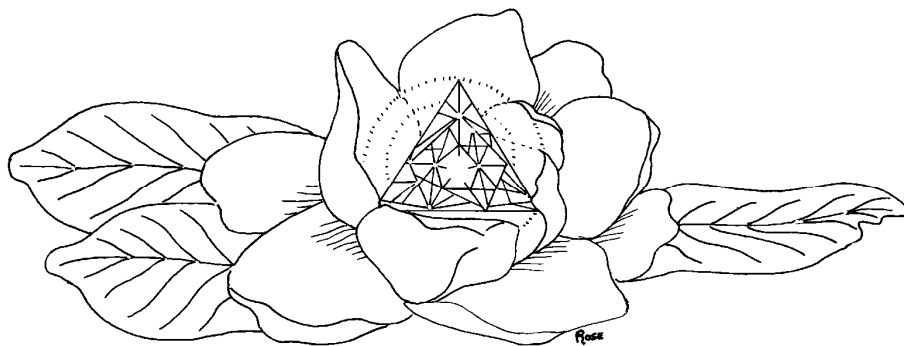


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Editors Note: *The following talk was given at the Gemini Festival in 2006. It pointed toward our disciplic work in this present out breathing cycle. We reproduce it now to encourage and inspire us as we face the tests of Scorpio.*

Emergence: Bridging The Light

In 1939, the Master DK disseminated a mantram, to the collective ashram, that he was bringing into full activity. This mantram was called the Mantram of Unification. He gave that mantram in an effort to stimulate telepathic interplay and to bring the group into a unified oneness. We use that mantram from time to time. I would like to start our meeting with that mantram.

***The sons of men are one,
And I am one with them.
I seek to love, not hate;
I seek to serve and not exact due
service;
I seek to heal, not hurt.***

***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.***

We have attended many of these festivals; there is much that has been said. These three festivals for eons have been of major importance for all Hierarchical activity related to our planet. The efforts of all of our elder brothers and sisters down through the years have been to enable a

down-pouring of energy into humanity in order to stimulate their ability to receive these impulses and energies to promulgate the Plan on earth.

The Christ in closest cooperation with the Buddha is charged, as the leader and the head of the Hierarchy, with distributing this energy to humanity. But moreover, more important for us, He is the leader of the New Group of World Servers, and in reality, that energy is distributed to us to disseminate to humanity. And as part of the Hierarchical chain of energetic movement, we have a unique opportunity.

These festivals have, down through the years, been a key part of what the Masters of the Hierarchy were attempting to formulate in our minds as well as precipitate on earth, the strategies and activities of the overall Will of God. Back in 1944 a significant effort was going on. As a result of the waxing of that battle between the forces of Life and the forces of materialism, these festivals were again utilized as they had been year after year, to stimulate world discipleship into a significant push to bring about the close of that particular war.

An attempt was being made by Hierarchy to enable humanity to begin to seal the door of evil. In a series of addresses that the Master DK gave, He outlined the mantric usage that had been used during the years. A series of the stanzas of the Great Invocation had been given, and a new stanza of the Great Invocation was about to be given. He had outlined what he

had termed as the Christ's unique opportunity—its lore and legend and, something that we may not be able to register in our brain, that the Christ during the June festival preaches the last sermon of the Buddha. Christ also preaches His sermon of the Beatitudes.

In order to precipitate an end to a bad chapter in human history, in that particular full moon of June of April 1944, Christ was to bring out a significant mantram that we know as the Great Invocation, but with much more complex word uses and word energies. As we know, in 1945 WWII came to an end. This is just an example of how festival after festival, year after year, cycle after cycle, the Hierarchy has utilized these particular moons, these special spiritually reflective moons, to stimulate the minds and hearts of men. Our job now, as part of the New Group of World Servers, is to generate an additional download of energy, into planet earth, into humanity, to fulfill our part of the jurisdiction of the Christ.

Christ In Us

Many people have a number of different concepts regarding the Christ. We all know because of our learning and our teaching that there is more to it than what humanity and religion have created around that particular personage. The important part that we want to concentrate upon tonight ideally is "Christ in us". There are a number of different ways to express what it is that Christ would have us do. My concentration this evening will be on how we can be adequate transducers for the energy of the Christ.

In a letter in DINA II, there is a statement by the Master DK that he had written back in August of 1949 after the close of the war. He indicates a particular issue

regarding disciples. *"As long as your state of awareness lays emphasis upon the fact of your individuality, the group idea cannot take form as a group ideal. The sense of separateness is still present. It is a sense which has been laboriously developed—under evolutionary law—from the moment when your soul decided to experiment, to experience, and to express divinity. Separative effort, separative emotional reactions and separative materialistic endeavor have been (if I may so express it) the spiritual essentials which must perform precede group effort and conscious group relations. The factor entailed, therefore, is a definite 'break with the past,' and the entering into a new state of awareness—an awareness which is fundamentally inclusive and not exclusive.*

This is a primary platitude of which you are well aware. In most of you this platitude remains a mental proposition. You hope some day to arrive at this basic sense of inclusiveness which is characteristic of the Hierarchy. At present you do not feel fused, blended, and incorporated into the mental, astral and etheric auras of those who form the group of which you know yourselves to be a part. I would ask you to study what I just said with care. Do you like, for instance, to penetrate into the mental atmosphere of a fellow member, or do you care to have him penetrate into yours and thus find out what is the content of your thought? A major test is here involved, and is one which you will have someday to face. Do you, again, like to share your emotional reactions with a co-disciple? Are you interested in his? If so, why? Some day this responding interest must prove itself effective, and this must necessarily connote self-sacrifice, in both directions. Do you want or deem it appropriate to have a fellow-worker come

under the influence of your etheric body and, therefore, of the energies which flow through it? And do you want his energies to flow through you?" **Discipleship In The New Age Vol. II P. 94-5**

We have lived many lives, we have incarnated down through the years, with the express purpose of bringing about our part of the plan. For some reason or other, when we come into incarnation, our brains forget what our soul has agreed to do, and we spend quite some time, sometimes, attempting to recapitulate this knowledge.

In this particular incarnation, all of us were drawn together in this group. We have talked about it many times. As I have reflected upon my own life, I have attempted to fully comprehend just when I came under the impression of the Hierarchy and the Spirit. It was an elemental lesson for me to do so.

Sometimes as disciples we feel alone, we feel blocked. We feel like there is no rhyme or reason to what is going on because of those moments of darkness into which we descend. We forget sometimes that we are surrounded by a sea of energies, and that we are, for all intents and purposes, aware of what is guiding us. As a young man, as a child, I was impelled along a path which led me ultimately to this moment. At each juncture of the road, as I look upon it and realize the crisis, the catastrophes, the disasters that occurred along the way, those things were part and parcel to my recollection, to my ability to let go of those personality

issues that were blocking higher mind development and spiritual receptivity.

We are transducers for the Christ, but we are not always adequate distributors of energy. Therein lies our problem. We have developed as individuals to a point where we became group conscious. That group consciousness is the mark of the soul. The soul is automatically group conscious.

We have talked a lot in our group regarding the development of the heart center of our country. We are taught by the Master DK that there is really no individual awakening of the heart center. It is only a group activity. The heart center is awakened as a function of group activity.

There is a movement throughout all of our lives that enabled us at some point in time to become

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receptive to the arc of thought that was embodied in the Master DK, in the Master Morya, and in the Master Rakozzi, and to all the other Masters who stand in their serried ranks serving and attempting to bring forth what the Christ has mandated as a function of the will of God.

Our planet right now is at a significant juncture. We are not faced with the kinds of actions that occurred sixty years ago, but I would submit to you that there are key issues occurring on the planet today that bear 'cause for pause'. There is in a way a recapitulation of certain forces that the forces of evil attempted to bring forth back in that day, back during the area of the Atlantean conflict, of which World War II was a part.

There was unfortunately a partial unsealing of the door of evil in 1947, and the Master DK. attempted to bring our attention to that. Therefore it is on a higher spiral, on a higher turn of the spiral that we face still the forces of materialism attempting to stifle, to block the awareness of men's soul, if not destroy it. The Christ and all of those elder brothers and sisters are attempting in a concerted way, I believe, in this particular series of moons, in this particular year, to enable world discipleship, our group, our group which goes beyond this particular room, this particular veil, to amalgamate our efforts in an heightened manner.

A key part, I believe, in fulfilling the role of the New Group of World Servers and being the disciples and initiates that we most certainly are, is simply fully and truly understanding and comprehending who and what we are. We are soul infused personalities. But just what does that mean? In reality, we are Divinity. We are the potential of God in man on earth.

The facilitation of the Kingdom of God on earth goes through several stages. We know all of those. We have meditated on them. We know that the jurisdiction of the Christ is predicated on our ability to live out the Laws and the Principles.

We can't even begin to live out the Laws and the Principles until we have really moved into a firm and clear meditative practice, and to know that there is a meditative practice ongoing all the time. The universe, the solar system, the planet,

came into being and resides in its being as a result of that constant Ashramic meditation. We know that our group mediation activities are an attempt to harness the energy, to adapt the rhythm, of that constant meditation.

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Humanity today is struggling. I as a disciple daily struggle. There is much right now at play that is gripping us. The soul of humanity is crying out. I

had spoken three years ago regarding the fact that we are the divine interdiction, and that at that time as a group we were meditating very fully on a strategy that would essentially bring about what it is that is occurring today within our network of groups: a firm clear concerted effort at the development of the antahkarana, a firm clear development of group consciousness, and a heightened awareness of our need for more love, the ability to demonstrate that Christ love, the loving understanding, that is His. Without our reflecting in a clear way, that aspect of the Christ, to men, to women, to children on the streets, if we just talk about it without reflecting it, without being it, it is just empty words.

We've seen the Christian Church now for 2000 years, stumble. We've seen world religions move toward fanaticism, confusion, principally because man does not know really who or what he is. In a discussion regarding the Oversoul and the Cosmic Christ, the Master DK points out that, ***"In the downward and upward flow of divine life, as it expresses itself through the involutory and***

evolutionary urges, humanity constitutes one of the fundamental 'original centers of force' which can and will form an outpost of the divine Consciousness, an expression of the divine Psyche, manifesting eventually those three outstanding psychological characteristics of divinity: Light, Energy, and Magnetism. In the human being, the microcosmic reflection of the Macrocosm, these qualities are expressed by the words: Illumination, or Wisdom, Intelligent Activity, and Attractiveness or Love. It is well to ponder upon this attempt to simply express the divine potencies into words, and thus to indicate how they might express themselves in and through a human vehicle." Esoteric Psychology Vol. II P. 226

We have been working now for quite some time. Arcana has been in formulation now for forty years. We have been working with clear intent for quite a few years in the salvaging of the vehicles, in the allowing the natural processes in the awakening of the centers to occur. This has occurred as a result of our mediation activity, and we know again, because of the alignment which has been produced, which has been created, that there is soul dominance at play.

When we fully recognize and anchor in our brain, the divinity within us, the divinity which is in each and every one of us, and recognize the oneness of the soul—within the One Life there is One soul—when we, as disciples, recognize the soul in all things, in all of the lower kingdoms, as well as in each other, in the ones in whom we attempt to serve, a significant thing happens. A reorientation of our whole perspective on life comes into play. It is

an interesting if not humbling realization, because only then can that full display of loving understanding fully occur.

We know that humanity is fractionalized. We know that things are confused and many are caught up in all kinds of various and sundry dislikes, hatreds, angers, various and sundry 'isms'. A flash of light will come into the consciousness of the server and in all of his zeal and exuberance, he will go out and develop something that is not appropriate. There is a story that Krishnamurti tells. Two friends were walking down the road. They were discussing the "truth" and the "secrets of the universe". One friend was very inspired. He thought he had discovered the entirety of the truth, and he was inditing his friend into the knowledge. Finally a third person joined their party. This third person was the devil. He was walking along with them listening as they are jabbering away. The one friend looks at the devil and says, "Hey, don't you hear him talking? Aren't you going to stop him? What are you going to say?" The devil said, "Well, I don't need to stop him. He will just organize it."

And so we see the fossilization and the crystallization that occurs so much of the time in our attempt to serve humanity and in our attempt to transduce the energy and the series of revelations and expansions of consciousness that we have in our spiritual growth. We know, because of the incoming seventh Ray that we are not attached to form. That does not mean that there is a despising of form, any more than because we are living spirits we don't acknowledge the reality of matter.

There is spirit, there is consciousness, and there is

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matter. The triplicity law that exhibits itself throughout our spiritual lives is one that is worthy of recognition. In these series of triplicities we find the reality of the true nature of who and what we are. My sense is that once we fully have anchored this in our own brain consciousness, then, with that loving understanding that comes from that central realization, we can more clearly impart those revelations and the energy that we are registering in such a manner that right force can be utilized throughout the world.

The poignancy of where we are right now within the political scene, not only in America but around the planet, the crises that are at play, throughout all the various countries and lands, the acceleration of the forces of materialism, not centered in any particular nation this time, but spread throughout the world, calls for a higher level of discernment by the world disciple. Things are not as white and black, not as clear-cut as they perhaps were back during the times of Nazi Germany when national gangsterism had run rampant. We see now a situation where the very liberty, freedom and right of humanity in order to pursue its soul dominance is at threat. We see our ability to discuss these things freely at risk. We see that materialism, the love of money, the pursuit of it, the ruthlessness at play, in every quadrant, is really at an all time high.

On the one hand we could be concerned to the point of some type of precipitous action. But because of what we have learned, because of what we know, we have learned not to trust appearances. We really have in a way learned to search for meaning with an attempt to move into cause. We are to be precipitators at the causal level.

The effects of the down-pouring of energy for all these years, sixty years, have transpired since the Master DK wrote most of the things that are comprised in his books. Certain things seem to have not changed, but much has. A full worldwide development of esoteric groups, of spiritual groups and spiritual groups centered around the ageless wisdom is at play. There are also many other spiritual groups, believers, so to speak, knowers, who are working along similar lines, perhaps expressed differently, but again, components within humanity who have responded to these spiritual impulsive energies.

We take great joy in that. There is evidence that the meditative work, that the consistency of activity by certain of you for all these years, and for all of us in our own lives, has brought about a tremendous response in humanity.

Now as we receive the energies that the Christ is sending, we know that there is a clear-cut and definitive part that we are to play. Alignment, whatever we feel we know, whatever it is that we have attained in these series of incarnations leading up until now, is really for one purpose, and that is to fulfill our part of the Plan. The Plan is something that goes beyond our ability to describe in words; it goes even beyond the Master DK's. He has given us hints. Those hints are valid, mind boggling. They are significant.

We have talked before regarding the subjective telepathic synthesis that is a part of that Plan that will render us omnipresent. How can that be? It must be as a result of that One Life. It must be as a result of us fully comprehending the divinity

that is within us, and the divinity that is within all. There is a significant purpose in humanity being a focal point, a center of energy. That is also a part of the Plan. Our planet, within the construct of our local system, within the construct of our Solar System, is to be that same focal point of energy. This is another layer and component of the Plan.

There is a vast and large equation to what the 'One About Whom Naught Can Be Said' has ushered into reality. We in our own little world are to gain dominion over that. There is a sentence in the Old Testament, written by one of the great prophets, "Be ye perfect, even as your Father in Heaven is perfect."

We know that our monadic consciousness is coming into play as a result of the alignment that we have anchored. This alignment is not an individual alignment. It is a group alignment. The group has gone through many struggles. There have been things that have happened that we consider to not be a part of right human relations. We are experimenting and experiencing, and constantly recognizing when an error has been made. And we have the opportunity to rectify it.

If the world discipleship, and if we as disciples and servers cannot find that telepathic interplay that has been the goal of the Hierarchy now for generations, then how can we be clear transducers and transmitters of Christ's energy to humanity. We know that there are struggles within the group life. There are groups now that are having their own. The principle reason is the glamour and the illusion that is now affecting not only humanity but in certain instances we ourselves. The only rectification for that is more light, more

illumination. And that comes through the meditative work. Tonight, we have the opportunity once again, to join in the group meditation, which is a part of the Ashramic meditation, which is the download of that illumination.

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