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Member contributions

Naught holds me now except the bonds of love I hold in my own soul. Throughout this lesson, the progression of seed thoughts relating to freedom, detachment, purification, light, and service culminate naturally in **release** represented by this month's seed thought. What occurs to me is that there is an incredible sense of freedom when the personality can submit to the will of the Soul; when integration is perfected, such that nothing from the material world can have a lasting effect on the individual. With the realization of the purpose of this physical existence on Earth, and the possibilities for Humanity when the masses are more enlightened, the sense of inner peace created is more valuable than any material possession one could possibly imagine. (From a student's monthly report)



Together we are always stronger. The unification required to work as a group requires right relationships. In reality we are connected, but when entering manifestation we are at first dependent, then become self-conscious — which tends to separate us for a while, sometimes for a long while. The study of the Ageless Wisdom is one way to regain the knowledge that we come from the One and are One. The symbols, sounds, visuals and powerful words of ancient wisdom lead us out of the illusion of separateness towards the reality of unity. Once we recognize we were always connected and start to work on relating, we recognize the law of repulsion and attraction coming into play. Invoking this law, we can maintain appropriate distance between individuals in the moment that will build the best relationship in the long run. We must be outward going and make courageous use of our particular talents in the construction of relationships. Identification with others helps us to work intelligently to build relationships; finding the good in people and dealing with the not so good. Divine Will is energizing the many good works already in progress, starting the establishment of new traditions that build relationships and bind us together. For those who fight this evolution there will be pain. The wisdom teaching will help explain the change, and the pain will pass once the joy of the new arrangement starts. In the new arrangement, our souls will start to show through, and differences in others will be looked on as exciting, interesting and useful within group projects. We will all be bringing a separate ingredient to the human stew. Warriors of reality will prevail and we will lose our taste for soap opera. (From a member's contribution)

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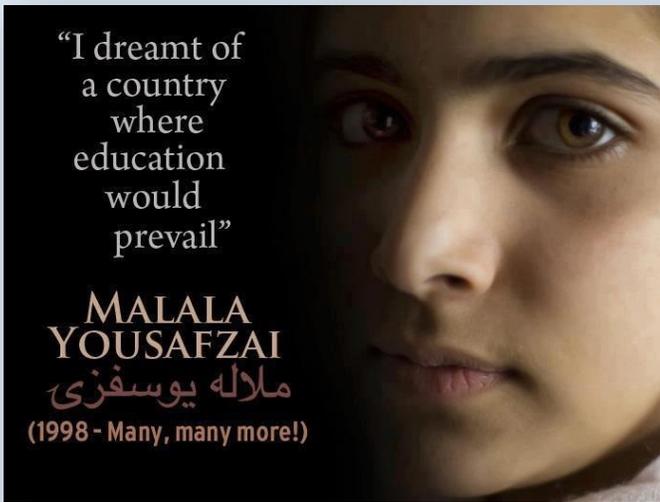
NGWS around the world

MAMA HOPE works in close partnership with local African organizations to connect them with the resources required to transform their own communities.

LEONARDO BOFF, a Brazilian theologian and writer, known for his active support for the rights of the poor and excluded. He currently serves as Professor Emeritus of Ethics, Philosophy of Religion and Ecology at the Rio de Janeiro State University.

WILD WOMYN WISDOM is dedicated to building community and creating a sacred and supportive space for all women through a far-reaching view that celebrates the ancient journey of the Feminine Divine.

Member contributions



I had a refreshing insight into the principle of forgiveness and reconciliation (to offset retaliation) by listening to Malala Yousafzai, the 16-year-old girl from Pakistan who has become a global advocate for the education of girls. When asked what she would do (before she was actually shot) if a member of the Taliban came to her house and threatened to harm her, she reported that at first she thought she would hit the attacker with a shoe. But then she said to herself: "Malala, if you hit a Talib, then there would be no difference between you and the Talib. You must not treat others with cruelty...You must fight others through peace and through dialogue and through education...I would tell him how important education is and that I would even want education for your children as well. That's what I want to tell you. Now do what you want." The following day, I noticed that during the night, somebody had stolen my doormat. My first reaction was anger at the people who do not respect other people's property. But

then I realized that if Malala could respond with love to somebody who would threaten her physical integrity, I certainly could do the same to somebody who takes a doormat. I sent thoughts of love to the person; I went out and bought another doormat and released the incident into Spirit. (From a student's monthly report)

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The Great Invocation

From the point of Light within the Mind of God
 Let light stream forth into human minds.
 Let Light descend to Earth.

From the point of Love within the Heart of God
 Let Love stream forth into human hearts.
 May the Coming One return to Earth.

From the center where the Will of God is known
 Let purpose guide all little human wills,
 The purpose which the Masters
 know and serve.

From the center which we call the human race
 Let the Plan of Love and Light work out
 And may it seal the door where evil dwells.

Let Light and Love and Power restore the Plan
 on Earth.

Invocation

Within the Mind of God
 Descend to Earth.

Within the Heart of God
 One return to Earth.

The Will of God is known
 All little human wills,
 Obey the Masters
 And serve.

We call the human race
 And Light work out
 The door where evil dwells.

Power restore the Plan
 on Earth.

Quote of the Season

The only regret that is justifiable is based on failure to learn the lessons of failure. You, however, are learning.

A. A. Bailey, DINA2: 604

Events & Community

- **28TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE SEVEN RAYS INSTITUTE:** Living as Radiant Temples of Life. Sing the Body Electric. April 1 - 13, 2014
- **UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL DAY OF COMMEMORATION IN MEMORY OF THE VICTIMS OF THE HOLOCAUST.** January 27.
- **FIFTH EUROPEAN PSYCHOSYNTHESIS SUMMER SCHOOL.** Sätra Brunn, Sweden - AUGUST 6-10, 2014
- **COMMON BOND INSTITUTE 8TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE:** Engaging the Other. The power of Compassion. May 2014



Books & Sites recommended

Contemplative Practices in Higher Education: Powerful Methods to Transform Teaching and Learning by Daniel P. Barbezat & Mirabai Bush

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