

Don't always Accept the Teachings from Spirit as being Gospel *By Estelle Roberts 2014*

Sometimes things are said at meetings such as this but they are merely said in jest and that is something which so many people upon the Earth Plane have difficulty in comprehending. That just because we have left the Earth Plane we have not devoided ourselves with humour and to a certain degree, negativity. It is not a concept people ever think about is it? That your friends, your guides who come to talk to you, none of them have totally rid themselves of all negativity.

You might find that a very strange statement especially considering some of the people who we have had the pleasure of having at our meetings but even when you are at one with the Heavenly Host you have a certain amount of negativity within your being. The only difference is by the time you have reached that vibration you have the ability to quash any thoughts which occur within that negative vibration. If we didn't have that essence of negativity how do you think we would have devolved in the manner that we did and that is something that people have not considered. People accept that they have negative traits upon the Earth Plane, that they have the ability to judge and get angry and they expect, and I'm talking generally now, that all your friends who come to visit you have advanced to the stage where all negative traits have been removed from their being.

This of course is illogical because if that was the case every person who comes through would have to have evolved from the 7th plane would they not? And therefore the friends who come to visit you who are from the Summerland, and there are many who come who are from the Summerland, they have not purified themselves to the level which people expect. And this is a problem that we have within our teachings because a lot of the mediums that we use are being utilised by beings, people, who are not necessarily of the highest vibration. But what happens? Their teachings go out and it is ascribed to teachings from spirit and just because it is teachings from spirit it is assumed that it has to be of the same standard as that of the teachings of the Nazarene.

This concept is something that we have to eliminate. We have to educate people in the knowledge that all teachings are not to be taken as gospel. And that is a very difficult

concept for people to grasp. It is a difficult enough concept to grasp that we who have left the veil of the Earth Plane come down and speak to you in the physical plane, the material plane. So once that concept has been understood and accepted it is understood or considered that all utterances have to be of the highest order. So be very careful when you look at writings, when you look at the teachings which have been asserted as coming from spirit that some of these are tainted by the knowledge and purity of the individual who is passing on the information.

Not all teachers, to use your schooling example, are university level. Some of the teachers are kindergarten level and this is perfectly acceptable because until you get a full grasp of what life is about it in its completeness, your level of acceptance starts off at kindergarten level and then you mature and the level of teachers and teachings improve. So what happens if you are in a group where the level of teachings are at a lower level? The answer is simple. You are guided towards another group where the teachings are more attuned to where you have reached and conversely the opposite is true. If your level of understanding, or your level of acceptance, is only at a kindergarten level, then you will be taken out of the group of higher teachings and put into a group where the teachings are more attuned to your level of acceptance.

You may question what happens if somebody who has very little knowledge comes into contact with a group who has higher teachings. How does that equate? Well if the individual has the capacity to understand and progress, then the teachings which are given to them will be at a level that they can understand and they will grasp the teachings fairly quickly until their level of understanding is brought up to the level of the rest of the group. This is why at times we have people who come and go. It's because their level of vibration isn't in conformity with the level of vibration of the group and equally their level of vibration cannot be brought, or their level of understanding sorry, cannot be brought up to an acceptable level within the group. So then we move them on and allow their progress to proceed in a manner which is concurrent with their thoughts.

I hope my short explanation has been of assistance to those who were wondering. It is no use giving people teachings and talks if it is outside their level of acceptance and comfort zone. So we have to be very selective and careful on how we portray ourselves because when somebody first comes into our group, our teachings, they know very little do they?

That is true.

But that doesn't mean that they cannot be brought up to the level of understanding which is required, if they have the capabilities within their being, the purity within their heart.

It's very difficult for people who know so much and then they want to go out and spread the teachings and they fall down because they do not bring their explanation down to the level which the people who are asking the question are ready to receive. And this is when you hit a blank wall because what you are saying to them is outside their level of understanding at that point in time.

Is there anything on which I have not made myself clear?

If the teachings are but information and people avail themselves to misinformation, how's that information of teachings translated to their betterment?

The teachings, once you receive the teachings, once you receive an understanding of the reasoning behind your visitation to the Earth Plane, then with the teachings you can understand how you can improve the being within. How you can improve the love. How you can overcome the negative traits which are previously part of your normality. That is what comes from absorbing the teachings but a lot of people when they are given the teachings find that it goes against the way they have been brought up and the way they react. So therefore with the teachings they get an understanding that their behaviour, their thoughts, are not in accord with their journey forward.

If they do not accept that, if they do not utilise that information, then what will occur? They will not progress at the same rate as if they had accepted, so their journey forward will be extended because the understanding will be forthcoming but it won't necessarily be forthcoming on this visitation to the Earth Plane. Does that make it clear my friend?

It does. I understand that it's a very delicate process.

Yes and you are not in a position to understand how or if the other individual has accepted the teachings or not. But equally it is not up to you to judge whether they have or whether they haven't and equally it is not up to you to feel bad if what you have said has fallen on stony ground. It is their problem not yours.

It is a very difficult thing to fully accept though when you want to deliver the teachings and you would like everybody to understand and accept them. And this is not a bad trait. But do not condemn yourself if what you are trying to say is rejected or not taken up. It is not your problem. It is the recipient's problem and therefore it is their progress or lack thereof, which will be a result.

It is always good to have questions because with questions we can explain things which might well resonate with other sitters and other people because I'm very pleased to say that when we come to our meeting there is a small gathering on this side who actually come to listen to me. I find that very humbling. The learning and the teachings are not restricted to the people of the Earth Plane. Just because you leave your physicality, your material body, the necessity and the importance of learning continues and if you haven't learnt it on the Earth Plane then the teachings that we give are as important when you are in the astral sphere as they are when you are in the material sphere. And that is a concept that people find very difficult to understand, but when you accept the fact that once you have left the Earth Plane you are exactly the same individual mentally as you were when you occupied a physical body, then the understanding that knowledge is required to advance your being, to advance your thinking, where do you think people get this knowledge?

The answer is twofold, or correction threefold. One from their guide and mentor, two from the Halls of Learning and three from visitations to meetings such as ours in which they are exposed to learning. Because if you have no knowledge of how to advance on the Earth Plane, that information isn't automatically impregnated into your being once you leave the Earth Plane. You still have to absorb that knowledge. You still have to absorb that understanding.

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