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The Spreading of Knowledge

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Maurice, just in case you hadn't realized. I am very passionate about spreading the word of spirituality. It is a passion I had whilst I was upon the Earth Plane and that passion continues now I am divested of the encumbrance of a physical body. I am still the same person. I am still the same being. A lot of people make that mistake you know. They feel that just because you have lost the physical body you have lost all your humanity, all your human traits. You don't. All you lose is the physical body. You don't think any different. Every jealous thought that you ever had is still in part of your being. It's just that once you have lost the physical body you are more aware of the negative effect it is having upon your being and therefore you are more inclined to want to remove it.

I have dealt with the narrow minded establishment. It doesn't only occur in the spiritualist world. You do realise there are many people who profess to be teaching the gospel. Whether that teaching happens to be of the Christian religion, the Muslim religion, the teachings of Buddha or other denominations, the people who have placed themselves in a position of trust, a position of knowledge, take it upon themselves to consider that they are therefore much more evolved than the people who come to hear. The people who they have been given the privilege of passing their knowledge on to.

How wrong this is. Knowledge is something which is to be given out freely. It is not something which you should put a price upon. The fact that you have more knowledge than another means that you are in the unique position to be able to convey that knowledge. You are in a position of trust, You are in a position in which you are to enlighten. How can a person who is enlightened consider that they are better than their fellow man. It is an unfortunate situation that the hierarchy of most denominations consider that they are in some way superior to the congregation.

My friend, my guide, always instilled upon myself that knowledge is a gift. Knowledge is a gift which is to be shared. Do not have knowledge and keep it to yourself. If you have knowledge share it, share it with your fellow man. When you have knowledge of spirit the majority of the people within your country will spurn you. They will consider in one way or another you are a little bit loopy. You are obviously not totally within the realms of normality. You might even be considered a person who is suitable for treatment in the asylums. After all what are you saying, you have been given teachings from dead people. You must be a bit loony I am sure you must agree. I mean how can you get teachings from dead people? How can you get knowledge from those who you cannot see? It must be your imagination. You must be fantasizing. You must be in a world of your own.

All these statements have been placed at my footsteps. But you possess a great gift. You possess the gift of understanding. You possess the gift of knowledge and acceptance of the continuation of your spirit form beyond the confines of the material world.

Is it not said in one of the Seven Principles, the acceptance of the continuation of the human soul? This is said, but is it really understood, or is it just words. We accept the words that there is a continuation of the human soul, but then in the next breath we talk about Aunt Mary who died. How can she have died if there is a continuation of life? She passed from the physical form, from the world of physical matter into the world of spirit. It is merely a transition, a transition from one life form to another. And it isn't really even a transition from one life form to another. All you have done is removed the outer casing which encompasses your real being. Your real being is released like a butterfly who escapes from the cocoon into a more beautiful being than they were before.

You are the caterpillars. When you divest yourselves of the physical body, you become the butterfly. You become a magnificent form of your former being. Your former being is still there. The essence of the butterfly is still there, but the beauty, the beauty is for others to see. You never see you own evolvment. You never see the colour of your own aura. This might be a surprise because you can see others. You can see the auras of all those around you. But your own aura is something which will remain a mystery to yourselves. You cannot see, you cannot see because you are within. You are within the aura, you are not without.

When you are on the outside you can look in. From the inside you can look out, but you cannot see. Others can look upon you. They can see your development. They can see your faults. They can see how far you have evolved in the quest of perfecting the love within. The perfection, the perfecting of the love is what life ultimately is all about.

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