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Love and Humility is the Way Back

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I am going to tell you something which might be a total shock to you all. You will never perfect yourselves to the point you become perfect love. Even when you are at the level of purity to be accepted back within the Heavenly Host, you are still not then a being of perfect love. There is still a small spark where you have to progress. I do not know what happens after that point. I only know that when you have reached that point, you have reached a point where you are almost perfect. Almost. So do not criticise yourselves. Do not put yourselves down because you have failings. We all have failings. We all have the curse of pride. We all have a spark of jealousy. We all have a spark of lacking in humility. When I say we all have these negative traits, when you have advanced to the level of Silver Birch, Red Cloud and many more I could mention, these negative traits are so small as they almost render themselves insignificant. But they are still there. They still have the capacity of reducing that being to the levels that we denigrated ourselves to. After all my friends, we were all there.

How do you think we got down to the level we did if these sparks of negativity weren't part of our being? They were part of our being and we enjoyed the reverence which the unenlightened souls that we were sent to help cast upon us. As this reverence was placed upon our laps that spark of negativity grew, but it could not have grown if that spark hadn't have been there in the first place. So we all have to conquer this demon, this demon which is within us all. None of us are unique. None of us have the divine gift of infinite and absolute purity. So don't condemn yourselves my friends. Do not judge yourselves harshly. Not one of you is in a position to judge yourselves. If you do you judge far more harshly than is befitting to your being. Do not judge. Live your lives as best as you see fit. Try as much as you can to help your fellow man.

There will always be people who will try to bring you down. There will always be people who, because of their own insecurities, will spread rumours and negative vibrations towards you. This is only because they are incapable of understanding the true teachings of spirit, the true teachings of spirituality. My friends, I want you to be above these feelings of needing to bring somebody down, needing to feel superior, needing to disclaim their teachings or their sayings. Respect other peoples' teachings. They might be different from your own but it is what they believe. Show that your teachings are pure. Show that by your being. Show that by the fact that you do not retaliate. You do not drag yourselves down to their level but equally you do not act superior. Try and be humble. Be humble in your dealings with your fellow man.

The Nazarene was the epitome of humility. It would have been so easy in his prime to be proud, to consider that he was something special. Other people considered that he was special. He never did. He had the humility within him to talk to all who approached with humility in his heart. He did not try to put himself above others because of the knowledge which he had, because of the ability he had invested upon him. He could so easily have walked with a haughty behaviour, a pride, a feeling of superiority, but he did not. He walked

humbly amongst those who came to listen to his teachings and even when they tried to change, to change the direction of his teachings, he would not allow this. He told his fellows, his friends, his disciples, that the teachings of love will eventually convert all nations so that eventually all nations will aspire to be as one with the Father, the Great Master, Allah, or whatever else people would like to call the Great Master. It doesn't matter. It is all the same.

When we can all look at the Great Master, the Great Spirit and look towards him and feel that we have earnt the right to stand by his side, then we have truly achieved what we have set out to do. But my friends in reality what have we achieved? All we have achieved is to return our being to that from which we were prior to our misadventure. The very fact that we were there, we were at one, because of that do not ever consider that it is beyond your capabilities. It is your divine duty to return. You were there. We were there. Let us all get back. Let us all return to the glories which were part of our being, part of our being before, so it will be part of our being in the future.

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