A MESSAGE FOR THE AGES

Christ-consciousness As A Universal Experience Going From Words And Thoughts To The Experience

If we are communing sacredly, silently, and sacredly within our own consciousness, are we nor communing with the consciousness of everybody in the world who is trying to find a solution to these problems and wondering why God can't help? What difference does it make whether people are turning to a Buddhist God, a Hindu God, a Christian God, or a Hebrew God? Those are only mortal concepts. What the people are really turning to is the one God, and in proportion as truth enters consciousness the entire world is being evangelized.

Never before has it been known that every truth received in consciousness becomes a law unto consciousness. That has been revealed through the Infinite Way. Each truth that we consciously realize, we will realize as being established in human consciousness, and that will give greater power to the work that we doing. Some of the earlier metaphysical work may have had as its purpose the improvement of the patient but now it is not only the patient that is improved: it is all human consciousness, too...The second coming of Christ is here, and we are playing a part in Its unfoldment. One of the major ways in which we are doing this is by knowing that every truth realized in individual consciousness becomes a law.

What Makes A Practitioner Or A Teacher

I remind students so often that it is deadly to be a 'do-gooder'; it is deadly to want to save the world; it is deadly to want to be a teacher or a practitioner. The only lifegiving substance there is, is the desire to know God aright. This alone is worthwhile.

Leave the world alone, and if it must burn itself up, let it, while you go about your business of attaining spiritual consciousness. You will find that having attained that consciousness, you will be busier than you would like to be because the world will then beat a pathway to your door. That is what happens. Wherever the light is, the darkness gravitates there to be dispelled.

A Parenthesis In Eternity

Attaining The Mystical Consciousness The Function Of The Mind

The state of consciousness that we are forming...is not merely your consciousness of mine...Is not every word of truth that is transforming our state of consciousness also, in a measure transforming the state of consciousness of the entire world?

The Tree Of Life

If this love that has entered our heart does not give us an interest in all of the unfortunates of the world, we can be assured that it is not the love of God, and we have deceived ourselves.

Awakening Mystical Consciousness

Releasing Spiritual Power Evidencing Spiritual Power

In forsaking our own problems and in devoting ourselves to others, we no longer have problems; and the few that come are quickly solved.

We cannot pray for God's sun to shine in our garden alone.

Beyond Words And Thoughts

The Tempter

We are called upon every day of our lives to bear witness to this revelation [of oneness] because whether or not we may need any immediate supply, there are those who come to us in person, by cable, by telephone, or through the mail, presenting to us the claim of lack and limitation. To them, we can have only one answer: "The *I* that I am, thou art. Therefore, the fullness of the Godhead bodily which is the fulfillment of my being is the fulfillment of thy being, since there is but one *I*, one infinite Being, regardless of how many times It may be manifested on earth."

You look out at this whole world with compassion: "I know what it is all about now. You thought you were man; you thought you were living your own experience...If only you had known *I*, you would have relaxed and, without taking thought, your own would have come to you."

Karmic Law On A National Level

Until you as an individual come to an inner agreement that destroying civilian populations by atomic bombs is inexcusable, you are under that karma, because the commands to "resist not evil" and to lay down your life rather than take another life are basic Christian teachings. Certainly the teaching was never to save your life at the expense of another's.

Signs Of Spiritual Progress

There is an infinity of supply, and this realization on your part is not only an indication of your own spiritual progress, but also a help in removing lack and limitation universally. Through your meditation, somewhere, somebody wakens to the truth that there is in reality no lack of supply. What there is is a mistaken concept of supply.

The Carnal Mind Operating In Human Relationships

I see it as a mission of every Infinite Way student to give not less than one period each day for an intelligent world meditation.

If we were to pray to remove the sins of our friends, relatives, or community, and if we succeeded, what would be attained? The human mind is still there and is always fertile ground to take on more sins, and so tomorrow we would have to pray to remove those sins. That is why the Master taught that if one error is removed, we may be making room for seven more to enter. So...we are praying that the activity of the Christ take over his consciousness. When it does, there is no sin left in it because there is no room for sin in the Christ-mind

Our prayer is not for an end to interracial strife or that the world be humanly better. It is given to us to pray that God's kingdom be realized on earth, that the activity of the Christ be made manifest in human consciousness, and that the carnal mind be recognized for the nonpower it is in the presence of the Christ.

Consciousness Is What I Am

Christ As The Consciousness Of Mankind Spiritual Pioneers

It used to puzzle me years ago when I would witness beautiful healings of so-called mental cases. The shocking thing was that those healed never said a word of thanks...Then I realized that they never knew that they had been mentally disturbed at all. They knew themselves only as they were after being healed.

Let us stop trying to reach mankind and instead raise up the Christ within us and realize the same Christ in everyone, thereby establishing the reign of the Christ on earth.

Consciousness transformed

Discovering The Soul

With what we know now, it is possible to work behind the scenes and change the course of future events. This is known to the mystics who are now on the other side of the veil, and to the extent that they find men and women receptive to the spiritual urge or influence, they are able to give the benefit of their wisdom to those now on earth and to exert an influence which helps to adjust human affairs.

When you come to world work, you have to be in a position of being able to completely put [your convictions] aside, first by acknowledging that no matter how much you are convinced that you are right, perhaps you are wrong.

The cause of more than one-half of the wars on earth can be attributed to religious conflicts.

There can be no peace on earth until there is peace in my individual consciousness and yours, and there will be no peace in my consciousness or yours unless God is there. Otherwise there is always a conflict between your self or myself or his self or her self.

If you want to cut off the operation of evil in your individual or collective experience, you also have to lay the axe at the roof and stop fighting the forms of persons or groups or ideologies. Lay the axe right down at the root, which is the impersonal source of evil or belief in two powers. There is the root.

In your prayers, learn to walk right down the middle path, not wanting to establish human good and not wanting to get rid of human evil. Let your prayers be that the spiritual kingdom be established on earth as it is in heaven...and with all your praying you must remember that within your own individual consciousness is sufficient God-power to establish that prayer on earth...Never doubt that one moment of consecrated prayer can establish peace on earth. It can. It requires only one, when this one is sufficiently unselfed and is not praying for my country, my side, or my city, but is praying for My grace, My peace, My kingdom.

Find a dozen periods a day in which to be silent and to say to all in this world: "My peace I give unto you. My peace, the Christ peace, I give unto you. Blessings! Benedictions!"

Consciousness Unfolding

Freedom In Christ The Spiritual Plan There is nothing that we should or can do about the human situation. It is all a question of unfoldment. There must be a transcendental working out of all errors. To do that, we turn to God and realize the presence of God in operation at all times and in all places.

Turn Ye And Live

So if we look out into the human world and see war threatening, it is not a part of our work to sit down and do some praying that no war take place. "Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap."

Living Between Two Worlds

Becoming Instruments Of Grace Through Reconciliation Oneness, A Universal Truth

Silently, secretly, whenever a truth is revealed within us, we immediately open our consciousness and take in the world, and realize that this is the universal truth about all mankind, about the universe: the past universe, the present universe, and the universe still to come.

Choose To Carry A Benediction Wherever You Go

Carry in your consciousness a peace-be-still to the errors of the world...because the peace of God was not given to you for you. Instead you begin to realize, "This is God's peace and God's grace that I am to bestow."

Releasing Impersonal Love

At least once a day [I am] going into my inner stillness and realizing that I am neither giving to nor withholding love from anyone. I am now the transparency through which the grace of God embraces all persons everywhere...I am responsible only for letting the light shine. I am not responsible for making somebody open his door to receive it.

Be A Benediction

As you go about your daily living, breathe silently, sacredly, secretly: "'My peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth.' *My* peace, the Christ peace, give I unto thee. 'Let not your heart be troubled,' neither let it be afraid." Your function is to be a benediction so that wherever you travel you can bestow God's grace on those still in darkness.

If we have been granted any degree of spiritual discernment so that we can behold the *I* of every individual and receive It into our consciousness, acknowledge It, welcome It, and bless It, then we transform our world.

If you feel there is any evil in [all the trouble spots in the world], it is really in your perception of them. There can be no evil in them. God did not create one nation good and another bad, one person well and another sick. Therefore you have dominion—dominion over your concepts.

Spiritual Discernment Reveals Infinity

If we would benefit the world, we must forget about praying for peace on earth...we must look through appearances with the power of spiritual discernment and behold God's creation and God's government of man and of the earth including the weather and the climate.

Meditation: Your Gift To The World

In the first of these meditations, just meditate until you feel a consciousness of God's Presence. That is the end of the first meditation for the world. In your second meditation, after you feel this Presence, make the declaration, "This realization of Christ is dispelling material sense." In your third meditation for the world, first attain your realization of the Christ, then realize, "This realization of the Christ is opening human consciousness to the receptivity of Truth." That is all. That is your prayer. That is your gift to the world... We cannot go to the world and tell it to be spiritual because people are not interested in that. But by Our three periods of meditation a day for the world, the Christ will enter their consciousness and make them want to be spiritual. They will become as we are at this moment.

LIVING BY THE WORD

Except The Lord Build The House Across The Desk

Our work is to meditate until we feel the flow, feel that light I within, and then release it into the world. This is our only reason for being here. This is fulfilling the divine plan.

Your Responsibility To The Stranger

Everyone who knows this truth has a responsibility, and that responsibility is for you to decide what a stranger will find when he enters your consciousness...Everywhere people are reaching out for safety, for security, for peace on earth, for healing. They do not realize that these things cannot be attained or achieved unless they touch the consciousness of someone who is abiding in the Word and letting the Word abide in God...There must be individual consciousness setting aside some periods of the day to forget personal problems, family problems, and the nation's problems in order that individual consciousness may rise above the earth-plane into a state of divine Consciousness whereby it becomes a transparency through which God reaches the earth.

Truth made active in your sconsciousness becomes the invisible source, substance, and activity of your outer experience. But it does more than that. In the degree that you can maintain this spiritual atmosphere, even if for brief moments of the day and night, persons everywhere reaching out to God's grace will receive blessings through you of which you will never be aware.

Tape Recorded Excerpts

So what have we to do with "this world"? To try to improve this world is to exchange a bad concept for a good one, at best, and that is not the spiritual kingdom in which there is neither good nor evil, but only eternal perfection. Our work is not to exchange one picture for another, but to climb up into "My kingdom," the realm of harmony and eternality

Ten Righteous Men

Do you believe that "ten" righteous men in a city could save the city? I hope you really believe that. I hope you believe that one hundred persons in this world could save the world from all the disasters that threaten it, just one hundred persons, or even less, could do that...Think how the life of Mrs. Eddy has affected the entire religious world throughout the globe and how many millions of people have experienced physical, mental, moral, and financial healings through that one woman's consciousness. If you stop to think of that, then you must realize the power there is in the spiritual consciousness of one individual.

There is a center within each one of us in which is complete harmony, complete spiritual rest and peace, a complete sabbath from this world. There is that center within each of us, and eventually in our meditation we reach it and actually sit in that center within our own being in an eternal peace, a divine state of peace. The storms of this world do not enter there. In that state of inner peace, we pray that this eternal peace at the center of our being—this eternal harmony, wholeness, completeness, and perfection—now may be made manifest on earth as it is within us. If we have within us this center of divine peace, rest, and sabbath, and we meditate, it is only that we may be still and let this glory escape, so that all men may feel the divine presence and power that is at the center of our being and which we have realized.

Loving Our Neighbors On Their Level

The Master fed the multitudes and he healed them. He did not say to them, "I won't help you until you are as spiritual as I am," but he fed them at their level of consciousness. And so should we.

The Power Of I Am

We must raise up this *I*, the son of God, in all those we meet, never forgetting our enemies, because to pray for our friends profits us nothing at all. We must begin to look into those countries, into those peoples, into those governments where at the present time the Christ is not being shown forth and recognize the son of God in the midst of them, recognize that *I* in the midst of them.

Living Now

An Idea Whose Time Has Come Across The Desk

belief in good and evil perpetuates such conditions

Living The Infinite Way

God Is Omnipresent

Remember that as an individual you are a branch, and you have within you this divine sonship drawing unto you all that you need. In your relationship to the world, you now become the vine, and you are the one who is drawing truth from God and letting it flow from you to your neighbors, be they men, women, or children, animal, plant, or mineral.

We have been receiving this truth of our sonship, of the omnipresence of God and all good, and we are filled with it. Now the time has come when we must begin spending it, using it, and expressing it. As we go out into the world, we give up our selfhood as a branch, and we accept ourselves as the *vine*. We recognize everyone we meet as a branch, all members of one family, the household of God, all one in Christ Jesus. In that moment, we begin to let this truth which fills us flow out into expression.

Man Was Not Born to Cry

Breaking The Bonds Of Humanhood Extending Our Horizons

The third stage...is the place in consciousness where he is beginning to think in terms of the particular message and of how it can help the world.

Releasing The Imprisoned Splendour

We must become centers through which the grace of God can escape...Our greatest value to the world lies in our periods of silence, secrecy, and sacredness.

Our Spiritual Resources

The Government Is On His Shoulders Our Privilege And Duty

Disregard the ominous international news because peace [has] already taken place...Even though it is a tangible experience in consciousness, the press cannot report this spiritual awakening because it is not yet visible in form.

Let us not for a moment think that we can take a spiritual stand for the world and make its demonstration. Our prayer is...that material sense be destroyed in order that brotherly love may be established in the hearts and souls and minds of peoples and governments all over the world.

The very moment that we release mankind from condemnation, we help release this world from fear.

Spiritual Interpretation Of Scripture

Unveiling The Christ Grace

Our task: realize freedom of everyone.

SPIRITUAL POWER OF TRUTH

Know Thy Self

We are all of the household of God. In acknowledging this for yourself, in bringing to yourself the harmonies that automatically follow the reign of Christ, do not forget that you are bringing them to this entire world. This is because in the last analysis we cannot wait for billions of people to decide to turn to Truth for the world to be saved. Nearly all the billions will pass on before this happens, and we will have to start all over with the next generation; and then those *billions* will be passing on before we in reach them. Therefore, let's stop trying to reach mankind, and instead let each one of us determine to reach our selves, raise up Christ in our selves, realize the Christ in each other, and thereby establish the reign of Christ on earth. Then the billions of people will automatically discover that they are God-governed. When that day comes, if you witness it, you will probably be surprised that they are not grateful for it. They won't be grateful, because they will not know out of what they were lifted.

In praying for the world, there is one mode and means of prayer that will do more to break the evils of the human mind than anything else: realize that God, Spirit, is Omnipotence, and therefore the mind of man is not power, the will of man is not power, the way of man is not power. All power is in God, Spirit, and therefore there is no power in the carnal mind, or mortal mind, or human mind, whichever you call it. All power Is in God.

The most difficult situation [of the transition in consciousness] arises with yourself in the early months when you have to consciously resist the temptation to want something and desire something as if you were out there at the feet of the Master. You have to consciously remember that you gave up that seat to those who are not yet aware. Now your seat is on the platform. You are sitting up there, a co-worker with the Christ of God. Your function is no longer to receive but to bestow. Your function is not to get but to give. Your question that you must ask yourself every morning is, "What have I in the house?" Then throughout the day, as the opportunity comes to bestow the Bread of life, the Meat, the Wine, the Water, the Life, the Resurrection, remember that this is the Path you have embarked upon.

To pray for the world means to look out and almost see this globe of the universe in front of you and feel your hands, or your love, going out around that globe, saying, "Father, forgive them; they know not what they do." "I pray that thy sins be forgiven thee. I pray that Christ dwell in thy heart. I pray that no penalties ever be inflicted upon you for the past. I pray that you know spiritual Freedom, spiritual Justice, spiritual Life, and spiritual Law." Hold that globe this way, in a whole armful of love, understanding, and forgiveness. Allow no thought of victory to enter your mind; no victory over man, no victory over ideologies, no victory over countries. Not victories; Peace! There never can be Peace when there are victories, because with every victory there is a loss, and the loser must always think about the next gain. Never think of victories.

We can bring about a transition in consciousness if we will start a battle with ourselves. That battle will start the very moment that we realize that we have had the privilege taken away from us of going to God for something—or to man. We have had to sit still and say, "No...No more begging, no more pleading, no more looking out," now realizing, "Thank you, Father. All that God Is, I am. That which I am seeking, I Am. All that the Father hath Is mine. Here, where I am, Is holy ground, for here the Spirit of the Lord Is; and where the Spirit of the Lord Is, there Is liberty...I have received from the Master. From Truth I have received life eternal. I have received divine Grace. I have received the assurance of my Oneness with God. Now it is my turn to share, to bless, to pray."

The 1954 Infinite Way Letters

The Realm Of Spirit

From the infinity of our being we send love, joy, peace, harmony, health and supply to all those in the world who may at this time be experiencing a sense of separation from God.

The Art Of Spiritual Healing

Spiritual Healing: Without Words Or Thoughts
If I Be Lifted Up

Let our own erroneous beliefs be dissolved through the truth that we are knowing for the world.

Stop praying about [our own problems] and begin to pray for others.

The Contemplative Life

Steps On The Path Of Illumination
To Whom Much Is Given, Of Him Much Is Demanded

Spiritual attainment is never given to us for our own benefit...With every bit of spiritual life that you attain, be assured that you will be called upon to bear more and more witness to it; you will be called upon for more and more service to God. Never believe that the spiritual path leads to sitting in a cave somewhere, hiding away from the world; never believe that it leads to a life of indolence and ease.

Receptivity To The Christ Is Greater In Time Of Need

Do not reveal this Christ that has been revealed to you: Do not try to give It to this world; do not try to be a do-gooder; do not try to save the world. The world does not want to be saved any more than you wanted to be saved when you were healthy and prosperous and all was going well.

the foundation of mysticism

Introducing The Healing Principles
The Nature Of Error

Nobody is ever given the grace of God and then given permission to go up on a mountain and hide somewhere with it. No, no. The more realization we have, the more activity is given to us through which we put to work our understanding and our development for the benefit of this world.

Our responsibility is to be a positive influence for good, and we are a positive influence for good only in proportion to the activity of truth in our consciousness, only in proportion to the truth that fills our consciousness and that we are consciously uttering silently, sacredly, secretly. All who engage in the study and practice of a metaphysical, spiritual, or mystical teaching are really responsible to be examples to this world for what truth entertained in consciousness can do. All the world is seeking that.

Know The Truth

I don't believe [world peace] will ever be accomplished humanly. It can't be. It will have to come through spiritual means.

The Infinite Way Letters 1956

God Is The Soul Of Man Spiritual Guidance

It is only in the good of others that our own good can be found.

The Infinite Way Letters 1957

November: Gratitude Across The Desk

Our work is to destroy material sense and thus free mankind from its only bondage.

The Infinite Way Letters 1958

February: Problems Aren't Problems Anymore Welcome Problems As Opportunities

If our function is to prove the nothingness of all the appearances that the world calls discords, then why should we be concerned when another opportunity comes to us to prove their nothingness, first to ourselves, and then to our world?

The Infinite Way Letters 1959

January: Individual Responsibility
Spiritual Endowment Is A Prerequisite To World Service

The first rule of spiritual wisdom is to forget the world: forget about doing good in the world...Concern yourself, first of all, with establishing your own spiritual integrity and with realizing your own spiritual identity.

Encircling The World With A Band Of Christ-consciousness

Are you willing to give periods of the day to the dissolving of the material sense which holds the world in bondage?

It has been given to me that if a band of realized Christ-consciousness is formed around the world, it will touch and awaken individual consciousness and bring lasting freedom to the world.

The higher [students] rise spiritually, the more keenly are they aware of world problems.

When the enemy has been touched by the Christ, he is no longer our enemy: He is our Self.

The Carnal Mind Is Not A Power

We can bless the world by refusing to personalize error—by realizing that evil is not man-made...and then take that second step of realizing, "Yes, but since God is omnipotent, the carnal mind is not power."

THE JOURNEY BACK TO THE FATHER'S HOUSE

Attaining The Christ Mind Releasing Infinity

Open out a way for the infinity of God to escape. Truth is within. The truth, which is bread, meat, wine, and water, is not to be found outside, but is within, and a way must be found for "the imprisoned splendor" to escape. Begin to pour now. There is no better way to begin to pour than to set aside periods each day to pray for those whom you know need prayers, those within your family, your community, within your nation, and eventually within the entire world...Release everyone from condemnation and punishment. Know every bit of spiritual truth you can about all those who are within your consciousness. Know that the voice is saying to them, "Son, all that I have is thine. . . . Neither death, nor life. . . can separate you from the love and care of God." This is giving. You are sharing out of that infinite storehouse; you are pouring out the water of life even without a bucket. Through such meditation, you are developing more and more of that spiritual or fourth dimensional transcendental consciousness.

Becoming Purified Of Malpractice

Every day there must be a period of what I call *purification*. Many times throughout the day we express human thoughts about people in the world, but at least once a day we should sit down and purify ourselves to the extent of knowing that no matter what human judgments we may express or what human correction we may give anybody, this is only on the surface and is but the I know that you are spiritual; I know that I am you; I know that you are me; and I know that the Father is our being.

The Christ Is In Man To Bless All Mankind

We must give up this belief that God planted the Christ in us just for our special benefit. The function of the Christ in man is to bless mankind, to raise up those who are still in sin, those who are still in disease, those who are still in death, those who are still in lack. This is the function of the Christ in us and in every person who is awakened to Its presence...As we contemplate the Christ in us, let us remember that the Christ that lives our life has not been given to us for our picayune little satisfaction, health, or life. The Christ has been given to us that we may be transparencies for God, that we may show forth God's glory on earth. That is why the Christ is in us: to show forth God's glory in healing, in forgiving, in redeeming, in supplying. We open ourselves to the Christ-activity by inviting the world, not outwardly through advertising, but spiritually within, inviting the world to our spiritual household, inviting this world to come and eat and drink, letting this world come and be healed through the inner realization: *Thank You, Father, I know why the Christ is here in. me. I am willing for It to function. I am willing to be the instrument to heal, to feed, to forgive, and to redeem all whom Thou sendest me.*

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An Act Of Commitment The Illumined: Masters Or Servants? God does not reveal Himself lightly, or for selfish purposes, or to those who would use God...Be still and know that *I* in the midst of you am God. Be still and let the rhythm flow from that Silence within your own being, and then follow it with the act of commitment that aligns you with the people of this world.

The reason we meditate is that the kingdom of God may be established on earth as it is in heaven. God forbid that we should want the kingdom of God on earth for us alone.

We are in the rhythm of our relationship to mankind when, first of all, we acknowledge that relationship, and then act on it by making some measure of provision for others outside our own...household.

As long as we continue to live as human beings, there is no setting aside of karmic law, even if we were to wait ten generations. Karmic law, however, is set aside in any given moment when we return to the rhythm of the universe by bringing ourselves into attunement with, and by obedience to, the two great commandments.

We [listen in meditation]...with the full knowledge that we are not going to receive God's grace for any personal purpose or use, but that it is for the benefit of all.

The Circle Of Christhood

Even though you are of the circle of Christhood, you will be living in the world of business, art, literature, government, or religion in order that this light may shine, in order that you may continue to lift up the son of God in all men. You lift it up by beholding the Christ in individual consciousness and as individual consciousness...there will be a flicker of an eyelash, a second of recognition, and you will have lifted up the son of God in man. Thus you will not only be more solidly embodied in the circle of Christhood, but you will be drawing into that Circle those who have been outside, the branch of a tree that has been cut off and is withering and dying.

God is unveiled in your consciousness as your identity and as That which supports, sustains, and feeds you, and as you give recognition to the unveiling of God in the consciousness of every student—and realize that he, too, knows the Source of his good and therefore the joy, not of getting, not of seeking, not of acquiring, but of sharing—you begin, then, to perceive what a spiritual relationship can be and will eventually do on earth among men.

Once you understand that the principle that all evil is impersonal and that it does not have its rise in any individual, you will begin to have the secret of healing work and the secret of world work, because you will not attach the sin, the disease, the struggle for power, the wrong thinking, or any other thing to an individual.

When the Spirit of the Lord God is upon you, you are ordained, but you are not ordained to be set apart. You are ordained to heal the sick, to comfort, to feed, to forgive. That is the purpose of ordination—not that you may be glorified but that you may be better equipped to give more abundantly, to share more freely, to understand more universally.

You might ask yourself every once in a while, "Why was I born? To what purpose have I come to earth?" If you listen, you will hear the Voice say, "I am come that ye might have life, that this world might have life." "Ye" is not just you. "Ye" is all human consciousness. I am come that human consciousness may be fulfilled with the Spirit of God, filled full of the Spirit of God. I am come that the kingdom of God may come on earth as it is in heaven.

You must be able to look out upon this world and say unto it: "The Spirit of God in me is your Father. You may look to the Father within me for substance and sustenance. You, friend, or so-called foe, may look to the Spirit of God in me, the fatherhood of God in me, for your care." Then you will understand this relationship that has been kept secret from the world, the invisible bond that exists among all mystics. The visible and invisible mystics of the world who have recognized *I* standing at the door of their consciousness, are eternally united in consciousness, sharing with one another.

Gaining Our Freedom By Losing Our Human Sense Of Identity

If you really want to be a blessing to this world, to your family, to your neighbors, or to your students, do not allow human thinking to enter your mind, because that is the thinking of the little "I," and sometimes even with the best intentions it could be wrong. Be still and know that *I* in the midst of you am God, and let that *I* do the work.

The Thunder Of Silence

From Law To Grace
I Say Unto You

At some period in our lives, we must all come to an actual demonstrable experience of that Presence which Jesus called the Father within. Not only must we individually experience this Presence, but we must contribute in every way possible to making it a part of world experience.

If necessary, let us sit in a chair all day and all night until the Spirit of the Lord is upon us and dwells in us. Then after this principle of *resist not* has been demonstrated in our family, even to some small extent—because it can never be demonstrated beyond their ability to accept it and live up to it—and we know that we are capable of rising above the battle and resting in God, our consciousness of God's presence makes itself felt by bringing some measure of harmony to our community.

Who Told You?

Retire into a realm of consciousness where even though outwardly we are living a normal life, inwardly is the conviction, "I will not accept appearances; I will not accept them. I stand on *IS*. God is and only God is: There cannot be bad conditions and there cannot be good conditions. There can only be God."

True, we have to rebuke evil: Sometimes we have to vote against it; sometimes we have to talk against it; and sometimes we have to correct children and even grownups too. But this has to be done without our actually believing it, recognizing, "Yes, that's the appearance-world, and the people in it have not awakened to this great secret that there is neither good nor evil in person, place, or thing."