

A Brief Explanation of
"THE BRIDGE TO FREEDOM"
And Its Purpose

"In the beginning, GOD . . ." The purpose of "The Bridge to Freedom" is to bring to the attention of mankind the immortal, eternal TRUTH that GOD IS—that GOD IS ALL THERE IS—ALL IN ALL—EVERYWHERE PRESENT! Its further purpose is to bring to its gentle readers a simple, practical Way of Life—a way and means by which each man individually (as well as those who wish to harmoniously work together collectively) may lovingly and easily co-operate with God to out-picture in daily living the KINGDOM OF HEAVEN which lives in the God-life which beats every physical heart. "The Kingdom of Heaven is WITHIN YOU!"—Jesus.

The word "God" as we use it today was originally spelled with two "oo's" or GOOD and that is exactly what God is—the Being, substance, the consciousness and activity of GOOD—EVERYWHERE PRESENT. The Bible tells us that "God is Love." Love, Life and Light are all synonymous and God is ALL of these. Now, in particular, let us think of God as LIFE. All that is has to begin somewhere, from some source like unto but greater than itself. The source of life manifesting as light and love is God and presents itself in various forms, animate and inanimate, all around us.

That which manifests as constructive form and activity, such as Divine Love, Light, Comfort, Health, Joy, Beauty, Plenty, etc., is the closest expression of Divinity on Earth. That which manifests as the opposite is so formed by the energy released from and by mankind who,

through the personal use of free-will, are at liberty to design and mold God's light substance (etheric substance in the atmosphere about us) according to their own desires and ideas. This is done through the use of thought and feeling—the only creative faculties anywhere in the Universe—freely given into the use of every man. Destructive use of thought and feeling lowers the vibratory action of pure etheric substance and while it cannot intrude upon or change the pure nature of God's light, the shadowed substance gathers around that light core and shuts in its luminosity. In scientific parlance, this activity is known as "atomic" substance (lowered vibration) around a core of pure light (the electron) in the centre. The pure energy in the electron, at the heart of the atom, is the POWER of God's love and light and mankind are constantly trying, through various mechanical devices, to find a way to "split the atom" and release that power for various uses. Up to the present time much of this power has been used destructively but it can and shall, in the future, be used to bless all life and make mankind's existence on this planet infinitely more beautiful and desirable.

"In the beginning, GOD created the Heavens and the Earth . . ." At the time of the creation of this planet the substance of the Earth was self-luminous, naturally emitting light. This condition prevailed for several millions of years on this Earth, during which time its inhabitants were innocent, pure and good. They knew nothing less than living the way of perfection, doing the Will of God. Their bodies were self-luminous also. They had no need of artificial light nor did they have to toil or struggle for the means to sustain their existence. They had all the powers of the Godhead Itself, for instance, the power of LEVITATION (being able to overcome the law of gravity, rising into the atmosphere and transporting the body wherever they wished to go); PRECIPITATION (drawing forth directly from the Universal substance food, clothing and everything good which they wished to use. None had to work "by the sweat of the brow").

During this period, the first three "Golden Ages" (which these eras were called) many millions completed their cycle of individualiza-

tion and returned to the Father, their Creator, in the beautiful activity known as "The Ascension." To achieve the Victory of the Ascension is the goal of every lifestream who takes embodiment on the Earth and takes the personal responsibility of constructively using God's LIFE to fulfill his or her own Divine Plan of Being.

Man came from GOD! LIGHT! PERFECTION! He took individualization in order to create and expand that PERFECTION by the use of the Law of Divine Love. Each one has a definite and exact design to manifest and when that is completed, that individual who fulfills his Divine Plan or Design, then naturally returns to the Source of His being, fulfilling the law of the circle.

In this Universe, nothing is "happenstance." There is a reason for everything. Inexorable (but beneficent) law governs all that is and compels perfect balance of all that fulfills God's Divine Plan, individually and Universal. Let us look at the "reason for being" for a moment. God, being LIFE, and the very nature of life being to reproduce and expand Itself, the nature of the Father of Life and Love and Light was to expand Himself into many parts, as it were, so that He might have something to love and expand His original perfection. The planet Earth was created to provide and sustain a place of perfection in the Universe where some of God's children (beings of light sent forth from His own heart) might create and expand happiness and every God virtue.

In our System, the planet Earth is one of 7 planets (at least 7 known to the world of men at this time). Three of these planets' evolutions preceded that of the Earth. However, all of the inhabitants on these preceding planets did not expand their light as fast as others. As the various planets proceeded upon their appointed course into more and more light and perfection of the Godhead (fulfilling their particular part of the Divine Plan), the "laggards" who did not proceed so fast, in order not to interfere with the forward movement of their own planet, were transferred to another planetary home of slower vibratory action.

In this particular instance, the planet Earth volunteered to be the host to these "laggards" and the shadows of lethargy and disobedience which they brought with them were contagious to the consciousness of the innocents on the Earth. Through their attention they began to dwell upon that which was less than God's perfection and thus began to create, through thought and feeling, imperfect forms and conditions for themselves which, after centuries of time, became the atmosphere of the planet and all the ills and distresses of our present day.

As mentioned above, during the first three "Golden Ages" (referred to in our Bible as "The Garden of Eden") there were millions who completed the fulfillment of their Divine Plan in that peace and glory, returning home in the victory of "The Ascension." This goal must be achieved at some time by every life-stream who has accepted the responsibility of self-conscious living. The Beloved Ascended Master Jesus Christ took embodiment on Earth and during his last embodiment on this planet his daily living gave the example of God's Way of Life—"He that hath seen me HATH SEEN THE FATHER" He said. In that life He also made the etheric record of the Transfiguration of His physical form into light, the miracle of the Resurrection and the actual Ascension of His outer form into the Realms of Light in the physical presence of some 500 souls. The Bible says "to this end was He born and for this cause came He into the world, that He might be the example for many." In an old hymn "Where He leads I'll follow" which many of you know, there are the words "He the great Example is the PATTERN for me." As you know, a "pattern," if followed, makes possible the exact duplication of that design indefinitely. The beloved Jesus also said "The things that I HAVE DONE SHALL YE DO ALSO and greater things than these shall YE do. . . . , BECAUSE I GO TO MY FATHER" because from that height of perfection He would be able to help in even greater degree, all who desired to be like Him.

The beloved Jesus ascended more or less recently when considered in the light of those who gained that victory during those first three

"Golden Ages" of which we previously spoke. Some of those, after They had attained Their Freedom, having become the FULLNESS of Divine Compassion, turned Their attention back upon the Earth, to those They loved who were still following on, caught in the chains of their own and others' human creation. Those Who had set themselves free attempted then by radiation of light and love and knowledge born of experience to lift mankind's attention away from the shadows into Their light, holding it there long enough to melt those "chains" of limitation and discord. These are the Cosmic Beings and Ascended Masters spoken of in our little journal "The Bridge to Freedom."

Some of these beings—especially those mentioned in the center spread of the journal as "The Masters of Wisdom Speak," are rather well-known to many of us through association with them in the past and having read about them and their lives and works in history. For instance, the Beloved Maha Chohan (which name means "Highest Lord") was, in one embodiment in Earth life the blind poet Homer Who wrote "The Iliad and The Odyssey"; our beloved El Morya some of us may recall as "Melchior" one of "The Three Wise Men" and He was also King Arthur of "The Knights of the Round Table" fame; our beloved Kuthumi was in one embodiment "Pythagoras," the great Sage; Paul, the Venetian, was "Paul Veronese" the great Italian painter of the Renaissance; our beloved Serapis Bey was in ancient times Leonidas, King of Sparta (about 450 B.C.); our beloved Hilarion was in one embodiment the apostle "Paul" of Bible times; our beloved Jesus the Christ was "Joshua" who led the Israelites into the "Promised Land" and many other wonderful servants of The Light through the ages; our beloved Saint Germain is perhaps better known as some of His embodiments before the Ascension, for instance as the prophet Samuel, Paracelsus, Christopher Columbus, Francis Bacon (who wrote the Shakespearean plays) and many others.

These great Beings Who have personally freed Themselves from the wheel of birth and re-birth by the application and use of co-operation with

and obedience to the very Laws of Life, by which They set Themselves free from the magnetic pull of Earth, the things of Earth and all human creation, are now endeavoring to teach mankind those very laws. Having personally passed through the activities of the Transfiguration, Resurrection and Ascension, They have earned Their eternal release and live today forever free from pain, impurity and discord of every kind. They abide, have Their homes and being in the Ascended Masters' octave which is above the atmosphere of this Earth. They sometimes have focuses of Their activities to assist mankind right here in physical buildings on the Earth's surface which They visit periodically in visible, tangible bodies so as to be able to contact more closely mankind in their own environment and atmosphere. The beloved Maha Chohan has such a focus, so have the Master El Morya, Kuthumi and Saint Germain. As a rule the mankind They contact in such association do not know Them to be Ascended Masters for They resemble in every way the mankind of Earth, except that Their radiation and Way of Life is superior and all They contact feel that great blessing of love and light.

These Great Beings are attempting at this time through "THE BRIDGE" of mankind's attention upon Them and the Perfection They represent, to raise mankind individually and en masse, IF MANKIND WILL RESPOND TO THEIR LOVING INSTRUCTION SO FREELY GIVEN—to free the Earth and all within and upon It, from that which God NEVER INTENDED TO BE!

"Utopias" have been sought and sung about in every age and every land by those who had the desire and the vision to bring BACK UPON THIS PLANET EARTH a state of perfection and general well-being to its inhabitants. UNBELIEVABLE AS IT MAY SEEM, THIS CAN BE DONE and IT SHALL BE DONE slowly at first, perhaps, but it is the ULTIMATE for this Earth and her people. It is the Divine Command of the God Creator of the Universe that it MUST—AT THIS TIME—EMIT MORE LIGHT and express the purpose of Its being, through its people. We live in THAT TIME—RIGHT NOW—the "vestibule" as it were, of the PERMANENT "GOLDEN AGE" for this Earth.

We who live today have the unprecedented opportunity of helping to bring this into daily experience by our daily attention upon and loving co-operation with these Masters. Their instruction in "The Bridge to Freedom" has never been previously published on this planet at any time. IT IS TRUE, CURRENT and VERY PRACTICAL. LOOK INTO IT FURTHER AND CONVINCE YOURSELF OF THIS TRUTH.

LOOK WELL TO THIS DAY! LOOK WELL TO THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SET YOUR OWN PERSONAL WORLD IN ORDER BY THE HELP OF THE MASTERS *while it is available* and enjoy the happiness, health and all God-good intended for you to enjoy from the beginning.

This is a VERY brief explanation of OUR PURPOSE. We have tried to give some insight into that which is published in "The Bridge to Freedom" (our little journal), our books and "The Bulletin" which is a weekly release of more esoteric study given every 7 days by the Beloved Maha Chohan Himself, a blessing very little understood by the average man.

Some folks enjoy meeting with others and working harmoniously together in a common Cause for the good of the whole. Where this can be done it is very desirable indeed. It is the hope of the Great Ones that such groups can be formed in various localities and there are some so started. Perhaps there is one in your locality.

If you are so interested, contact our headquarters and we shall be glad to advise you of such focuses. Thank you and God bless you for your interest in our humble endeavors.



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