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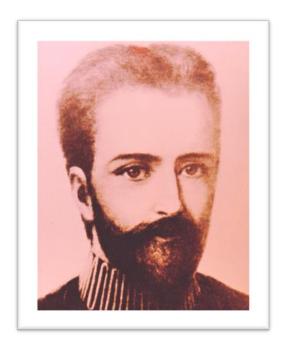
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"YOU MUST REMOVE THE FEELING IN YOU THAT SOMETHING OUTSIDE OF YOU HAS MORE POWER THAN THE LIGHT WHICH IS WITHIN YOU."

Our Beloved Great Divine Director

"Nothing will ever pay you such interest on your investment as the time and attention spent in acknowledging, accepting, adoring, blessing, and calling into DYNAMIC ACTION, the LIMITLESS LIGHT of your own "Beloved Mighty I AM Presence," to produce Perfection for you NOW AND FOREVER!" Beloved Mrs. G W Ballard – "Voice of the I AM" – April 1936



OUR BELOVED SAINT GERMAIN

"The natural tendency of Life is Love, Peace, Beauty, Harmony, and Opulence, for Life cares not who uses It, but is constantly surging to pour more of Its Perfection into manifestation, always with that lifting process which is ever inherent within Itself."

"I AM"

"I AM" is the Activity of "That Life."

How strange it is that students with sincere interest do not seem to get the True Meaning of those two words.

When you say and feel "I AM," you release the spring of Eternal, Everlasting Life to flow on its way unmolested. In other words, you open wide the door to its natural flow. When you say "I AM not," you shut the door in the face of this Mighty Energy.

"I AM" is the Full Activity of God."

THE "I AM" DISCOURSES

BY THE ASCENDED MASTER SAINT GERMAIN DISCOURSE I - October 3, 1932 SAINT GERMAIN

THE TEMPLE OF MERCY SUMMARY

(This Retreat is open between the 15th April – 14th May 2013)

<u>Location:</u> The Temple of Mercy is located in the etheric realm, over the foothills outside of Peiping (Peking), China.

<u>Hierarch</u>: The Hierarch of the retreat is the Ascended Master Kwan Yin, the Goddess of Mercy.

<u>Primary Function of the Brotherhood of the Retreat:</u> To transmute the causes and cores of all distress by directing the Flame of Mercy and Compassion into the condition that needs assistance. The brothers and sisters of the Temple of Mercy will give assistance to purify the miscreations of the past, and to make things right.

<u>Flame of the Retreat:</u> The color of the Flame of Mercy is deep purple. The action and qualities of the Flame of Mercy are mercy, forgiveness, transmutation, compassion and a tremendous feeling of peace.

<u>First opened:</u> This retreat was opened to mankind (to chelas of the Bridge to Freedom) for the first time on February 15,1953.

<u>Keynote</u>: The keynote of the retreat and that of its Hierarch is contained in the melody "In a Monastery Garden."

THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM

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The CAUSE OF FREEDOM must first be established, that the full effect of Freedom may be felt. There are Mighty individuals who have served the Cause of Freedom for centuries, in various activities, where mankind desired to have the fruits of Freedom, and knew instinctively that the fruits came to those who served the cause.

What is the CAUSE of Freedom? It has been paraphrased through the centuries, wherever men were stirred to valorous action on behalf of country, king or God, and yet, if they were asked to define that CAUSE, I guarantee that there are few who could accurately express an understanding of freedom's cause.

What is the CAUSE of Freedom? GOD. The God-identity of every man has within it the inherent, inbred realization that freedom and Godliness are one.

The Divine Fiat of life is expansion, unfoldment, perfection, all of which qualities require Freedom in order to manifest. A tightly-closed rosebud requires freedom to become a full-blown rose. Even the power of Helios requires freedom to shine. An animal, plant, tree, or man requires Freedom to breathe. There is no such thing as progress or evolution, or, in fact, being, without freedom. You might say Freedom is God stretching out his arms to increase. Freedom is God in action. The quiescent God, sleeping through the solar night, does not taste of nor enjoy the fruits of Freedom, but when the first stirring takes place in the cosmic dawn of a solar system or the birth of a bird, freedom stirs.

I Am the SUN of freedom. It is my great privilege to expand the Cause of Freedom on the earth plane. It is not a quality which is injected into a lifestream, for love of freedom is as inherent within life as is the love of life itself. Freedom and expansion are one. Freedom and activity are one. Freedom and God are one.

And in this new day, dedicated to the freedom of the entire planet and this system of worlds, you will see the God power stretching forth and bursting the chains of limitation.

SAINT GERMAIN



2013 AMTF Conference

The next AMTF Conference in Mount Shasta will be: August 2, 3, & 4, 2013 at the Buddhist Temple at Tara's Refuge on Madison Drive in Mt. Shasta, CA. for more information about Tara's Refuge go to www.tarasrefuge.org

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THE BRIDGE - January 1957

HOW TO MITIGATE A CRISIS By Beloved Saint Germain March 31, 1956

BE READY! YOUR HELP WILL BE NEEDED!

Beloved Friends of Freedom, you who, among all the human race, have chosen to have faith and confidence in me, do you know how deep is my heart's gratitude for an opportunity to convey personally to you my thanks for that magnificent faith and capacity to "keep on keeping on" against almost insurmountable odds, handling your own personal returning karma, the national and race karma, as well as certain planetary karma, all of which you freely and voluntarily agreed to help to transmute when you became a focus for the activities of the Seventh Ray in an embodied form.

No matter to what ray you primarily belong, through the kindness of your interest in my new Golden Age, you have become, and have had anchored within your auras, a tremendous concentrate of that Violet Fire and Freedom Ray. For that reason, there is much of God's life which has been bound, imperfect and impure which, through the wisdom of your own Holy Christ Self (according to your personal application) is directed toward you and your world for transmutation and returned to the heart of the Sun for re-polarization.

Where else shall such energy go except to focuses of the Violet Fire, embodied in lifestreams who are walking the planet Earth? These are not always outwardly aware that, in their very recognition, acceptance and voluntary consecration of their lifestreams to the freeing of mankind, that such impacts of discordantly qualified energy upon their worlds are just a part of the obligation of representing the Freedom Flame upon the planet Earth. Then there manifests in the world of the chela, feelings of self-pity, self-depreciation and the various depressing thoughts and feelings which "bog down" the outer consciousness. At such times the chela often feels that he is not manifesting the full Christ perfection as he should or as does even the ordinary "good Christian man or woman!"

Beloved friends, in the days of Atlantis, on the Continent of Lemuria, in Egypt and in other places where the Sacred Fire had been magnetized and drawn through the veil of human consciousness, visibly and tangibly present upon the various temple altars, it was not unusual for people to come from far, far countries to those focuses of the Sacred Fire and there, bringing with them certain distressing karmas, find complete freedom in the power of transmutation (Violet Flame), not only individually, but for their loved ones, environments and nations.

So now, each one of you, as you move in your personal orbits, is a "Temple of the Sacred Fire" *for the present*, until there come into being in a future day (which may be beyond that of your present physical embodiment) those Sacred Fire Temples again, until the incoming generations which we are endeavoring to prepare for such service, are ready to live in the seclusion, constancy and dedication to the magnetization and sustenance of the powers of the Sacred Fire in this physical appearance world. However, until that time arrives, your own physical heart is that focus of the Sacred Fire and you, individually (as well as in your group activities) are the Temples of the Violet Fire of Mercy, Compassion, Forgiveness, Transmutation and Divine Alchemy.

SUCCESSFUL USE OF VIOLET FIRE—A SCIENCE

For many, many ages prior to my own victory, I pondered upon and contemplated God's gift of mercy to all and endeavored in each embodiment (as well as between embodiments) to learn the science and efficacy of the divine alchemy which would change and raise the vibratory action of energy. As you have been told (and which does bear repetition) in time, this qualified me to be able to take upon myself the responsibilities and activities of the Seventh Ray as its Chohan. This divine alchemy is a *real science*, *just as* much so as any science of electronics in the outer world today. *It is not something which works in a*

haphazard manner! You are in an age of experimentation. You now stand much as I did in those embodiments previous to my ascension, when I, too, was experimenting with various combinations of thought, feeling and spoken word in decrees.

You are in a period of transition at this time, transition in your personal lives, world transition and then, in a very few short years, you will be in a period of planetary transition as well. These periods of "world change" always cause feelings of unrest in the emotional and mental bodies of the masses of the people as well as stirring up a great sense of fear in their flesh bodies and etheric consciousnesses.

Without being told, you know the people's tremendous fear of the various bombs, the "atom" bomb, the "hydrogen" bomb, cataclysmic disturbances, floods, hurricanes and other destructive actions of nature. Throughout many embodiments, you, yourselves, have experienced some of these cataclysmic activities in the past, you have been on continents which have sunk beneath the surface of the sea and, sometimes you have been among the few who carried the Sacred Fire safely (from the sinking continent) to another part of the globe, but even then you felt the rocking of the Earth as the sea claimed its own (temporarily) for purification.

Because you are now in this period of transition, because you have different momentums of energy gathered within your Causal Bodies, because you are different personalities and types and belong to different rays, we could not expect to have a complete unity and harmony of expression at this time. However, let us allow ourselves to be pliable enough to at least experiment until we have arrived at some efficacious method of application which cannot be confuted for, the moment such efficacious method of application has been found, you will have your manifestation result thereof. In other words when properly applied, the Violet Fire will produce instantaneous perfection for you!

BE STABILIZED, BUT PLIABLE

Remember always, dear hearts, to keep yourselves both centered and poised within your own heart-flame, stabilized therein, yet pliable enough to act quickly in emergencies and unexpected changes. If you are not pliable, you will be broken as the tree which does not bend before the wind. THERE ARE CERTAIN COSMIC AND PLANETARY CHANGES OF WHICH EVEN WE DO NOT KNOW IN ADVANCE, but, if you were to look upon the universe, you would see that the entire galaxy is in constant motion. As it progresses along its path around the Central Sun, the Earth sometimes comes under certain beneficent radiations which can be consciously drawn here on a moment's notice for the blessing of the planet and her people. These radiations are drawn by the calls of those gathered together in the "Upper Chamber" (as it were), by students who are dedicated to our service, whose physical bodies are rested, their mental bodies alert, their emotional bodies stable and their etheric bodies purified.

HOWEVER, IN SUCH COSMIC MOMENTS, SOMETIMES WE OURSELVES, DO NOT HAVE MORE THAN FIVE MINUTES' NOTICE OF SUCH AN OPPORTUNITY. THEN, IF THE STUDENT BODY IS NOT PLIABLE AND READY TO BE CALLED TOGETHER AT ONCE (CHANGING THEIR SET ROUTINES AND PATTERNS OF LIVING) SUCH CONSTRUCTIVE BLESSING IS LOST SO FAR AS THE EARTH AND HER PEOPLE ARE CONCERNED, BECAUSE THE STUDENT BODY WAS NOT PLIABLE ENOUGH AT THAT TIME TO BE USED AS A GOOD "CONDUCTOR" FOR THE RADIATION.

For instance, take the ordinary example of your recent floods in the Eastern States and the storm conditions, which arose unexpectedly. It is just good common sense, (and certainly the part of wisdom) for any one who has taken on the obligation and responsibility of a sanctuary or group of this activity, to gather together and prepare a dedicated and consecrated number of willing lifestreams who can and will, at the moment when the crisis arises, go into action collectively as soon as possible. IF FOR ANY REASON SUCH COLLECTIVE ACTION SEEMS NOT TO BE POSSIBLE, THEN PERSONALLY BE SURE TO HAVE A SET OF APPROPRIATE DECREES RIGHT AT HAND (BETTER STILL TO HAVE IT IN YOUR MEMORY, although some people do not easily memorize). THEN PERSONALLY GO INTO ACTION WITH THOSE DECREES FOR THE AVERTING OF DISASTER.

BE READY! YOUR HELP WILL BE NEEDED!

THROUGH THE COMING OF GREAT WORLD CHANGES, WE COME INTO STRANGE DAYS NOW, WHEN GREAT NUMBERS OF PEOPLE MAY BE IN DISTRESS. THEY WILL NEED YOUR CALLS TO SET INTO ACTION THE TRANSMUTING POWERS OF THE VIOLET FIRE, WHICH YOU HAVE BEEN PREPARED TO CALL FORTH. Bless your dear hearts! You are now, and have been for many years, (through your devotion to my Violet Flame) transmuting much more discordantly qualified energy than you know, much that does not even belong to yourselves. So, straighten your shoulders and raise your head in the dignity of Gods and Goddesses of Freedom, realizing that if the so-called "sinister force" does make an inroad into your world, emotionally, mentally, etherically or physically, it may not necessarily be your own. It is just destructively qualified energy coming into the Violet Fire for redemption.

Let us learn to live *above* the tensions, which plague the consciousness of the people of the world. There is no way for you to survive as a spiritual movement or even as a spiritual group, if you live below what I have chosen to call "the waterline," where there is fear, all sorts of distress, intolerance, hate, anger, rebellion and jealousy. If you do, you are then a part of the "mass creation" and the "mass mind," you are in the bottom of the "pit" of human creation, instead of dropping a rope (our instruction) to those below you, by which you can raise them (by their acceptance) out of the darkness of human iniquity into "The Light of God that Never Fails!"

In this great and magnificent city of New York, you have a tremendous opportunity to raise and free life because of the very pressures of so many millions of lifestreams living here. Nearly all come this way with one desire within their hearts and that is to find expression for their particular talents and their particular developed momentums, or, through proximity to great numbers of people, to earn their living. These millions of souls all gathered here know very little, if anything, of the Law of Mercy and Compassion and know practically nothing of the activities of the Seventh Ray. So, in this city, in Philadelphia and all other cities, countries and nations all over the world where there are those fortunate lifestreams who know of the Sacred Fire and how to call its Violet Flame into action-these have the joy, responsibility and opportunity of setting their fellowman free through its use.

NEVER LIMIT YOUR PRESENCE!

Now, as the beloved Mary said to you recently (and it cannot be repeated to you too often) DO NOT LIMIT THE POWERS OF YOUR "I AM" PRESENCE! Please, beloved ones, become re-acquainted with that glorious Presence of you which I choose to call "The Magic Presence," because of its wonderful omnipotent power and its willingness to act to and through you at all times. *Personally*, you could not possibly even attempt to rehabilitate the entire human race, the three and one half billions who are already in embodiment, besides those billions who are awaiting physical embodiment here, all those who have been released from the "Compound" who are now working out their salvation in the various temples and spheres at inner levels. No! Of course not! *But your Presence can!!* Your infinite, individualized "I AM" Presence has sustained you for eons of time. Then, as was described to you some time ago by the beloved Lord Maitreya (see February 1956 "Bridge"), when the outer consciousness voluntarily disconnected itself from the conscious contact with that Presence, the I AM Presence continued in graciousness and kindness to keep pouring its stream of light and life energy (the "silver cord") into your physical heart to sustain your outer consciousness and give you the use of intelligence, emotional feeling, power of thought, memory and power of physical action.

Your Presence and mine are not limited in any way! Your Presence and mine are ONE in action, in glorious PERFECTION, and that Presence, which is ALL-KNOWING, is capable of instantly directing from itself a million or a billion rays of transcendent blazing light into whatever condition, place or person requires assistance. Therefore, can you not, with all humility, realize that the outer self, as Jesus said, is nothing? Will you not raise your deep and sincere attention to that Presence and make it feel that, for once, you desire to work consciously with it again?

Then, that Presence will turn its attention to you, the stream of light (your "Silver Cord") will permanently widen and your capacity to serve will increase by that renewed partnership. From the heart of that Presence then, you can direct those mighty rays of intelligent light (within which is the Violet Fire of Transmutation) to all of the life everywhere which you ever may have injured or which may have injured you, from the time that the shadows of human creation first began to fall upon this dear Earth. Do you know that your

Presence can locate in the Ascension Temples or in any realm (wherever they are now abiding) any lifestream, which you may have harmed at some time, whether they are in embodiment here now or not? That Presence can and will (at your call) gladly balance that debt for you in one hour, perhaps in just one moment!

Beloved ones, in the Sacred Heart Temple, among those who are going to take embodiment here during the coming year, who are going to stand before the beloved Mother Mary for the formation of their hearts, do you know how many of these have karma of an extra weight because, in some embodiment, you caused them to have the feelings of despair, discouragement, rebellion or resentment, and that soul who is waiting to embody, carries certain etheric scars of distress, put there by past association with your lifestream? *Think about it!!* Then think what your Presence— in its unlimited capacities (by releasing its infinite powers of light and love) can do to make a balance to life for you at your call!

Incidentally, those of you who have four-footed creatures as pets or are associated with them in other ways, have you ever thought that perhaps you are paying back through them a service to life to balance previous actions, when, in the past, in self-righteous and zealous enthusiasm, you offered animals upon sacrificial altars, as well as bird and human life? Oh, there is much that you do not know! Fortunately, there is a veil of mercy between the conscious mind and certain etheric memories and that veil is drawn apart very slowly from time to time because a quite sane man has been known to go completely mad just by looking upon the "Dweller on the Threshold" as the human creation of his own lifestream is sometimes called. There is again the balance; it is really a razor's edge! On the one hand, we have the complacent type of individual who feels that everything will come out all right and there is no need to do anything about it. Then, we have the over-tense one, so eager and desirous of rendering the service (whether it be individual, planetary or cosmic) that he becomes so tense that the vibratory action of the Presence cannot flow through him. There is great balance and relaxation in a complete alertness to the reality of that Presence, to the reality of ourselves and to the capacity of the presence or ourselves to act through the Causal Body, directing our radiation and blessing at your call.

In my life as Francis Bacon, I had come upon certain understanding of the Law of Reembodiment, which interested me deeply. I was a great reader and, during the various temporary incarcerations in that embodiment, I had much time at my disposal, I became interested in the idea of my own past embodiments and as I read about certain historical characters, they deeply touched me, etherically. Feeling that perhaps I had some connection with these lifestreams in the past, 1 began to practice releasing the power of the presence to pay whatever personal debts I might owe to those lifestreams, even though I could not tell where they were abiding at that moment, whether they were disembodied, in embodiment, or in the "Compound," whether they were awaiting embodiment in the Sacred Heart Temple or whether they were my next-door neighbors. That was not important!

One day, however, before my ascension, while in deep contemplation of the Presence and its Violet Fire of Mercy, Forgiveness and Transmutation, my inner sight was opened and I had a glimpse of a farmer walking through a field, sowing seed. This man was heavy-hearted and his head was bowed. Suddenly, I saw a light ray from my Presence go forth, within which was the Violet Fire. It blazed around that individual, instantly transmuting the *cause* of his distress, for which *cause* 1 had been responsible, at one time or another. Thus was paid the particular debt, which I owed that lifestream. Then, that individual raised his head, free of that burden and actually ran laughing toward the farmhouse! Now, that person never knew from whence his release came. I did

not even know the name of that man, but I knew that his burden was lightened and that at least some part of my karmic debt had been paid. Interesting—if you care to develop it!

BALANCE REQUIRED BETWEEN ALL EXTREMES

There are many aspects and uses of the Great Law which are interesting if one cares to think about and develop them. One must always remember to stay within the balance between indifference and over-conscientiousness, between pliability and stability, between every extreme which I could continue to elaborate upon this morning, between over-confidence and self-depreciation, between personal dignity and pride, between humility and self-abasement. That balance is really a razor's edge! The natural dignity of the embodied men and women

who *truly* represent freedom is expressed by their words, their works and their lives and by their walking humbly with their God.

It is always joyous for me when I am given opportunity to speak to you, even briefly and it is a happy and rewarding time for you, too, because, when I come closer than ordinary to you like this, I bring within the radiance of my Being and into your atmosphere and world, a much greater concentrate of that Sacred Fire of Mercy which I have loved and served so long. I have always said, you know, and I wrote it into the plays, which seem to please the people (as "Shakespeare") that "the quality of mercy is not strained." Mercy is so magnificent! Oh, my God! If every man, woman and child, animal and elemental had to balance every "jot and tittle" of human mistakes, this world-task of purification and freedom would take an eternity!

BELOVED SANAT KUMARA THEN COULD NOT POSSIBLY HAVE GAINED HIS FREEDOM AT THIS TIME AND THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN REALLY ONLY ONE SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM, THE DISSOLVING OF THE ENTIRE PLANET. But, the Mercy of the Eternal is always waiting for you to call it into action, thus utilizing its powers. It is also waiting for you to make your calls through the use of the decrees, which have been given to you. It you will stay with them, they will give you, within yourself, all the proof you will ever need of the efficacy of the Violet Fire's power called forth. This will mean more to you than all the riches of all the world! You see, when you have gained the power to consciously and instantly sublimate and transmute imperfection into perfection, life will not be long enough, for you, you will scarcely want to go "home" when your call comes.

It takes alertness of the mental body as well as common sense and reason and it takes *your personal interest* in the application of the Law to bring it into outer manifestation for you. Look at the interest that Edison took in the study of electricity and the hours, months and years which he spent in just learning to harness its power. Is that of much permanent importance to this planet as the Violet Fire of Mercy and Compassion—which, at will, can be called forth to transmute human shadows into light (i.e., sickness into health, financial lack into abundance, etc.)?

Oh that you would let me stir into action that "well-spring" of enthusiasm—which is buried deep within you—for the reality and efficacy of the use of the Violet Fire! When our beloved Jesus said to those who came for him for help: "Thy sins are forgiven thee...," he used his "miracle-producing Violet Flame and as the people saw its instantaneous action through his works, there was stirred up some enthusiasm for the use of the Violet Fire, but that was only a temporary accomplishment. There were only twenty or thirty people from the entire known world at that time who had only a half-interest in his mission. Later, beloved Mary had only forty— so you see we are not doing too badly with the numbers we now have, even though it seems at times as though we do not expand as rapidly as I certainly want us to and as you, in your hearts, do too!

PREPARE NOW FOR SERVICE TO COME!

Now, there is this question of "readiness" again and the beloved Maha Chohan has asked me to speak to you briefly concerning it this morning. It is a most important subject and one, which I think, perhaps you should seriously consider in some of your free moments. You never know ahead of time just when you will be called or to what post. I will tell you this much that, as a matter of Law, you will always be put into the position of the individual whose endeavors you have criticized! Therefore, it is wise to desist from criticizing another lifestream for, should you find yourself in his place, you might not be quite as comfortable as you are in your own, nor be as productive there as you were when, from your own place, you watched with folded arms the errors of your predecessor which errors then seemed so obvious to you.

But, in a lighter vein, TO BE READY AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE FOR ANY SUMMONS TO SERVICE WHICH MIGHT COME IS MOST IMPORTANT. It is something which has been brought to our attention recently. None of us knew that at the very moment when beloved Morya's petition was granted by Helios and Vesta for the opportunity to start our new activity, Lord Buddha then began to prepare himself by expanding his Causal Body until it was the same size and perfection as that Sanat Kumara, with the same outpouring of love and power. As we told you, at the time of the transferring of the title and powers of the Lord of the World from Sanat Kumara to Buddha, their two Causal Bodies coming to gether were like two

exact halves of an orange. The radiation was the same. *Now, Lord Buddha did that without being told. He* did it without being asked "all on his own" (as we say). So did the beloved Lord Maitreya prepare himself to take up the office of the new Buddha.

Beloved ones, when we speak so to you, it is not to engender any fear; it is not to make you feel tense in any way so that the Presence cannot even get five per cent of its energy through to you! No, we speak thus to you in order that you may be better prepared for your service which lies ahead, for you do not know when or where you will be called! Beloved El Morya has mentioned this to you several times. HE SPOKE OF YOUR BEING READY TO GO TO FAR-OFF PLACES LIKE TIBET, FOR INSTANCE, TO RENDER SOME SERVICE, WHICH YOU COULD GIVE THERE. ARE YOU READY FINANCIALLY, PHYSICALLY, ETHERICALLY, MENTALLY AND EMOTIONALLY? ARE YOUR AFFAIRS IN ORDER? ARE YOU SO PLIABLE THAT YOU COULD GO IN PERFECT HAPPINESS, JUST IN THE GARMENTS, WHICH YOU ARE WEARING NOW AND LIVE IN ALL SORTS OF INCONVENIENCE? THINK ABOUT THIS!

Of course, I do not know that you will be called upon to become a Chohan immediately, but, one never can tell!! You may be called upon to lead a group, ah, yes, and perhaps without a book or song lyrics. Perhaps you will be suddenly called upon to lead a group of people who have never heard a decree before. What do you have in your head that you can draw forth on a moment's notice like this for the help of the people? If, in the middle of the night or in the course of a busy day, suddenly some emergency arose and a frightened mass of people gathered around you, you would most surely need stability and absolute fearlessness and you would need something to work with which you could draw forth from your own memory.

Now, today, I bring you not only the benediction of myself but also that of the *beloved Goddess of Liberty whose focus is established in the harbor of New York* and who has chosen to welcome here from every land all those who have need of her assistance. You will remember that, at the time of My own Ascension, the very first Being I met in that octave was this same Goddess of Liberty. Speaking to her then, I asked her if she knew from whom I might get more help for those of you whom I had left behind.

She assured me that *there was such a one*, and, later, I found that she was speaking of her Dear Self. Since that time, She has most lovingly and graciously given all of us that help!

Thank you and good morning!

BELOVED GODDESS OF LIBERTY:

"Give Me your tired, your poor, your huddled masses, yearning to breathe free, The wretched refuse of your teeming shores, Send these, the homeless, tempest-tossed to Me— I lift My lamp beside the Golden Door!"

(The above is the essence of that which appear on the base of the pedestal of her focus in New York harbor.)

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ADDRESS BY BELOVED LORD GAUTAMA

August 1953

Beloved children of the one eternal God of light and life! How magnificent is the intensity of the light within your souls! That light enables, from within your own heartbeat, the petals of spiritual achievement and attainment to unfold from the tightly-closed bud in which your immortal identity has, for century after century, slumbered. It has awaited the kiss of the spiritual sun, that it might arise and, through the inner pressure of its own majestic dignity, stand forth revealed—the Master Presence of God, choosing to wear, for a moment in eternal time, a garment of flesh, to wear it lightly, and move forward as an emissary of the King of Kings, carrying mercy, light, and love to all manifest form.

I breathe in the fragrance of your own unfolding God flame. Sweet is its essence in my nostrils, for it is many, many centuries since I have had contact with the outer consciousness of the peoples of earth. It is many hundreds of years since I closed the book of my earth life and entered into the heart of that realm of eternal peace, where it became my obligation, responsibility and service to life to draw from the heart of the one great Father-Mother of you all, that supreme love, by which universes and planets, as well as individual souls and selves, are sustained.

Here, in the realm of the cosmic, I served with little remembrance of the world of form, drawing that love, breathing in the perfume of the Eternal, absorbing the radiation of God, himself, and, through my own body, directing it, then, into those who chose to be my representatives—the dispensers of those spiritual currents in the lower atmosphere of earth. Through the beloved Lord Maitreya, the beloved Master Jesus, the beloved Patrick, the beloved Rama Krishna, and other blessed and dedicated sons and daughters of God, I was enabled to make the nature of God felt. Around those sanctified ones, were drawn the lifestreams, incarnate, who wished to bathe in that one Presence. Within the aura of those, my chosen, did the disciples and the chelas taste of the blessing of Nirvana, the glory of heaven, and learn something of the way thither.

This was as far as I, by Cosmic Law, was permitted to go, in endeavoring to reach, again, the evolution of which you are a part, until one night, not so long ago, when from China there arose a call for mercy, that came from the hearts of unascended beings, and made a note of sweetness through the cry of pain and agony which represents the sound that the earth and her people release into interstellar space. I heard that call for mercy and on that very call, on the very music created by that desire for compassion; I came back into the world of form. Here I shall abide, endeavoring, through my own humble radiation, to give the assistance of my own lifestream. May it enable each and every one who has professed, by their presence with us, a desire to become a way-shower, to earn that consciousness of peace and balance that abides within the pursuit of the Middle Way, and that infinite power and capacity to convey, through the energies of their own lifestreams the quality and nature of God to their fellowmen.

Throughout my service to mankind, before and after my freedom, I have stressed, always, the power of radiation as the greatest teacher, the greatest pattern by which man might fashion his individual life. Words are cheap. Millions and millions of words have been spoken and written by sages, saints and teachers, from time immemorial. Millions and millions of words have been read by earnest seekers and aspirants, and joined to the accretion in the mental body, adding no whit to the spiritual stature of the self. But, through the conducting of the qualities of radiation, which represent the nature of the one eternal God, there is always a way and means by which the millions and billions that belong to this evolution may not only be touched but inspired and awakened from the soul sleep of the ages and again encouraged to place their own feet upon the path and walk in serenity, in dignity, in balance, and in peace into the self-mastery which is pre-ordained for all evolving life.

Looking at the descending stream of electronic life, which forms your heartbeat, the most exquisite melody, the most divine music of the spheres is incorporated in the release of those pure electrons that enter into your heart with such rapidity, that millions and millions and millions of them are radiated forth from your body in the matter of one second, by mortal count, and every electron comes to you with a song. It comes to you in exquisite beauty of form, containing within itself, a pattern, which is indicative of your own individualized Godself.

A star, a cross, a dove, a flower, beautiful beyond limit, is within every one of those electrons. If they could only be suspended in their descent, for a moment, that your fleshly eyes could look upon them! Within every one of these electrons is .ill the potential power by which the Master Jesus healed the sick, raised the dead, transformed darkness into Light, and

himself manifested the mastery of the ascension, in the physical presence of 500 incarnate lifestreams!

Look at that stream of Light, and feel for an instant the potential power that flows through you. Oh, not once in a 24-hour period, not "once in a lifetime," as you say in your world of form, but every instant, millions of those electrons, qualified with that infinite power, pass into the control of your mental and emotional body and are absorbed greedily by those inner vehicles, pressed into distorted form, externalized into your own aura, and there remain, to be redeemed by your own conscious endeavor one day.

I would like to charge your consciousness with the realization of the power that flows through your heart, containing within itself all the power by which the universe was created, by which the stars are held in their orbits, and the whirling motion of the planets is sustained in rhythm, and the forward progress of the galaxy is directed through universal space. Feel that, oh beloved friends! There is your open door to freedom! There is your healing, infinite and complete, without requiring that you bend the knee to any man. There is the teacher which will unfailingly direct the intellect and move you forward in the right path, through the use of your energy, while yet you remain in the world of form. There is the actual substance which may, at your own discretion, become manifest as the requirement of any hour, for it is intelligent, it is obedient, it is pliable, it is ceaseless in its flow, and there is no limit as to how much you may draw or how you may use it.

I am told by the brothers that your lifestreams are interested in the blessing of the elemental kingdom. It gives me pleasure to point out to you that obedience is the key to your conscious control of substance and form. Oh, this great primordial life that fills this universe is the body of God, himself, which flows ceaselessly from the Great Central Source of this system. It is elemental, but intelligent life. It is directed by the great Father of light eternal, to respond and obey the consciousness which abides within the hearts and minds of man. This blessed elemental substance, therefore, becomes the servant of your thinking and feeling self, and rushes instantly into the obedient form of that which your mind designs out of the universal life. Then, as your feelings pass through it, it becomes a breathing entity, that lives because you have invested it with the power of your own qualified energy.

Beloved ones! In the use of these powers of the Sacred Fire, can you not visualize and feel this light? Let us take, for example, your Ring-Pass-Not, which in India is used so freely, and which now is coming into use to a limited degree in the Western world. As you, within your mind, consciously desire the protection from the passing vibrations of the mental and feeling world of mankind, you immediately set up a magnetic pull upon elemental life, and millions and millions of tiny little beings—so infinitesimal that many of them could sit upon the head of one of your pins—respond to that magnetic call and endeavor to out-picture the thoughtform which you hold of a Tube of Light.

They draw around you, standing shoulder to shoulder to enfold you within that living Tube of Light. That tube, dear friends, is made up of living intelligences, who sacrifice their freedom to dance in the sunshine and play in the grasses, that they may be for you a mantle of protective force. Have you thought that through? When so lightly you say, "Enfold me now in my mighty, magic electronic Tube of Light," have you thought that intelligent life has chosen, in obedience, to relinquish its freedom and to stand in the questionable safety of your aura? Yet that is so! These blessed beings, at your direction, form a wall and with their own bodies repel and press away from you the thoughts and feelings that flow through the lower atmosphere of the psychic and astral realm, which forms the habitation of your flesh.

Then, perchance, if you be endeavoring to experiment with this protective power, you may choose to change the color of this blazing Tube of Light. Through thought force, you think of beautiful, electric blue. You know that is the protective power of beloved Morya's ray. As your very thought goes forth, every one of these glorious electrons, little beings of

fire, wearing shimmering robes of light and holding often, within their hands, tiny wands of power, immediately become electric blue— and so they stand, until again your thought changes and you call for the pink of Nada's love, and they clothe themselves in that pink and radiate it out to give love.

Oh, beloved ones, there is so much you can experiment with through the creative power of your own thought and feeling in the knowledge that elemental substance is intelligent, it is responsive, it is obedient, and it is delighted to do for you that which is in agreement with the divine plan.

How many electrons do you imprison in forms of distortion, in the course of a day? Then do you see that, when your thought and feeling forces focus together as they do in a cooperative group, or in your own private application, that thought force draws the electrons and the elementals into constructive patterns, and they rush to obey, for they would much rather be incorporated into your Tube of Light, or into the surging flame of purifying power that blazes through you, to transmute your transgressions, than they would be to form a battering ram of anger or jealousy, hatred or resentment, which you drive and drive and drive against a person, place, condition or thing—battering their very heads and bruising their little bodies while they are incorporated in those vicious vortices of thought and feeling forms. Yet, because their law and their life is to render obedience to man, they cannot let go.

You form a group of mankind interested in the elemental kingdom. For this reason I choose to draw the veil aside and show you how magnificent may be your service, how lightly you have touched even the periphery of the great activity which may yet be manifested through you, as individuals, and collectively. In the realm of the astral or the psychic, there are, imprisoned in forms which I shall not describe, so many countless billions of electrons—elemental, intelligent beings. It is your opportunity to release them and let them go back into the heart of the Sun, back to the Source from whence they came—for you, too, have been among those who have imprisoned them. You may be their redeemer!

Then, as you render that service, and as the inner realms in which mankind move are freed from those pressures, again will come that lightness, buoyancy and happiness which was known in the early ages before the effluvia and mist of thought and feeling of human creation dimmed the light of the spiritual sun, clothed your spiritual faculties in dullness, and made it impossible for you to longer see and talk with the brothers and sisters who are the guardians of this race, and who are the protecting presences from the Ascended Master Octave.

We do not dwell for any time upon the discords of mankind, lest those of you who are sensitive, eager and desirous of serving good, should become self-condemnatory, because of that part you have consciously or unconsciously played in imprisoning life. However, in order to be intelligent in the service, which you have offered, we must show you the opportunity that lies within your call and application. Then, the more joyous and glorious is your opportunity, as you couple visualization and worded decree with the invocation of the Sacred Fire, to create out of the universal, temples of light and focuses of flame, which shall for all eternity remain as a living memento to your life in physical form.

Oh, blessed ones, the power of the creative fire within you is so much more intense than you can yet conceive to be possible. Take a group of this number and let them join together, and at the direction and inspiration of the leader, create a thoughtform, which would be a benefit to a group, to a locality, to a nation, to a planet—even to a Master like our Lord Sanat Kumara. As the electrons and elementals fill in your thoughtform and make of it a living, breathing being, one of the great mighty angels and devas might choose to ensoul it, enter it and sustain its light, wearing it as a garment until accomplishment of that for which it was created, could be manifested. It has been done often.

You do not know, yet, the power that is within your own personal blessing. For instance, many a time, when I walked along the dusty roads of India, when men and women in the sore distress of the outer senses came into my presence, I rejoiced in the glorious opportunity of invoking a blessing. Many a time, as I stood and turned my attention to the God of us all, I felt the sweet onrush of that power, which came from heights inconceivable, surge through my own feeling world, and then out into the body and consciousness of the supplicant. Many are the times I have seen an angel enter into that blessing and go with the one who had asked for it, as he walked again back into his own individual orbit.

Oh, this universe is filled with angels, devas and beings pressing earthward, endeavoring to find an opening through some heart who chooses to call forth the blessing of God upon the suffering. They rush through the opening which is made through your thought, your feeling, and even your simple worded, "God bless you." It is not just this human vehicle which you are, which says that word or that phrase. It is the release of the Infinite Power of the Universe, eager and desirous of enfolding the one who requires that blessing. Do you see? You are holding the key to the universal blessings of the great Cosmic Christ within your own worded expression, your silent gesture of benediction, your thought and your feeling.

I have taught for centuries through the power of radiation, and not through the spoken word. I have endeavored as I have studied your consciousness, to give you, in some small measure, a way and means by which you, too, may become radiating centers and, connecting with the feeling of the Ascended Masters, let that flow forth through your own energies to bless life. Is it a fit balance that the music of the spheres, that enters into the hearts of men with every heartbeat, should go forth again in a scream of pain, a cry of agony and distress? Is it not rather the paramount requirement of the day, that the energy that enters the heart in purity, be blessed in love, and return to the universe in a great anthem of thanksgiving, for the opportunity of the use of life?

How beautiful is the soul that raises its heart to God in gratitude, for the gift of life, of intelligence, for the opportunity that lives within the constant electronic flow of energy into the heartbeat. What could you do without life? How could you enjoy your friends, your families, your associates? How could you enjoy the beauties of nature and all the glories that have made your experiences on this earth pleasant, if it were not for that flowing essence, which is life? Father, forgive man that he desires, sometimes, to shut off the flow of life, that he is embittered because life, in its great kindness and mercy, has considered him fit to abide within the chalice of his physical garment.

For know you this, with no uncertainty, while the presence of Almighty God sustains a physical form, there is a design and plan, which can, through that form, be externalized for the blessing of all. At the very instant the God-intelligence no longer sees an opportunity to expand some portion of its God plan through that form, the life flame is withdrawn. There is no happenstance in this release of life—that priceless, precious gift which contains within itself the power to become Master. It is an eternal proof of the wisdom and kindness of the Universal First Cause that chooses through you, each one, to manifest more of the glory of the kingdom.

I have stood in that kingdom. I have stood in the presence of the God who made you all. I have gazed at the exquisite perfection of that Being, and, as I come again to earth, I shall, with every cell and fiber of my being, endeavor to convey to those who choose to listen, the nature and love of that God.

I thank you, beloved children of God, for the unfolding flame of your own divinity, for the strength within you, that has brought you into our presence, for your love of mercy and compassion for the rest of life. I thank you for your sensitivity to the presence of the nature kingdom, and I assure you, that those who love elemental life will know peace in their own bodies, harmony in their minds, and supply within their own governing use and control—as

they continue to bless that kingdom, which has given them not only the physical form, but the subtle inner bodies, as well. Even your Electronic Body is made up of tiny electrons, little beings drawn from the Sun, who gather around the flame of love in the heart of your Presence, and forego the freedom of the realms of light to provide the shining vestment of your immortal I AM Presence. God bless you.

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