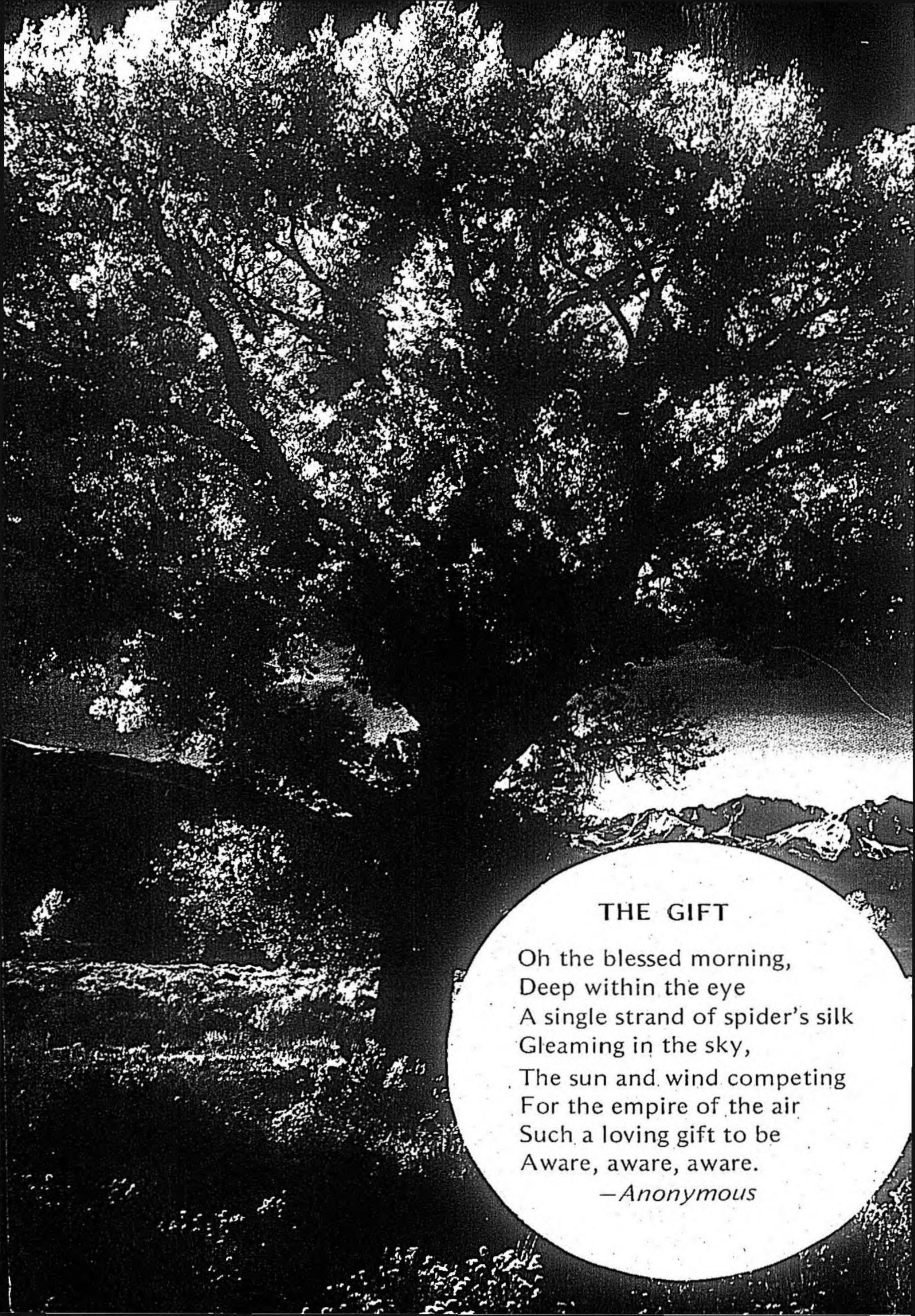


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### THE GIFT

Oh the blessed morning,  
Deep within the eye  
A single strand of spider's silk  
Gleaming in the sky,  
The sun and wind competing  
For the empire of the air  
Such a loving gift to be  
Aware, aware, aware.

—*Anonymous*

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# YOUR CHILD

Has it ever occurred to you that your child picked you for his parents and not the other way around? Indeed, about the only part parents play in the matter is the biological necessity of bringing a child into physical being. To many this is not a new idea, to others it may come as a bit of a shock. The very fact that your child selected you, out of the multitude, only adds to the general feeling of obligation and duty common to most parents. Yes, parenthood is a far greater responsibility than most know. Actually, it is a great honor and an even greater opportunity to be so chosen. As you watch your children develop, it becomes increasingly evident that each and every one has a plan and that you, as parents, have the heavy responsibility of seeing to it that each child's plan gets a chance to operate adequately. In other words, every child is an individualized expression of the Creator and as such is equal in the sight of his maker. Here, however, is where the equality ends, for each has his own Creative Cycle of Life, for which he must prepare; his own path to tread into eternity. I in no way here refer to predestination, as the soul-path is a free one and could not possibly be so determined, so patterned, so limited.

Much has been written, regarding heredity and individual differences, which has been very helpful to parents. However, there are some things that just do not add up, on that score. It is these confusing elements that often cause parents to cry out, "What did I ever do to have a child like this?" Negative statements like this are often made because parents do not understand the parent-child relationship, to begin with, and do not realize that their own soul-path is greatly influenced by these challenges that come through their children. Remember that your own individual Creative Cycle of Life may not have developed enough patience. On this level, the child is virtually the instructor, in some things, as you are his in many others. He is not aware of this interchange, at least not consciously, but there is no reason why you, as mature adults, should not be aware of these things, profit by them, and be happy for the opportunities presented. Otherwise, these seeming difficulties will drag you down and impede the natural progress of your child, as well. Someday your child will become aware of what has been accomplished in your cycle, as well as his own. Will he be proud of you and grateful for what you have done for him, or will he break away, at the earliest possible opportunity, finding others more capable of accepting what he had to offer;

# PICKED YOU

of contributing to his well-being? What, as a parent, did you have a right to offer?

Many parents have a tendency to pattern the lives of their children, for whom they are responsible, after their own lives.

So-called family tradition has ruined more children mentally, morally and spiritually than it ever helped — of that you may be sure.

Let us take a look at the average, well intentioned American Family. In spite of the trend of the self-determinant family, there are still thousands of homes where Father still

wants Junior to be a football star, either because he was or was not, whichever the case might be. Whether Junior is built for this rugged sport, or wishes to play football, matters very little. The worn out phrase, "Like Father, like son," may be true in some cases, but untrue in the majority of instances. Indeed, the most deceptive cases are those where Junior is the physical duplicate of his father and still should not follow in the parental footsteps. It is so difficult for families to realize that their son may be so like his father in some ways, and so different in others. The fact that the physical characteristics have been inherited by the child, does not alter the fact that he has an entirely separate Creative Cycle to travel.

Mothers are just as much at fault about their daughters. When Mother was in High School, she was the social butterfly of her class, and can't see why Suzie shouldn't be one, too. The fact of the matter is, that she will probably be expected to excel the maternal record of social triumphs.

Let us take a good look at both Junior and Suzie. There really is nothing wrong with either of them, actually. The only thing that is wrong with the whole picture, is the view that their doting parents have not seen. The fact that Junior is slight of build, in this case, and has a definite bent for inventing rockets and other scientific impedimenta, makes very little impression on Father or Mother either, for that matter. Perhaps Suzie's problem is more complicated, for she is every bit as pretty as her Mother ever was. The only trouble is, that Suzie would rather have the first chair in the violin section of the orchestra, than be the "belle of the ball"!

Of this particular variety of parent, James H.S. Bossard, says

in his book, *Sociology of Child Development* \*: "A main group of problem parents are those who tend to disregard the personalities of their children. These are the parents who cannot see their children as separate and distinct personalities, but, at best, see them as vest pocket editions of themselves."

Often these dominant interests, such as evidenced by Junior and Suzie, are swept aside with gentle ridicule and the creative urges, the very reason for being, are submerged or lost for the time being. Such a domination of a child's well defined natural bent is unforgivable, whether it be through the influence of well-meaning parents, or those who are just plain selfish. It is a high crime, not only against the better interests of the child, but against the society in which the child must work out his Creative Cycle of Life.

The line that is drawn between proper guidance and parental domination is a thin one, but one that must be learned, if the ultimate in personal development is to be attained. In the development of the self-determinant family, where permissive disciplines are practiced and children are encouraged to follow their talents, there is a tendency to neglect some of the necessary disciplines. This can be equally disastrous, for these very disciplines, of one sort or another, will later be needed by the child, to accomplish anything worthwhile. Children's lives can be spoiled by too much freedom, just as they can be by too much discipline or domination. Even in members of the same family this varies to an alarming degree, for each child is seeking different answers, different pathways; and must not be treated as though coming from the same mold. In using permissive disciplines, moderation is always the rule of the day.

In your own deep concept of your children's inner problems, and the many things that must be accomplished in order to bring forth their talents, you should not only be aware of the progress being made in your children's lives, but in your own lives, as well. If you feel that this is a selfish attitude, put the idea aside; for the development of your own Creative Cycle of Life is, too, part of the Great Plan of the Universe.

*(to be continued)*



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# Sermonette

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## BANISH FEAR

*The Lord is my light and my salvation  
Whom shall I fear?  
The Lord is the strength of my life;  
Of whom shall I be afraid?*

This one verse of the Twenty-seventh Psalm gives personal freedom from all fear. It reveals to you the source of all power, strength and wisdom. It enables you to reject the power of externals, takes the burden off your shoulders, and sets you on the high road to peace of mind, health, and happiness.

The Lord is the Presence of God, the I AM within you. In simple, psychological language, the Lord is your consciousness. What is consciousness? Your state of consciousness is the way you think, feel, believe, and the reasoning behind your belief. The cause of all your experiences is your thought and feeling.

Refuse to give power to conditions, circumstances, and the external world. Your thought initiates causation. Your thinking is cause; the condition is not causative. There is no power to challenge Omnipotence; therefore, there is nothing to fear. If fear comes to your mind, go within your Divine Center; think of God and His Power, realizing there is only One Power, and you are one with It now. In this stillness, nothing external can inhibit, obstruct, or thwart you. Think of new and better conditions, the way you want things to be. Realizing that as you think, it is Omnipotence thinking and moving on your behalf. The outcome is sure and certain, for it is God in action.

There are so many things we have yet to learn from the Bible. Dr. Murphy, in his little book, *Lord Teach Us to Pray* brings much of this out in metaphysical language easily understood in the light of everyday living.

# ASTRAL



. . . SOMETHING YOU SHOULD INVESTIGATE . . .

Dr. Douglas M. Baker, member of the Royal College of Surgeons and Physicians, England, gave the following lecture before *Parastudy, Inc.* of Chesterton, Pennsylvania, reproduced here in series.

Have you ever dreamed that you were hovering over your physical body, looking down on it lying asleep on the bed? If so, it is likely that you were actually out of your body with your awareness centered in your astral body.

A comprehension of the astral body and its potential is necessary to man's total understanding of his soul and evolving consciousness. In his talk, Dr. Baker described the astral body in its relation to the other subtle bodies of man, and then elaborated upon five different stages of astral projection and the techniques involved in bringing them about. Man's physical body is interpenetrated by the etheric body from which it derives its energy, as well as by an even subtler vehicle, the astral, which possesses its own organs of vision, hearing, and touch. Frequently while the physical body sleeps, the astral body will slip out of alignment with the physical and will roam around the astral world in what we call the dream state. By learning to control his astral body an individual can project his consciousness thousands of miles away to a selected target. Dr. Baker pointed out that while some occultists claim that a "silver cord" links the astral body to the physical, he has never seen such a cord and doubts its existence.

Telepathy, although recognized today, is still shrouded in a certain mystery. Something is sent from one mind to another, but exactly what is transferred is unknown. Psychology hesitates to accept the possibility that a conglomerate of particles of astral substance can accompany the consciousness from one person to another. Dr. Baker believes that by the end of the century the study of astral projection will have reached scientific level under the impetus of a demand by many young people to know more about this phenomenon. Astral projection

# PROJECTION

. . . SOMETHING YOU SHOULD TRY? . . .

is being experienced by today's youth who assert that these experiences are real. They know that they possess another finer vehicle of consciousness, a replica of the physical body, that can see and touch things much as the physical body can. Young people are not satisfied with the answers they are getting from psychiatrists — that the astral body is an illusion.

The topic of astral projection is neither simple nor easy to encompass in a lecture of average length. Various points arise. If you project your astral body to someone, can that person see you or know that you are there? This takes us into the area of materialization which is related to the phenomenon of ectoplasm — a lecture in itself. History is enlivened by examples of astral projection. One interesting occurrence mentioned in the Bible concerned the psychic abilities of the prophet Elisha, who was able to project himself astrally into the council chambers of the enemies of Israel. Elisha's venture took place while Ben-Hadad, king of Syria, was plotting the downfall of Israel. Time and again his plans were known by the Israelites in advance. In frustration he shouted at his council, "Who amongst you is for the king of Israel and tells him my secrets?" They answered and said, "There is none here who is for the king of Israel, but it is Elisha, their prophet, who cometh into this room while we speak and hears our secrets and takes them back to Israel." Christian mysticism is interlaced with examples of projection. Many saints have been seen simultaneously in two places at once — at one place in a material body and in another place in materialized body. St. Anthony of Padua was locked in jail for five days. When he came out he told everybody he had been in Rome during that time at the deathbed of the Pope. Messengers the next day verified that the saint had been seen at the Pope's bedside by many eminent people.

Dr. Baker then went on to describe five stages of astral projection — each stage distinguished from the others in terms of the distance projected. During each stage the physical body

was assumed to be in some sort of sleep state. In the *first* stage the astral body slips out of alignment with the physical body. This is what happens with most of us during ordinary sleep. When the astral and inner bodies are out of alignment with the physical they are charged with energies that come from the Atomic levels. We then wake up feeling refreshed and regenerated. Other types of first stage projection occur when the physical body is put to sleep under anesthesia for an operation. It also takes place sometimes when psychic students "sit for development" in the hope that they will become mediums. They render themselves negative and receptive to anybody or anything — usually from the astral world. This can be a dangerous process, as it entails a slipping out of alignment with the possible result that an astral entity will take over the body and start talking through it in what is termed mediumship. Some forms of schizophrenia are due to an unstable astral body that slips out of alignment with the physical. Air travel sometimes produces this — the movement and vibrations of the plane leaving the astral slightly behind the physical.

The *second* stage of projection is when the astral body containing the consciousness rises to a height of about eight feet above the physical body. This is the stage most frequently reported by people who have had out-of-body experiences. The *third* stage occurs when the astral body is purposefully sent somewhere. This stage is based on desire. There must be a strong desire by the person to be with someone or at some place. In this case, desire pulls the person out of his physical body and illustrates how energy follows thought. The *fourth* stage of projection involves a lengthy distance, perhaps thousands of miles, across the ocean. WILL is the motivating factor. Apparently, desire alone is not strong enough to get a person clear across the ocean, although it must be present to a degree. This type of astral travel is so rapid that it is possible to cross the ocean in two or three seconds. Success with this fourth stage depends upon the spiritual development of the person. The stronger your will and the more spiritually developed you are, the farther you may project. A good example of this stage is Eileen Garrett who frequently engaged in astral projection under test conditions. Lying on a couch in New York in front of psychiatrists she projected her astral body to Newfoundland where other psychiatrists were assembled. She informed them that she would be standing near the window, and as they took down books from a shelf and showed them to her, she read the titles aloud in her physical body a thousand

miles away in New York. The *fifth* stage of projection takes place when the person is treading the spiritual path and has entrusted himself to a master or guru. The projection he participates in is not actually done by him, although he does enter into it. He may not even know where or what the target is. The projection is brought about by the master for a definite purpose in his unfoldment — possibly a journey to a target where he can learn something that will be of benefit.

Before going into the techniques of astral projection, Dr. Baker drew attention to the overall reason and purpose behind it. Why should an individual wish to do this? How can it help mankind? The reason has to do with replenishment of energy. A person who can put his physical body to sleep through self-hypnosis and transfer his consciousness to the astral body in a quarter of an hour in the middle of the day can recharge the physical body with energy which will insure another eight hours of activity. Many great people, including Winston Churchill, have done this. Despite the severest trials, they had the ability to lie flat and put their astral bodies out of alignment. This process also represents a stage of yoga taught by central European schools.

Dr. Baker outlined two major steps which are necessary in order to slip the astral body out of alignment. The first is **RAPID RELAXATION**, and it must be rapid. You cannot just lie down and gradually relax. The second step is to **REJECT THE WORLD**. You must turn your attention fully away from the world. Lie still. Do not think about anything worldly. Shut out the senses and get out. If you experience hazy thought forms drifting out of the mind, this is a very good sign and an indication that you are succeeding in this process. It means the body is asleep, but you are conscious in the astral body. You can see with astral eyes, and you are aware of two worlds at once. You are aware of the noises going on in the house and cars passing on the street, but you can also see and hear what is going on in the inner worlds. This takes practice.



There are some excellent books on this subject that would be most enlightening to those new to the study. Among them are the books of Muldoon and Carrington, **Projection of the Astral Body and Phenomena of Astral Projection**; **Astral Projection** by Oliver Fox and **The Art and Practice of Astral Projection** by Ophiel also comprise a wealth of information giving first-hand accounts of what these out-of-the-body experiences are like and how they may be achieved and controlled. All may be ordered on page ix.

What you are now doing is preparing for post-catastrophe. It is already too late to do anything about catastrophe or pre-catastrophe. Many feel that the Space Visitors will come and provide all. I can assure you they will not. They will only come to be of assistance.

Living will have to be by the conventional means and ways of Earth. That will be for a short period, and in quick order a great Utopian civilization will then arise from the Earth phoenix-like.

But we find that many are not yet ready. They cannot give up the comforts and those things to which they have been accustomed, and yet, after the catastrophes start these luxuries and comforts will have no purpose whatsoever. How can they wash their clothing in these machines, without electricity? How can they run their homes at all? They will have to go out in the back yard and use the barbeque pit to cook food. The electric stove will not work. They cannot light a fire in it. The gas will not work. They will have to move out of their homes to live at all: back to the caves.

Man on Earth must not revert this time to savagery as he has done in the past. That is one of the great purposes of the coming of the Space People — to avert this catastrophe — because the Remnant, unless assisted, will go back to the caves. They have no other choice.

And many will die because they will not be as skilled in manufacturing weapons to secure food and other necessities as

## TOO LATE

their cave ancestors were. They will not be adapted physically nor have the strength and endurance to live.

I can tell you now without pessimism that the next seventy years will be such. The New Age will not be here in a moment with crystal cities spread throughout the Earth. It cannot be done in a second. It will mean about seventy years of hard work building an earth, totally destroyed, into a New Age after the coming of Jesus once again. He will not wave a magic wand and

all will follow the sheep and graze in the pastures as the Master takes them by the hand to lead them into Utopian fields. This will not be. It will be work and more work in developing the new world.

Then for roughly the same period man shall be a student, learning from his fellow-men on Earth who are more advanced than he. He shall be tutored by his Brothers from outer space, especially the young men interested in the scientific and electronic aspect, while other jobs will be more sociological and historical to show man the past and the true nature of past civilizations and its significance to the present, and to teach him the true history of the world, while the Space Visitors will be teaching him how to build the new world, the new science. All must be made new. The Truth must be revealed in order to develop a new-world man who will be hungry for the Truth.

Yet seventy years is a short time. At the end of it the Earth will be cleansed and purified, and then there *shall* be the crystal cities and there *shall* be space travel. But when that takes place man will find that he has joined the Interplanetary Brotherhood through his own efforts and has earned his chair on the Council of the Nations' Planets, only to discover and learn the secret of why the Space People have come to the Earth. It has been said many times for many reasons: because of our atomic experiments, because of this or that. All these things are true, yes, but also there seems to be a paradox.

## TO PREPARE

The Space People themselves state that by Universal Law they cannot interfere with man's progression on the Earth. Is that not true? Yet they are interfering, are they not? And is it true that they are here out of love for their fellow-man? No! Because they would have put in a mass appearance centuries ago if it was purely for love. Do they love less or did they love less then than now? No! Somewhere there seems to be something missing — the key to the entire situation. Then why do they

interfere now? What is the real reason? The answer as you have been told is that the eventual evacuation of this Solar System will become imperative because of the intense cosmic bombardment and harmful rays ensuing. This System will be absorbed into the development of a new embryonic sun and become a part of it, and utilized in its development. We are now swirling into that sun like a leaf in a whirlpool.

After man wins his seat on the Council he shall find he has only achieved it to work with his other brothers of space, representing the various worlds and solar systems, to assist in a great evacuation. And at that time the remnants of all the worlds who deserve it, through proper living and past lives, will go on this great journey.

Man shall take a journey to the unknown, a vast part of interstellar space that has never been explored by man before, a space which has only been rumoured in legend of the most ancient planets, and known as The Void of Eternal Light. The possibilities and the new existence that the mind of man shall find here defies explanation, an entirely new development in the mind of man when he shall again have restored to him the power of Creative Thought, where he shall learn to begin the creation of worlds.

The thought is staggering and it shall be some time in coming. Great armadas will take man on this journey, and he shall discover and spend time studying many worlds before reaching this space. The journey shall take a long time to complete.

But, after man has achieved and brought the Earth back into the Brotherhood, then he will sit down to begin to plot this journey with his fellows of other worlds. He will be given the secret why the Space People had to come when they did in order that the Earth might be raised quickly because they could not await for the appointed time. Things had speeded up to such a degree that they could not wait for the Earth to come into its own gradually through karmic lesson. Interference was essential. Therefore, because of their motive, the karma that they must bear for their interference will be very light. It will balance itself. . . .



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# PSYCHIC PERCEPTION

## and your child

### PART VI. (conclusion)

*The previous articles in this series covered those things which parents should understand about their children concerning their inner life and how they may help to unfold it with greater harmony.*

#### Points To Remember

1. Every child needs discipline and correction. You must express your disapproval when he doesn't conform to universally accepted standards in the home, school, or wherever he may be. *There is no love without discipline and no discipline without love.*
2. The word "hate" in the Bible means to reject completely and emphatically the negatives of life, such as lying, disorderly conduct, stealing, etc. In other words, you never condone that which is wrong. You must see to it that the child learns his lesson, and when he does, he will not be a repeater.
3. Wisdom is justified of her children. There are "children" also, such as books, plays, paintings, songs, etc. All these reflect the state of mind of the creative individual.
4. When a child is taught the real meaning of the Ten Commandments and the Golden Rule, he will incorporate these truths into his mentality and reveal Divine law and order in his

all parts of life.

5. A child left to wander off without spiritual instruction will grow up confused and truculent.
6. Children justify the wisdom of their parents. This means that the children reflect accurately the wise indoctrination of their parents.
7. Children know when they deserve punishment; they know they had it coming. A father who disciplines his son is actually revealing his love for him, as he shows his interest in his future and in his welfare.
8. As parents regularly identify with the God-Presence in the child and claim that the wisdom, intelligence, and harmony of God are being expressed by the child, such a child will grow in grace, beauty, and wisdom in perception.
9. Permissive parents who are negligent and careless and don't control, direct, and make certain requirements of their children through psychic perception have children who lack self-confidence, security, self-control, and who are also selfish.
10. Parents who are quarreling and generally exhibiting hostility to each other communicate subconsciously these negative vibrations to their children, which disturb them and cause them to feel they are not loved or appreciated. Furthermore, they become fearful of a broken home and lose that sense of security so needed in their formative years. Sometimes they show their retaliation in acts of stealing, poor study records, indifference, and a generally rebellious attitude.
11. Children at an early age can begin to perceive and understand God. You can point out that God is their mind, their life, and that this Presence watches over them as they sleep; that It heals, inspires and guides them in their studies. The little boy or girl can understand that he or she can't see the wind, but can feel the breeze upon the face; likewise, he or she can feel love, joy, and laughter, all of which are of God.
12. Boys and girls going to school can get acquainted with the Infinite Intelligence within them by affirming for five or six minutes every night: "Infinite Intelligence guides me in my studies, and I have a perfect memory for everything I need to know at all times. I pass all examinations in Divine order." They will experience the result of what they sow in their mind. This is one way of getting acquainted with the God-Presence within.
13. A young girl of 12 talks with psychic perception to God and requests that He guide her in her studies, and she goes ahead by leaps and bounds.



# Energy Never Dies: It Only Changes Form

There is a law of physics called "The law of the conservation of energy." This law is based on the fact that energy never dies. Energy changes form. But there is always a continuity of energy, always has been a continuity of energy, and always will be. The material or physical side of life is continually changing form, but it is always fraught with energy. Edison said that each atom has an intelligence of its own, and this is certainly true. Each atom continues to express as an atom whether in a body cell, or it may be in the form of iron or some other expression of life. Atoms never change, but their arrangement in connection with other atoms change, and this is what has developed in man's understanding of the energy that comes and is expressed as such a thing as an atomic bomb, or atomic energy, or the driving of a ship, or the lighting of a city.

Once we begin to get the feel of the continuity of life, and realize there is no death, we are able to overcome the fear of death. But even greater than that, we are able to overcome the fear of life, and to realize with Jesus, "I am come that ye might have life, and have it more abundantly." He was referring to the continuity of life which is so abundant that it is without end. So we see that the resurrection story, if it is believed in, becomes a true experience. "It is done unto us as we believe," and the resurrection idea can cause us to realize that each one of us is subject to resurrection in the sense that when this experience on earth is ended, there is no end at all. Just as a high note of an octave is the low note of the next octave, so it is the beginning of a new experience.

— from Jack Ensign Addington's beautiful handbook entitled "*Life Never Dies*" . . . exquisite as a gift to those who seek answers about the life hereafter.  
(see page ix to order)

# BOOK TALK

OVER A PERIOD of time one cannot help but notice that some books stand out in their appeal to readers more than others do. Whether it is the author's style of writing or what he writes about that influences the reader most is hard to say. However, Baird T. Spalding's series of five books entitled . . . *Life and Teaching of the Masters of the Far East*\* . . . surely deserves to be on the list of those which Students continue to have an avid desire to read and reread.

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Let pain bring due reward  
of light and love.  
Let the soul control the  
outer form,  
And life, and all events,  
And bring to light the Love  
That underlies the happenings  
of the time.

Let vision come and insight.  
Let the future stand revealed.  
Let inner union demonstrate and  
outer cleavages be gone.  
Let love prevail.  
Let all men love.



— from the *World Goodwill Commentary*, New York, NY

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## Human Beings First

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Don Pendleton from *Orion Magazine*

## The Cure All

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from *Understanding magazine* by Satguru Kirpal Singh Ji

## Spinning Your Wheels?

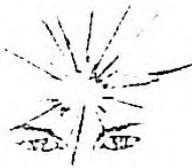
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from *The Voice of Universarius magazine*

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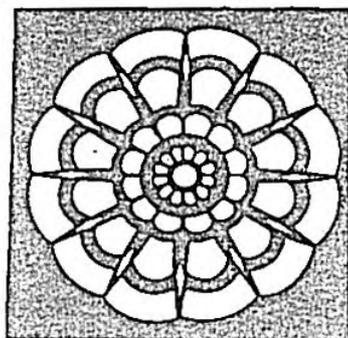
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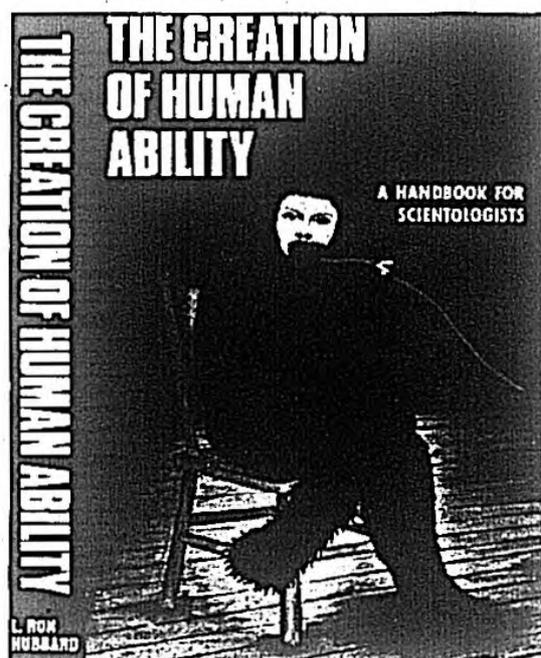
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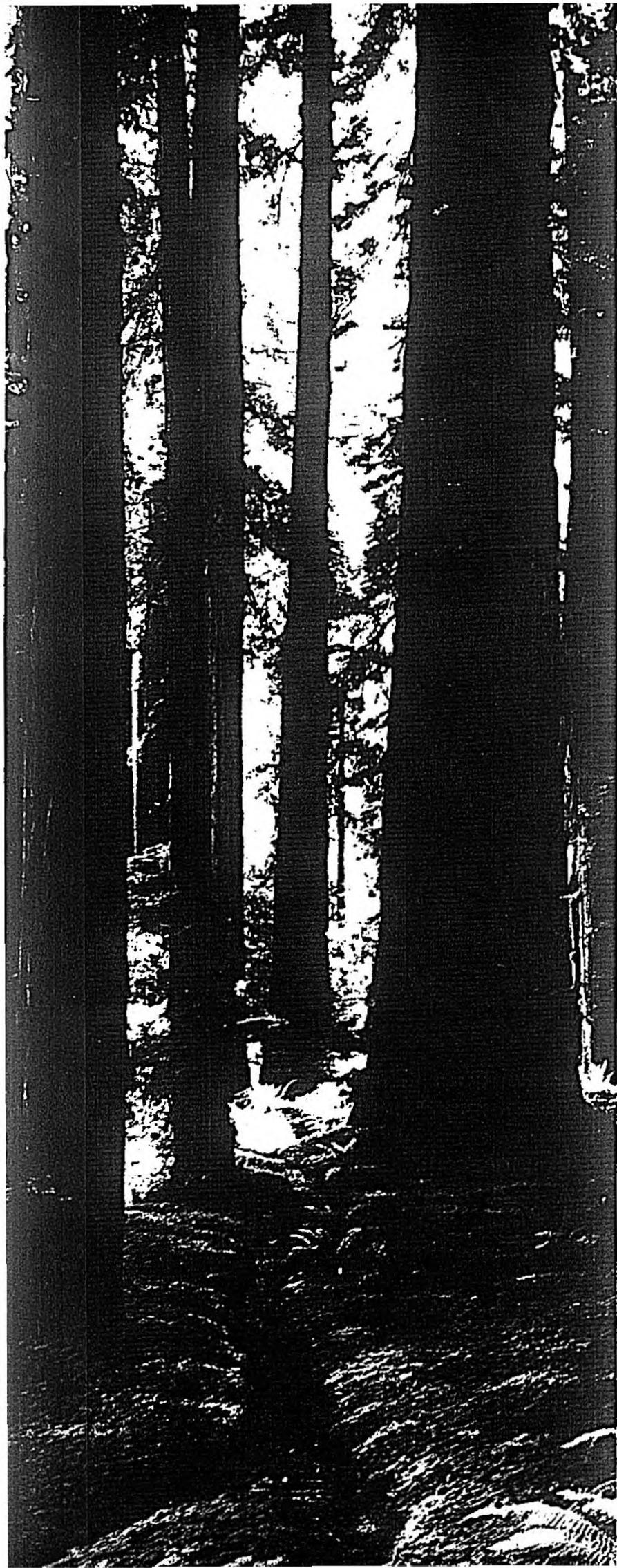
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It matters not how rough the way  
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For only He can bring sweet peace  
Through tears or happiness.

It matters not my will I do,  
But only His be done;  
For He is Master of my life  
And I the serving one.

It matters not the global spot  
Which God may put me in;  
It only matters that each day  
I walk and talk with Him.

— Maxine Clark

# The Inward Way

## The Manifestation of Christ

as given to Cherie L. Silva

### CHAPTER THREE

#### "THE COLOR RAYS"

#### THE LORD JESUS

#### PART II.

*Part I of this chapter concerned the rays of color seen around all of the manifest world – the Earth and all the beings that inhabit it. How and why the colors comprising what is known as the aura change was also depicted – including that of white. The principles applicable to human beings holds true in other ways . . . as we shall see –*

The same truth applies to the earth – it also having an aura surrounding it. The earth's aura holds a vast storehouse of impressions, knowledge, help; and because it abounds in evil, also a strong force field of dark and muddy colors that play out the plan of man's trials and subsequent perfection through various mortal states of incarnation. The color most immediately surrounding the body of the earth is a mixture of grey and muddy brown, with much red intertwined. Just up from this are the deeper, clearer hues of translucent, iridescent

blue, to emerald green: large rays, or planes, of these blues and greens, with rivers of a golden-orange interwoven throughout, make a most magnificent sight as they continually encircle the globe. A way up from this startlingly beautiful skyscape lies a ray of gold, with shades of what could only be described in language as living pink-coral. This color is unknown and unseen by physical eyes, most glorious, and beautiful. This floating 'belt' of gold and pinks are there for the more advanced in development, and supply and feed their deeper affinity with the Kingdom of God. They enable certain graces to be given, and assimilated, and shared with others. (All have met those who seem to radiate a golden glow by their very presence, a literal ray of sunshine, to warm and bless the lives of others).

Further yet, upwards of this, lies the ray of purity: white. It grows and intensifies in both brilliance and Light the nearer it approaches the Holy Throne. Its first visibility is a thinner, but definitely white, cloud-like appearance; and as it continues upward gradually takes on the beautiful, brilliant Light which illuminates the perfected ones. This ray of white completely encircles the Throne of Grace and the Higher Realm which lies at the Father's feet. This ray is very rarely drawn upon by those in mortal state, except on occasions of great abandonment of self to The Creator. Seldom does one attain the state of progression to take on the basic aura of white. This is not to say it does not happen, but that they are very few and far between. The instances of a mortal's aura being both white and illuminated (denoting an even closer oneness with the Father), is so rare so as seldom to be seen. These are generally special souls sent for help and enlightenment, from The Father and I; Our messengers for that particular time.

The way in which these colors are drawn upon and used is best pictured in this manner: imagine a pipe-line going up from each individual, each reaching as far as their individual development will allow. This pipe-line continually absorbs that which is needed and feeds it back, much like the umbilical cord that feeds the unborn baby. Sometimes, as with the fetus, poisons are assimilated into this pipe-line, feeding the recipient with dark moods, evil thoughts, weak morals, acts of violence, etc. This is where learning to use this knowledge consciously is

most profitable: for if one with prayer, and earnest effort, rejects the offensive fumes of the muddier hues, they can, and will, receive the healing and restoring rays needed. If one chooses to feel badly (self-pity, or a feeling of vengeance, for example), and does not wholly *want* to give it up, they will not, cannot, be helped. The personal pipeline, as stated above, extends upward only as far as that individual is developed; or, as is the case so often, it might in a moment of true enlightenment, telescope, and then return to its own level as the moment passes. Every one, with conscientious effort and sincere desire, can raise his own pipeline to immeasurable heights — escaping all mortal pulls, and unshackling the chains of self. However, this requires a peculiar type of devotion and dedication, which comes only with a true search, a prayerful search, for God's Word.

Thus, if one looked at the earth with eyes of understanding in this Truth, it might appear much as a pin cushion, with the pins extending out at every direction and height imaginable.

“Reach” is the fervent cry from all enlightened ones, and, from Us. “Reach” — reach, and in so doing stretch and telescope your own pipe-line to the very Throne of Grace!

*(to be continued)*

SOME CALL HIM DEATH

Some call him Death whose hands efface,  
With swift and certain skill,  
The lines of pain that marked a face  
Now mercifully still.

At the appointed hour comes he,  
As envoy of the Lord;  
With gentle touch he tenderly  
Severs the silver cord.

Spirit arise! Anew take breath,  
Ended is mortal strife;  
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# INNER TEACHINGS

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*THE SPIRITUAL LAW CONCERNING  
DIVINE FAITH  
PART I.*

FAITH IS substance.

Faith is one of the substances (divine essences) composing the BODY OF GOD. Fear holds animal and man in bondage until CONSCIOUSNESS OF FAITH is born through.

You, as evolving man, were told you must have FAITH; so you tried . . . but all too often the fear-pattern was as strong as the FAITH-SUBSTANCE, and fear, being of a coarser mesh, the subtle essence, faith, just evaporated. You sunk in your mind to the level of fear, leaving the God-level of FAITH. All too often the things you feared came to you. You know now that events and circumstances are drawn to you through CONCENTRATION, therefore you also know now why the very events that you feared often came to pass.

Sometimes you were able to "nip them in the bud" by the use of PRAYER. Prayer is a force which, properly used, INCREASES FAITH. Here is how that law operates: As you pray aright, you lift your consciousness to the God-level; there you tune in to the FAITH substance of the BODY OF GOD; it fills you, enters into your very cell structure. IF you pray sincerely and often enough, you remain ATTUNED to the God-level in your consciousness,

and little by little your fears vanish. Soon thereafter the originating cause of your fear disappears from your circumstances or environment. FAITH has won.

Another factor often enters in, and it is not possible to cause fear to vanish so easily. The law of cause and effect, sometimes called the "law of karma" also operates by definite laws.

Suppose your fear is fear of losing your position; such a fear might have legitimate grounds for being in your mind. It may be that your output of daily work is not satisfactory. It may be that you have fallen into careless habits in your work. In that case, fear is the VOICE OF GOD speaking in you to give a warning note. Therefore even fear can be a God-sent emotion.

### *THE IMPORTANCE OF DEEP ANALYSIS*

Meditation hour is a most propitious time for your deep inner searching for the basic REASON for the fear-thoughts. Often a heart-felt prayer for FAITH will reveal to your mind the reason why the gift of FAITH cannot come to you. Your linking with the Higher Forces through deep soul-questing prayer will call forth the assistance of these Higher Forces in your life. Certain things you are doing in your life will stand out, and you will begin to see the lack of wisdom in such acts. As soon as you have faced a fact with your full consciousness, realizing it for the destructive factor it is, already you are half-cured.

With this realization comes an opportunity for still more prayer. Prayer is the LIFTING-FORCE which serves to link you with the God-level of your own consciousness ... the Higher Self ... the Christ self.

### *ADULT PRAYERS*

As you attain your spiritual adulthood, you no longer need the symbol of "a Man in the skies" as the objective of your prayers. Your God is not that far away. You sense it as a *Living, Loving, Eternal Presence*. You know you need only to LIFT your consciousness by the lever of Heart-felt

prayer, and there it is!

You were given CHOICE, and by that choice you can tune in or tune out GOD so far as your MIND is concerned, but you can never tune out GOD so far as your LIFE is concerned. The PRESENCE-POWER-CONSCIOUSNESS that man terms "God" ALWAYS AND ETERNALLY IS active within you and around about you. Your evolution proceeds by the Hand of God, but *you* may term it "unpleasant circumstances."

Before evolution comes INVOLUTION. The factors of INVOLUTION are those thoughts that strike you deeply enough to compel you to think. As a result of your *thinking* you evolve. If your deep thinking has brought you to a realization of your LACKS, you may find yourself fear-filled as to the future. This fear will remain until YOU set about changing yourself. This is accomplished in two ways. The Soul that is strong sets about adding unto itself the attributes it lacks, therefore becoming more God-like, but the Soul that still has weakness as one of its Soul-qualities begins to draw further into itself for protection; instead of expanding, it shrivels . . . it draws into its shell in an endeavor to avoid the happening of the things it fears. As a result it begins to lose some of the things it has gained or accumulated during the lifetime up until that change.

Often this indrawing results in greater good to be experienced later. A firmer INNER FOUNDATION is built before the Soul again emerges into outer activity. Sometimes the indrawing remains for the balance of the lifetime, but one day — in a subsequent embodiment — the Soul again expands and flowers.

FEAR can be a protective agent, or fear can become a destructive habit pattern, imbedded in the subconscious mind.

*(to be continued)*



*The foregoing article is based on INNER TEACHINGS given by the White Brotherhood, as described on page x of this issue. It is also recommended in this connection that the four books of AZRAEL become a part of your background reading for this Brotherhood work. (See page ix to order)*



# What Is It Like To Give?

Kahlil Gibran, in his beautiful book, *The Prophet\**, tells us:

**YOU GIVE BUT LITTLE WHEN YOU GIVE OF YOUR POSSESSIONS.** It is when you give of *yourself* that you truly give.

For what are your possessions but things you keep and guard for fear you may need them tomorrow?

And tomorrow, what shall tomorrow bring to the overprudent dog burying bones in the trackless sand as he follows the pilgrims to the holy city? And what is fear of need but need itself? Is not dread of thirst when your well is full, the thirst that is unquenchable?

There are those who give little of the much which they have — and they give it for recognition and their hidden desire makes their gifts unwholesome. And there are those who have little and give it all. These are the believers in life and the bounty of life, and their coffer is never empty.

There are those who give with joy, and that joy is their reward. And there are those who give with pain, and that pain is their baptism. And there are those who give and know not pain in giving, nor do they seek joy, nor give with mindfulness of virtue?

They give as in yonder valley the myrtle breathes its fragrance into space. Through the hands of such as these God speaks, and from behind their eyes He smiles upon the Earth.

It is well to give when asked, but it is better to give unasked through understanding. And to the open-handed the search for one who shall receive is joy greater than giving. And is there aught you would withhold? All you have shall some day be given; therefore give now, that the season of giving may be yours and not your inheritors'. For in truth it is life that gives unto life — while you, who deem yourself a giver, are but a witness.



**PSYCHOLOGY OF COLOR**

*The Effect of Colors on Health and Happiness*

PART V.

*Each color has a certain inner meaning and a certain message to the beholder. Learn the messages of the colors so you can give out to the world your own particular message by the colors you wear and the colors you attract as you journey through this interesting, full, rich life.*

**ORANGE**

Orange is the color denoting Wisdom. It is the yellow of freedom mixed with the red of life. A knowledge of true life frees man, bringing Wisdom. It is an inspirational color and lifts depressed feelings. It is used for indigestion, bronchitis, asthma, pneumonia — any disease that needs quickened circulation, and freeing. The colored lights used in therapeutic work, are now recognized to have definite healing value, as for instance, the violet-ray, the infra-red. Color is a powerful healing agent. Color is vibration stepped up to a higher rate than music. All life is vibration at different rates. Color is nothing more or less than atoms vibrating at varying rates and in varying patterns through the action of the electrons and protons within themselves. Color therefore is more rapid in vibration than music, and therefore creates a substance visible to the eye. The higher the rate of vibration, the more solid the manifestation. You and I are nothing more than energy manifesting as a solid because of extremely high rates of vibration. Science has conceded this. This would tend to prove that we live in a spiritual (or electrical) universe. Electrical energy comes straight from the creator and is a creator in itself, the greatest blessing that has come to mankind since life itself was given man. The Divine Energy, known as Electricity, is invisible to the human eye, yet it lights our homes, runs our machines, starts our cars, and washes our dishes electrically as soon as it is objectified by man and given a body through which to work. Man is a creator, constantly creating weal or woe for himself. Bow your head in humbleness at that thought, and perhaps a stronger glimpse of the vastness of YOUR potentialities will dawn upon you. Some day you will help to bring other worlds into manifestation — thousands of years hence, perhaps, after you have learned complete control of the "world" which is your mind, your body, your Soul, in this and in subsequent lives.

A beautiful orange lustre vase in your living room will cause your eyes to light up each time they rest upon it. Use Orange for Inspiration.

## VIOLET

Elderly ladies love to wear violet. It is the blue of spirit tinged with the remaining rays of the red of life. It has a powerful activity which it exerts over its wearers. It can increase despondency, yet in its higher moods it is idealistic in its reaction.

Violet is used as a curative agent for high fevers, for it has the cooling effect of the blue and the tonic of the red.

Violet mixed with black becomes more tinged with despondency. When in this mood, wear light colors, never black or dark.

In its clear shades it is symbolic of Faith — consciousness of God!

## PINK

Pink is the color of life, red merged with white. All the colors of the rainbow together produce white. You have watched a diamond scintillate and throw off the various colored lights of which it is composed and which it therefore reflects. You have seen all colors shine forth from the snow-flakes, and yet the flake itself is white.

Pink, brings to mind adorable baby toes and Cecil Brunner tiny pink roses — purity and life mixed and merged. No wonder pink is for babies!

Strong men love to see the woman they adore in pink. It calls out the tender love-note in their nature.

## ROSE

Rose is composed of the red of life, the white of purity, with a tinge of the blue of spirit. Rose could mean to you roses and moonlight, life and young love.

## WHITE

As stated before, white contains all colors, just as you see them reflected in a drop of water. The reason we see ourselves clothed in white in the heaven realm is because in order to achieve that realm we must first have been steeped in all the colors of earth experience, the dark and the light and the middling, and then come forth cleansed and purged. Have you studied the mystery of white? It symbolizes purity and cleanness.

*(to be continued)*

For those interested in reading a little further than this series on the fascinating subject of color, several books come to mind that provide many new ideas and uses of color. **Fragrant and Radiant Healing Symphony — Colour, Sound, Perfume** by Roland Hunt; **Color and Music in the New Age** by Corinne Heline (both books available in paperback edition); **The Eighth Key to Colour** and **The Seven Keys to Colour Healing** by Roland Hunt, all Chimes color books waiting for you to discover.

# KEY WORDS

Claude M. Bristol

Remember always: "Whatever man can conceive mentally, he can bring into materialization." Health, wealth, and happiness must follow if the proper mental pictures are created and constantly maintained, for the law of cause and effect is immutable.

*from The Magic of Believing*

Ralph Waldo Emerson

Talked about the temporal man as opposed to the eternal man. The temporal man is merely working for the effect, for things. The eternal man is building as the Greeks built — a way of life by which progress can proceed.

Charles Fillmore

Every organ of the body is capable of being constantly renewed through the inflow of an unseen force called mind or life or Spirit. Therefore we should be continually renewing and spiritualizing the body. But we are not doing so because of our lack of faith in our possibilities as offspring of universal life. We find it hard to believe that renewing and spiritualizing of the body can be accomplished, yet history of the Hebrew race (considered as an allegory) shows that this is possible.

*from Atom Smashing Power of Mind*

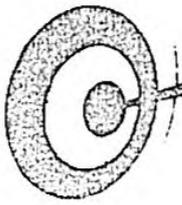
Thomas Carlyle

The man without a purpose is like a ship without a rudder — a waif, a nothing, a no man. Have a purpose in life, and having it throw such strength of mind and muscle into your works as God has given you.

Sheila Ostrander and Lynn Schroeder

Telepathy seems to have something to do with the entire body. ESP seemed to come in on all levels of the body's physical activity. Years ago Eileen Garrett said the energy body or human double "is the medium of telepathic and clairvoyant projection." Was she right? Could "the medium" be the message?

*from Psychic Discoveries Behind the Iron Curtain*



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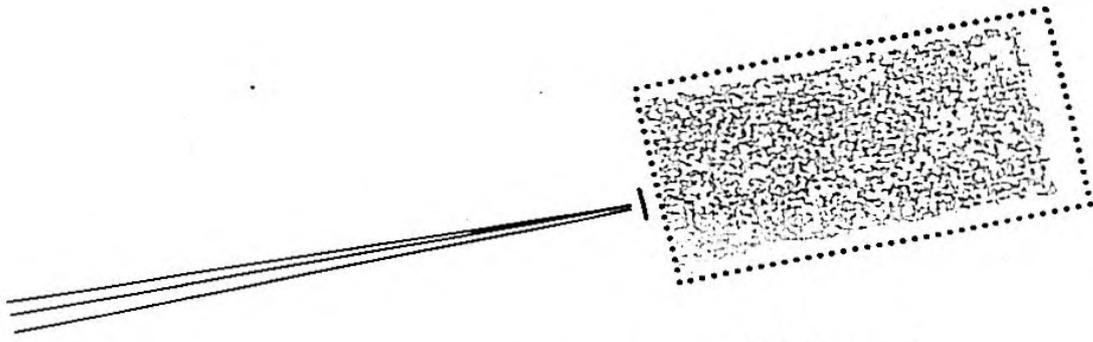
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**MEXICO'S MIRACULOUS PAINTING** – Every day 15,000 pilgrims flock to the Basilica of Guadalupe outside Mexico City, a church where amazing miracles have been happening for 441 years. It is here they venerate the Basilica's mysterious, miraculous painting of Our Lady of Guadalupe, given, so legend says, to a poor Aztec Indian boy by the Blessed Virgin Mary herself.

The story of the most venerated shrine in the New World began December 9, 1531 when Juan Diego, a poor Aztec Indian, excitedly told the Bishop of Mexico that he had seen the Blessed Virgin and that she had told him she wanted a church built over the hill where she had appeared. The Bishop refused to believe the tale, but Diego claimed again to see the Virgin on following days. On December 12th Diego went to the Bishop with proof – in midwinter on a barren hill, the Blessed Virgin had filled his cloak with fresh roses, and on the inside of his rough white cloak had left a breathtaking painting of herself. The Bishop believed Diego and a magnificent church was constructed on the hill Diego pointed out.

The fantastic picture, now above the Basilica's altar, remains in its original condition despite years of being handled. Over the last four hundred years painters and art experts have carefully examined it and concluded that the painting is of "no earthly origin." Father Juan Arzube, Auxiliary Bishop of Los Angeles told the *National Enquirer*: "The painting is not of human manufacture. Intense magnification shows no brush strokes, and it has defied the passage of time. Using modern scientific methods, experts have found that cloth bearing the Virgin's image is more than 400 years old, though this particular material should have turned to dust from natural causes many years ago."

**GIFT DISCOVERED IN THE FOREIGN LEGION** – The British *Sunday Times* recently reported an unusual psychic story concerning English healer Peter Gilhead, a leading London physiotherapist and acupuncture expert. Gilhead, 61, the oldest British ex-legionnaire, while attending a legionnaire reunion said it was on occasional duty in desert fort infirmaries that he first discovered a "gift for healing." It was during those two years of service of "flies, sand, heat and stiff discipline" that he found an identification with the human race. Youngest of a London tailor's family, he joined the Legion at 16 in 1929 and soon thereafter was given the spirit message that he must heal the sick. For many years now he has practiced healing in England and was the first Briton to research and treat acupuncture with Harley Street medicos.



## Letters to the Editor

—Great joy is mine to share with the Prayer Ministry. The smoking habit is broken! False desire will raise its head maybe once a week now, but surprisingly it is NOT when I am around others who smoke. I thank God that He leads *all* to a right to drop each false habit EASILY.

I am enclosing my check for Chimes to use as best needed, of which (a portion) is to be placed in my lovely "Book Account" for use after we are moved. How grateful I am that love has provided this beautiful bank for me now so that later I may draw upon the wondrous printed words.

How grateful I am for the lovely issues of Chimes-teachers who give so freely of the substance that passeth all understanding and teach to every level of understanding. How wondrous are the ways of God who leads each as he is ready to a source of infinite food just exactly suited to his individual ability to digest. And the same words reach reader in the light of his capability to digest it.

The teachers are everywhere in each issue of the magazine, in each dawning thought, for it is THOUGHT that brings the light. Thought IS contagious. The contagion of Chimes is the work of enlightenment. Dawn comes slowly, just as Truth unfolds slowly. And the beauty of this lies in its wisdom. From black of night to blazing noon would be too great a strain on the physical body. From fettered unenlightenment to full-blown joy of Infinite Intelligence would be too great a strain on the mental body. From outright lies (false conceptions) to the truth of Being would be too great a strain for the struggling soul. How wondrous, how beautiful is the Wisdom that unfolds. Thank you for Chimes,

Mrs. Jewell Bender, Paramount, CA

*(Mr. Bender is retiring shortly, thus the Bender family will be moving from their mobile home to some unimproved land in the north. Jewell is planning to start a lending library and has set up a credit book account for future purchases. She will be a light wherever she goes, an inspiration wherever her path takes her. We are grateful she is a Chimes friend.)*

SECONDS IN ETERNITY – Another month has passed into history. Soon our lives here on Earth will be history as so many of my loved ones and dear friends have passed on to the Spirit land where all is peace and love . . . no more pain and suffering. When the Spirit is free from this material body there is then no pain in Spirit. There is no end to God's wonders. I love God with all my heart and try to serve Him each day of my life. If God spares my life until August 29th I will have been on this earth 76 years. This seems a long time here on Earth, but it is just a few seconds in eternity.

Johnnie C. Tuttle, Pell City, AL

*(Friend Johnnie made the grade to August 29th at this writing, according to the Chimes Prayer Ministry. We add our love and good wishes for many more years of joy and countless blessings to our faithful friend.)*

PROPHECY FULFILLED – Do you remember the letter I wrote to you three years ago concerning a prophecy I had received in automatic writing – that the Flower Children (Hippies) and drug addicts were reincarnated servicemen and civilians who had lost their lives in World War II and the Korean conflict, and that they would turn from drugs to the higher mystical experiences and to Spiritualism?

UPI has just released the news that they have indeed turned to the higher mystical experience and Spiritualism. For me, this is proof enough that Spirits can communicate with us through automatic writing and tell us what the future holds. . . Thank you for having told David St. Clair about some of my experiences. He wrote several pages about them in his *California: World of the Psychic* (sorry, unavailable from Chimes).

Lee Baxter, Calexico, CA

WHERE IS TRUTH – Several months ago you sent me some information in response to a request as to how we can know Truth with so many conflicting ideas on life and religion being put out, and each saying everyone else is wrong.

It took me a lot longer than the thirty days you suggested for a start, but over the months I think I finally have accepted what I believe is Truth, directly from the Author of Truth. It took me too long to realize the Spirit of Truth wants us to know Him, and The Way, but we are too busy looking for Him in the wrong place. When we finally realize He is within, and available to serious seekers, then we have begun, and only begun.

Man, not God, is the author of confusion, so the place to seek Truth rather than confusion is, of course, God Himself rather than our fellow man. In contrast, there are many people who know the Truth and can help us find it (as you did for me), but I wonder how many others were trying too hard *looking* when they should instead ask and receive directly?

Thank you so much for Peace, and getting me on the Way.

Peter Drake, Brimley, MI

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