law by which man is restored to *normal*! Witnessing the action of the Resurrection Flame through the body of the Master Jesus, We see death give way to life - - - and know that life, not death, is the *normal* condition for every man. A Natural Law or a so called "Super-natural Law" is equally practicable for every part of life who wishes to utilize it. When man awakens to the fact that the Power of Resurrection is *his*, if he chooses to invoke It, he can quickly re-vivify his flesh, his mind, his affairs, and stand free in Its Vitalizing Power.

KUTHUMI:

When the mankind of earth abided within the Law of Harmony, neither disease, decay nor disintegration was known upon the planet or its evolving life. When mankind first departed from the harmonious qualification of the God-life, the slow process of disintegration began, and man's vehicles rather than losing the soul from the earth plane in the dignity of perfect manhood or womanhood -- slowly rotted until the soul could no longer use the vehicles and in agony and despair left the earth. It was then decreed by the Father of Light that one of His Sons might bring a Flame by which man could again restore his mind, body and world to its rightful estate, and he called This Restorative Power "The Resurrection Flame".

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

Before they have called, I have answered, and while they are yet speaking, I have heard." The Great Eternal Father, looking upon the earth and its children, felt within HIMSELF the need of a Restorative Power by which those desiring to resume Their God Estate could do so. And into His Aura He projected The Flame of Resurrection. Here It lived, until One of His Sons, contemplating the nature of The Father, pierced through the blazing light of His Aura, and perceived This Flame of Hope and Life! And before the Throne of the Father, the Son asked that He might embody That Flame and bring it to earth, for the acceptance of those who chose to know again Eternal Youth and Beauty and Life Eternal! He was granted this honor and through the Flame in His Heart was anchored the quality and nature of The Resurrection Flame.

SERAPIS BEY:

Countless centuries ago, before the coming of Sanat Kumara, the mankind of earth had wandered away from the principle of The Law of Harmonious Qualification of God Energy, and then was the first KRISHNA (Christ) vested with the Authority and Right to bring to the knowledge of those who chose to accept His Gift, The Resurrection Flame.

It is the Activity of the Sacred Fire which is drawn through the physical heart of any lifestream, which acts as a restorative power of the *normal, natural*, God Estate. The focus for this Resurrection Flame was located in the land now known as The Arabian Desert, and here - - century after century - - God Beings tended, guarded and fed the physical focus of This Flame. From Its Essence, the illuminati of all ages received into the Immortal Spark of Divinity within their hearts, the stimulus by which they, in turn could generate and expand That Flame. And through Its Use, life was maintained in the body for centuries of time, and countless numbers of the mankind of earth manifested victory over disease, disintegration and even death itself.

HILARION:

Within the Immortal Flame of Life in the heart of every lifestream is the *potential* power and nature of God. However, it is so deeply buried in the accumulation of the ages (the sealed tomb) that it requires God Assistance to direct the outer consciousness to Its Presence, Its Power, and Its Activity. For this reason, Great Physical Focuses of these God Qualities and Powers were established

at certain points on the earth's surface which act in exactly the same manner as the burning fire which stimulates the dry tinder. The tinder (with potential fire within it) would remain ever lifeless without the stimulation of the LIVING FLAME. From the Heart Center where These Spiritual God Qualities are focused, members of the human race - - like living torches - - carry The Flame to those who choose to expose their consciousness to Its Vitalizing Life. Like all torchbearers, they suffer often the "incendiary's doom"!

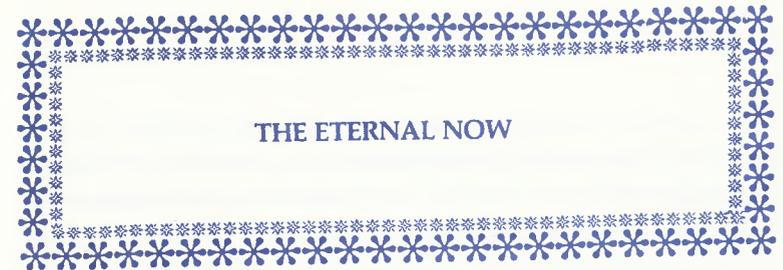
JESUS:

Having great interest in Life Eternal, My Mother, Mary and I applied to The Father for the privilege and honor of accepting the responsibility of guarding The Resurrection Flame in the Retreat in Arabia. In order to qualify, a Chela must consciously draw and focus through his own body, the FULL POWER OF THAT FLAME. I willingly offered to qualify for the Initiation. The story of the Resurrection is well known to all my friends of the centuries. I would like to state, however, that The Resurrection Flame lives for ALL MEN, and that It will surge in a great restoring, revivifying, sweeping action of Life eternal, WHENEVER AND WHEREVER IT IS CALLED INTO ACTION. To sustain This Flame in the vibratory action which may be assimilated by all the children of earth, MyMother and I have remained The Guardian Powers of the Resurrection* and I earnestly hope at the Easter Season that ALL will invoke it through themselves and all the mankind of earth, and see and know and feel its restorative action.

SAINT GERMAIN:

Oh that man might recognize the latent powers within the Immortal Flame of Life that beats his heart! Oh the Cosmic Tide of Springtime, when Our Lord Maha Chohan resuscitates the kingdom of Nature by tuning into The Resurrection Flame, may every lifestream utilize the magnetic power within their own heart flame to draw as much of the Resurrection Flame as they require to set their worlds in order, to restore their bodies and minds to perfect health, and to re-vivify the perfect Divine Memory of their natural God Estate! This is My Decree for My Beloved Ones, each and every one!..

*Footnote: Beloved Lord Raphael, The Archangel is now Hierarch of The Temple of The Resurrection Flame

**THE ETERNAL NOW****AEOLUS:**

The capacity of the consciousness to refuse to seek escape both from present obligations and present opportunities either in the enjoyment of past glories or in the anticipation of future greatness, is the key to self-mastery. Every individual is a result of his past and is creating momentarily his future. The tendency of the outer mind is to shrink from the application of the spiritual law to both change and develop the present. When the chela begins to use the opportunity of each day to create a more pleasing tomorrow, he has begun the final ascent of consciousness into mastery and freedom.

EL MORYA:

Primal life, issuing out of the bosom of the Eternal, provides opportunity each day for the development of the Kingdom of Heaven through the individual. This beautiful, unformed life, is so often wasted to refill the cups of past mistakes or to caress wishfully a "sweet by and by." The practical man seizes the opportunity of each new day and builds with this life something of merit to himself and his evolution. These practical saints are few and far between but upon them depends the actual manifestation of Our visions, hopes, aspirations and the Divine Plan Itself upon the planet Earth.

KUTHUMI:

Man takes the gift of a new day too lightly. When one perceives that creative thought-force and energizing feelings can and will mould out of today's life whatsoever that one wills, such an individual realizes that he is no longer the victim of yesterday's errors nor the unconscious creator of tomorrow's chains. TODAY is the Day of Opportunity! The experiences of yesterday may be the measure of wiser use of life and the experiences of tomorrow can be anticipated with certainty as days and years filled with the peaceful, opulent, beautiful, harmonious manifestations which are the result of the conscious creations that were builded today.

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

When an earnest soul looks back through the glamorous folds of time to a previous era of spiritual opportunity, such an one often wishes that he had been there. He visualizes the glorious assistance, strength, loyalty and constancy with which he would have defended Truth and its brave exponent. Alas, while he thus visualizes himself as a "hero" by his own wishful thinking, today's opportunities to use the vital energies of life to forward the same Truth, lies unnoticed on the threshold. The progress of the planet and its evolutions requires a steady outpouring of spiritual nourishment and truth in every age. The consciousness of mankind is usually a cycle behind in its endeavor to cooperate with the requirement of the current spiritual hour. It is only the few discerning, alert, receptive and practical men in every age who walk abreast of today's opportunity and vitalize it with their own life energy.

SERAPIS BEY;

Complete honesty with oneself is a requisite to real spiritual progress. The spiritual law which requires that a man give of his own energies in some impersonal benefaction to life, while yet developing his own personal mastery, applies to the layman as well as the chela in the Retreat. The seekers upon life's pathway, who wish to rise above metaphysical dabbling into adepts of power and control, must seek out the spiritual movement of the current Hour which stirs the lower atmospheres of Earth. Then they must give of the energies of their own lives to the nourishment and development of this endeavor of the Hierarchy as a balance for more than ordinary instruction on the application of the Laws which bring freedom.

Here, although man can and often does fool his fellowman, he does not fool The Law! Those talents, momentums, gifts and particular God-controls of substance, energy and virtue which are his, must be personally evaluated and then offered.... as Abraham offered Issac, to The Law to further the movement of the Hour. It is all well and good to offer something that requires no particular sacrifice of time, energy, substance or individually developed talent and virtue, but those advance most rapidly who offer that which is dearest to the secret heart. The Father Who watches in secret rewards such an one openly.

HILARION:

Developed momentums of energy rise and become the power of the Casual Body. The Natural, rhythmic release of the gifts, powers, talents and substance from the Casual Body into the conscious use and governing power of the outer self is regulated by the Holy

Christ Self. The lifestream who evaluates his own particular worth to spiritual progress of the race is wise to use that which he has developed, for then he shall receive from that storehouse more of its gathered stockpile of good. The lifestream who, like Ananias and Sapphira, holds back that which is already developed within him and which would nourish the Masters' endeavors, should never look with self-deluded longing upon the spiritual pageantry of Lord Buddha's mission nor Jesus' mission because such individuals probably lived in those days also and the tendencies of selfishness manifest today were equally manifest in recalcitrance of endeavor in the yesterdays. Always there are the few with their hands to the plow and the many singing the "Hallelujahs" over yesterday's saints and martyrs!

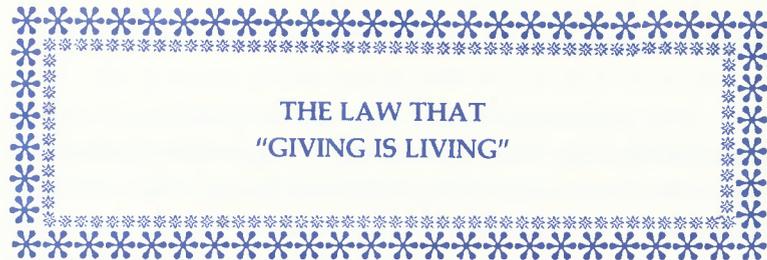
JESUS:

"What shall I give the Master?" This question has issued out of many sincere hearts. Innumerable stores, plays and parables have been written on the acceptance by God of the simplest gifts from humble and sincere hearts. Every man has something of merit to give to the Cause of world unity, world peace, world brotherhood. It is so often the desire to wait until some "great gift" can be evolved that holds back the soul's progress. It is the giving of honestly dedicated life *daily* "beyond the call of duty" to help make this a better world which marks the true soldiers and servants of Christ. The evaluation of one's own capacities, developed momentums, talents and present opportunity to serve life will reveal to the spiritually honest, earnest and sincere individual how rich is his present store of potential influence for good in his home, his community, his business and Our Endeavor.

SAINT GERMAIN:

The permanent Golden Age will be externalized through conscious students. "God needs a body." No good manifestation has come to this Earth except through the consciousness of some individual willing to be an Open Door to the Perfected Realms where such good naturally abides. Magnetizing this good is the opportunity of the students. Each consciousness has already a storehouse of developed good which is partially manifest in the talents and developed capacities used by the outer self in daily living. A portion of this developed good can become the personal "tithe" of the individual to the Spiritual Hierarchy. The sincere will give of their present store and to them that so give will the added store be given. Those whose talents are cautiously buried in the promises of tomorrow's use fool no one but themselves. Today is the Day of Opportunity and NOW is the hour when We require the presence of the practical men and women willing to utilize their own energies as best they can and to develop better controls of their energies for the future.





THE LAW THAT
"GIVING IS LIVING"

AEOLUS:

The very first activity which caused every Intelligence to come into being is based upon the Truth that the Father-Mother God gave from Themselves a portion of Their Immortal, Victorious Three-fold Flame to create self-conscious Intelligence. Then, also, as the very activity of the elemental light-substance was to give of itself to create around that Flame a shining electronic Presence, it follows through into every Sphere in which the lifestream of that Intelligence abides, that giving of life, (which is energy, substance and virtue) are not only the inherent nature of such Intelligences, *but an absolutely necessary activity for survival!*

Should a consciousness ever refuse to give of itself, it would thus contradict the Law of its God-parents. Then, sooner or later, some other intelligence willing to so give would be found to take the place of that original faucet of expression, through which such Heavenly Parents could continue Their process of giving life and Its benefactions to bless the various Spheres and Planets in which such requirements of externalized God-gifts are most needed to fulfill the Divine Plan.

When some (unascended) intelligence, through free-will, decides not to fulfill his purpose for being - - (that is, to be a channel through which the God-parents, Ascended Masters, Cosmic Beings and Angelic Host may pour Their benedictions), he thus voluntarily

shuts himself off from the *natural joy of giving*, which activity is really his spiritual vitality and reason for being!

The Universal "I AM" Presence lives but to give! Mankind should take note of that fact and begin to emulate the perfect expression of the giving of his own energies, in the release of his talents, powers and substance in order to enjoy life, rather than experience a mere existence in the physical appearance world or even beyond the veil called "death".

EL MORYA:

Most unascended lifestreams, mainly because of the fear of experiencing lack and limitation, have lost their interest in giving of themselves to life - - *impersonally*. Thus much of their spiritual consciousness just "shrivels up", because the tendency to withhold the gifts of their life is not the natural expression of their Divine nature.

At this Holy Season, We are asked to bring to your attention the unalterable Truth that a man enriches and renews himself, emotionally, mentally, etherically and physically, by giving of his talents, gifts and powers to his fellowman for their greater blessing which gifts and talents have been vested in him by his God-parents and the Divine Hosts of Heaven. Giving does not necessarily mean the exchange of the substance of this world's goods, but there is no individual belonging to this Earth's evolutions who has not, in his or her Causal Body, certain momentums of good which *can and should be released NOW - - right here - - into this physical appearance world*, to give assistance in the redemptive process of the Earth and Her evolutions. "Holding back" these gifts, virtues and powers is a serious karmic offense of omission, *for which every individual lifestream must account one day before the Karmic Board.*

KUTHUMI:

Let Me assure you that no Root Manu would allow embodiment at any time into the race of which He was in charge, to any individual who already had not builded certain constructive momentums into his Causal Body. These can and should be used NOW for the impersonal benefaction of the evolutions to which he has voluntarily dedicated his life and energies. We are speaking only of the Earth at this time in order to make your scope of study more comprehensive to the outer consciousness.

Therefore, each one of you, dear Gentle Readers, has been accepted into Earth's evolutions by some Root Manu because you already have gathered momentums of virtues and powers which the Earth's people require. The giving of these momentums of good for the *impersonal benefaction of the race* is to follow the example of our Beloved Brother Jesus, Who lived only to bring the gifts of healing, inspiration, peace and understanding -- *impersonally* -- to all who would accept His blessing.

His Guru, Lord Maitreya -- (now the New Buddha) used Beloved Jesus' Causal Body as a channel through which to allow to flow Cosmic Christ gifts into the lower planes of consciousness where the mass of mankind dwell upon this planet - during embodiment, as well as between embodiments. So also does *your* Ascended Master Guru desire to use *your* Causal Body as a channel -- not only through which may flow your own momentums of good but as a channel for the greater Cosmic momentums of perfection to flow into the atmosphere of Earth where unascended mankind dwell. The offering of yourselves to this impersonal service is the greatest gift of the Holy Season - *the greatest gift you can give to life*. If you wish to give such a gift at this time, you can make it in the Name

and to the Honor of our Beloved Jesus, Holy Mary or Beloved Saint Germain (formerly Saint Joseph) -- reminding the outer consciousness often through the course of the day, that this allowing of the goodness of Heaven to flow through you to bless life, is your gift to the evolutions belonging to the Earth.

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

The greatest artists, musicians, sculptors, poets and authors never measure the release of their gifts by the personal gain to the self. In fact, they usually go to the opposite extreme and insist upon pursuing the development of their talents without the slightest consideration as to what they, personally, will receive in return for the manifestation thereof. Usually, it is the case that centuries after the masterpieces have been completed, others -- less talented and more calculating individuals -- reap the monetary reward of the original artists' service. When an individual is a true devotee of the Arts (or any other constructive endeavor) he is usually so one-pointed in developing and externalizing his gifts that he gives little or no thought to the personal prestige, monetary recompense, etc. which might result from the completion of his endeavor.

It should be so, particularly with spiritually-minded individuals *who have taken embodiment* to be an example of and radiate the Virtues of God to mankind. Remember always the *LAW OF BALANCE!* *What every man sows, he surely reaps!* *Life, magnetized by any intelligence, must follow the Law of the Circle, because of the very nature of its being!* It must ultimately return to the intelligence who has sent it forth, with an impersonal blessing and benefaction -- *always, too, with accumulated energy!*

SERAPIS BEY:

Following the words of our Beloved Paul, I shall attempt to answer the question in the minds of some individuals as to why so many great artists, poets, philosophers, scientists and inventors live out their years in poverty and amass so little of this world's goods. It is because they are so one-pointed in their endeavors to create something of beauty that they do not allow their attention (their life) to rest upon the amassing of wealth in this world of form.

However, nothing of a constructive nature is ever lost and while they live and oftentimes die in poverty (according to the world's standard of success), they have laid up for themselves stores of riches in their own Causal Bodies. Sooner or later, such individuals will receive the benefaction of their dedicated energies. You see, all that life becomes the wealth of experience in the Causal Body which will make them more efficient servants of their God in a future day. The lesser developed lifestreams may *seemingly profit* by the exchange of these masterpieces, but the one who originally drew them forth has the cause and core of creative ability in his or her own Causal Body, for use when and where required in any Sphere in which he may be fitted to dwell.

Of course, this is particularly true of chelas on the Spiritual Path. Others may plagiarize and temporarily profit from the wisdom which has been drawn forth by the original researcher, but, in reality, the original magnetizer of Truth who has drawn forth Virtue and Grace, has truly laid up treasures in Heaven, which are his to use again and again. In other words, those who profit by another's gift have *just the shell*, but the original creator of beauty has the spirit of the gift - - *which spirit is eternal!!*

This accounts for the fact that so often a religious, metaphysical

or occult teaching loses its life (spirit) when the Originator of such teaching finishes His Earth-span.

HILARION:

I can honestly say that, watching as We do from the Ascended Master's Octave, that the Law of the Circle is inexorable! Beloved Jesus' statement that "as a man soweth, so shall he also reap" is an eternal verity!

From the standpoint of the quicker expansion of Our activities to free the Earth, it seems a pity that there are not yet more embodied among mankind - - more illumined and intuitive lifestreams -- who recognize the "gifts" and capacities of those who have consecrated their lives to Us, those who understand the necessity for assisting and sustaining the "gifted" and consecrated ones to Our service - - both by the offering of their energies and substance to help such servers. Such "gifted" ones could be greatly protected from much unnecessary limitation and distress while these (who are Our representatives in the world of form) serve selflessly to enrich the heritage of the human race.

You will notice that, almost without exception, the cognizance of the research of such dedicated souls (scientific, spiritual or otherwise) is nearly always realized by the beneficiaries of those blessings *long after the consecrated souls so serving have passed from the Earth-plane*. In the very near future, however, the worth of such individual lifestreams will be cognized while they can yet have the assistance of less-developed but interested lifestreams. These will make it possible for them to pursue their research, giving their talents freely to mankind; not distracted by the need of producing what they require for sustenance upon the Earth. This was always done previously in

every Golden Age upon the Earth, and it shall come again in Beloved Ascended Master Saint Germain's Golden Age which is finding root in the hearts of the more awakened among humanity.

So often, because of past karmic ties, impersonal and dedicated lifestreams are surrounded by family and friends who require (and rightly so) a certain measure of protection, sustenance and assistance. This condition distracts the consecrated soul from his one-pointed endeavor to magnetize and develop some blessing for the race. Thus the consecrated one has the double responsibility of paying off karmic debts all the while he is endeavoring to perform his service for the benefaction of the race. When other less-developed chelas understand this, they will joyously assist the researcher to transmute his karmic burden, allowing him or her fuller freedom to concentrate upon the God-manifestation which he desires (prompted by his or her own Holy Christ Self) to develop and externalize. When this time comes, the people of Earth will be much more quickly illumined - - much richer in every way and the entire evolution of the Earth and all upon Her will be greatly accelerated.

This pattern was the original intent of the founders of the "caste system" in India but, unfortunately, like many good ideas, it has been greatly distorted and has caused even more limitations to the various "castes"; rather than bringing greater freedom to the Light-bearers of the world!

JESUS:

I can speak on the subject "It is more blessed to give than to receive" with the tremendous positive assurance because I, Myself, experienced the joy of giving to bless the race - - that which the Father and Divine Beings had loaned to Me for just that purpose.

Also, I had the great good fortune to have a Mother and a Father Who did not selfishly "pull" upon My vital energies which had been dedicated to My Mission, but rather gave Their energies to Me so that the mission might be successfully accomplished. Beside, I had no unpaid personal karma, any and all such karma having been completely transmuted by Me in previous embodiments.

When I returned "Home" at the completion of My Ministry, I was amazed at the expansion of the size of My Causal Body, because of the free-will service of having given ALL of My life to the alleviating of the distresses of the people of Earth. Because of this, since My Causal Body was so enlarged in size and increased in Grace, it has been possible for Me through all these succeeding centuries, to again and again give of that momentum to any and all of My followers who truly desired to emulate My example. Now this, in turn, is also steadily increasing the size and efficacy of that Causal Body, for the expanding light of One's chelas also adds to the gathered momentum of the good of his Teacher. This has been the experience of Lord Gautama and all Other Beings Who used Their earnest disciples as channels for Their gifts.

Remember! Nothing is static anywhere in this Universe and the Law is that: "To him that hath shall be given; but to him who hath not (the desire to give of his God-given talents) shall be taken away even that which he hath!"

SAINT GERMAIN:

Let no sincere chela allow himself to fall into the "Slough of Despond" because he or she cannot quickly and wholly fulfill the individual service which his or her Holy Christ Self prompts him to externalize. Remember always! We cognize the *motive* of the chela

as well as his (or her) as yet unapid karmic debts! We also see the possible loving, practical co-operation by certain other lifestreams (who are so very precious and who could easily give it); but, because of the absorption of their life by allowing their attention to be so firmly fixed upon the daily living routines and personal affairs, - - these are a bit thoughtless (perhaps?) concerning the actual physical needs of the researcher, whom they really love! So many really seem to care or think little about just how those practical needs are supplied. Such practical assistance, lovingly and freely given, would do so much to hasten the expansion of Our help to mankind - - thus allowing the researcher more time and energy for his or her service to Us!

This assistance may be given emotionally, mentally and etherically by daily holding the Immaculate Concept for this one and, practically, by assisting in the increase of supply.

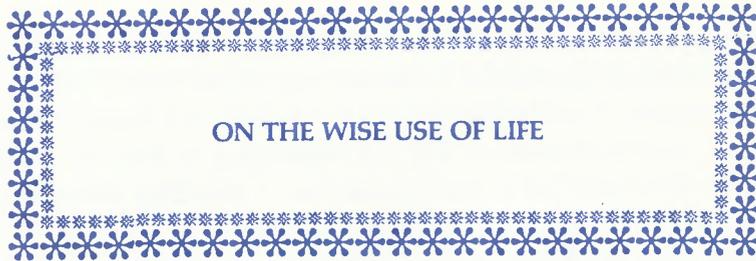
Remember also that there is a way to clear the channel for the release of the full-gathered momentums of good from each one's own Causal Body (which includes abundant supply of every good thing) so that those gifts, talents and virtues can be more readily externalized. This is through the use of the Ascended Masters' Law of Forgiveness and the purifying of the individual chela's world through the merciful use of the Violet Fire, thus removing the cause and core of the appearance of lack which he seems to experience. Then the sins of omission upon the part of others who have been given opportunity but hold back the helping hand, will lie at the door of such others and not at the door of the chela seeking Divine expression for the impersonal benefaction of the race.

Depending upon other unascended lifestreams for your sustenance will only result in disillusionment, bitterness and frustration. Looking for the support you require to the God Who made you; will

bring you harvest beyond your fondest dreams. By daily, consistent and rhythmic application (conscious calls to the "I AM" Presence and Ascended and Angelic Hosts) for the help you require, allow your own God-presence and His Messengers to raise up those individuals who will joyously assist you - - providing whatever is needed here, whether it be energy released in loving service or financial support. It is not your province to choose such individuals so to do or to personally designate through what channels the supply is come to you. Just know that, if your heart is sincere, your motive pure, your service truly that of setting all imprisoned life free, - - We shall find some channels through whom We can give you the help you require. Service for the sake of serving is most important. God's service is always rewarded - - if not by thoughtless mankind, then by the very Angels Themselves!

I do decree that those chosen to be the way-showers of the race shall not be guilty of the sins of "omission" in this crucial hour and that those who have been sent to form a Bridge from the Divine Realm into the human octave shall be sustained by the "I AM" Presence, even if their contemporaries neither cognize nor sustain their gifts.





ON THE WISE USE OF LIFE

AEOLUS:

Life is a gift bestowed upon every self-conscious intelligence by the Supreme Source - - - The Father - God!! Life does not begin with the birth of the physical body but with the creation of the Divine Presence of every man, made in the image and likeness of the God Parents. Life does not cease at so-called death but continues to animate the individualized consciousness in whatever sphere he is then fitted to dwell. Every man, through free will, does with this gift of life what he chooses. The effects manifest in his mind, body, world and affairs record his use of life through the ages. It is to teach man the wise use of life that We come.

EL MORYA:

When any self-conscious intelligence is given liberty to use life in any sphere, he is also given the responsibility to render an accounting for his use of that life. My service is to help mankind to *find* the way by which he may use his life to serve the Giver of Life and to help him to *want* to use that life as God intends. For the many who are playing with the gift of life in vain pursuit of happiness, *there are the few who desire to learn the law of their own being.* To these, I come! Then if My counsel is not confirmation

of their own concepts and desires, I often find Myself rejected. Yet, upon invitation, I will come again and again! This is My "reason for being"! Are you not ready find yours?

KUTHUMI:

The Brothers of the Golden Robe are dedicated to the teaching of the correct use of life to individuals who desire to know best how to serve God and their fellowman. All life, operating on the principle of the circle, returns eventually to the individual who drew it forth and qualified it, constructively or destructively. Man enjoys sending his life forth in thoughts, feelings, words or actions to suit his fleeting purpose. Man recoils from the returning energies which sometimes take many embodiments to complete their circle. It is to acquaint mankind with the inevitable truth that *he cannot escape his returning energy that We come.* When man learns that every electron which passes through his consciousness must be redeemed through himself, he will take less liberty with the use of life and set his feet upon the path that leads toward Mastery.

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

The channeling of energies to develop some talent, gift, power or potential genius is the service of the Third Ray. Life, like water, is neutral until consciously qualified by some self-conscious intelligence. Developing the capacity to qualify life in beautiful music, in exquisite art, in drama, through literature or any constructive gift to mankind is the course which the chelas of the Third Ray take. Drawing forth the potential Godliness in their fellowman completes their course of instruction in this department of the Spiritual Hierarchy.

SERAPIS BEY:

Mankind finds itself entangled in the web of its own weaving. Returning karma waits redemption. Vicarious atonement is but wishful thinking. The strong, the wise, the patient and the enduring finally achieve the mastery which comes from conscious redemption of the currents of energy set into motion through all preceding as well as the present life. At Luxor is given the opportunity to recall and redeem the individual energies. The Lords of Karma wisely limit the returning discord which each soul can redeem in an Earth life. When one applies for the privilege of becoming a Candidate for the Ascension, his opportunity is to redeem his entire karma in one embodiment rather than in a thousand..

HILARION:

The spiritual Law of Transmutation (the Violet Fire of Mercy and Love) is provided by the God of Love to assist those individuals who wish to redeem their own karma more quickly. Thus the evolution of the entire race is tremendously accelerated by the dispensation which has allowed the use of this activity of the Sacred Fire to be given to individuals outside the actual Retreats of the Masters Themselves. Some, so enthusiastic in the use of this power of transmutation, forget the *balance* which requires that the individual use life *each moment* so that it does not become a "boomerang" of a future day!

JESUS:

The law of Moses, "An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth" was superseded by the entrance of the "Grace" of the Sixth

Ray when the love of God was manifest in the fiat "Thy sins are forgiven thee". Now as We enter the Seventh Ray, this activity of transmutation will be greatly intensified. *Wise is the lifestream who accepts the power of God through the Violet Fire of Mercy and Love to transmute all returning karma instantly. According to each one's acceptance in the feelings, does this power work. How many times did I say, "According to your faith, be it unto you."*

SAINT GERMAIN:

Every man in this New Era has an individual two-fold mission - - - the transmutation of his own discordantly qualified energies of the past and the conscious control and mastery over the use of his life in the present. This is the balance required by the chela of the Seventh Ray! *The few, (beyond their personal karma), assume the responsibility, opportunity and obligation of utilizing the power of transmutation on behalf of their race, nation and planet. It is upon these few that we depend for a planetary redemption in these years allotted us by the Cosmic Law to "make all things new". Are you among these few?*



THE NECESSITY OF BECOMING STILL

AEOLUS:

I can but affirm the often repeated statement of My Beloved Son, Saint Germain: "The need of the student, no matter what the age of the individual, is to become still often throughout the course of the day to *allow* the energy, directives, radiation and power of the Presence to flow into and nourish the lower bodies and the outer consciousness." In the East, the practice of concentrated meditation upon the Supreme Source prefaces all activity. In the West, where the requirements of each hour seem to demand the attention and energies of the chela, this period of spiritual communion is often neglected and confirmed by the self-righteous feeling that the service is so great that there is literally no time to -- "be still and *know* that 'I AM' God."

EL MORYA:

Man's submission to the demands and appetites of his lower bodies and his almost hypnotic assurance that their demands, promptings and appetites are the urgings of the Inner Presence, delays his contact with that Presence and his correct and unbiased recognition of Its directions. At present, Our endeavor is to purify, discipline and relegate these vehicles (through which the soul seeks redemption) to their proper position as servants of the "I AM" Presence. - - The stilling of the energies of the mental body; the

quieting of the surging sea of the emotional world; the refusal to allow the etheric body to conjure up failures and disillusionments of the past and the disciplining of the flesh body, take time, patience, constancy, strength and understanding. When this is accomplished, the "still small Voice of the 'I AM' Presence" can be heard; Its radiation can be felt; Its strength can flow into the lower bodies and Its sustaining power *can* and does assist the soul to complete its reason for being.

KUTHUMI:

The invocation of the "I AM" Presence, the Archangels, the Elohim, the Ascended Masters and all Power of Light is essential to magnetize a direct current of Their energies into and through the individual consciousness of the chela. However, there is a point where the individual, having made the necessary application to the spiritual Source of All Good, should *rest* IN THE SILENCE and accept the radiation and benediction invoked. The tendency of the chela is to continue, all through the period of application, to make petitions, decrees, invocations, etc. This does not allow the inner bodies to become quiet enough to accept the gifts invoked. BALANCE between giving one's energy to connect with higher vibrations and accepting those vibrations is essential to spiritual advancement.

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

The activity of truly entering the Great Silence cannot be over-emphasized. The consciousness must be kept positive. The mental, emotional, etheric and physical bodies must be trained to direct their energies toward their SOURCE, but they must not be

allowed to "play" at this time with the various thoughts, feelings, memories or physical lassitude that often accompanies the relaxation from actual positive work, in which they are usually employed. It is comparatively easy for the chela on The Path to make the invocations, decrees and visualizations that actually employ the energies of the lower bodies, but it is somewhat difficult for the chela in the Western world to complete his spiritual exercise by commanding the silence of these lower bodies *to receive* the blessings given. He either goes happily to sleep or toys with numerous irrelevant thoughts and feelings, coming from this contemplative period, little richer by reason of his endeavors.

SERAPIS BEY:

All good, whether it is supply, health, illumination, faith, strength, love or purification, comes from God - - the Source of all life. These gifts are dispensed by the Great Beings Who are the Messengers of God. However, no matter how much the conscientious chela call for the release of these gifts, he cannot receive the fullness of their Presence in his mind, body, world and affairs, until he has consciously disciplined his lower bodies and allows the spiritual essence which he has invoked, to enter therein. You have all had the experience of an individual asking for advice and guidance, then continuing to talk - - giving no heed to your council. This is somewhat like the chela who "talks" all through his application - - not necessarily with his tongue, but with his mind, feelings, or through his memories. Thus the energies of the lower bodies are in a constant state of motion and deflect, rather than absorb, radiation and assistance given. After the active application, speak in a consciousness of authority to the vehicles through which your soul seeks redemption.

Tell them: "Peace, be still"! Practice will make you more and more able to enjoy the returning benediction and grace which comes as a result of your invocation. Then you will have completed perfectly the spiritual exercise whereby you commune with God and the Perfected Ones, coming from such communion imbued with and radiating the blessings thus received.

HILARION:

Science is coming to an agreement with the spiritual Truth that all life is in constant motion, from the smallest electron spinning around its core of centripetal force to make up an atom, to the greatest Sun spinning around a Central Sun which, in turn, moves around a greater Focus in Cosmic galaxies beyond the ken of the outer mind. Human beings have lost control of the rhythms of their lower bodies and, rather than the atoms spinning in a harmonious vibration directed by the "I AM" Presence within the heart, they spin erratically, spurred on to greater speed or slowed down by any "tramp" discordant thought, feeling, memory or physical action that engages their attention or takes their fancy from moment to moment. Thus, in the uncontrolled spasms of the lower bodies, the soul cannot and does not receive the peace and benediction of the "I AM" Presence nor the Divine Being to Whom it has applied for assistance. The natural, rhythmic motion of the atoms in lower bodies is an invitation to the spiritual currents invoked. The lower bodies (physical, etheric, mental and emotional) then can absorb the assistance which they require and the individual, disciplining the instruments through which he works, comes forth from his spiritual exercise renewed in mind, feelings, soul and body.

JESUS:

The demands upon the time, energy, attention and service of the chela who is engaged in a Spiritual Endeavor, form a great stumbling-block to his individual progress, unless he learns how to consciously quiet the energies of his own world, so that new strength, faith and power may be supplied by his own "I AM" Presence and the Divine Beings Who are so willing to assist him. I know this from My Own experience. During My ministry, as today, the world and its people require so much assistance. There is a tendency to rush forth to serve without the necessary period of "re-fueling" at the Cosmic Fount. From some small references to My experience, you will remember that I often "went to the hills to pray". No chela can be of lasting service to the spiritual work at hand unless he understands the necessity for taking time - - undivided - - from the world (which you will always have with you) to enter the Silence and draw the necessary strength and sanctity from the Source of All Good. This he can then dispense in poise, dignity and loving solicitude for his fellowman.

SAINT GERMAIN;

The upward reaching of the outer consciousness through prayer, invocation, decree, visualization and song is only one half of the perfect spiritual exercise, which should be conscientiously employed by Our chelas. The accepting of the energies invoked through controlled, receptive, alert vehicles completes this service. "Take TIME to be holy"! I implore you!


 THE EVER-PRESENCE OF THE FATHER

AEOLUS:

The very first principle of spiritual truth lies in the acceptance, *deep within the feelings*, of the omnipresence of The Source from whence all blessings flow. "Whither shall I go from Thy Spirit, or whither shall I flee from Thy Presence? If I ascend up into Heaven. Thou art there; if I make my bed in hell, behold Thou art there. If I take the wings of the morning and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea; Even there shall Thy Hand lead me, and Thy right Hand shall hold me." (Psalm 139:7-10.) It was long ago that I impressed this Cosmic Truth upon the receptive mind of David, the shepherd king. Ponder upon the Truth of this statement and truly enjoy a sense of peace in the availability of the intelligence, the love, the watchful care of that Presence. Upon acceptance of this Truth, there follows then an increasing capacity to utilize the proximity of The Father, through each begotten son, to widen the borders of His Kingdom.

EL MORYA:

The omnipresence of God, by whatever Name His children choose to call Him, often causes the sincere student to forget that the Presence is focalized within the consciousness of *everyone* of his people. An abstract sense of "universal good" is not enough. A realization is also necessary that the Supreme Source has definitely

directed through every intelligence created by Him certain definite powers to produce and sustain perfection. If a man were to acknowledge the light that suffuses the Earth's atmosphere by day but were to deny focalized Intelligence of the Sun, he was unilluminated indeed. Nature is the teacher of the wise! The focalized Intelligence which gives life, thought, feeling and being to every Master, Angel Deva and man is like the focalized center provided by God to supply the light, warmth, power of fecundation and sustenance to the people of Earth and the nature kingdom. The wide divergence between the abstract acceptance of the Omniscient One (Whose followers refuse to accept the specific focalizing of That One's light through the Intelligences Who represent Him) and the fanatical worship of the Intelligences without realization of the One Source behind all the divergence must be bridged to bring Truth *and, with Truth, works in God's Name!*

KUTHUMI:

"Praise God from Whom *all blessings flow*" is the constant paeon of the Illumined. Spiritual pride, the worm in the heart of the flower of many a man's spiritual aspiration, often refuses to accept that Presence through the cup fashioned by the Father's heart and hand . . . for what is the individual being but such a Cup? If there were no ocean bed to cradle the vast bodies of water that cover the major portion of the Earth, man could not enjoy navigation, ablutions, and -- generally -- the gifts of water. All the gifts, powers and activities of God through nature are *embodied*, focalized (as Beloved Morya says), for the specific blessings of the kingdoms which they serve. Abstract beauty is fashioned by the Devas of the Nature Kingdom into blossoming shrub, tree and flower. Abstract Divinity

is graciously embodied in those who wish to bring the perfection and glory of God to man. Such a focus of Divinity was expressed through the Master Jesus that man might see, know, feel, touch and experience the glory of the Father. The development and externalization of similar foci through many men is Our service to life!

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

Why does Our brother, man, become for Us so dear and precious a ward? Because the Universal Father chose to focalize His Presence within his heart. The direction and sustenance of the life energy which comprises being and which enables the individual to use the universal acknowledgement of consciousness "I AM", is proof that through such an individual the Father wishes to direct specific gifts, powers and activities for the blessings of the universe. Otherwise, He would not have created and sustained the individual consciousness. It is Our service to life to encourage and develop those talents, powers, activities and gifts that lie within each human heart and thus help to fulfill the Father's Will through all His creation.

SERAPIS BEY:

When an applicant for spiritual prowess presents himself in the Court of Luxor, We must determine for what reason he has been given being. The All-wise Intelligence Who has created him had a purpose in investing life and love for centuries in the sustaining of his consciousness. Until he has "wrought that purpose through of that which made him man" -- he will now know peace nor will he qualify to consciously remove himself from the sphere *to which he*

was assigned by Divine Will. The mass of mankind have not yet raised their heads to ask "WHY?" but have accepted life and blundered through centuries of existence in using life according to the caprice of the moment. Finally the soul, satiated with futile experimentation in the eternal pursuit of happiness, eventually comes to the Teachers of men. We look upon the enshrouded soul and see the potential service. It is then Our *obligation* to enable the individual to *find* that purpose and, finding it, begin to develop the ways and means by which he may fulfill that purpose. If the man or woman is willing to do this, then and then only does he qualify for the Ascension into realms of greater glory - - there to continue in greater freedom to develop and externalize his reason for Being.

HILARION:

It is part of the marvelous nature of God to give opportunity to all His creation to assist in expanding the perfection of the Divine design. Every man knows the thrill of satisfaction that comes from work well done. The experience of becoming a part of the development of the Divine Plan is the gift of the Father to any and all who wish to participate in the onward movement of the evolutionary scheme. Only the selfish, bigoted man denies his fellowman active participation, through self-conscious endeavor, in a particular service. God, in His infinite kindness, chooses to allow every man to enjoy creation and development of the Divine ideas that flow constantly from His great heart. To this purpose was created every Intelligence in this Universe. Those of Us Who have availed Ourselves of this opportunity have found peace, liberty, freedom and a definite purpose in being. Those who have not yet wanted to know what the Divine design of the Universe is and what the part of the individual in that design may

be, must experience the frustrations of human existence until they awaken to this Truth.

JESUS:

"Not my Will but Thine be done" is not a negative but rather a positive attitude of thought and feeling! The alignment of the Omnipresent, Omniscient Presence of God through the individual is the practical manifestation of mastery. It is not enough to accept the Ever-Presence of God. The powers and mastery of God must be magnetized and externalized through the individual. This was the example I left to humanity. Worship of God is not enough. *Becoming the fulness of all that God has designed for every man, is the destiny of the individual and the race.* The gift of life, intelligence and consciousness is for a reason. That reason must be pursued through earnest, individual contemplation. Then only will man know peace and through experience know the fruits of his contemplation in works well done.

SAINT GERMAIN;

I have presented the Truth that "there is no nook, no cranny, nor corner in the entire Universe where the active Presence of God is not." Within this Presence are centers of intelligence which were created to intensify and expand that Presence, even as your electric light intensifies the focalized presence of light within a room. Each such center of intelligence that can say and feel "I AM here" has access to the Universal Presence. By connecting with this Divine Circuit, he becomes a self-luminous center of healing, peace, illumination, mercy, opulence and freedom, thus multiplying and expanding

planetary and universal change, We are accelerating the endeavors of ALL within whom is a desire to re-establish a conscious 'communion' with the Divine Realm, from Whence truly all blessings flow. Let me counsel the earnest, the sincere, the interested chelas to watch their own *motives*, for therein lies their passport to such freedom or, conversely, their continued bondage to the desire of the emotional, mental, etheric and physical vehicles which encompass their still polluted souls. Man needs no outer guide - - except for discrimination, honesty of introspection and humility - - to show him the *motive* that stimulates his endeavor. My Beloved Pallas Athena and the Master Hilarion are particularly interested in helping those aspirants whose motives are impersonal and humble, to a greater realization of Truth for themselves. They know that, in the realization, the chela will desire to serve the entire evolution impersonally, as do all the Members of The Brotherhood.

EL MORYA;

The Great White Brotherhood (in the Ascended State) have voluntarily chosen to temporarily renounce the greater joys and freedom of Cosmic Service in order to help those among the human race who desire Their counsel, instruction and assistance. In order to do this, the Members of this Brotherhood have to find, sustain and expand an association with and through unascended beings. Thus the Divine Plan is conveyed to the outer consciousness of individuals who, in themselves, are not yet capable of reaching the state of consciousness where they may perceive *clearly* this Divine plan. Of course, there are many "facets" of a Divine Plan which encompasses all evolutions in the Earth, on the Earth and in Its atmosphere. Each Chohan endeavors to promote and develop that

portion of the Divine Plan which is specifically delegated to Him to externalize through individuals who belong, primarily, to His Own Ray. My Ray is concerned with the projection of conscious knowledge of the Will of God (the Cosmic "I AM" Presence) into the outer consciousness of those who choose to accept It and attempt, according to their various talents, capacities, powers and momentums, to externalize this Divine Plan for the benefaction of the Earth and Its evolutions!

KUTHUMI:

The service of the Second Ray (which I oversee) is to throw the Light of Illumination upon the individual Divine Plan of each lifestream belonging to this evolution. The Second Ray also intensifies the radiation of comprehension, discrimination and understanding through the outer consciousness of those who desire to help fulfill the Divine Plan of the entire race, besides developing and externalizing their portion of the Divine Plan through co-operation with their individual "I AM" Presence. This Golden Flame of Illumination is no figment of the imagination but rather a specific "searchlight" of directed God-energy to make clear and distinct heretofore vapory and vague impressions which sometimes enter the consciousness of the earnest chela. It helps such an individual to distinguish between the prompting of his own personal self and the prompting of his "I AM" Presence as well as those of the Ascended Host of Light. The personal self is willing (yes and eager) to accept as "gospel" those promptings which issue from the emotional, mental and etheric vehicles that tend to build up the ego and glorify the personality. This personal self is not so willing (and, in fact, reluctant) to accept the *impersonal* promptings from the "I AM" Presence and the Ascended Host which are contrary to the concepts, opinions, pre-

conceived ideas and desires of the unascended individual. It is to help in the development of humility in the outer self, the discrimination of the consciousness, and the obedience of this self to the Will of God, that Illumination's Golden Flame is dedicated. Be assured that any prompting, direction, advice or counsel which builds up the personal ego, stems from the impure energies of the lower bodies or the directions of other individuals who wish to sue the weakness of the personality by such promptings and commendations. Be also assured that any promptings which tend to sublimate the personal ego and make of the individual a humble (yet withal positive) power for good in the world of form, *issue from above*.

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

The service of the Third Ray (of which Lady Rowena is presently Guardian) is to stimulate the love for God (The Cosmic "I AM" Presence), the Messengers of God (Masters and Angels) and the unascended beings who are attempting to serve God and His Holy Messengers according to their own light. We are also directly concerned with the development of the potential Divinity within the hearts of all men, embodied Angels and Elementals. The direction of the substance, radiation and pressure of the Pink Ray in, through and around all such individuals, is a practical way of assisting them in the development of confidence in God, His Messengers and the potential good within unascended beings. This Pink Ray acts as a "Cosmic Incubator" which stimulates the Divine instincts endeavoring to find expression through the soul-self as a blessing to the individual, as well as to the evolution of the Earth as a whole! "Self-love" is not enough! Love for God, His Messengers and one's fellowman are the distinguishing characteristics of a well-developed Third Ray Man. *Let Me counsel all who will listen. There is a vast difference*

between sentimentality (which is short lived) and *genuine interest and compassion* for the suffering of mankind, elemental life and the animal kingdom. Compassion kindles the fire of Divinity within the soul and makes *constant* the purpose the service, the love and the practical works of the chela.

SERAPIS BEY:

Many individuals seek contact with the Ascended Masters and the Angelic Host, motivated by a conscious (or often an *unconscious*) desire to inflate the personal ego and to extend the sphere of influence through which numbers of believing and credulous individuals may be governed and controlled by them. *True communion* between the Masters and aspirants can never come when such is the conscious or unconscious motivating power; *for conscious* endeavors of discipline, self-mastery and the attendant exercises for the purification of mind and body are absolutely necessary to bring about such communion. However, there is the *possibility* of such communion with the Ascended Masters, which *can* result from a humble, sincere, compassionate and constant desire to assist the Cosmic "I AM" Presence to fulfill the Divine Plan of the Universe. The MOTIVE for such an association determines the actual result.

HILARION:

The vibratory action of the brain cells (and, for that matter, the cells of all the vehicles through which the soul works) will determine the receptivity of the outer consciousness to the directives of the individual's "I AM" Presence, the Ascended Ones and, finally, the Cosmic "I AM" Presence of the Universe. To quicken the vibratory action of the cells of the inner and flesh bodies is a science in itself.

Besides certain exercises of breathing, invocation of light and its subsequent radiation through the individual's world and aura, a state of SUSTAINED HARMONY AND GRACE is required. This SUSTAINED HARMONY is a *natural* power which does accelerate the vibratory action of the vehicles of the unascended being, because HARMONY is the *natural* vibration of the Kingdom of Heaven and all its inhabitants. Therefore, all the practices, exercises and invocations which temporarily lift the vibratory action of the outer consciousness, CANNOT be sustained permanently until the outer self CONSCIOUSLY endeavors to hold HARMONY AND PEACE in his thoughts, feelings, spoken words, deeds, body and affairs. This HARMONY AND PEACE enable the currents of the "I AM" Presence and the Ascended Masters to flow into, through and around the individual because, even as water seeks its own level, so do the currents of harmony and peace seek the level and complement of themselves in the lower atmosphere in which mankind presently abide; as well as in the atmosphere in which We abide.

JESUS:

Long ago, I counselled mankind "Seek ye first the Kingdom of Heaven (Harmony) and Its righteousness (right use) and all these things (powers and gifts) shall be added unto you." IN the days when I walked the Earth, there was much grumbling among the disciples and followers of John, the Baptist, because they followed the "letter of the law" (ascetic disciplines of the body). My followers, less attuned to bodily disciplines but more attuned to disciplines of thought, feeling, spoken word and action, were directed by Me to live in a state of GRACE. I can say only as I did long ago, that disciplines and privations of the flesh *alone* will not raise and sublimate the soul; rather do they tend to nourish the worm of spiritual pride

and arrogance. The disciplines of the *feeling* nature and thinking process (in purifying thought and feeling by self-control and use of the Violet Fire) will eventually outpicture in natural co-operation of the flesh garment. Remember, it is not the flesh body which is eternal. It is the *finer* vehicles of man and his sublimated (refined) by fire) soul which stand before the Lords of Karma and attain Victory through Love!

SAINT GERMAIN:

The use of the Violet Fire of Mercy and Transmutation greatly assists the earnest individual to remove the CAUSES AND CORES of discord in his emotional, mental, etheric and physical bodies. Coupled with a CONSCIOUS ENDEAVOR to sustain personal, family, national and world peace, this brings VICTORY. Patience, application, realization and invocation of the momentums of the Virtues which the Ascended Masters and Angels offer to mankind, will assist any individual to rise to a point where he can receive the directions of his own "I AM" Presence and, eventually, qualify to receive the directions of the Masters and Angels -- for *his personal* edification. Those *few* who are qualified to receive the directions of the Masters and Angels for a World Movement, *have been prepared for ages*. There is a vast differentiation between *personal inspiration* (from the "I AM" Presence and the Spiritual Hierarchy) which is meant, *primarily*, to help the individual in his own development, -- and the *impersonal* direction which flow from the Hierarchy through a previously prepared and qualified "contact", to guide, guard and counsel a world movement. Again the subtle influence of the "ego" must be carefully watched and individual development, if truly achieved, *need not be proclaimed but will be manifest in works!*



THE MERCY OF A NEW OPPORTUNITY

AEOLUS:

The mercy and kindness of the Eternal Father is best manifested in that absolute, unconditional granting of new opportunities to fulfill the Divine Plan. *There is no such thing, thank God, as an unforgivable sin! There is no such unhappy apparition as an eternally "lost" soul! Always, at the slightest request of the individual consciousness to "make things right", there is afforded opportunity for a new beginning. Then, clothed in the individualizations through whom opportunity can best come. Mercy reaches out Her hand and the ascent is begun, back to the Heart and Throne of the Eternal!*

EL MORYA:

At the close of each twelve-month cycle, the Mercy of the Cosmic Law allows a Cosmic cleansing of the substance, energy and primal life which has been drawn by mankind and the Elemental kingdom and qualified *without malice or vicious intent*. Thus so much of the karma of the individual, of the nation, of the planet itself is obliterated and the necessity of reaping a harvest of tears and pain is wiped out without the conscious knowledge of the beneficiaries. Wise the chela who acknowledges this surging tide of Violet Transmuting Flame and adds to the mercy it embodies his

own individual application in magnetizing and radiating that merciful alchemy.

KUTHUMI:

In order for each individual and elemental to enter the positive, vibrant tides of spiritual energy which bring to birth a New Year, Mercy has provided a mass purification of discordantly and imperfectly qualified energy at the end of the previous twelve-month cycle. As a child is born on a surge of energy and is literally swept into the world of form, so does the New Year come forth on a Cosmic Tide. Wise indeed is the purification of the consciousnesses, bodies, souls and very selves of the chelas *preceding* the infusion of this Cosmic energy.

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

No wise and loving parent would conscientiously punish a child for a sin of omission or commission where there was no deliberate intent to do wrong. How much more then does the Heavenly Father desire to extend the hand of Mercy to His children! Yet, law is law. Primal life is invoked by the individual consciousness and qualified through the use of the priceless gift of free will. Some intelligence, some place, somewhere must redeem, purify and return that life to the pristine purity with which it was endowed when it first came forth in obedience to the summons of the individual. At the close of each twelve-month cycle the process of such purification of the countless billions of tons of misqualified life is performed by voluntary Intelligent Beings Who utilize the same Violet Transmuting Flame which mankind has been taught to invoke. Blessed is the

unascended lifestream who chooses to join in this planetary purification in preparation for the descent of the Cosmic energies for the New Year.

SERAPIS BEY:

The aspirant must learn that all life is a balance, a giving and a receiving. Even the simplest of natural body functions -- breathing -- proves this irrefutable law. In desiring to master the laws that govern the Cosmos, mankind seem to feel that there is no such science of balance. *In this they are so grievously mistaken!* For instance, when an individual desires to become a candidate for the Ascension from the moment he is accepted his activity is two-fold. He is taught individual development and mastery but running parallel to all instruction so given is a requisite of service according to his capacities, developed consciousness and individual momentums. *Those who desire knowledge without the balance of "giving", either of life, service, substance or application, have no place even on the rolls of aspirant for training, leading to the sublimation of all selfishness and impurity.* The yearly purification of the Earth, its atmosphere and its inhabitants, becomes a great opportunity to test the sincerity of the chela the Aegean stables of Hercules soon separate the "wheat from the chaff" without necessity of individual selection upon Our part.

HILARION;

Looking from the inner standpoint at the prolific release of primal life from the Source of our System into the channels which have magnetized such life, one is constantly amazed at the generosity

of God. So much of this priceless life has flowed into the atmosphere of Earth in the course of one year, unfortunately having been misqualified, that the blanket of psychic effluvia would smother the mankind of Earth and the imprisoned Elementals, *were it not for an impersonal Cosmic purification of this energy.* In this Cosmic purification, every member of the Angelic, Ascended Master and Devic Kingdoms join. Initiates in Retreats have been privileged to be a part of this impersonal purification. Now, good members of the race who read these words join their collective and individual calls for such purification if they wish to participate in it. The measure of their motive and their participation will determine the sincerity of their desire to see the planet and their fellowman free.

JESUS:

The Immortal Three-fold Flame within the heart is the magnet which draws primal life into the use and governing power of the individual. In each year, every lifestream has used much of that beautiful life in a more limited way than God intended. If the individual has unconsciously misqualified life through ignorance of the spiritual law or through misguided motives, such an one qualifies for the "mass forgiveness" and is enveloped in the Cosmic Violet Transmuting Flame. *Only the wrong consciously done becomes a karma which must be expiated through conscious balance to life.*

SAINT GERMAIN:

How, exactly, does the individual cooperate with this Cosmic purification at the close of each year? First, he must want freedom for this planet, his fellowman and imprisoned elemental life enough

KUTHUMI:

Man has been taught that his life energy flows into whatever his attention rests upon, energizing, amplifying and increasing the object upon which his attention rests. Herein is the power of man and herein also is the clue to release and relief from limitations of every kind. As man chooses consciously that upon which his attention rests, his life flowing into that goal will amplify opulence, health, beauty, peace and the fullness of God's Kingdom. Today, man is a result of the inversion of this Law. He has allowed his attention to rest upon all manner of evil and his life, obediently entering into the object upon which his attention rests, amplifies and multiplies the appearance of limitation, discord, disease and distress.

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

Man is the director of life. Life is impersonal, obedient to the directing intelligence in man. If man directs that life through any avenue of the senses into discordant appearances, innocent life rushes forth and amplifies the appearance for that is the obedience within itself. When man *chooses and determines* to direct his attention, his sense consciousness, his thoughts and feelings toward the Kingdom of God and Its Inhabitants, life will amplify the nature, qualities, powers and activities of this Kingdom to him. Its inhabitants and Its beauty, peace, purity and perfection will become the atmosphere and environment of such a man.

SERAPIS BEY:

The "interior life" of man is externalized on the screen of life - in his body, his home, his family, his affairs. When there is imperfection "living" in the aura and world of an individual, it is proof positive that somewhere, sometime, obedient life rushed forth to animate, magnify and increase some form created in the mind and consciousness of such an one. If life will obey the destructive use of the creative centers, it will in like manner obey the constructive, conscious use of these creative centers of thought and feeling. Herein is man's hope of conscious redemption through individual control, mastery and use of his own life.

HILARION;

The shadows of human appearance which have been fed by man's worries, his fears, his doubts, his passions, angers, appetites and lusts, have become very real to him. For the most part, even with sincere students, these appearances are accepted *in feeling* (although conscientiously rejected in mind) as more powerful than God! These shadows are the shackles and limitations of the race. They press heavily upon the consciousness of mankind through the sense reports and pressure of feeling and the greater their pressure the more of man's life flows into them, giving them more energy and sustenance to plague and distress him. The natural propensity within life increases the appearance of limitation while man's attention is held upon that appearance. This same propensity within life increases the transmuting, purifying, raising Power of God which dissolves the appearance when man's attention is held upon God. This is a test of spiritual fidelity, constancy, faith and reliance upon God's Power to become the *Only Presence Acting!*

JESUS:

As I have said previously during My Ministry in Judea, I was aware of the appearances created out of the minds and feelings of mankind and thrown upon the screen of life. However, I never accepted them as having any power except what a man invested in them. *To Me, the Presence of God was the Supreme Power always.* Armed thus with a realization and a consciousness that as My attention rested serene in the Power of God, I withdrew all power from human appearances whenever the individual consciousness who desired assistance would cooperate with Me in faith. These appearances, fed by the life of the one in distress, immediately ceased to be. *However, if the individual refused to relinquish to God the power from the appearance, he did not receive the assistance.* The same is true today for every man.

SAINT GERMAIN:

When man accepts the fact that he has created every appearance in his world by consciously or unconsciously feeding his life into a form of limitation, he has come to a place where he may move forward rapidly in setting his world into Divine order. The same life which animates his limitations WILL FLOW into forms of opulence, beauty, harmony and perfection THE MOMENT he shuts off the old pattern of imperfection and consciously designs in mind and feelings a pattern similar to that which We externalize in Our Realms of Light.

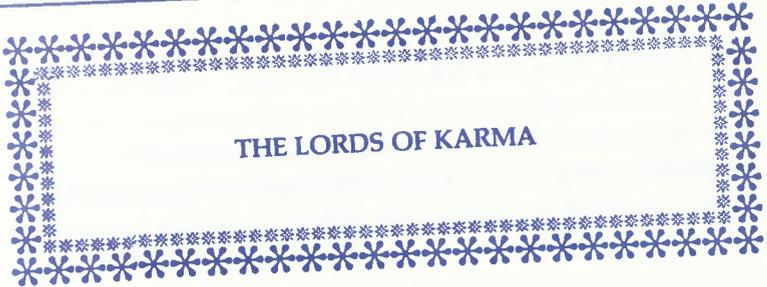
When man has been told "to lift his eyes to the hills" the truth within that simple aphorism is merely that man, raising his thoughts and feelings toward His Maker, ties his life into the SOURCE OF

ALL GOOD. Then that life begins to amplify, augment, magnify and multiply the gifts, powers, activities and radiation of that Source. Thus the personal life, aura, world and environment of every man reveals WHERE his life is flowing because what is contemplated in secret is manifest in the substance of this world. *This is the Law!*



SAINT GERMAIN:

The activity of the Violet Flame is to help to remove the mis-creations consciously or unconsciously filling the emotional, mental, etheric and physical strata in which mankind abide. When these mis-creations have been removed and, most important, the desire to create further imperfection has been removed from those on the Earth and in Its atmosphere, We shall be well on Our way toward creating-through illumined men and women - - the Kingdom of Heaven on Earth *which shall not pass away.* Why? Because the feelings motivating the design of God's Kingdom of Perfection on Earth will sustain the creation of a Permanent Golden Age. Few know of the power of sublimation (refining by fire) in the use of the Violet Flame; fewer still have learned to use this Transmuting Power. However, in time, many shall know of Its efficacy and, in so using it, the individual's world will be cleansed of imperfection and as the unit (individual) is lifted up - - so will the entire race be lifted up in like manner. The desire born in the hearts of men, fashioned through intelligent thought, given life by the feeling of Love for God and man, will easily be precipitated into the world of form. This is the teaching of the Seventh Ray!



THE LORDS OF KARMA

AEOLUS:

Few among mankind know of the great service rendered by the August Body known as the Lords of Karma. Of those few, many regard Them with dread of punishment and only lately has the gratitude and loved of mankind risen to this Karmic Board for *Their service of mercy rather than retribution!*

EL MORYA:

Orderly system, divine justice, absolute exactitude in the balancing of the personal, planetary and Universal use of life, is LAW. The Lords of Karma are Instruments of this Law. The Members of this Board serve in order to give opportunity to each soul to grow spiritually; sublimate its human nature; develop and externalize the portion of the Divine Plan which can be expressed only through that particular lifestream.

KUTHUMI:

When self-conscious intelligence and the gift of free-will were given to man, his subsequent use of life required the assistance of Divine Intelligence to help (when he was ready) to set his world

again into Divine Order. The Law of the Circle -- creating causes and reaping their ultimate effects -- is inexorable. Energy magnetized and used by man must return to that man as happiness (if the energy was used constructively) or unhappiness (if the energy was used destructively). Man, caught in the web of his own making -- feeling the return of the misqualified energy of his imperfect causes -- sooner or later calls for help and assistance to God. It is then that greater assistance can be given such a man by the Lords of Karma, although They serve all evolutions impersonally with but one idea in mind . . . to help the individual, the planet and the Universe to express more of God's perfection in whatever sphere the lifestream abides.

PAUL, The Maha Chohan:

Because the karma created by an individual soul is sometimes very great, the Lords of Karma mercifully withhold the return of *all* of that karmā in one lifetime. Thus the soul is allowed to mitigate as much karma in one embodiment as the Lords of Karma feel it can handle. This is true Divine Love . . . the expression "the Lord fits the back for the burden" relates to this Mercy, wherein much destructive karma is consciously withheld from the individual until he has learned how to sublimate it in happiness and peace.

SERAPIS BEY:

When an individual desires to become a "candidate for the Ascension" and asks for the opportunity to "clean his slate" of all destructive karma, the Lord of Karma must be in one accord as to whether such an individual has the necessary strength, fortitude, faith, illumination and general capacities to endeavor to balance the

Scales of Justice in one lifetime. Without the knowledge and persistent use of the Sacred Fire of Mercy and Purification (the Violet Flame), no individual can completely purify his energies in one embodiment. However, some individuals who have redeemed through countless ages destructive karma they previously created have only a small debt to the Universe to "pay off" in the final embodiment. Now as the knowledge of the Sacred Fire is allowed to reach the outer consciousness of individuals outside the Ascended Masters' Retreats, this sublimation can take place more quickly. It is *imperative*, however, that the "candidate for the Ascension" realizes that the returning karma seeking redemption is allowed to find its way back to that candidate in order to more quickly set him free. Sincere students, faced with much of this karma, fall into the erroneous thought and feeling pattern of "failure" because they seem to have more to handle than their fellowman. The reverse is true. These individuals are handling in one lifetime that which others might have to handle in hundreds of lives.

HILARION:

It is the responsibility of the Lords of Karma to see that every individual receives as much assistance as is possible in sublimating the destructive karma created through mis-use of free-will. At the end of each Earth-life, the soul is called before the Karmic Board and its experiences, opportunities, potential services, seeming failures and successes examined carefully. Then the Karmic Board sends the individual to that Sphere where it can *best* prepare for another Earth-life, strengthened through purification, instruction and temporary respite from the pressure of its own karmic retribution. Before a new embodiment, the soul is again examined and the best possible

conditions provided for birth in the family, race, nation and planet which will allow it to work out that portion of its karma which the Lords of Karma feel it can handle. Chelas and conscious students of the Spiritual Law often choose to "take on" more karma than the Lords of Karma would allow them. Then when re-embodied, these earnest ones tend to "blame" the Karmic Board instead of realizing that the opportunity of such redemption of mis-qualified life was their own voluntary choice. We are gradually educating the chelas to a point of recognition that the Karmic Board is a *helpful* Body of merciful Intelligences and not a *scourge* to punish the bewildered outer self.

JESUS:

When an individual comes to a true understanding of the Presence of God, he realizes that the Father and His Agents ALL WORK TOGETHER FOR THE GREATEST GOOD OF THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE WHOLE! Thus the "God of Wrath" is replaced by the "God of Love". Sins, transgressions of the Law, etc., can be sublimated through the use of the Sacred Fire - - not only for the individual making the calls but, through intercessory prayer for others as well. When I said: "Thy sins are forgiven thee", I used the power of the Sacred Fire (Violet Flame) in this manner and interceded on behalf of the individuals whom I desired to set free from the effects of their own mis-use of life.

SAINT GERMAIN:

The Sacred Fire of Mercy (the Violet Flame) is made accessible to the sincere students outside the Ascended Masters' Retreats at

this time to more quickly help the earnest and sincere to purify, redeem and sublimate the distress created by mis-use of the gift of life. As more and more individuals learn the efficacy of this power of sublimation, We shall have an expressed Brotherhood of Freedom . . . who can, at will, free themselves and others from the shadows which frighten, distress and disturb them. Ponder well on the Power of Mercy to dissolve *first the cause and core* of the distress and *then to dissolve the effect before it can appear, act, or manifest* ever again. Destructive karma can be dissolved *before* it acts if the students will consciously set the Violet Fire into action to do this. We shall see how much the understanding, conscious acceptance and persistent use of this Presence of the Sacred Fire of sublimation (Violet Flame) will do for the chelas. *All Our gathered momentum of Its efficacious use is available for any and all who choose to ask Us to anchor into their worlds at this time Our momentum and feeling of that power.*



 ESTABLISHING FAITH AND TRUST
 IN THE
 ELEMENTAL KINGDOM

AEOLUS:

As the Lord of the Nature Kingdom, so far as the planet Earth is concerned, I am vitally interested in every tiny Elemental who has served so long, so patiently and so diligently to help sustain the beauty as well as the actual sustenance of the physical vehicles of man. The great Directors of the Forces of the Elements are to be COMPLIMENTED for Their magnificent control of Their servants -- Undines, Salamanders, Sylphs and Gnomes. The Divine Beings (particularly Mother Mary), Who have trained the Elementals so patiently at Inner Levels to perform their services faithfully, rhythmically and constantly, deserve the gratitude of all who *have used, are presently using and in the future will use* the planet Earth as a schoolroom.

The Elementals would long since have abandoned their service to the Earth were it not for these Great Directors Helios and Vesta (Fire); Aries and Thor (Air); Neptune and Lunara (Water); and Virgo and Pelleur (Earth). The incoming Permanent Golden Age requires the cooperative activities of the Three Kingdoms which have served and are now serving the Earth; the Angelic, human and Elemental Kingdoms. In this month (June), when Reverence for all life (imprisoned or God-free) is the keynote of Lord Lanto's Ascended Master Retreat, I ask a personal favor of sincere chelas with regard to assisting the re-establishment of

harmony between unascended mankind and the Elemental Kingdom.
I know you will be happy in such a lovely service.

EL MORYA:

The Will of God has been well and constantly expressed by the Elementals but, as their very nature is to mirror that which they see and feel, much of the catastrophic conditions which have externalized since the "fall of man" are not due to the naturally obedient Elementals. Rather they are due to man -- to whom the Elementals have taken the "vow of obedience", as man is the highest intelligent consciousness upon the Earth. So do they mirror mankind's chaos and confusion.

As We enter the New Golden Age, the Cosmic Law, *in mercy*, is about to *release* the Elementals from that "vow" insofar as obedience to the destructive use of free-will by the people of the Earth is concerned. Unless harmony between the Elemental Kingdom and mankind is *consciously established* by the dear chelas, (too few in number but exceedingly earnest in endeavor), even the Directors of the Forces of the Elements *can no longer protect mankind from the harried and resentful Elementals*. This, of course, would cause unnecessary hardships to the people of Earth and cataclysmic activities which CAN BE AVOIDED IF Our loving warning is *now heeded!* Garner your spiritual strength, My beloved, and HELP NOW Those of Us Who are using every grant of the Cosmic Law -- every dispensation at Our command -- *to prevent these destructive activities*. For this reason I chose you, *each one* and I rest IN TRUST, in your calm, poised and alert assistance in THIS HOUR!

KUTHUMI:

Beloved ones, ponder for a moment the Truth that the very physical vehicles which have been created in love for you in order to pass certain initiations and learn specific lessons in the conscious control of energy and vibration are made up of countless little Elementals who have foresworn the joy, freedom and beauty of their natural sphere, to sustain your physical structure . . . not once, but for countless centuries of time! How much of the Water element, the Earth element, the Air element and the Sacred Fire of Creation (the Immortal Victorious Three-fold Flame of Eternal Truth in each of your dear hearts) has been invested in sustaining you PRECISELY FOR SERVICE IN THIS PRESENT HOUR to the God Who made you?

Endeavor to *learn to love* the Elements that comprise your physical garment and see how quickly they will mirror your love, externalizing health and beauty in, through and around you, for they are VERY intelligent! Cease condemnation of those organs, muscles, nerves and cells of your body which temporarily seem to have stopped functioning perfectly. Remember! The fault is yours (the personality's) - - not that of the dear little Elementals who are simply mirroring your thoughts, feelings, words and actions. Their redemption can only come through your own self-conscious endeavors to love them free. When you have truly, humbly and sincerely become the Master of the Elements in your own physical body you are then already qualified to become the Master of the Elements of your city, state, nation and the Planet which has been your Hostess for so long. You cannot "whip" the Elementals in your physical body into perfection but you can LOVE THEM FREE! I SHALL HELP YOU .

PAUL, THE MAHA CHOCHAN:

The personal Savior and Redeemer of every member of the human race, imprisoned Angels and confused Guardian Spirits here, is the HOLY CHRIST SELF anchored right within your own beating hearts. We, The Brotherhood of Love are particularly interested in expanding the power and beauty of the Holy Christ Self through each aspiring chela. *It is Our reason for being!* This Holy Christ Self has been entombed within the outer personality of the billions of lifestreams who have used the Earth as a schoolroom for many ages. Now, the Cosmic Fiat to all upon the Earth and who must embody here in the future is "LOOSE THE POWER OF THE HOLY CHRIST SELF AND LET IT ACT!" For this, We are so grateful! To some, the Holy Christ Self is still very ephemeral and impractical. To a few, It is a REALITY. Now, for all mankind, *It shall become the REDEEMER.* No longer shall We have to *coax* the outer mind to accept the Presence of the Holy Christ Self within the hearts of all mankind! That very Holy Christ Self is stirring within Its tomb, preparing to break through the bonds of destructive use of free-will and express Itself! For this, I thank God!

With regard to the subject matter of this chapter, your own dear Holy Christ Self will be of inestimable assistance in helping you *to love free* the Elements that compose your present physical vehicle. It will give you the FEELING of love for all imprisoned life. This FEELING is not the negative expression of "sympathy" but the positive expression of "compassion", for all imprisoned and shadow-bound life, wheresoever you witness distress. "LOVE THOU ME FREE" is the call from imprisoned life. Yours is the Power to do just this. *Be not guilty of the sins of*

omission at this, your time of special opportunity! Truly set about Our Father's business and help Us to LOVE ALL LIFE FREE! I SHALL HELP YOU!

SERAPIS BEY:

We, The Brotherhood at the Ascension Focus, are interested in the ASCENSION OF ALL IMPRISONED LIFE, wheresoever it exists, not only on the Earth, in the Earth but in the atmosphere surrounding It as well. We are extremely grateful that, at this time, the Cosmic Law is allowing the instructions to go forth to earnest chelas outside the Ascended Masters' Retreats on the way and means by which they, too, can cooperate with Us in making the conditions for the Ascension of all imprisoned life possible; as well as the Ascension of the very Planet Earth Itself into the orbit of Uranus; then, at the proper time into the orbit of the planet belonging to the System *immediately above* that of Helios and Vesta, the "Love Star" -- Venus.

Let Me here explain to the chelas that the ASCENSION out of discord and limitation into harmony and abundance does not necessarily mean the etherialization and disappearance of form into another Realm. While there is a requirement for assistance upon the Planet Earth, there will be lovely volunteers who, having raised their consciousness into a permanent state of harmony and abundance, will remain as foci through which these God-qualities can and will flow into the atmosphere in which the Earth and Its inhabitants abide. Thus you can be, like Beloved Jesus -- "*In the world but not of it*". Then you will be Ourselves in action helping the White Order to prevent distresses which the masses could neither experience without fear nor pass through without tremendous

etheric scars which would delay their souls' purification and their spiritual development.

Each of you dear chelas has the full detailed description of the creation of the Sweet Earth in *The Seven Steps of Precipitation* by The Seven Mighty Elohim. Therefore you know something of how much love, patience, constancy and fidelity were and still are involved in the very creation and sustaining of the Earth, which has been your Hostess through the ages. You can realize then how desirous We are to see Her restored to that pristine purity and perfection which She expressed when first the Holy Innocents, together with the Manu of the First Root Race and Lord Michael, Prince of the Archangels and His Legions of Light descended in grace to use the Earth for a schoolroom.

Call upon Me and the Brotherhood at the Ascension Flame Focus to help you to be a part of this redemptive process! We shall be so happy to assist you.

HILARION;

There is a SCIENCE in establishing good-will between the Elemental Kingdom and the Human Kingdom. Of course, nothing is done by the Spiritual Hierarchy without the use of actual SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLES which never deviate from Truth. As We are speaking to chelas developed along the seven specific lines of constructive endeavor, the SCIENCE of such good-will will have seven types of constructive expression: *The powerful decrees of the First Ray people; the wisdom of the Second Ray people; the love and tolerance of the Third Ray people; the purity of motive of the Fourth Ray people; the consecration of energies toward a specific manifestation of good of the Fifth Ray people; the peaceful radiation of the*

Sixth Ray people; and, finally, the magnificence of ceremony which will be developed through the Seventh Ray people, incorporating songs, music visualization, decrees, chants, censuring and rituals which will delight all who enjoy the "fruit" of the pioneers of the Ascended Master Saint Germain's New Age.

JESUS:

It was easy for Me to master the waves of the stormy sea which so appalled My frightened disciples, because I had already become Master of all the elements composing My inner and physical vehicles! In like manner, the so-called miracle of walking upon the water was just another manifestation of that Mastery. I cannot recommend too strongly to the earnest chelas that they sincerely endeavor to harmonize the Elements which compose their own vehicles. This training will stand each such an one in good stead when he or she is called upon to hold the balance for the masses of people during the time just ahead, when not only continental but planetary changes will take place.

SAINT GERMAIN:

I do thank most sincerely Our Lord Maha Chohan and all the Chohans Who are giving to Me Their full gathered Cosmic Momentum of assistance in redeeming this sweet Earth and all imprisoned life at this time. Of course, the Violet Fire of Mercy and Compassion is one of the greatest purifying agents in this redemptive process. The loving cooperation of all unascended chelas, in whom I have implicit faith and trust, is a source of great encouragement to Me.

I PROMISE you My continued assistance in the development of whichever of the seven lines of constructive service to which you have a natural affinity. I think I am most fortunate of all the Chohans to have so many dear chelas all over the world willing, eager, capable and desirous of helping Me to bring the Permanent Golden Age to the Planet Earth!

When you stand with Me in your Robes of Freedom (having truly earned your Ascension) you, too, will know and experience grateful hearts, because you have had the strength of Spirit, clarity of mind and constancy of feeling to endure any temporary discomforts until this sweet Earth is Freedom's Star!

