
A Parenthesis In Eternity

Attaining The Mystical Consciousness

The Meaning Of Initiation

All dominion lies in not exercising that conscious dominion. . . because we know the truth of the *I-AM-ness* of our being [which] has dominion over everything on earth.

Losing I-ness In I

That dominion was not given us as something of ourselves, but by virtue of the *I* that we are, the *I* that is within us, the *I* that constitutes our individual being. That is why we can rest as if we were a piece of ice floating in the water, and let the water move us, let the water be the substance of our being, its activity, quality, and quantity.

The Nature Of Spiritual Power

"Choose you this day whom ye will serve": the belief that there is material force and power, or the truth that the Spirit within is the only power.

God has never lost His dominion over the spiritual kingdom, and spiritual man has never left his Father's house. Just as there is no fallen man in the sense of God's man falling into a state of mortality, so it would be equally impossible for mortality ever to rise into immortality and become a child of God.

Awakening Mystical Consciousness

Attaining Dominion Through I

Lifting Power Above Organs And Functions To I

God gave man dominion over the heart, the liver, and the lungs.

There can be no limitation if you recognize that as *I*, as this infinite Consciousness, you are given dominion.

There is an area of consciousness with dominion over every facet of my life.

Your digestive organs cannot do a thing until *I* within you begins to digest.

Dominion Over Your Concepts

Everything that exists on earth is a concept.

The things of the earth over which we have dominion are concepts and we do not have dominion out here.

You have no understanding, and you never will have; it is God who has infinite understanding.

Consciousness In Transition

Illumined Consciousness

Why, just by opening my ear I have the whole voice of God to listen to! By just opening my consciousness, I have the whole guidance and direction and thought of God. By opening my consciousness, I have all the health and strength and longevity—immortality, eternity, peace, joy, power, dominion. Everything that belongs to God now belongs to me because I have opened my consciousness for its inflow. Our existence must be as a state of receptivity. Our existence must be the continuous opening of consciousness for it to come through. And remember, don't limit it—don't finitize it—don't think it has to come through a perfect person or a certain book or a certain teaching. Keep your consciousness open so that it comes from God. It may appear to you as a person, or as a book—that part is all right.

Since I am infinite consciousness and include within my own being the entire universe, I—through my consciousness of this truth—become the law unto that universe. If I behold evil and start to fight it and battle with it, I make it a reality and I give it a power that may make it impossible for me ever to overcome it. On the other hand, if I accept in my consciousness that evil is unreal and therefore does not have to be resisted or battled, I can afford to spend my time in silent meditation, in peaceful enjoyment of the spiritual laws of life. I become a law unto my universe by my conscious attitude toward the universe.

Another thing, when an individual comes under the dominion of that mind which was also in Christ Jesus, they heal without mental or personal effort, whether the patient is awake or asleep, and even when the practitioner is asleep.

It is our consciousness that becomes the law unto our world; and this very moment that we can consciously feel and realize the presence of the Christ, we have that quality of being which to our sense annihilates every form and belief of sin or erroneous condition in our experience.

You can set aside any law of belief. You can't set aside a law of God. The law of God is life eternal. The law of God is, "All that I have is thine." All the eternity. All the immortality... You can set [any law of belief] aside by becoming a law unto your own being through the realization that yours is a God-given dominion. God gave man dominion over the things of the earth, over the waters, over the stars, over the heavens. God gave you—its own individualized being—dominion. But, you must consciously exercise this. You can't sit back and let those beliefs act upon you.

Consciousness Is What I Am

Evolving States Of Consciousness

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Your identity is not form and not mind but consciousness which governs all form.

Mind Is An Instrument

"Choose you this day whom ye will serve." Our mind cannot choose: *we* choose, and then we hold the truth in our mind and it becomes a transparency for your experience.

Mind is a beautiful transparency that will accept whatever we give it.

Our mind has to let us use it for whatever purpose we choose.

When Paul said, "I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me," he meant that he was at that moment receiving life, instruction, dominion, and government from the transcendental and invisible Self. The mind is carrying out the instructions, only instead of our giving the mind the instructions, they are now coming through from the *I* which we really are.

Rising Above Human Consciousness

Every time we remind ourselves that we are not using God to do something to evil but rather that we are recognizing the nothingness of the appearance. . . every time we consciously impersonalize and realize that neither sin, disease, nor false appetite is part of our being but that it is merely a universal belief in two powers. . . every time we meditate, even if it is only a ten-second meditation, just enough time to create a vacuum and to listen, we are developing our consciousness to the fourth degree. An onion skin of mortality is dropping off, and we are that much closer to immortality. . . We become aware that we have a strength, a power, a dominion, and a joyousness that the world knows not of.

Transfer Power From Effect To Cause

No organ or function of the body in and of itself has the intelligence to be healthy or to be sick, to be active, overactive, or underactive. No part of the body can determine for itself what it will do or how it will act or when or why. The Consciousness that formed the body in the beginning is the Consciousness that maintains and sustains it. . . Since it is our state of consciousness that has accepted the belief that the organs and functions can act of themselves, it must be our consciousness that rejects that belief and accepts the truth that God gave dominion through Consciousness, and that this Consciousness is the cause and the creative principle of our body.

We must pass from the belief that something external has power over us to the realization that all power is derived from God and is given to us.

Surmounting World Beliefs Through An Activity Of Consciousness

Dominion is transferring power from outer to within us.

Through an activity of consciousness, we transfer all power from the outer world and place it where it really belongs; within us. Dominion has been given to us by God over everything that exists, but we must consciously exercise that dominion.

Consciousness Transformed

As Ye Sow

We might as well face the problem or it will continue. The reason the law of cause and effect continues to operate in our consciousness is because we give power to this law. Eventually we must come back to, "No, God has given me dominion, and there is no power outside of me." . . . So let us begin to face our problems without a desire to get rid of them, without a fear of them. I'm going to acknowledge there is an error and I'm looking at it, but there is a solution. With some realization of truth, we are finding error doesn't exist. . . The problem must be licked through understanding.

If all power is in individual consciousness, then all power is good, and there is no power external to it.

In the materialistic sense of life we are always conferring powers upon some one or some thing. The entire human experience is made up of a combination of good and evil—externalized good and evil, and we give power to everything external to ourselves. As a matter of fact, we seldom reserve any power at all, any dominion to our selves.

Is there a material universe, or does that tidal wave represent a material sense of universe, and is it not the truth that consciousness is the only cause, the only law, and the only effect? Therefore, consciousness must be the substance of the waves, not only consciousness but *My* consciousness, since there is no other. . . and I realize that my consciousness is not even mine, but God's. Therefore, is there anything destructive in God's consciousness? No!. . . Since you are between two worlds, there is enough material sense left in you to be tempted by the appearance of a tidal wave. However, there must be enough elevation of consciousness to be able to sit down and realize: "Am I accepting external powers? Am I accepting power in things, or am I accepting that all dominion is given unto *Me*— and this means individual consciousness?"

Material sense says that there is power in the body—power to be healthy or to be diseased or to be sinful. Then draw yourself up into your higher consciousness and realize that it is only material sense that is telling you this because in the Garden of Eden there is no power, there is just pure being.

Man, rightly, is a servant of God. Man, rightly, is a son of God and a son is not a dictator of the father. The son respects the father and lets the father have dominion. As you open yourself to God as a servant and as a son, you may be assured that God fills your consciousness.

Consciousness Unfolding

God Is Individual Consciousness

All Power Is In Consciousness

The moment you acknowledge something in the realm of effect as having dominion over you, you have made that a law for yourself, and you suffer from it until you reverse your stand and realize that it is impossible that *I*, the fullness of God made manifest. . . should be at the mercy of anything in the outer realm.

Live Truth

Become convinced that God, unfolding and acting as your individual consciousness is the only power, the only presence, reality, law, and cause, and you will then realize peace, joy, and dominion as effect.

"Wait a minute! What kind of a suggestion is this that is coming to me of a selfhood apart from God, of a human being in pain, in sin, or in disease? I cannot accept that. I will not allow the imposition of such a belief on my consciousness. I will not allow my mind to be handled by such a belief. I know the truth that God is the reality, the substance, and the law of all being."

Help To Those Who Have Passed On?

As Truth, you cannot be limited in form or in expression. As infinite Truth, there is nothing outside your own being to act upon you for good or evil in any way. All power, law, cause, and effect are the manifestation of your own being appearing as your universe.

The Body Is Maintained By Consciousness

There is only one thing important in this world, and that is showing forth God as our life, as our substance, as our safety, our security, our immortality, our eternality, proving that God is the only law unto our being.

The Issues Of Life Are In Consciousness

This form, which is visible to the eyes, is not my body. It is a universal concept of the body that God created. . . The truth that I know about God and God's government of the spiritual body, becomes operative as my understanding, controlling this concept of body.

God, The Substance Of All Form

Developing A Healing Consciousness

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By treatment. . . I mean realizing, no matter what the claim is that is brought to you, that right there is the wholeness, harmony, dominion, and perfection of the one God and that harmony is, therefore, universal, impersonal, and impartial.

Your Consciousness Determines Your Experience

Do you think that there is anything in the external world that can prevent your unfolding consciousness from revealing itself to you in the form of good? . . The external world cannot reach inside your consciousness to govern it or to affect it.

No Power In Effect

As infinite individual consciousness, each one of us is a world unto himself, and each one has to find himself to be the law of life unto his own being—the kingdom of his own being. Nothing exists separate from consciousness. The power is in the consciousness that produces the effect and not in the effect itself.

Concern for the effect persists only as long as there is the belief that the power, law, or reality is in the effect. The moment there is a realization that Consciousness, the Spirit of God, appears *as* effect, there will no longer be concern for the effect.

The only action there is is mind action. If, at the moment, we can only move a finger, then let us move that finger, realizing that the dominion and power are always in the Spirit of God, in Consciousness, never in effect.

There is no power operating in our experience separate from our own consciousness, but as long as we believe that there is such a power and as long as we are trying to get in touch with it, we shall never contact it.

We should continue striving to gain dominion, and thus gradually the shell of human belief will be broken—the belief that there is a power of evil somewhere that can act upon us.

Living Between Two Worlds

Opening The Door To Infinity

Opening The Door Leads To Greater Activity And Inner Peace

Relax and rest and be a beholder as I, the Spirit of God in you, go before you to prepare the way. This is My function. For this purpose have I planted the seed of my Self with you. For this purpose have I breathed My life into you.

The moment we realize that from a human standpoint we are antennas for the universal human mind and then assume dominion by understanding that all these so-called laws that operate as law are not law, we begin to nullify them in our experience. Much healing work is accomplished just by nullifying the action of the carnal mind, by knowing its nothingness, not fighting it.

One World

Dominion comes through recognizing the spiritual nature and identity of every individual. This transforms our world and gives us dominion over sin, sickness, and ultimately over death. In the recognition of our spiritual identity, we are now tabernacling with that which was never born and will never die.

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.

Living By Grace

Freedom In God

World Work

The secret is that where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom, there is health, there is wholeness, there is supply, there is peace, joy, and dominion. So the secret is not to treat anyone for disease, but to attain the consciousness of God's Presence... When the Spirit of the Lord God is upon me, Divine Grace is touching you and freedom is taking place within you. If the Spirit of the Lord God is *not* upon me, nothing happens—there is a void, a vacuum! So, when you call upon me for help, I do not concern myself with your discords. I am not interested as to whether your trouble is physical, mental, moral, or financial. I concern myself only with attaining a conscious awareness, a feeling of God's Presence. If I can attain that awareness, you feel it and it takes effect in you. Your whole nature—your body, your mind, your finances—responds.

Living By The Word

Easter: An Experience Of Consciousness

Dominion Over The Body

I the very Spirit of the Lord God, is the principle and the law unto my body. As long as I know that I am not in the body, but govern it, I have given my body to my divine Self for Its government. *I* does not have to control the body by conscious thinking or by psychological beliefs. *I* left to Itself governs the body. *I* knew enough to form this body; therefore *I* knows enough to govern this body and maintain and sustain it.

Persons permit themselves to be acted upon; they do not live their own life; they do not take their life into their consciousness and govern it: they let themselves be acted upon. If the world says that people catch cold by sitting in a draft or getting wet feet, so be it unto them, and so it happens to them. When medical authorities decide that people cannot catch cold merely by sitting in a draft, then they do not catch cold that way any more. None of this is of their own doing; all of this is because they are being acted upon by the forces of human belief.

You are not in your body. That may not seem at this moment to be of much importance, but sooner or later you will find that it is the ultimate secret of life. . . and the one that produces the greatest demonstration of spiritual living. There is no place in the body where you could hide the word of God. But the word of God does abide in you, and you abide in the word of God. When you begin to perceive that spiritually, you will be able to look at this body and say, Now I perceive that I . . . was given dominion over this body. I was given dominion over everything on earth, beneath the earth, and above the earth. I have dominion over this body. I govern it, I feed it, I care for it. It is my possession. By realizing that, I take my body out of this world where it has been at the mercy of weather, climate, food and calendars that testify to the passing of time. I take my body out of the carnal mind by realizing that I was given charge of it—not to turn it over to calendars, to the control of winds and weather. No, I was given it to care for.

Release From Fear, Hate Or Any Form Of Attachment

The effect of bringing to conscious remembrance scriptural passages is to spirituals the consciousness of the individual engaging in this activity. With this practice, the consciousness of an individual is transformed, so that ultimately he reaches that place where there is left in him no fear, no hate, no love, and no attachment to the forms of life, but there is now a breaking of all sense attachments. Do not misunderstand this. It does not mean that you lose your love for your family or country or your sense of obligation to them. It means that you are completely free of being unduly influenced by the emotions; you are free of the undue human attachments that ultimately make a person become so hopelessly fearful, hateful, or loving that all reason is thrown aside, and he becomes a victim of his own emotions, rather than having dominion over everything that is on this earth, above it, or beneath it. Spiritual consciousness leads to the attainment of your original God-given dominion.

Living Now

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Now Is The Power And The Dominion

Dominion requires us to acknowledge no antagonistic powers to the son of God.

The Dignity Of The Individual

Learning To Release The Gift Of God

Man Was Not Born to Cry

Spiritual Dominion

Taking The Journey Back To The Father's House

The human race became enslaved, engulfed by war, depressions, poverty, disease, and sin, all because of surrendering its dominion through ignorance of its true identity.

The moment the student ponders the idea, “*I* have dominion,” the word *I* begins to work in his consciousness.

There is no power outside of me that can act upon me. All power is within me acting upon this world.

Placing Power In Form Or Effect Is The Error

No statement of truth is power unless it is uttered when you are in the Spirit.

The Dignity And Sacredness Of The Individual

It is a miracle of Grace that one with God is a majority.

Accept Your God-given Dominion

Dominion is exercised only by the recognition of the truth that makes you free.

God gave me this dominion; God gave me this power over all beliefs of power.

God has given me dominion of all that is, and this God-given dominion within me is now operating to free me, whether it is of sin, lack, disease, hate, envy, jealousy, or of resentment.

Our Spiritual Resources

Dominion Over Mind, Body, And Purse

A Transformation Of Consciousness Is Requisite

There must always be an *I* with complete dominion over mind and body, so that when the student sits down to give an intelligent treatment. . . the mind or body will not keep him from his duty or his obligation which in the end becomes his privilege and pleasure.

Treatment means consciously knowing the truth and applying the principles of truth through the instrument of the mind, and the first step is to establish yourself in your true identity as *I*, that *I* which has dominion over mind and body.

We have as much control over our health as we have over our morals or as we have over the thinking mind.

Shake Off The Inertia And Gain Dominion

Inertia is really in control of the human mind, and before we can gain the desired dominion, we must overcome that inertia and really work for that dominion.

Mind imbued with the truth that there is only one power is a law of regeneration, resurrection, and renewal.

We have dominion only in proportion as we assume that dominion through truth [realized in consciousness], always remembering that of our own selves we are nothing.

Symbolism Of The Birth Of Jesus

Our mind is the manger in which the Christ is born. The enemies that would destroy it—the Herods and Caesars—are qualities in our own being. . . which have become embedded and embodied within our minds.

Surrender Your Body To The I of your being

By virtue of the *I* which is Consciousness, we have dominion over the body.

Even the stars that so many people bow down to in worship and fear, yielding power to them—even over these man was given dominion.

The moment we come into a truth-teaching. . . we are beginning to perceive that our body is something within our own consciousness. That is what gives us dominion over it.

We have been given God-dominion over everything there is, not by conscious thought, but by letting the body rest back in the *I* and letting the *I* take over and govern it.

Realization Of Oneness

*Infinite Way Principles And World Affairs
Maintain Secrecy*

Living The Principle Of Impersonalization

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Release Man

Live in subjection to the Christ which overcomes ourselves and realize Its dominion over conditions.

Revealing The Spiritual Nature Of Our Being

SEEK YE FIRST

*Dominion
Dominion Over The Body*

It is not that we should have dominion over anything external to us, but we must have dominion over what we accept in our consciousness. Do we accept in our consciousness two powers or one power? Do we accept in our consciousness a power external to us or all power as being within us. We are the ones who determine this. God gave us this dominion; it can be kept only by exercising it.

[Jesus] had overcome the world by overcoming self, and that means he had allowed God to have full dominion in his consciousness.

When the Bible says that God gave us dominion over everything in the earth, above the earth, and beneath the earth, it means that we have dominion over our consciousness and over everything within our consciousness. Since the entire universe exists within our consciousness, by having dominion over ourselves, we automatically have dominion over everything that pertains to our lives.

Spiritual Discernment

*The Infinite Way Of Life
Refuse To Accept Negative Beliefs*

At first it may appear that you are using one power with which to overcome another power. It is not that at all. If I have believed that two times two is five and then learn that two times two is four, I have not used any power to change the five into four. I have merely learned the untruth of five and the truth of four, and in that process have not used any power whatsoever. In the same way, once you learn that God, or Spirit, constitutes the reality of being, that all power is in God, you learn also that what the world calls evil in any form—sin, disease, false appetite, germs, weather, or disease—is not power. These have been power only because of your acceptance of a universal belief in two powers.

The only force or power there is, is that which you yourself possess. You have within yourself the Redeemer, the Savior, the Power unto your own existence. So in your early experience, you learn how to choose, and thereby how to refuse entry into your consciousness of the negative beliefs, theories, and doctrines of the world. To some extent, at least, you become master of your own fate.

Spiritual Interpretation Of Scripture

*Stages Of Consciousness
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What power has the belief since I AM the law?

(the Law)

To fear another power is to forfeit your dominion.

Spiritual Power Of Truth

Neither Good Nor Evil

If we were to consciously remember that I and the Father are One, not two, and that all that the Father hath is embodied within us as the Son of God, we would then know that what we call our self is not to be spelled with a small s but with a capital S. In other words, this which we call Joel would merely be the outward form of my self, but my Self is that Divine Son of God which is One with the Father, to which has been given the God-given dominion over all that is, and to which the Father has given His own Allness. . . Therefore, Joel is not limited to Joel; Joel has access to his Self. Therefore when we meditate, when we make contact, we make contact with our Self, our Divine Self, our real Self, our Infinite Self. From the moment that we have contact with It, Infinity begins to flow forth—Immortality, Eternality.

The Art Of Meditation

Meditation: The Experience

For God So Loved The World

His infinite understanding becomes our understanding. His infinite love becomes our love. God's blessings are not ours because you are you or I am I. They are God's blessings unto God—God's blessings flowing unto Its own Self as the Son, the Father bestowing His all as the Son. It is the Father giving, the Son receiving, and yet one, only one—Father and Son. In oneness, in conscious union with God is our strength; in conscious union with God is our supply; in conscious union with God is our peace, joy, power, dominion, and our every blessing.

The Art Of Spiritual Healing

Spiritual Healing: The Practice

What About This Body?

No power in body, organs, germs or food. . . all power is given unto me.

The body does not control consciousness; consciousness controls the body.

Beyond Words And Thoughts

It is God's function to have dominion, not mine.

The Contemplative Life

Steps On The Path Of Illumination

David And Goliath

God realization in you reveals that nothing in the world of effect, nothing in the world of concepts, nothing in the world of persons is power for good or evil; and therefore, you need nothing with which to overcome it.

What did [Jesus] mean when he told [his disciples] not to rejoice that the devils were subject unto them? Simply that there was no power to be subject unto them! There is no power to be subject unto you. You are living in the name and nature of God, and in that name and nature there is no other power. That is why there is no weapon formed against you that can prosper: not because you have any defense, not because you have any weapon over evil, but because you stand in the name and nature of God.

The Early Years (32-46)

The Mind Of Christ Jesus

If I continue to look outside myself for the individualization of infinite power, I will be looking in the wrong direction. I individualize infinite power in proportion to my realization that there is but one mind, the divine mind, which is my mind. "I and the Father are one," means that if the Father is divine mind, my mind and that mind are one and the same mind. If the Father is divine life, then my life and the Father's life are the selfsame life.

Keep your vision on your true identity. Behold in truth your spiritual, incorporeal selfhood. You are a state of consciousness. It is consciousness that constitutes your being. There is nothing outside. This understanding of withinness is the truth that makes us free from the limiting senses. As we realize that we include within our being every spiritual idea, such as health, harmony, activity, home, companionship, joy, peace, dominion, freedom, we cease expecting them to come from some outside source or circumstance. As we learn that these qualities constitute our being, they unfold, or manifest, in our experience.

We must remember that there is no law or power acting upon us, but that we are the law unto our body, business, home, supply. We have dominion over all that is in the sky, on the earth and under the water. We are the law unto it, whatever its name or nature. We exist as consciousness, embodying within ourselves every idea in the universe, and every idea is subject to and controlled by the consciousness in which it exists—not by "taking thought," but through the unlabored energy of mind, life, forever expressing itself.

The Foundation of Mysticism

A Spiritual Way Of Living

As you know, the work of the Infinite Way dates from the time it was shown to me that the reason for the discords of the world is that God is present only where God is realized. . . Where God is realized, the grace of God is in expression.

One Power

Right from the start, we were given dominion. But wherein lies our dominion? In our ability to accept or reject. Are there two powers, good and evil? Then God is not infinite, God is not omnipotent, God is not omnipresent; and it is just foolishness to go around thinking you believe in God.

Since our work teaches us that we must not use force, we must not take up the sword, we must not punish our mind or body, we have recourse only to discipline, but not the harsh discipline of an unthinking parent over a wayward child. Rather, we exercise loving dominion that a wise parent exercises: a discipline with love, a discipline with gentleness, a discipline with peace and patience. And so we learn to gently take dominion over the mind so that we can meditate the way we did in this meditation:

I say unto thee, peace he still, fear not. Fear not—not all the armies of the aliens, for God in the midst of thee is mighty. . . You need not battle; you need take no thought for what you shall drink or wherewithal you shall be clothed.

With every wind that blows, that's the way we twist and turn. That ought not to be. It should be that you have dominion. But you'll never have it if you don't assume it; you'll never have it if you don't declare it; you'll never have it if you don't exert it. . . And so it is, that if you I don't want diseased bodies and you don't want sinful minds, make up your mind that you will take dominion of your bodies and your minds. You cannot sit back waiting for a mysterious God to act for you because a mysterious God won't do it.

You actually do have supreme control every minute if only you'll take possession of your own thinking. So you think, "Now it isn't thinking that makes it so. Ah, no. It's my relationship with God that makes it so." If you consciously bring that to remembrance, you establish your demonstration.

The Infinite Way

Metaphysical Healing

(metaphysical Healing)

I AM individual infinite spiritual consciousness, embodying every right idea and governing it harmoniously.

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We must not live as effect with something operating upon us [but] live as Law.

The Christ

Home, employment, body, are ideas within us subject to our own understanding.

Lack is in the belief that we are humans.

The Infinite Way Letters 1955

Immortality

The Price Of Truth

Only one thing makes the Law effective unto you and that is the acknowledgment that the Mind of God is your mind.

God Is Individualized Consciousness

It is inexcusable to continue permitting domination by anyone or anything in the outer.

Power is never separate from consciousness, nor is it ever something out there in person, place, or condition.

This is not personal dominion—it is the Dominion of God, acting as individual consciousness.

Dominion By God's Grace

It is [your] spiritual identity which has dominion over everything in life.

The moment you assert your God-given dominion, you become the law unto your universe.

The Infinite Way Letters 1956

The Part We Play

Seeking Within Reveals The Nature Of Prayer

For just as the sun expresses itself as light and warmth, so does God express Itself as harmony, wholeness, completeness, perfection, dominion, power, joy, and peace.

The Ninth Commandment

Arise and take thy bed. . . saying in effect: "You, the Soul—arise! Take up thy body and walk!"

The Infinite Way Letters 1957

June: The Secret Of The Healing Principle

The Secret Of The Healing Principle

The world of appearances has no law to support it, no substance to sustain it, and no continuity except such as we, in our ignorance, give it.

Rightful Place Of Body

The moment one rises to that point where he can perceive spiritual light. . . the body takes its rightful place as his servant instead of his master.

Gratitude For The Realization Of The Spirit

Each one of us must be a law unto whatever the situation is which we are facing.

We gave power to the stars and astrology. . . to the moon. . . to the sun. . . to food. . . to climate. . . to drugs. Step by step we have surrendered our dominion.

The Infinite Way Letters 1958

January: Spiritual Unfoldment Through The Study Of The Infinite Way

The Infinite Way

“Anything that exists in the realm of effect is not cause, is not creative, and has no power over us” - (*The Infinite Way*) That sentence alone would bear three year’s earnest study.

Humanly, you are under the domination of thoughts.

Release Fear And Live By Grace

Live through the Spirit; turn to the Spirit for everything; react only to the Spirit. Let the Spirit be your law, life, activity, and being.

The fear must be removed first, and then the object of the fear disappears.

There is a responsibility that we have to accept, and that responsibility is to become free of fear.

We cannot become free of fear except in proportion as we realize that there is no power in the external universe. All power is within ourselves acting upon this universe.

Inertia Versus Conscious Awareness And Positive Conviction

All power is flowing out *from* me.

You yourself must make the transition from being effect to being cause; you must make the transition from being governed by every form of material belief to being God-governed.

Relation Of Spiritual Living To Spiritual Healing

When you remove power from the form, you will find that it is literally true that God gave you dominion over this body, over everything on earth, everything in the air, everything beneath the waters.

Establishing A Conscious Awareness Of The Presence

Only God has power. I have all the power of God with me in every activity, in every experience, in every transaction, in every journey.

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Your Consciousness Is The Law Unto Your Entire Experience

What lifts you above the puppet-like lot of the ordinary human being and makes you master of your fate and captain of your own Soul. . . is determined. . . by the conviction maintained in consciousness.

The Demonstration Of Christhood

God does not really give the Son dominion: *God is dominion expressed as the Son*—the Father and Son, always one.

Exercise Your God-given Dominion

Someday you will recognize that your heart only stops beating when you give your consent; it is the *I* which has dominion.

You face a great responsibility when you come to a place in consciousness where your every word becomes a law unto yourself.

Whom Say Ye That I Am?

Eventually every seeker comes to that place in consciousness where he knows his true identity and where he begins to realize, "I am not in this body: This body is mine, and I was given dominion over it."

I take my body out of the carnal mind by realizing that this body is my precious possession, given me of the Father.

The Journey Back To The Father's House

God Dominion: Not Man's Domination

To What Do We Pay Homage?

From this moment on, let us watch to see to what we are paying homage, to what we are bowing down, and to what we are giving power, and then realize, "No, no, I can acknowledge only one power and that, the power of spirit through spiritual law, which has its source within me." We are not talking about a God afar off: we are talking about a God that is in the midst of us; nor are we talking about some spiritual law that must come down to us from some place, but a spiritual law which is locked up within us, and which we must open out the way for it to escape.

God has given me dominion over this body, and therefore, I give unto you God's peace, God's health, God's grace, God's strength, God's youth, God's immortality. God's grace is your sufficiency. You shall not live by bread alone. Of course, I will feed you, and I will see to it that I give you the most nutritious, cleanest, and purest food I can. God's grace is the substance of my body, and it is God-governed, because I now bring it under God's government and remove it from the domination of man and the domination of man's beliefs and theories. To my mind, I give the best intellectual and cultural food that I can. I do not live by intellect, culture, or bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God. I remove my mind and body from the domination of the masses and their ignorant beliefs, and I place my mind and my body under God's government, under God's dominion, under God's grace. To my mind and to my body I give God-given dominion, strength, peace, joy, power, spiritual freedom. To my mind and to my body I give God's freedom, the God-given freedom of the spirit.

God has given me spiritual dominion over all that exists, and more especially do I have dominion over my mind and over my body. My mind must not be permitted to think any thoughts that it wishes; it must not be permitted to think any thoughts that are inflicted upon it by "man, whose breath is in his nostrils." My mind must be subject to God. Through my God-given dominion, I say to my mind: "Mind, peace, be still. Receive your wisdom from God. Receive God's peace and God's grace. Peace be unto you, my mind; God's peace be unto you, my mind; God's grace enrich you, my mind; God's life and God's love be with you, my mind. God governs you; man cannot dominate you." My mind is under the jurisdiction of God. My mind is subject to the laws of God, and because of the dominion that God has given me over my mind, I can say to my mind, "Peace, be still; God's grace, God's love, God's wisdom be with you. Receive your life from God, your wisdom from God, your eternity, your immortality, and your sanity from God. The grace of God is your sufficiency. God's dominion, through me, reaches my mind."

There is only one way to free ourselves of human domination—whether it is domination in our home, domination in our government, domination in our church life—and that is to see that the human mind and its thoughts are not power. God, Spirit, is the only power, operating through spiritual law, operating in and through the consciousness of man. Once we begin to see this, we bring ourselves under the dominion of God and separate ourselves from the domination of men.

We Make Our Life Experience

We can watch how we begin to make our own life when we stop fearing appearances, go back within, and realize: *All power is within me, in that Christ within me, in that omnipresence within me. I shall not fear the circumstances or conditions of the appearance-world.* We are united in this consciousness of truth. The truth that has been given to us, which is the word of God in us, is the power Unto our experience.

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*Search For Freedom
(search For Freedom)*

Consciousness can express Itself only as spiritual ideas.

Consciousness is the only Creator and is forever conscious of each and every created being and thing.

Man is the greatest [idea] with dominion over all lesser ideas.

The Master Speaks

Healing And Silence

See The Rope As A Rope

Man Is Not A Reflection

The Thunder Of Silence

From Law To Grace

Ye Are The Light

Our purpose is to be the transparency through which the Light—not we—performs Its mighty works to be the instrument through which the Divine can manifest and express Itself on earth as It does in heaven. We are never the doer; we are never the actor: We are always the vacuum through which Spirit flows. Let us never for a moment believe that by our spiritual endowments we will ever attain personal or spiritual power. There is no room in spiritual living for egotism or for the exercise of personal power. God does not give His power to another. God does give His glory to another. The power, the glory, and the dominion always remain in God; and we are but instruments, humble servants or transparencies, through which that Light may shine.