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To  
Manifesting  
Whatever It Is  
You Desire

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## PREFACE

This is merely a compilation of what I consider some greatest truths and inspiration from authors that could have only experienced what they spoke about, that will help point the way for anyone sincerely seeking knowledge of how to manifest anything your heart desires.

You can obtain all that your heart desires when you know the laws of your being and abide and live by them.

There are 365 quotes.

I hope they bless all that they come in contact with.



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But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you. (Matthew 6:33)

*Believe that you have received it, and it will be yours" (Mk 11:24)*

"His secret is with the righteous" (Proverbs 3:32)

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A closed  
mind is  
unable to  
grasp the  
Truth.

A great  
revelation awaits  
your discovery  
the moment you  
clearly identify  
what you want  
and stay focused  
on it.

A PERSON WITH AN  
IMAGING FACULTY TRAINED  
TO IMAGE ONLY GOOD,  
BRINGS INTO HIS LIFE  
"EVERY RIGHTEOUS DESIRE  
OF HIS HEART"—HEALTH,  
WEALTH, LOVE, FRIENDS,  
PERFECT SELF-  
EXPRESSION, HIS HIGHEST  
IDEALS.

- Florence Scovel Shinn

A valid argument that is peculiarly appropriate in this connection rests upon the fact that every appearance of evil arises from *belief* in it; if that belief changes, the evil changes also in exact accord with the change of belief; remove the belief entirely and the evil totally disappears.

"Error is to each person what he believes it to be; whatever the facts, the measure of the belief is the exact measure of the error, and as the belief changes, the error changes also." On the contrary, truth does not vary with the varying opinions in regard to it. "It is only error that is changed by change of belief; belief or disbelief can never change either a fact or a truth, for truth is unchangeable."

We must not forget that principle never varies, and if we look for the not-good and believe in it, we receive it just in proportion to our belief. But the not-good is wholly non-existent; it has no reality beyond man's own belief, and if he no longer has the belief which gave to him all the reality it ever possessed, it then ceases to have the appearance of reality. From the instant that his belief ceases, he recognizes that he is free from the condition produced by it.

"According to your  
Faith"

That is the law  
that determines  
everything.

Accordingly the master mind is a mind that thinks what he wants to think regardless of what circumstances, environments or associations may suggest.

Affirm that which you  
desire as a present  
reality.

Live as if it were  
already manifest.

And you shall find it  
manifest.

All condemnation springs from looking at personality. Personality (Latin, persona, a mask) is the outward appearance, not the real self. That any of us utters a word of condemnation of another is the surest proof that we ourselves are yet living largely in the external of our being, the personality; that we have not yet risen at all beyond the plane of those to whom the pure Nazarene said, "Let him *who is without sin* among you cast the first stone." Just in proportion as we return unto God, as we withdraw from the external to the within of ourselves, keeping our thoughts centered on Him who is perfect, will we lose sight of personality, of divisions and differences, and become conscious of our oneness with each other and with God.

ALL DAY LONG and every day, the God in You keeps repeating—"I AM." But He lets YOU end the sentence. You can add "poor" or "rich", "sad" or "happy", "sick" or "well," as YOU choose. God can do for you only what you ALLOW Him to do THROUGH you. You praise and bless Him, only when you see the good and true and beautiful. You dishonor Him when you call yourself weak or sick or poor.

- Robert Collier – The Magic Word

All I ask is that you who read these lessons shall try the effect upon the subconscious mind of vigorous, positive, living words. Even though you are in the midst of poverty, sickness and sorrow, affirm the opposite. Say with all the earnestness you can muster: **I am rich, I am well, I am happy.** Say it again and again, though all things conspire to give the lie to your words. If you do this faithfully, just as sure as you live the words you thus utter will fall into the subconscious mind and become there a power to work for good in all your conditions.

All things are first  
produced in the mind

WHATEVER the mind does,  
with regard to personal life,  
is faithfully copied in  
duplicate action within the  
body.—The body is the  
external instrument of the  
mind and reproduces the  
action of its personal  
thinking.

All through the Bible we are told not to be anxious, not to be fearful, not to hoard or save, because an invisible power is at man's command to supply every need. But we were told that it would not work unless we believed in it.

"If thou canst believe in this God power, all things are then possible." It is difficult for a man to believe in this power, because he has had a right training in unbelief.

"I'll believe only what I can see," was suppose to be the height of wisdom. We believe in a world of externals, where we thought everything "just happened." We did not know that back of every happening was a cause, that we, ourselves, started in motion the machinery which produces good and evil in our pathway.

We did not know that words and thoughts are a form of dynamite, and should be handled carefully, with wisdom and understanding. We hurled out into the ethers, words of anger, resentment or self-pity, then wondered why life was so hard. Why not experiment with faith; trust this invisible God-power and "In nothing be anxious," but "in everything by prayer and thanksgiving, let your requests be made known unto God." Could anything be more simple and direct? Anxiety forms you have become habits. The old thought forms you have built up in the subconscious, hang on like barnacles on an ocean liner. But the ocean liner is put in dry-dock once in a while to have the barnacles scraped off, so, your mental barnacles will have to go through the same process. The dry-dock is a big situation.

I know of a woman who had been a coward all her life, particularly about finances. She worried all the time about money. She came into this Truth, realized how she had limited herself, and suddenly made the giant swing into faith. **She commenced to trust God and not the external for her supply.** She followed her intuitive leads about spending. If any of her clothes made her feel poor, she would discard them at once, getting something new to make her feel rich. She had very little money, but gave one-tenth to good works. She was winding herself up into a new vibration. Very soon, things commenced to change on the external. A woman, on whom she had no claim, who was merely an old friend of her family, left her a thousand dollars. A few months later, another thousand came in. Then a big door opened for her supply and many thousands came in. She had tapped her invisible supply from the Bank of the Universe. She had looked to God only for her supply, then the channels opened. The point I am bringing out is, that she had lost all anxiety about money matters. She had established in her subconscious, the firm conviction, that her supply come from God, and it never failed.

All through the Bible man is told not to be afraid. Fear is man's only enemy. It is faith turned upside down. Jesus Christ said, "Why are ye fearful, o ye of little faith?" If you can only believe, all things are possible. Linked with God-power, man is invincible. The story of Jehosophat is the story of the individual. So often he seems outnumbered by adverse appearances but he hears the same voice of the Infinite saying: "Be not afraid or dismayed by reason of this great multitude, for the battle is not yours but God's."

Jehosophat and his army were even told that they would not need to fight the battle. "Set yourselves, stand ye still and see the salvation of the Lord," for the battle was God's not theirs. Jehosophat appointed singers unto the Lord to praise the beauty of holiness as they went out before the army, saying; "Praise the Lord for His mercy endureth forever." When they came toward the watchtower in the wilderness they looked toward the multitude and behold, they were dead. Their enemy had destroyed itself. There was nothing to fight. The Bible was talking about states of consciousness. **Your enemies are doubts and fears, your criticism and your resentments. Every negative thought is an enemy.** You may be outnumbered by adverse appearances, but be not afraid or dismayed by reason of this great multitude; for the battle is not yours but God's.

All you need to do is to get in the harmonious currents; eliminate fear, anger, worry, anxiety, intolerance, impatience, resentment, resistance, envy, jealousy, strife, annoyance, and all the destructive thoughts which generate destructive energy and relate you with these destructive currents. *Fill* your field of consciousness with the picture of the thing you want and only one thing can result. When you *fill*—not partially fill,—your field of consciousness, your thought world, with thoughts of health and strength and power and harmony and the things you want, it is impossible to get anything else but those things, nothing else can come to you."

*An old Hindu legend says there was a time when men were gods. But they abused their divine powers so much that Brahma, the master of all gods, decided to take these powers away and hide them in a place where they would be impossible to find. All that remained was to find a suitable hiding place. A number of lesser gods were appointed to a council to deal with the issue. They suggested this: "Why not bury man's powers in the earth?" To which Brahma replied, "No, that will not do because man would dig deep and find it." So the gods said, "In that case, we will send their divinity to the deepest depths of the ocean." But Brahma replied again, "Sooner or later man will explore the depths of the ocean and it is certain he will find it and bring it to the surface." So the lesser gods concluded, "Neither land nor sea is a place where man's divine powers will be safe, so we do not know where to hide it." At that moment Brahma exclaimed, "This is what we will do with man's divinity! We will hide it deep within him because that is the only place he will not think to look."*

*From then on, according to the legend, man searched the world over; he explored, climbed, dove, and dug in search of something that was inside himself the whole time.*

Analyze the Law thus:

"Kingdom of God?" Where?

"Within you." "God is Spirit,"

He said. "The Kingdom of  
God" is then in the Soul. It is  
the Ego or Soul of man.

Know thyself as Soul; know

thyself as Spirit—this is the

Law.

As

I Believe

I Receive

"As in heaven so on earth." As in the subconscious so on earth. Whatever you have in consciousness as you go to sleep is the measure of your expression in the waking two-thirds of your life on earth.

Nothing stops you from realizing your objective save your failure to feel that you are already that which you wish to be, or that you are already in possession of the thing sought.

As long as we go on believing we are sons of John Jones or Tom Thumb, we will never do the works of God. All we have to do is to recognize the Power of God and believe; then the miracle will happen.

As long as you believe in a God apart from yourself, you will continue to transfer the power of your expression to your conceptions, forgetting that you are the conceiver.

Do you believe that the "I AM" is able to do this? Then claim ME (yourself) to be that which you want to see poured out. Claim yourself to be that which you want to be and that you shall be. Not because of masters will I give it unto you, but, because you have recognized ME (yourself) to be that, I will give it unto you for I AM all things to all.

Your belief in masters is a confession of your slavery. Only slaves have masters. **Change your conception of yourself and you will, without the aid of masters or anyone else, automatically transform your world to conform to your changed conception of yourself.**

As soon as we  
become rich in  
our thought  
then we will be  
rich in our  
expression.

As we love everything,  
everything will love us.

Directed towards our  
trials and pains it  
transforms them and  
renders them  
educational.

"Love *never* faileth."

Assume now that you have all the faith in God that you need. Then act in accordance with this assumption. Every affirmation, thought, feeling, word and action that expresses faith impresses faith upon the inner mind. As the subconscious accepts the impression, it will set in motion forces that are faith-producing.

**Assumptions awaken what they affirm.** As soon as man assumes the feeling of his wish fulfilled, his four-dimensional self finds ways for the attainment of this end, discovers methods for its realization. I know of no clearer definition of the means by which we realize our desires than to experience in imagination what we would experience in the flesh were we to achieve our goal. **This experience of the end wills the means.** With its larger outlook the four-dimensional self then constructs the means necessary to realize the accepted end.

- Neville Goddard

At one stage of life we look upon the outer as reality, and upon the inner life as something that is vague and intangible. And at another stage we know that all truth exists because of the inner, and that the outer only symbolizes it. The outer embodies, to a degree, the inner life. So the whole life is changed, and man becomes a new creation. This is what the New Testament meant by the renewing of the mind. It is made new by the understanding of life, and this understanding begins in the heart, and works from there into the outer life.

"Be not weary in  
well doing; for  
in due season  
you shall reap, if  
you faint not."—  
Gal. 6:9.

BE OPTIMISTIC  
toward all that  
is right. What  
the mind  
*realizes* in its  
right thinking,  
the world  
bestows.

Be sure and not take on false suggestion. The world is full of calamity howlers; turn from them, every one, no matter how great you think they may be; you haven't the time to waste over anything that is negative. You are a success, **and you are giving to the Law, every day, just what you want done.** And the Law is always working for you. All fear has gone and you know that there is but One Power in all the Universe. **Happy is the man who knows this, the greatest of all Truths.** The whole thing resolves itself into our mental ability to control our thought. The man who can do this, can have what he wants, can do what he wishes, and becomes what he wills. Life, God, the Universe, are his.

Be thoroughly impressed with the absolute necessity for right-thinking, at all times and under all circumstances. If a person wishes to have prosperity in his business affairs, what is the certain rule to adopt to have it? **THINK IT, THINK IT.** Never allow a doubt to come into your mind; know that God alone controls, and that **He will** give you prosperity.

Suppose a person wants health? **THINK HEALTH.** Think of the impossibility of having anything but health, and cease to think of evil. Suppose a person wants happiness. Let him think of pleasant surroundings, and how pleasant his must be. **THINK IT.** Remember that *the thought of a thing is the prophecy of its fulfillment.* "As a man thinketh in his heart so is he."

Become aware of what you are thinking, and you will recognize a law between your mood and your surrounding circumstances.

Then you will predict with certainty, because you know certain events - being in harmony with your mood - must appear.

Everything - whether a living being or an inanimate object such as a book - must appear to bear witness to your mood.

Neville Goddard

Before one can do much toward controlling thought, there must be a realization of its power and importance, not a mere acceptance of a statement. You must feel, you must be convinced, that a bad thought harms you, that a good thought helps you. There must be no playing with fire and a careless feeling that it matters little if you are off your guard part of the time. You must know in your inmost consciousness that thought alone is eternal, that it is master of your fate, and that the thought of every moment has its part of deciding that fate.

You must feel that proper control of your own thoughts will cause all good things to come naturally to you, just as all bad things will be your portion if you misuse your God-given powers. Such realization must come through consideration of proved facts.

“Believe that ye  
have (in  
heaven) and ye  
shall receive  
(on earth).”

*Believe that ye have in  
the heavenly world, the  
World of Reality, and  
you will receive in this  
world, the mental and  
physical world of  
nothingness.*

Big men of finance tell us that they have never even thought of themselves as not having or making plenty of money. They have always expected financial success and have therefore gained it. **They have *expected it!*** In that, is the secret. Our demonstration is in the terms of our expectancy. He who anticipates poverty with dread, will eventually hear the great gaunt wolf howling at his door unless he changes his thought.

Blessed are the pure in  
heart: for they shall see  
God. Matthew 5:8

Blessed are they whose  
imagination has been  
so purged of the beliefs  
in second causes they  
know that imagination  
is all, and all is  
imagination.

## BLESSING AND CURSING

LIFE is a reflex of mental states. As far as you are concerned, the character that things will bear will be the character that you first impress upon them. Bless a thing and it will bless you. Curse it and it will curse you. If you put your condemnation upon anything in life, it will hit back at you and hurt you. If you bless any situation, it has no power to hurt you, and even if it is troublesome for a time it will gradually fade out—if you sincerely bless it.

We are told, you remember, that whatever name Adam gave to an animal—that was its name; and of course you know that the name of a thing means its character. Adam said to one animal, "You are a tiger, ferocious," and so it was. To another, he said, "You are a gazelle, gentle and kind," and so it was. Now, Adam is Everyman, and until we learn to give good names, to "christen" everything, we shall have enemies of various kinds to deal with.

Bless your body. If there is anything wrong with a particular organ, bless that organ. (Of course, you must bless the organ and not the disease.) Bless your home. Bless your business. Bless your associates. Turn any seeming enemies into friends by blessing them. Bless the climate. Bless the town, and the state, and the country.

Bless a thing and it will bless you.

*So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.—Isaiah 55: 11*

But Christ is the  
human imagination,  
and until man  
discovers this for  
himself the Bible  
will make no sense to  
him whatsoever.

But thank God, we are each one our own Creator; we are each one our own Redeemer; we are each one our own Savior; and no matter how weak, how puerile our lives may seem to us, all the great, wonderful, creative power of the universe lies dormant within each one, and it is only a question of getting it out into manifestation. It is simply a question of developing that power, and somewhere, sometime, somehow we will develop it. No matter how much we may have eaten of the "tree of the knowledge of good and evil," no matter what negative, destructive causes we have set in motion away back down the line of our cosmic journey, one and all, without exception, can and will be antidoted the day we come into recognition of our *oneness* with our Creator, the day that we free ourselves from the "unpardonable sin" by coming into a recognition that we are one with God, the day we can stand up and with all the strength of our understanding join Jesus in saying, "I and my Father are *One*."

“By day and  
by night  
I am being  
prospered  
in all of my  
interests.”

By the activity of our thought things come into our life, and we are limited because we have not known the truth; we have thought that outside things controlled us, when all the time we have had that within which could have changed everything and given us freedom from bondage.

By the universal Law of life

whatever  
is subjectively  
affirmed

or

felt

as true

must be expressed.

My Supply  
Comes  
From God  
And No  
One Else

"By thy words *thou art* condemned, and by thy words thou art justified."

The moment we begin to criticize or condemn another we prove ourselves guilty of the same fault we are giving recognizance to.

Call upon the Father within and He will answer you, **to the extent of your belief in Him.**

**Not one jot or tittle more can be manifested than the belief you have in Him.**

It amounts to almost a tragedy, the sudden realization that God only does that for you which you believe possible for Him to do.

We seem to have gone so far afield, and to have blamed everything but ourselves. We have seen others go to the Sea of Life, and dip out unlimited Waters, but the measure we took was very small. **We complained about the measure, and did not know that it could be enlarged by contemplation.** Suppose a man went to the sea for the first time, knowing nothing about its immensity, and took only a pint cup; one look at the infinite supply of water would quickly tell him that he might bring a measure of any size, and fill it, and carry it away

- but of course only the measure he brought would he be able to take away.

**Just what do you think God could do for you? Just what do you believe is possible?**

"Be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind." How can the mind be renewed, and how can the transformation take place? **It will have to be through the open door of belief**

- **you will have to believe it, or it will not be possible.**

A lovely sense of balance and naturalness fills one. Instead of working with imaginary powers and words, **suddenly the idea is resolved into a simplicity that is startling.**

**First the Recognition of the Presence and then the belief, and the remembrance that "According to your faith be it unto you"**

- **yea, according to the last jot and tittle of your belief be it unto you.**

**What do you believe God can do for you?**

The things that you have asked for have you believed possible? Actually - **and was this belief backed up by the Recognition of the Power as able to do all things?**

"My words are spirit and they are truth, and they shall not return unto ME void" - **how much of this do you believe when you speak a WORD for yourself or anyone? That is the degree of manifestation you are going to bring forth - good, bad or indifferent.**

Change your attitude towards the dollars you have.

Tell them they are of no use until they are expended. As you see them lying about, say to them:

**— "Idle dollars, go to work. Go out and circulate. Each one of you go and pay a million in wages and debts. When I need you, come back to me again. You are useless and have no value until you go to work."**

Then LET them go to work, knowing that, when you send this thought with them, they or their fellows will come back to you to be set at work.

- Henry Harrison Brown - Dollars Want Me

*"Choose ye this day whom ye  
will serve."*

In other words, choose between healthy, happy, rich, contented, beautiful thoughts, or sick, miserable, poor, unhappy, ugly thoughts. Our lives are absolutely ours to make or to mar, and every father's son of us is just where we are by the use of this mighty infallible *Law*, not *chance*.

Frances Larimer Warner

## **CHOOSING WHAT YOU WILL HAVE**

You do not have to make anything. Mind makes it. You have only to speak the word. What is it that you want? You must know that. What will you have? You are the chooser. Definitely decide on what you want. Then as definitely declare that it is "done unto you now." Do not think of yourself as struggling to make something. Just think of yourself as the one who is starting the train of causation that is to bring you something. Put your word out with confidence, knowing that it is not you but Spirit that is to do the work. "Ye shall know the truth; and the TRUTH SHALL MAKE YOU FREE." The law of mind does all the work.

Fenwicke L. Holmes

Daily you are going to give to the Great Creative Mind exactly what you want to happen. You will see only what you desire and in the silence of your soul you will speak and it will be done unto you. You will come to believe that a great Divine Love flows through you and your affairs. You will be grateful for this Love.

- Ernest Holmes

Deliberately watch your thoughts as they cross your consciousness. Hold onto them and examine them, but let them go. Neither accept nor reject them. Notice how each thought follows one upon the other in an endless stream of traffic. Now ask yourself, "Who is it that observes this?" It will come upon you then that it is not you who thinks at all;

*it is you who observes and decides, that only.*

*Whatever we leave to God, God does; and blesses us;  
The work we choose should be our own, God lets alone. - Henry David  
Thoreau*

Perhaps the most difficult thing each of us has to learn is to "Let go and let God." As long as we keep our problems with us, dwelling on each aspect of them, lending reality to each negative quality we can perceive or construe, we are defeating our own ends. The mighty power of the Universal Subconscious Mind, recognizing our command that we are determined to do things by ourselves, filters into our lives in a tiny trickle, over the dam we have built against it. But once turn your problem over to the Universal Mind with the request, "Here, you handle it," and the dam is removed and the torrent flows and miracles are wrought before our very eyes, such miracles that we can only wonder with awe at how lucky we are or how beneficent are the circumstances that surround us.

Did you know that with that simple yet majestic command, "Let there be light," you have the "open sesame" to all material problems? That all doors are opened before it, and no complication of mortal reasoning or doings can withstand the potency of it! When the day is breaking what a wonderful prayer to say in your heart of hearts: "Let there be light" to guide me through this day. What a wonderful day of light would be yours; it would come flooding and streaming in on you as you went your way, until men would recognize you as a "Keeper of the Light" and would come to you to seek the light on their problems. "Let there be light" may be just the thing - - just the prayer - - that you need to break the ice of materialism and free the imprisoned river of your activity.

Do not make hard work  
of attaining this  
spiritual heritage of  
ours. Our Father has  
given us the Kingdom,  
only asking in return  
that we become as  
little children and  
"Fear not,  
only believe."

Do not say that money is scarce; the very statement will scare money away from you. Do not say that times are hard with you; the very words will tighten your purse strings until Omnipotence itself cannot slip a dime into it. Begin now to talk plenty, think plenty, and give thanks for plenty. Enlist all the members of the home in the same work. Make it a game. It's lots of fun, and, better than that, it actually works.

Do you believe that you are going to get the things you have asked for? Do you feel it in every atom of your being? Do you realize it in your mind? *Believe that ye receive them and ye shall have them.* In other words, **accept your fulfilled desire in your whole consciousness, *nothing doubting.***

“Assume a Virtue, If You Have It Not.” —  
Dramatize your affirmation, if need be.

**Pretend to yourself that the desired condition is already established. Live, think, act, and speak as though it were fulfilled now.** *If all things are possible to him that believeth,* the belief must come first. Even though you are terrified by the thing that has happened to you, you must keep your mental level high.

Do you know what the most important lesson in the whole Bible is? Do you know what principle was considered so vital that God is said to have used it on three of the six days of creation, and it is repeated no less than six times in the first chapter of Genesis alone? Just this:

**"EVERYTHING  
REPRODUCES  
AFTER ITS OWN KIND!"**

Do you not see that the only reason a problem has power is because you feed it constantly with your thought? The more your attention is upon it, the greater it becomes to you; then one day you recognize the startling fact that you are sustaining it like a parasite, which is mocking the meat it is feeding upon, and you take from it the nourishment of thought, and find that in so doing you have loosened the only hold it had upon you.

Do you permit others to influence you? Do you allow the headlines in the newspapers, or the gossip, or criticism of others to upset you, or bring about mental depression? If you do, you must admit you are the cause of your own mood; you created your emotional reaction. Your attitude is wrong.

Do you imagine evil of others? If you do, notice the emotion generated in your deeper self; it is negative and destructive to your health and prosperity. Circumstances can affect you only as you permit them. You can voluntarily and definitely change your attitude toward life and all things. You can become master of your fate, and captain of your soul (subconscious mind). Through disciplined, directed, and controlled imagination you can dominate and master your emotions and mental attitude in general.

Refuse to think or speak any negative thing.

The only thing being negative accomplishes is keeping you from being prosperous, being unhealthy and unhappy.

The only way out of that is to think positive 100% of the time. Think wealth, think health, think love, always be uplifting in thoughts and words.

Do you see now why it is your faith that makes you *whole*? It makes you *whole* because in reality you are *whole* already. Your faith simply acts to reveal that which already is. The works come automatically to the heart that believes.

Does a voice tell you there is a lack?  
There is no lack in vitality, or  
abundance. Mount to your spiritual  
spaces and partake of all and anything  
you want from Infinite Love. It is  
inexhaustible. Your every yearning can  
be supplied. Take from this limitless  
Source what you will. The more it  
gives, the more it has to give. All that  
is required is that *you believe*. Hold to  
this in confidence. Ask for what you  
want, and believe it is yours. Give it  
time to pass from invisibility to visibility.  
Asking, believing, and waiting will bring  
anything to you. If you do not reach out  
and take *your own*, you will have to go  
without it. All good things are for you.  
All, all is for you.

—*Ida Gatling Pentecost*

Don't argue about it, just do it, and when you have finished leave it all to the Law, knowing that it will be done. Declare that all life, all love and power are now in your life. Declare that you are now in the midst of plenty. Stick to it even though you may not as yet see the result. It will work and those who believe the most always get the most. Think of the Law as your friend, always looking out for your interest. Trust completely in it and it will bring your good to you.

Down through the intervening centuries, the teachings, the lives and the works of various seers, sages, and mystics, within the church and out of the church, have likewise attested the truth of Jesus' teachings. The bulk of the Christian world, however, since the third century, has been so concerned with various theories and teachings *concerning* Jesus, that it has missed almost completely the real vital and vitalizing **teachings of** Jesus.

Each man must sooner or later learn to stand alone with his God; nothing else avails. Nothing else will ever make you master of your own destiny. There is in your own indwelling Lord all the life and health, all the strength and peace and joy, all the wisdom and support that you can ever need or desire. No one can give to you as can this indwelling Father. He is the spring of all joy and comfort and power.

- H. Emilie Cady

Each of us, no matter how insignificant he may be in the world, may receive from God unlimited good of whatever kind he desires, and radiate it to all about him. But remember, he must radiate if he would receive more. Stagnation is death.

Each time an Affirmation is made there are nerve cells created that make it easier for the Affirmation to control the body the next time. And the next time the Affirmation is made, a thrill passes through the whole system, as the prepared cells respond to the thought.

- Henry Harrison Brown

Every experience  
with which you  
meet has been built  
for you by your own  
interior thought  
processes.

Every human being is a dynamo of concentrated, creative energy, ever seeking avenues of expression. And when the right avenues have been found, and there is nothing that prevents the free and full manifestation of that energy, then heavenly joy is realized, and continues, as the fruits of that work return and glorify their source.

Everything in man that does  
not recognize and  
acknowledge its source in  
God, must finally die to  
things spiritual.

When we place anybody or  
anything between ourselves  
and our Indwelling Lord we  
weaken our power and the  
adverse thoughts overwhelm  
us.

Everything in the universe exists as undefined energy until an observer focuses on it. It is consciousness alone that collapses the wave-particle. Without consciousness, everything would exist only as pure potential. There are infinite possibilities that need only intent to make real. In order to notice anything, you have to ignore everything else around it. It is observation that turns possibility into reality. **We can truly create the magical life with consciousness alone.**

"EVERYTHING  
REPRODUCES  
AFTER  
ITS OWN  
KIND!"

Everything  
undesirable passes  
away if we refuse  
absolutely to give it  
recognition by  
word, deed, or  
thought as a reality.

From James Allen's "The Mastery Of Destiny"

Evil thoughts and deeds produce conditions of suffering; good thoughts and deeds determine conditions of blessedness. Thus man's power is limited to, and his blessedness or misery is determined by, *his own conduct.*

**To know this truth, renders life simple, plain, and unmistakable; all the crooked paths are straightened out, the heights of wisdom are revealed, and the open door to salvation from evil and suffering is perceived and entered.**

- JAMES ALLEN

Come give me your hand. I want to take you to a place I know. It is a beautiful castle but within it are two places that need lots of work done for it to be whole and truly beautiful again. Let's go upstairs. Have you ever seen an attic so jam-packed with a lot of useless plunder? Know what it is? IT'S YOUR MIND. Many of us go through life hauling a lot of useless freight simply because we don't know how to free ourselves.

Well, first I want you to take your main beliefs and examine them thoroughly. Then ask yourself, "Why do I believe this? Is it something I have proved or something handed to me by race, superstition, suggestion or man-made theories?" Examine each thing carefully because what you decide to keep, YOU HAVE TO LIVE WITH.

Now let's go to the cellar, now down another flight. Dark isn't it? This is the dungeon where the lord of the castle keeps his prisoners. Each prisoner's name is on the cell door, criticism, hate, resentment, anger, and in the last and darkest cell the worst of all, fear. Recognize the jailor? YES, IT'S YOU! This dungeon is your heart (subconscious mind) and the jailor is just as much imprisoned as the prisoners because he has to stay with them, and feed and care for them. The only way he can be free, is to free the prisoners. A great teacher once said that ten minutes a day spent in forgiving ourselves and others was the best preparation for a good life.

I know you are shocked. I was too when I recognized myself. But I was glad too, because I realized what a perfect chance I have to wipe the slate clean, and begin a new life such as the gods themselves would envy.

**Now is the time to start!**

Faith  
is a confident  
attitude of  
expectancy  
of the  
thing you  
are seeking.

Faith is a part of the soul; it is inseparably united with the soul; one can never lose all his faith, but one can increase its power without end; and as the power of faith is increased, by having more faith, the expression of life will increase, and everything that comes from life will increase.

- Christian D. Larson

**Feel gratitude.  
Always remember to  
say, "Thank you,  
God," and begin to  
feel the gratitude in  
your heart. The  
most powerful  
prayer we can ever  
make is those three  
words, provided we  
really feel it.**

First, you believe that there is one intelligent substance, from which all things proceed. Second, you believe that this substance gives you everything you desire. And third, you relate yourself to it by a feeling of deep and profound gratitude.

"For by your words you will be justified, and by your words you will be condemned."

# FORCE OF THOUGHT

How it Builds up People  
Through the Law of  
Harmony.

In the whole realm of  
Metaphysical study no  
one subject is of so  
much importance as  
Thought.

**Forgiveness** - In the Eternal Now, there can be no place for Divine anger, unforgiveness, or punishment. If we perceive a need for forgiveness, this is a human condition. **Human forgiveness is the process that frees us to live in the Eternal Now.** It is the essential step before real spiritual growth can flourish. Science of Mind teaches that the ultimate goal of life is complete emancipation from all discord of every nature, and that this goal is sure to be attained by all.

Gautama Buddha said: " A man who foolishly does me a wrong, or is being or doing wrong, I will return to him the protection of my ungrudging love. The more evil comes from him, the more good shall go from me. The fragrance of these good actions always rebounding to me; the harm of the slanderer's words returning to him."

Chinese Scriptures tell us of a man who heard Buddha, whilst preaching, defend this great principle of returning good for evil; therefore he came and abused Buddha. Buddha was silent and would not answer him, pitying his mad folly.

The man, having finished his abuse, Buddha asked him, saying, "Son, when a man forgets the rule of politeness in making a present to another, the custom is to say, ' keep your present.' Son, you have now railed at me, I decline to entertain your abuse, and request you to keep it, a source of misery to yourself. For as sound belongs to a drum, and shadow to the substance, so in the end misery will certainly overtake the evil doer."

Instead of resisting evil, we, like Buddha, must let the good go forth from us; the more evil we receive, the more good should we return, remembering that the virtuous man cannot be hurt, and the misery one would inflict comes back upon himself.

There is an unchanging law; it is summed up in these words: "Whatsoever a man soweth, that also shall he reap." It behooves us to sow the good seed, the seeds of purity, love, justice, goodness and truth. It matters not what others may say or do; they are not our standard; the only standard is the perfect man in Christ Jesus. Having sown the good seed, when the reaping time comes, we will reap with joy and gladness.

George W. Wilson says, "Possession follows the feeling that you do possess the things desired, and that feeling is made stronger if you will express gratitude for the possession." *What things so ever ye desire... believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.* When one is grateful for something he has not yet seen or touched or experienced as the result of his conviction that it already exists, his gratitude will hasten its arrival.

Give thanks "as if you  
had already  
received,"

and the law of  
increase will  
demonstrate its  
presence in whatever  
you are thankful for.

Give thanks for  
those things  
that are not, as  
though they  
are, and they  
will appear.

God could not make an individual without making him able to think, and he cannot think without bringing upon himself the results of his thought, good or bad. This does not mean using two powers, but using the One from two standpoints. Nothing in itself is either good or bad; all things exist in mind as a potentiality; mind is eternally acting upon thought, continually producing its own images from mind, and casting them out into manifestation. Man must be the outcome- of the desire of the Spirit to make something which expresses the same life that It feels.

GOD is  
merely a  
different way  
of spelling  
GOOD

“God is my  
instant and  
everlasting  
supply and  
support.”

***God is my  
Supply.***

***My Supply is  
Infinite.***

***Dollars want  
me!***

God—the Universal Law—can only materialize for you according to your vision and the energy back of it, and he cannot furnish you with supply for your needs so long as you continue to create lack, fear, worry, anxiety, etc., in your consciousness, your imagination. When you learn to affirm that you have your rent money NOW with one-tenth the energy and creative power you use in affirming its lack, God will materialize it for you."

Great is he  
who has learned  
the secret of making  
the sub-conscious  
yield up its  
unlimited wealth.

**HE IS A GENIUS.**

Great men are they  
who see that  
spiritual force is  
stronger than  
material force; that  
thoughts rule the  
world.

"He who dares assert  
the I,

May calmly wait

While hurrying fate

Meets his demands

with sure supply."

Helen Wilmans

Heaven is here. It is also everywhere. It is wherever there is a pure heart. The whole universe is abounding with joy, but the sin-bound heart can neither see, hear, nor partake of it. No one is, or can be, arbitrarily shut out from Heaven; each shuts himself out. Its Golden Gates are eternally ajar, but the selfish cannot find them; they mourn, yet see not; they cry, but hear not. Only to those who turn their eyes to heavenly things, their ears to heavenly sounds, are the happy Portals of the Kingdom revealed, and they enter and are glad.

**Here is a key;** there is nothing that you do not have. Since all things are made of energy, and there is an unlimited supply of energy in the Universe, truly there is no shortage. All that you could ever want or desire exists and is merely waiting for you to bring it into your life. When you tell the Universe **“I have financial abundance, perfect health, a great personal relationship, spiritual enlightenment, and a wonderful and joyous life,”** then you set the Universe in motion and it ensures that **what you “have” in your mind is brought into physical reality.** It is not that seeing is believing it is rather believing is seeing. Better yet, ***knowing is receiving.***

Hold in your mind the thing you most desire. Affirm it. Believe it to be an existing fact. Let me quote again the words of the Master, because there's nothing more important to remember in this whole book. "Therefore I say unto you, what things soever ye desire, when ye pray, *believe that ye receive them* and ye shall have them." And again I say, the most important part is the "*believe that ye receive them.*" Your subconscious mind is exceedingly amenable to suggestion. If you can truly believe that you have received something, can impress that belief upon your subconscious mind, depend upon it, it will see that you have it. For being a part of Universal Mind, it shares that Universal Mind's all-power.

"The Father that is within me, He doeth the works." Your mind will respond to your desire in the exact proportion in which you believe. "As thy faith is, so be it unto thee."

"Holy Spirit, you know that the one Law of Supply is abundance—plenty for every right purpose, plenty for every right desire. You know that the Father has all of abundance, that there is unlimited money available for me right now, that as His son I am heir to it. Go you, therefore, bring to me of the infinite abundance that is mine, all that I may need for this purpose. If there is anything you wish *me* to do, give me a definite lead."

Speak the word, then cast your burden upon the Holy Spirit—and forget it!

"My word shall not return unto me void, but shall accomplish that where unto it is sent." —  
Isaiah 55:11.

Robert Collier – "The Secret Of Gold"

How are we to show forth  
perfection in body and  
environment? Here is one good  
way: He "inhabitest the *praises* of  
Israel."\* Praise will coax this same  
life (because One Life) in the child  
or animal to do anything for us.  
Well, it is just the same *One Life*  
that we are directing when we  
praise It for being our great wealth,  
beautiful harmonious surroundings,  
and all Good that we can possibly  
desire. Remember the *nature* of  
desire—that it is the first *touch*, as  
Cady says, of the thing itself.

## **HOW MAN EMERGES FROM A HARD-WORK CONSCIOUSNESS**

**How does man's body and world emerge as radiant substance? How does he get out of a hard-work consciousness?**

**When you begin to use your mind to think and act prosperously again, you evolve out of a hard-work consciousness into a world of increasing abundance. In its oldest form the word "man" means "mind." *Man is mind. Man is mind power.***

**It is through your mind power that you can generate the radiant, luminous substance which is the basis of your world. *It is through the mind that you can claim your millionaire heritage of lavish abundance.***

**All great philosophers and metaphysicians have known this. In ancient legends, Adam was described as a "luminous being," his body composed of a "kind of radiance." Plato talked about man being "luminous substance."**

**As pointed out previously, the description of man's creation is found in the Book of Genesis, and the word "Genesis" means "becoming or emerging." This means that you and I are in a constant process of becoming, or emerging as radiant substance when we recognize it with our minds.**

## HOW TO INCREASE YOUR INCOME WITH THIS MILLIONAIRE MEDITATION

You can increase your financial income in unlimited ways as you begin daily to call on the lavish substance of the universe to provide for you. **As you praise Divine Substance, it will respond with increased abundance.** Like Isaac, one of the millionaires of Genesis, you may even increase your income a hundredfold! *That everything has its root in divine substance has been the millionaire secret of the ages!*

You can begin now to develop your millionaire consciousness by declaring aloud at least five minutes a day these statements:

“DIVINE SUBSTANCE CANNOT BE WITHHELD FROM ME, AND DIVINE SUBSTANCE CANNOT BE TAKEN FROM ME. I AM THE RICH, RADIANT SUBSTANCE OF THE UNIVERSE. I AM MASTER OF SUBSTANCE, AND I TAKE CONTROL OF SUBSTANCE IN MY THOUGHTS, WORDS, AND ACTIONS NOW.

“SINCE DIVINE SUBSTANCE OWNS ALL THINGS, DIVINE SUBSTANCE IS THE ONE AND ONLY REALITY IN MY FINANCIAL AFFAIRS NOW. I PRAISE MY WORLD AS THE PERFECT CREATION OF DIVINE SUBSTANCE, AND I NOW SEE MORE FINANCIAL INCOME FOR MYSELF THAN I HAVE EVER SEEN BEFORE! I INVITE THE POWERFUL, LOVING SUBSTANCE OF THE UNIVERSE TO POUR OUT UNLIMITED WEALTH UPON ME. I CLAIM MY MILLIONAIRE HERITAGE OF INCREASE HEALTH, WEALTH, AND HAPPINESS NOW.”

"I always have an abundance of money and an abundance of whatever it takes to make life happy and opulent. There is a continuous movement toward me of supply, of money, of all that I need to express the fullest life, happiness and action.

“I am” is he that will save you. If you are hungry, your savior is food. If you are poor, your savior is riches. If you are imprisoned, your savior is freedom. If you are diseased, it will not be a man called Jesus who will save you, but health will become your savior. Therefore, claim “I am he,” in other words, claim yourself to be the thing desired. Claim it in consciousness – not in words – and consciousness will reward you with your claim. You are told, “You shall find me when you FEEL after me.” Well, FEEL after that quality in consciousness until you FEEL yourself to be it. When you lose yourself in the feeling of being it, the quality will embody itself in your world.

I remember, after I had been treated for several months, I got up one 'morning, and said to myself, "I am a Law unto myself." I said it over and over again. It was a great discovery. I said: "I will extend this Law. I have lived in a limited condition long enough." I began from that hour to *live* that affirmation, and I have kept right at it for seven years. Don't think that you must have a new affirmation for every difficulty. Another affirmation that is helpful to me is, " I am a Soul." Another : " I am not bound by any past. I am not limited by any future. I am now and forever eternally free." Repeat your affirmations with confidence, knowing that they are a truth. Sit quietly two or three times a day for five or ten minutes; and, as you say them, try to realize all that they mean. Take one at a time, and realize and live it. You will find your fears growing less and less, and that you are controlling your body and surroundings as never before. You derive no benefit from simply affirming, without making an effort to live. True affirmation *is* living. Build yourself a new body, and bring to yourself harmonious conditions in this way. It *can* be done.

Prove it to yourself.

I AM going to make a special effort this morning to help you to realize the Truth or Reality of your being, **so try to get the full meaning of what I am going to say.**

**Understanding of anything makes us master,** and so Solomon urged upon us **the great necessity of acquiring "wisdom,"** knowing that it meant freedom from the **awful bondage to which ignorance has held us captive.**

I am not advocating philosophical indifference when I suggest that we should imagine ourselves as already that which we want to be, living in a mental atmosphere of greatness, rather than using physical means and arguments to bring about the desired change. Everything we do, unaccompanied by a change of consciousness, is but futile readjustment of surfaces. However we toil or struggle, we can receive no more than our assumptions affirm. To protest against anything which happens to us is to protest against the law of our being and our rulership over our own destiny.

"I am the Lord thy God;  
thou shalt have no  
other Gods before me,"

Had he lived in the  
present century it would  
have meant, "I am the  
Infinite; I am my own  
Good. I can have no  
other Good than that  
which is in myself."

I AM, your awareness,  
is Lord and Master and  
besides your  
awareness  
there is neither Lord  
nor Master. You are  
Master of all that  
you will ever be  
aware of being.

- Neville Goddard

I create a  
harmonious  
environment by  
projecting  
thought only of  
the good.

I desire more especially to lay stress upon that one verse which says: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you." What does that mean? What is the kingdom of God? What is righteousness? How are we to seek and where are

we to go? Seek ye first the kingdom of God and its righteousness. Seek it where? The kingdom of heaven is within you. Where do we seek? We seek the kingdom of God and its Rightness within ourselves. **Concentrate your actions along lines of righteousness and goodness, let everthing else go, do right, do good, and God Almighty will take care of you as He does of the birds.**

**Remember this unlocks all the doors of poverty in all creation. Seek you the kingdom of God and His righteousness in your own selves, seek to do right, seek to do good, and let everything else go. Then you will find the cornucopia of plenty pouring out its gold upon your head all the time.** I know it, because I have proved it in my own life. I know it for the stronger reason, because Jesus Christ said so, and when He says anything, know by the love of God that it is true. Seek the kingdom of God, seek to do right, and to do good, and God takes care of all the rest.

I do not need a dollar. Dollars need me."

Assume this mental attitude and see what a change it makes for you.

**When you have changed your aura, dollars will be drawn.** You need not think of their coming, for they will come to you through the opportunities which this new mental attitude will reveal to you. Think only of using them.

*I know from experience that  
it is just a matter of  
choosing what we will have.  
This putting one's self into  
the actual position desired,  
is acceptance, or active  
faith. We may affirm till  
doomsday and get no  
results, unless we at the  
same time, either  
consciously or  
subconsciously, see  
ourselves in possession.  
“Believe that ye have  
received “bears strongly  
upon this argument.*

*—Frances Larimer Warner*

I must always contemplate my objective until I get the feeling of satisfaction personified as Jericho. **Then I do nothing to make it visible in my world;** for the hills of Gilead, meaning men, women, children, the whole vast world round about me, come bearing witness. They come to testify that I am what I have assumed myself to be, and am sustaining within myself. When my world conforms to my assumption the prophecy is fulfilled.

Identification is a simple concept. If you are in a room with people who have the flu, breathing their sneezes and drinking from the same glass, there is a good chance you will get sick. Your moods are affected much the same. The mood of the environment is contagious if you are not observing its effects on your mental and emotional state. The immune system of your moods is your ability to be aware of the potential for infection, being awake through self-observation.

When you are going into the room filled with people who have the flu, you wear a mask so you don't get infected. The same goes for mental and emotional identification. The mask for that is awareness of the probability of infection. To be so aware, you must be awake. If you are asleep, it is very easy to become infected.

One day several years ago I happily boarded a train for a long trip from Spain to Rome. As the day progressed, we rode through one run-down village after another until I, too, began to feel run-down and depressed. Several hours later we were travelling along the Mediterranean. People were playing on the beaches and enjoying the sun and sea. Instantly, I felt wonderful. This is a classic example of identification. At first, I identified with people in the slums and felt as depressed as their surroundings looked. When the scene changed to reveal a beautiful landscape and happy people, my mood became what I then saw.

If he gives hate, he  
will receive hate; if he  
gives love, he will  
receive love; if he  
gives criticism, he will  
receive criticism; if he  
lies he will be lied to;  
if he cheats he will be  
cheated.

- Florence Scovel Shinn

If only one would turn  
completely from the  
world of mind [flesh] -  
how soon he would  
hear the Voice of Spirit,  
and its words of living  
Truth!

If only the Truth will make us free -then only the Truth must we see and be. This seeing requires full surrender of wrong vision and feeling, whether toward ourselves or others. This will be easy to do if we LOVE the Perfect, and Its Way of Self-Perfection, above and beyond all else -and if our Heart leaps to obey OUR BELOVED SELF.

Lillian DeWaters

"If the Son [Self Identification] therefore shall make you free [reveal the full Light of Being to you], ye shall be free indeed. ... "Whosoever denies the Son [refuses Absolute Identification], the same hath not the Father [is unillumined]: but he that acknowledges the Son [identifies himself as the Way Itself, as Jesus did] hath the Father also [has pierced the mystery of the Kingdom]." (John 8:36)

- Lillian DeWaters

"If thine eye [perception] be  
evil [dual], thy whole body  
[world] shall be full of  
darkness [ignorance].

If therefore the light  
[highest idea] that is in thee  
be darkness [ignorance],  
how great is that darkness!"

(Matthew 6:23)

Lillian DeWaters

If we go deep enough into  
Being, we find *that*  
*which we did not know*  
*existed.*

"In *all thy ways*  
acknowledge me and I will  
direct thy paths."

Thought sent out in loving  
waves never returns void.

If we will only believe,  
and not pretend to  
believe, that God is  
guiding us now in all  
our ways, in all our  
thoughts, words and  
deeds, we shall be led  
along the right road.

Joseph Murphy

If ye have faith and doubt  
not . . . whatsoever things ye  
shall ask in prayer, believing,  
ye shall receive ....

Whosoever . . . shall not  
doubt in his heart, but shall  
believe that those things  
which he saith shall come to  
pass; he shall have  
whatsoever he saith.

– Robert A. Russell - God Works Through Faith

**If you allow your mind  
to be hypnotized or  
thought into by negative  
suggestions from  
newscasters or prophets  
of doom and gloom then  
these thoughts, as they  
become subjectified will  
govern you negatively  
and destructively.**

*Dr. Joseph Murphy*

If you believe that there are two separate forces that exist in the world, with two very different modes of expression, then you will always see the things that happen in life through the eyes of those polarities and that separation. Even though this may be an unconscious belief that you never talk about with others, and perhaps never even acknowledge to yourself, it can still dominate your acceptance of love and success in every relationship, each career, all your finances, and the quality of your health.

# **If You Know the Code, You Choose the Rules: Shattering the Paradigm of False limits**

Whether we actually believe that we're part of a cosmic simulation or simply use the idea as a metaphor for our relationship with our everyday world may be less important than the possibilities that such a notion implies. Metaphor or fact, the concepts give us a language with which to share the conversation, and a place to begin.

**Either way, the experience of our lives is based on a program— a reality code—that translates possibilities into reality. Belief is that code. If we know how to create the right *kind* of belief, then our ideas of what "is" and "isn't" change forever. In other words, nothing is impossible in a world based in belief.**

If you say and believe, "I have faith in the substance of God working in and through me to increase and bring abundance into my world," your faith will start to work mightily in the mind substance and make you prosperous. Whatever you put into substance along with faith will work out in manifestation in your world.

If you will begin to realize that the Spirit is the I, and that it is of the essence and nature of God, you will see how it is that when you begin to acknowledge God in all your ways as the Father and the Giver of all good gifts, you develop the forces which become your guardian angels and unseen helpers. This is true concerning the forces within you and also those without.

Through your own will and power of choice, by calling upon God and feeling the presence of God within you, you may give the glory and the power of everything you do to this indwelling Presence.

You prepare to enter and possess the promised land which God intended you to possess and use. Do you wonder what this land is? It is your earth nature, which must be cultivated until it can bring forth the seed and the harvest according to the will of the spirit, who is the true master.

If you wish health, watch your thoughts, not only of your physical being, but your thoughts about everything and everybody. With your will, keep them in line with your desire, and outwardly act in accordance with your thoughts, and you will soon realize that all power

both over thoughts and conditions  
has been given to you.

If, in our reality we believe ourselves to be subject to all manners of calamities and misfortunes, **they MUST occur**. If we believe we are not worthy of having good things, we shall not have them, and if we happen to get them, someone will cooperate and take them away from us to fulfill our creation. If we feel we are "guilty" and therefore deserve "punishment" for our "sins," others will show up to comply with our request, as they must according to that Law. If, in our secret thoughts, we see ourselves as "unlovable," the others will show up to prove us right, and will hate and abuse us as we have requested in our creation.

**BUT**, the reverse is also just as totally true. No one can intrude in our creation without our consent. If someone

is creating a reality for himself that includes lack and misery, they cannot impose their reality upon us without our invitation and consent. They cannot draw us into their reality against our will. Everything is by invitation and consent. When we meet someone new, we begin to communicate our "separate" creations to each other, and each is free to choose to accept or reject each and every part of that separate reality.

Ignorance enchains and enslaves. Truth—which is but another way of saying a clear and definite knowledge of Law, the elemental laws of soul, of mind, and body, and of

the universe about us—brings  
freedom.

In

**EVERYTHING**

# Give Thanks!

In order to be sure that we are creating the right kind of a mental atmosphere and so attracting what we want, we must at first watch our thinking, lest we create that

which we should not like to see manifest. In other words, *we must think only what we wish to experience.*

In order to enter into the life of the Spirit we must actually crucify the old man with all the lusts thereof—the lust for power over others, the lust for personal

gratification, the lust for safety—we must die to all these earthly ambitions and live to the higher one of all inclusive love.

In short, you express and have only that which you are conscious of being or possessing. "To him that hath it is given." Denying the

evidence of the senses and appropriating the feeling of the wish fulfilled is the way to the realization of your desire.

In the 1920's a sick, penniless man learned **this ancient secret** that had been bestowed upon Adam.

He began to declare to himself every day, **"I AM THE RICH, RADIANT SUBSTANCE OF THE UNIVERSE. I AM! I AM! I AM! MY MIND, BODY, AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS ARE NOW FILLED WITH THIS RICH UNIVERSAL SUBSTANCE. EVERY PHASE OF MY LIFE IS NOW BLESSED WITH THIS RADIANT SUBSTANCE."**

The results?

First, this man was healed physically. Then he got a job. **As he continued privately to call on the unlimited substance of the universe to bless his world,** he was given a sum of money by a friend, who suggested he invest it. He did, and his investment grew. Just prior to the great Depression, his friend suggested he reinvest what he had accumulated in certain stocks that were considered secure even by the super-rich Rockefellers, Fords, and DuPonts. He did so, and prospered right through the Depression. Soon he was almost as “rich as Rockefeller.” He continued to enjoy his wealth for the rest of his life. **It all began the day he started to call on universal substance to prosper and to heal him.**

“In the beginning was the Word and the Word was with God and the Word was God.” **The Word is thought or imagination.** God imagined the world into being and became that which He conceived.

This is the principle on which all creation rests. Since God became man to give man life, man must contain that same creative principle within himself.

“The Kingdom of Heaven is within you.” **We have**

**created our personal world through thought.** If you are experiencing lack, limitation, illness, disharmony or any other unwanted condition, you have either consciously or unconsciously brought these conditions into your experience. **The majority of people do not realize that thought, belief, and imagination has created their individual worlds.** There is no other cause for the conditions of your life. You may choose to disbelieve this, but whether you believe it or not, all that you behold in the outer world was conceived within your own consciousness prior to your experience of it.

In the center of your own soul choose what you want to become, to accomplish; **keep it to yourself.** Every day in the silence of absolute conviction **know that it is now done.** It is just as much done, as far as you are concerned,

as it will be when you experience it in the outer. Imagine yourself to be what you want to be. See only that which you desire, refuse even to think of the other. Stick to it, never doubt. Say many times a day, "**I am that thing,**" realize what this means. It means that the great Universal power of Mind is that, and it cannot fail.

*"In the evening, review all the episodes, events, conversations and meetings of your day. As you recall them, rewrite those you wish changed. This is done by revising the event, conversation or meeting. Revise each scene until it*

*becomes so real you feel you are actually experiencing it. You will discover that, as you revise your days, your tomorrows change. People who disappointed you today, will encourage you tomorrow, because you have changed their nature. Having changed the seeming other, he will bear witness to the change which took place in you."*

- Neville

In truth, God is our supply, in every department of our lives; and God is *equal* to our every need. God is our health, our wealth, our happiness, our All and in all, if we will only so

believe and receive. **The very day that we decide to trust Him with all we have, we shall likewise realize that we have found the open road to prosperity.** His inspiration will speak to us constantly, teaching us to create for ourselves the things and conditions that today seem far beyond our reach.

**Indebtedness of all kinds, physical or moral, is canceled in the same proportion and in the same**

**manner as we cancel the  
debts that others owe us,  
for this is the outworking of the  
law and the prophets:  
that whatsoever ye do unto  
men, even so will your  
Father do unto you.**

*—Annie Rix Militz.*

Inner speech from premises of  
fulfilled desire is the way to  
create an intelligible world for  
yourself.

Observe your inner speech for it is the cause of future action. Inner speech reveals the state of consciousness from which you view the world. Make your inner speech match your fulfilled desire, for your inner speech is manifested all around you in happenings.

Instead of  
observing things  
as they are,

**See things as  
you want them  
to be.**

## Instructions not history

“To him that hath much will be given”

What we think, speak, believe and feel will be given to us in abundance.

Think, speak, believe, feel only those things you wish to have in your life. Show gratitude and the universe will give you more things to be grateful for.

**Speak it (think it, feel it and believe it) as if it already exists and you will manifest it.**

Why this works this way is this. **Your words are your instructions to the universe.** The universe is very specific. **You cannot say one thing and mean another. The universe will give you what you say, not what you mean.**

The universe will not give you money when you tell it you want, you wish, you need. **It WILL give it to you when you say “you have” it and you FEEL as though you already possess it.**

Always act, speak, think, feel and believe as if you have whatever it is you desire and the way to manifest it will be shown.

**"It is done unto you as you believe."**

**- Matthew 9:29**

**Remember the Lord your God, for it is He who gives you the  
power to get wealth.**

**- Deuteronomy**

**8:18**

**Thou shall decree a thing and it shall be established unto  
thee  
and a light shall shine upon thy ways.**

**- Job 22:28**

**If you can believe, all things are possible to him who  
believeth.**

**- Mark**

**9:23**

**With God all things are possible.**

**- Matthew 19:26**

**May the Lord continually bless you with heaven's blessings  
as  
well as with human joys.**

**- Psalms 128:5**

**"Lord I Do Give Thee Thanks For The Abundance That Is  
Mine."**

It is necessary that we remember  
that we live in two worlds at the  
same time,  
the invisible world of cause  
where thoughts and ideas are  
the creators  
and the material world of effect  
where the  
results or manifestations  
of our thoughts and ideas  
come into being.

It is not stated, “I, Jesus, am the door. I, Jesus am the way,” nor is it said, “Whom do you say that I, Jesus, am?” It is clearly stated, “I AM the way.” The awareness of being is the door through which the manifestations of life pass into the world of form.

The Truth has been  
known in every age by a  
few;  
but the great  
mass of people  
have never even dreamed  
that we live in a mental  
and spiritual world.

It is the greatest Affirmation the New Emancipation puts on our tongue. I AM LOVE DIRECTED TO MY CHOSEN END BY THOUGHT. The stanza which we sing,

"God is Love,"

comes as the fulfilling of the Law. There is no longer Law for Man but Man for Law. As Sabbath and State are for Man, so Law is now for Man, and Man becomes the Law unto himself, even as God is Law unto his Universe.

I AM LAW! Can you climb thus high? I AM LAW! Hence forth in my freedom Nature obeys me for, **I AM LAW. And, I am Law, because I am Love, for Love is the fulfilling of the Law.**

As soon as I recognize that I am Love, then I become in the universe lawless, and becoming Law I live above all Law. In this connection do you recall Emerson's most wondrous lines, "Into the fifth himself he flings, And Conscious Law is King of Kings."

It is through the alchemy  
of thought alone that  
man's being may be  
expressed and  
manifested; and, in the  
full realization of his  
inheritance as a Child of  
God, he shall rule as  
master over his illimitable  
kingdom of thought!

James Allen  
(All These Things Added)

To understand, control and harmoniously adjust the invisible forces of its own soul is the ultimate destiny of every being and creature. Some men and women, in the past, have accomplished this supreme and exalted purpose; some, in the present, have likewise succeeded,

**and, until this is done,**

that place of rest wherein one receives all that is necessary for one's well-being and happiness, without striving, and with freedom from pain, cannot be entered.

James J. Hill, who built the Great Northern Railroad, said before a rail was laid, he heard with his inner ear the rumble of the trains and whistle of the engines. He had many obstacles to overcome, but his vision was so clear, it possessed him. One thing in his favor was that his wife believed in him. It is said that it takes two to make a dream come true.

Henry Ford, speaking of his mother-in-law said she was a fine woman, "She believed in me."

"When two of you agree, it shall be done." If you believe in yourself, others will believe in you. As you believe in yourself and the God-power within, fear and anxiety drop away. You establish the vibration of assurance. This is true of an intuitive person. Every move is made under Divine guidance and he never violates a 'hunch,' therefore, he is always in his right place at the right time. However, it often takes great courage to follow intuition. It takes a Viking, who is unafraid, to sail in unknown seas. Claude Bragdon says: "To live intuitively is to live fourth-dimensionally." The magic path leads you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage, it is invaluable in business.

Jesus Christ is your own wonderful human imagination and his story is all about you. Told in the third person, it is written as though another is doing all the suffering for you; yet you know you are the one who is suffering. I tell you, that unless you believe your awareness of being is God you will continue to miss your mark, thereby remaining in sin.

Jesus Christ taught that man's words played a leading part in the game of life.

"By your words ye are justified and by your words ye are condemned."

**Many people have brought disaster into their lives through idle words.**

For example: A woman once asked me why her life was now one of poverty of limitation.

Formerly she had a home, was surrounded by beautiful things and had plenty of money.

We found she had often tired of the management of her home, and had said repeatedly, "I'm sick and tired of things—I wish I lived in a trunk," and she added: "Today I am living in that trunk."

She had spoken herself into a trunk. **The subconscious mind has no sense of humor and people often joke themselves into unhappy experiences.**

For example: A woman who had a great deal of money, joked continually about "getting ready for the poorhouse."

In a few years she was almost destitute, having impressed the subconscious mind with a picture of lack and limitation.

**Fortunately the law works both ways, and a situation of lack may be changed to one of plenty.**

Jesus knew that the Law of Faith works negatively as well as positively. When a man says, “There are no opportunities for one my age. Nobody wants a man over fifty. The cards are stacked against me. I never get the breaks. I am not well enough to take a job,” and he believes, that ... which he saith [accepts it as true], shall come to pass. What he believes will continue to manifest in his affairs. God is not unkind or unfriendly, but He works through Law. **Life responds to us by corresponding to our states of thought.**

It gives to us according to our expectations. The Law is impersonal. It works the way we use It.

Jesus said that when we come to the altar to make an offering, we should have nothing in our heart against our brother. He said that before we can make contact with the love and power of God we must first make peace with our brother. This means that we must cultivate a love for our fellows in order to set the attractive force of love into operation. **All we need do is quicken our love for others by thinking about love and casting out of our mind all hate and fear that would weaken the perfect working of that mighty magnet.** As love attracts, hate dissipates. Before you approach God's altar of plenty, go and make friends with your brother men. Make friends even with the money powers. Do not envy the rich. Never condemn those who have money merely because they have it and you do not. Do not question how they got their money and wonder whether or not they are honest. All that is none of your business. **Your business is to get what belongs to you, and you do that by thinking about the omnipresent substance of God and how you can lay hold of it through love.** Get in touch with God riches in spirit, lay hold of them by love, and you will have sufficient for every day. "Love therefore is the fulfillment of the law."

**“JUDGE not, that ye be not judged. For with what judgment ye judge, ye shall be judged: and with what measure ye mete, it shall be measured to you again.”**

Let's rephrase the saying with the concept of a final decision in mind. *Do not make a final decision so that a final decision is not made about your life. Whatever you make a final decision about is the course your life will take. Whatever you decide about the world, that is the way your world will be.*

Know thyself as Soul; **know thyself as Spirit**—this is the Law. Live rightly, is the meaning of "His righteousness." **Live in accord with your sense of right; obey your own conscience. Then all things shall be yours.** Things of whatever kind, of all kinds, are manifestations of the One Substance. Things are, like yourself, manifestations of the One God. Dollars are things. Dollars are manifestations of the One God.

Know your own mind; train yourself to think what you wish to think; be what you wish to be; feel what you wish to feel; and place no limit on Principle. The word which you speak would be just as powerful as the words which Jesus spoke, if you knew it; but know this within and not only without.

LET a man realize that his life, in its totality, proceeds from his mind, and that that mind is a combination of habits which he can, by patient effort, modify to any extent, and over which he can thus gain complete ascendancy and control, and he has at once obtained possession of the key which shall open the door to his complete emancipation.

James Allen

**Let us assume the  
feeling, “I am  
Christ,” and our  
whole behavior will  
subtly and  
unconsciously  
change in  
accordance with  
that assumption.**

- Neville Goddard

Life becomes the  
way it is lived;  
and man may live  
**the way he wants to  
live when he learns  
to think what he  
wants to think.**

"Lift up your heads, oh ye gates and be ye lifted up ye everlasting doors; and the King of Glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory, the Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle."

The gates and doors symbolize man's consciousness. As you are lifted up in consciousness, you contact the super-conscious, the God within, and the king of glory comes in. This king of glory lifts your burdens and fights your battles, solves your problems.

The average person has a difficult time LETTING the king of glory come in. **Doubt, fear and apprehension keep the doors and gates locked against your good.**

*Light* means Intelligence, in the Bible. Infinite Intelligence is within you (I AM). Feel and know that you are Divinely led in all your ways and that is exactly what you will experience; then you will know and feel the meaning of *and the life was the light of men.*

Limitation is an experience of the race, but it is not the fault of God, it is the fault of man's perception. And to prove that this is so, let any man break the bonds of this false sense of life and he at once begins to express less and less limitation. It is a matter of the growth of the inner idea.

"Look unto *me* and be ye saved - all the ends of the earth." Saved from what?

One man is saved from death, another from debt, another from unhappiness, another from disaster. In other words, each is saved from his *conscious-thinking*, which has thrown a veil of false beliefs before him.

## **LOVE GOD**

"Be not dismayed; for I am thy God." More grand words! "I am thy God! Love God and you will never be dismayed, nor apprehensive, nor fretted, nor worried. Love God and the Holy Spirit and the angels will carry you through any trouble. Talk about the wonders of Psychic and Occult Powers and the unseen forces! Why, they are only phases of God's Mighty Power, which anyone can have in an easy simple way—by loving God and placing all trust in Him. Love and trust God and you will see the words in a blazing and radiant light, and feel them in your every cell, and every tissue, and every drop of blood—I mean the words of God: "Be not dismayed, for I am thy God."

Love is one of the ideas that provide a key to the infinite storehouse of abundance. It opens up generosity in us. It opens up generosity in others **when we begin to love and bless them.** Will it also open up a spirit of generosity in God? It certainly will and does. If you consciously love and bless God, you will soon find that things are coming your way. **It will surprise you that just thinking about God will draw to you the things you want and expect, and bring many other blessings that you had not even thought about.**

Love never destroys, but fulfills. Love fills full to overflowing with good every need of man, when man cooperates with Good (God) in thought, word and act. Man attracts his own punishment through the operation of infallible laws governing thought and action. "With what measure ye mete, it shall be measured unto you." "Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." "A good man out of his good treasure bringeth forth good things; and the evil man out of his evil treasure bringeth forth evil things." "For there is no good tree that bringeth forth corrupt fruit; nor again a corrupt tree that bringeth forth good fruit. For each tree is known by its own fruit." The *motive* of our thoughts and acts govern our reaping.

*Make pure thy heart,  
and thou wilt make thy life  
Rich, sweet, and beautiful,  
unmarred by strife;  
Guard well thy mind,  
and, noble, strong and free.  
Nothing shall harm,  
disturb, or conquer thee;  
For all thy foes  
are in thy heart and mind.  
There also thy salvation  
thou wilt find.*

(From James Allen's Out From The Heart)

Man and his past are one continuous structure. This structure contains all of the facts which have been conserved and still operate below the threshold of his surface mind. For him it is merely history. For him it seems unalterable — a dead and firmly fixed past. But for itself, it is living — it is part of the living age. He cannot leave behind him the mistakes of the past, for nothing disappears. Everything that has been is still in existence. The past still exists, and it gives — and still gives — its results. Man must go back in memory, seek for and destroy the causes of evil, however far back they lie. This going into the past and replaying a scene of the past in imagination as it ought to have been played the first time, I call revision — and revision results in repeal.

Changing your life means changing the past. The causes of any present evil are the unrevised scenes of the past. The past and the present form the whole structure of man; they are carrying all of its contents with it. Any alteration of content will result in an alteration in the present and future.

Live nobly — so that mind can store a past well worthy of recall. Should you fail to do so, remember, the first act of correction or cure is always — "revise." If the past is recreated into the present, so will the revised past be recreated into the present, or else the claim... though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow... is a lie.

And it is no lie.

Man is the  
creation of  
thought; what he  
thinks upon in  
this life, that,  
hereafter, he  
becomes.

"Man may be controlled by law, but he is won by Love. The more Love we have in the world the less law will be required to control the passions of men. In this age of Love, we are developing the highest type of man yet known on the planet—men who are filled with Love and who are fearless. Fear never associates with Love; with Love fear passes out of the mind and heart. Love is the one great power in the universe. It is the supreme ruler of all, the Sovereign Good."

Man surrounds himself with the true image of himself. Every spirit builds itself a house and beyond its house a world, and beyond its world a heaven. Know then that the world exists for you. For you the phenomenon is perfect. What we are, that only can we see. All that Adam had, all that Caesar could, you have and can do. Adam called his house, heaven and earth. Caesar called his house, Rome; you perhaps call yours a cobbler's trade; a hundred acres of land, or a scholar's garret. Yet line for line and point for point, your dominion is as great as theirs, though without fine name. Build therefore your own world. As fast as you conform your life to the pure idea in your mind, that will unfold its great proportion.

Emerson

Many people know that  
universal substance is  
the inner source of all  
outer wealth.

Unlike Jacob, they do not  
persist mentally until it  
manifests as visible  
results in their financial  
affairs and elsewhere.

MEN are saved from error by belief in the supremacy of Truth. They are saved from sin by belief in Holiness or Perfection. They are saved from evil by belief in Good, for every belief is manifested in the life. It is not necessary to inquire as to a man's theological belief, for that is of little or no account, for what can it avail a man to believe that Jesus died for him, or that Jesus is God, or that he is "justified by faith," if he continues to live in his lower, sinful nature? All that is necessary to ask is this: "How does a man live?" "How does he conduct himself under trying circumstances?" The answer to these questions will show whether a man believes in the power of evil or in the power of Good.

Metaphysics is the study of laws that govern the nonphysical Universe, such as Spirit, mind and intelligence.

The physical Universe is actually a reflection, or projection, of the metaphysical Universe. The metaphysical Universe was around long before the Big Bang gave rise to the physical Universe.

Indeed, it is the cause of the physical Universe; mind creates matter, not the other way round.

Mind has to reflect  
whatever thought it  
casts into it.

Wonderful as  
Universal Mind is, it  
has no choice but to  
create whatever  
thought is given it.

Most people consider life a battle, but it is not a battle, it is a game.

It is a game, however, which cannot be played successfully without the knowledge of spiritual law, and the Old and the New Testaments give the rules of the game with wonderful clearness.

Jesus Christ taught that it was a great game of *Giving and Receiving*.

"Whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

This means that whatever man sends out in thought, word or deed, will return to him; what he gives, he will receive.

- Florence Scovel Shinn

My awareness is my Lord and Shepherd.  
That which I AM aware of being is the  
sheep that follow me. So good a shepherd  
is my awareness of being, it has never lost  
one sheep or thing that I AM aware of  
being.

My consciousness is a voice calling in the  
wilderness of human confusion; calling all  
that I AM conscious of being to follow me.  
So well do my sheep know my voice, they  
have never failed to respond to my call; nor  
will there come a time when that which I  
am convinced that I AM will fail to find me.

I AM an open door for all that I AM to  
enter. My awareness of being is Lord and  
Shepherd of my life. Now I know I shall  
never be in need of proof or lack the  
evidence of that which I am aware of being.

**Knowing this, I shall become aware of  
being Great, Loving, Wealthy, Healthy and  
all other attributes that I admire.**

My awareness of being magnifies  
all that I am aware of being, so  
there is ever an abundance of that  
which I am conscious of being. It  
makes no difference what it is that  
man is conscious of being, he will  
find it eternally springing in his  
world. The Lord's measure (man's  
conception of himself) is always  
pressed down, shaken together  
and running over.

My child,  
acknowledge me in  
all your ways, and in  
the degree that you  
do this, in the degree  
that you live this,  
*then what is mine is*  
*yours.*

*"Nothing can keep thee from  
thine own*

*But thine own doubtful mind.*

*To one who knocks, each door  
unlocks;*

*And he who seeks, shall find."*

Nothing in your world is real.  
Nothing you see is real. It is an illusion created for your benefit so that you may experience your thoughts and state of being first hand and purify them; make them better (that is why suffering is said to be an indicator of wrong thought). Being-ness, thoughts, words, and actions create it. Change your mind and you change your world. Change yourself and you change your world.

Nowadays, it is known that we are subjects of suggestion. We are not tempted by an individual with horns and tail, but by suggestion. It is known, also, that the suggestion that we accept becomes part of our life. Fear is suggestion of evil. If we accept it, evil becomes part of our life; but if we destroy the fear, evil cannot enter our life.

-Harry Thomas Hamblin - Divine Adjustment

Oh! Is it not clear that  
the Word is an **ACTUAL**  
**LIVING SEED**? And  
therefore, since the law  
is as exact in the  
spiritual as in the  
natural realm, must  
bring forth after its own  
kind.

Once you experience the magical power of belief yourself, you'll KNOW, beyond any shadow of a doubt, that the world around you is a direct reflection of your inner beliefs. And once you have this knowing deep within you, you'll never again be fooled by the illusion presented by the physical world.

Once you tell God  
what you want  
and have joyfully  
accepted it as  
yours for asking,  
you've unlocked  
the door to all  
that is good and  
wonderful.

One of the master strokes in demonstration is silence. "Keep silent before me." And remember that to keep silent is like allowing a seed to remain in the ground until it has time to germinate and come to light. Tell no one, talk with no one, discuss the subject with no one, work it out in the quiet of your own soul, and when it is time for its announcement to the world, it will be so evident that there will be no need of advertisement.

Opulence of consciousness **will express itself** in opulence of manifestation.

Spiritual power is creative, and is not dependent upon material securities.

The inexhaustible energies of nature **are at our service when we learn to make confident demand upon them.**

Disease and poverty will never enter our domain unless we invite these ideas **through belief in them**, and they will never stay unless we entertain them. This consciousness of power is one of the delights of our Divine inheritance, **but we must know how to apply it righteously.**

## OUR ONE REAL DESIRE

Turn that rich desire nature of yours toward the realization that there is nothing for you really to pursue.

All that you have sought, all that is worth having, you already have, you already are. **Awake! Arise! Come to yourself in realizing the great truth of the ages that the one desire of our heart is God, and always has been.** And God we have, and God we are. For there is nothing else to have or to be. Perceiving this, for very joy's sake you fulfill the injunction of old, "Diligently harken to the voice of Jehovah," wherever uttered, by the lips of fools or in the oracles of masters, in the songs of birds or of poets, in the roar of the earthquake or in the still small voice within. And ever hearing and obeying the prophecy, you find it is fulfilled in your life: And all these blessings shall come upon you, and overtake you . . . Blessed shall you be in the city, and blessed shall you be in the field ... Blessed shall be your basket and your kneading-trough. Blessed shall you be when you come in, and blessed shall you be when you go out. . . . And Jehovah will make you plenteous for good, in the fruit of your body, and in the fruit of your cattle, and in the fruit of your ground ... Jehovah will open unto you his good treasure the heavens, to give the rain of your land in its season, and to bless all the work of your hand.

Our thoughts control what occurs in our lives. So for example, if our belief system and attitudes are negative, then we should not be surprised if more negative outcomes occur in our lives. The universe is indeed abundant with everything and gives us what we ask for consciously or unconsciously.

Perhaps your faith is only the residue from the background of your childhood; maybe it is a little shriveled from lack of use or tattered and worn from misuse. You still have it, however. **All it needs is your awareness of its power, your recognition that you already have it in your possession and the opportunity to express itself in action.**

## POVERTY: HOW CURED

Poverty is a mental condition.

It can be cured only by the Affirmation of Power to cure: I am part of the One and, in the One, possess all. **I possess all!** Affirm this and patiently wait for the manifestation.

You, have sown the thought-seed, now, like the rancher, wait for the sprouting and the harvest. It can never fail you when, like him, you trust.

**Prayer** - All Good is eternally available and ready to flow into human experience. We activate this flow by means of prayer. Through affirmative prayer, or spiritual mind treatment, we increase our consciousness of Good eternally flowing to us.

Prayer is telephoning to God, and intuition is God telephoning to you.

Many people have a 'busy wire' when God telephones and they don't get the message. **Your wire is 'busy' when you are discouraged, angry or resentful.** You've heard the expression 'I was so mad I couldn't see straight.' We might add, 'I was so mad I couldn't hear straight.' Your negative emotions drown out the voice of intuition.

Prayer is the best method of cultivating faith, for through it one learns to "Cast his burdens" off his conscious mind and allow the thought born of the Ideal to fall into the sub-conscious, there to become the director of the conscious expression.

Prayer is the state of forgetfulness of the present and of the objective self; a state of concentration and is entered into with some dominant thought which has the power of an Auto-Suggestion.

This Auto-Suggestion is received by the Sub-conscious and creates the spiritual condition desired, and that condition produces the desired objective results.

Prentiss Mulford says: “The persistent purpose, that strong desire, that never ceasing longing, is a seed in the mind. It is rooted there, it is alive! It never stops growing! There is a wonderful law involved in it. This law when known, followed out and trusted, leads every individual to mighty and beautiful results. **The law followed with your eyes open, leads to more and more happiness in life; but followed blindly with your eyes shut, leads to misery!**”

## *Treatment for Money*

I now subconsciously accept this treatment. There is only one Creative Cause, God. There is only one Mind, God. There is only one Life, God. There is only one Substance, God. This present universe is the Glory of God. It is a moving, flexible, fluidic creation. It is alive with the Life, the Abundance, and the Richness of God. I abide in prosperity. Mind created me in order that It might act through me. Therefore, I am receptive to Its abundance. I am receptive to Its circulation in my life in the form of money. Money is God's Idea of circulation in my world of finance. I accept this Idea completely. I appreciate this Idea; I like it. Money being God in Action, is absolute good, it is wholesome. It is a blessing to man, and I am now prospered with it. I have no fear of lack for I believe that I have plenty of money. It is God's Activity in my world. It is God's Activity in my bank account. It is God's Activity in my investments. It is God's Activity in everything to which I lay my hands. This money is flowing, this money is free. I do not attempt to lock it up. I do not put a fence around it. It is God's money, I let it flow in, I let it flow out. As I release it, I know that it comes back to me, pressed down, shaken together and running over. "The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want." I am now free in money. I rejoice in it. I appreciate it, and I thank God for it. I have money forevermore.

And so it is.

*Dr. Raymond Charles Barker*

Reader, ***Know thyself!***  
*Learn who and what you really are; the meaning of life and the fullness of all things. Then for you, wars and problems will cease and be no more; sorrows and limitations fade away; for finding yourself as you really are, you shall be in touch with every good and perfect thing; and shall live here on earth a life of peace, joy and plenty.*

Remain faithful to your assumption, so that you define yourself as that which you have assumed. Things have no life if they are severed from their roots, and our consciousness, our "I amness," is the root of all that springs in our world.

Remember that God is that silent power behind all things, always ready to spring into expression when we have provided the proper channels, which are receptive and positive faith in the evidence of things not seen with the physical eye but eternal in the heavens.

*All is mind, and we must provide a receptive avenue for it as it passes out through us into the outer expression of our affairs.* If we allow the world's opinion to control our thinking, then that will be our demonstration. **If, on the other hand, we rise superior to the world, we shall do a new thing.**

Remember that words voiced of others usually find lodgment in our own lives and before we know it the camel which is just an embryonic thought in the beginning has pushed us into the corner again.

Don't criticize; God has relieved you of the unpleasant duty of passing judgment. "Judge not"- for the law is absolute, the judgment you render to another is surely that which will be rendered unto you only it will be pressed down and running over.

# REMEMBER

Your subconscious is the why and wherefore of everything you do, think or are.

Your subconscious will accept without question anything you impress on it with feeling.

You can change yourself, your life and your circumstances if you consciously and constantly make the effort. All you need is a sincere and willing mind.

Constant reiteration of positive thoughts will bring about the desired change in the subconscious.

You are now training your conscious mind to monitor your thinking. You have taken Step Number One in building a new life for yourself.

Repeat this Affirmation, No matter  
what the appearances.

No matter if hungry, homeless and  
alone, affirm:

— ***God is my Supply. My Supply  
is Infinite. Dollars want me!***

Trust implicitly in the inviolable Law  
of Cause and Effect.

**You are Cause ;  
Supply is the Effect  
that Must follow your Affirmation.**

Revelation from the inner realm has never ceased, but will be endlessly progressive. The heavens will always speak to man on earth. For it is the established order of creation, that life and light should descend from the higher to the lower, from the interior to the external, from the inner to the outer circles of existence.

Right here is the place to stop and realize two tremendous truths: *the mightiest forces are invisible, but as tangible as electricity or breath. **The aura you send out is to you the greatest power in the universe for success or failure, and according to your character and habits will be that aura.*** No successful having can come from selfish and mean being.

Right inner speech is essential. It is the greatest of the arts. It is the way out of limitation into freedom.

Ignorance of this art has made the world a battlefield and penitentiary where blood and sweat alone are expected, when it should be a place of marveling and wondering.

Right inner talking is the first step to becoming what you want to be. Speech is an image of mind, and mind is an image of God.

Secrecy helps mightily on bringing out this new stage of things - So, don't talk. Evil will die if not spoken of - it lives on thought and agreement. And Truth will enlarge the borders of your tent until it has changed the whole face of things. "Hold your tongue and take a City".

- Walter C. Lanyon

SEE, HEAR, TALK  
ABOUT, AND READ  
ONLY WHAT YOU  
WISH, AND NEVER  
AGAIN LET A  
NEGATIVE  
THOUGHT COME  
INTO YOUR MIND.

(Ernest Holmes - Creative Mind)

## **SEE YOURSELF AS SPIRIT**

A good method is to image the body as pure spirit, to see yourself as spirit living in a world of spirit, unhampered by grosser forms called matter.

Dream yourself as existing in this pure world of spirit. You are thus seeing yourself ideally. You are seeing yourself as you are in the potential power of being. Then the creative life within you takes this idea of itself and begins to construct accordingly. So you find that "you do not have to struggle; you only have to know." Let no one fasten upon you the thought that your trouble is incurable. Who is he that shall usurp your rights of image-formation? Who shall supplant your picture-forming power? Shall you accept his dictum? The language of creative activity is visualization, the articulation of vision is thought, the expression of thought is objective realization. Creation never ceases. Therefore do not despair before the verdict of the physician. You are the metaphysician. You are the master within the temple of your body. Have faith, only believe, and "it shall be done unto you of my Father."

Fenwicke L. Holmes

Seek first the  
kingdom of the Spirit  
and be faithful to  
each of its  
promptings,

and all that is needed  
for the fullness of life  
shall be added.

Simply declare, knowingly and certainly, 'I AM...' And then do not start thinking about it all over again after that; that will only introduce delay and doubt. This is what I mean: remember the last time you were in a state of being broke or sad? You did not consciously think about the state, questioning whether it is real, whether you were really broke or sad. You just took it for granted that you were - you believed it unquestioningly. You were just that state and that was that. You were simply it. **Now do it with wealth. Be wealth, believe it, and make it as that is that, no questions asked. The universe will obey.**

So can't you see why the millions of prayers are unanswered? Men pray to a God that does not exist. For instance: To be conscious of being poor and to pray to a God for riches is to be rewarded with that which you are conscious of being — which is poverty. Prayers to be successful must be claiming rather than begging — so if you would pray for riches turn from your picture of poverty by denying the very evidence of your senses and assume the nature of being wealthy.

So to each of us this spiritual illumination that we are crying out after, this inducement of power for which we are willing to sell all that we have, must come from "on high," that is, to the consciousness from the Spirit within our being. This is the secret that the Father longs with an infinite yearning to reveal to each individual. It is because of the Father's desire within us to show us the secret that we desire the revelation. It is the purpose for which we come into the world--that we might grow step by step, as we are doing, to the place where we could bear to have the secret of His inner abiding revealed to us.

# SO YOU WON'T TALK?

By

**Walter C. Lanyon**

So you won't talk? Well, then you can take a City (new state of consciousness) - Not so bad for holding your tongue. Pretty sure of results too for the "Power of Life and death are in the tongue." Sounds ominous doesn't it?

"Keep silent before ME" - why?

"Well, you see my problem is"; and then a Niagara Falls of evil and negativity bursts forth. All of which you immediately proclaim as false and untrue. But you have just set it into motion and have gotten the agreement of another on the same subject. No one is spiritual enough for you to expose your evil mind to. When you merge into the light of the Christ consciousness it will dissipate the darkness without having to put it through the human mind. So "Hold your tongue - and take a City" a new state of consciousness.

"See that you tell no man." Show John.

If you are talking about your little self all the while and your problem, you cannot hear what "I have to say to the churches" - (your body) - and so things in the Church are not going to go right - too many dove sellers and money changers - no place for the Christ to come in.

**Don't you dare tell it. Keep every valve of your mind shut up and presently the Power of the risen Lord in the midst of you will break the pattern of the limited consciousness and come out into being. It is wonderful! Such a glorious experience is waiting for you.**

I don't have to call you a fool again do I? "Thou Fool do you not know that a seed must first fall into the ground and rot before it shall be made alive?" - an acorn may contain a potential oak tree but it has first to lose the shape of the acorn before it can take on the new shape of the oak tree. And that is about the thing that has to happen to you - you cannot have what the oak tree has coming to it as long as you are an acorn. Secrecy helps mightily on bringing out this new stage of things - So, don't talk. Evil will die if not spoken of - it lives on thought and agreement. And Truth will enlarge the borders of your tent until it has changed the whole face of things. "Hold your tongue and take a City".

So, avoid judging things and people. It only slows you down and harms you. For you do not know the chain of events planned. Also, you become what you judge and what you condemn returns to affect you. By law of cause and effect, when you judge and condemn, you set yourself up to be judged and condemned.

Sow a crop of sick words and the harvest will be sickness, sow a crop of health words and the crop will be strength and power. Some seeds germinate instantly and come to light with the magic of the Japanese water flowers which bloom as you watch them. This is what is called instantaneous demonstration, but it is only that the word was spoken true and the pattern which it set before Infinite Mind was immediately made flesh or visible. **Some words are slower to germinate, but sooner or later all of them come to life and bear after their kind.**

- Walter C. Lanyon

Speak those things  
that you want to  
happen as if they  
already have and  
persist in this feeling  
(faith) and they will  
become a part of  
your experience.

“Spirit is substance which forms itself according to your demands, and must have a pattern from which to work. A pan of dough is as willing to be formed into bread as biscuit.

It makes little difference to spirit what we demand.”

## Success Is Divinely Ordained

There is no reason for you to think of prosperity as something separate from your spiritual life or “beyond the pale” of religion. You do not have to try to live in two worlds where you run things for six days and then on the seventh give God a chance to show what He can do. Take God as a rich, loving, understanding Father into all your affairs each day of your week. Ask His divine instruction and guidance about all your affairs, financial and otherwise, and you will be pleasantly surprised how much better every phase of your life will become. *All things are yours* is the divine promise. (I Cor. 3:21)

An analyst recently declared to me that he had found the most common cause of failure in people is the conflicting idea about whether success is divinely ordained or divinely damned. For instance, he stated that many had assured him that failure was more spiritually approved than success by quoting the words of Jesus, *You cannot serve God and mammon.* (Matt. 6:24) This doctor further stated that he has spent many an hour explaining to people who are not succeeding that being success-minded is not serving mammon, and that they should stop using God as an excuse for their failures.

The dictionary describes mammon as “riches regarded as an object of worship or as a false god.” **People serve mammon who leave God out of their financial affairs and try to go it alone. When you realize that God wants you to be prosperous and that God, as the Creator of this rich universe, is indeed the Source of your prosperity, then you are not worshipping mammon.** You are not making prosperity a false god. You are simply claiming your prosperous heritage from the Source of all your blessings. Jehovah pointed out the right spiritual attitude toward prosperity when He told Moses to remind the Children of Israel: *But thou shalt remember Jehovah thy God, for it is He that giveth thee power to get wealth.* (Deut. 8:18 ASV) The word “wealth” means grand living, and that is what a prosperous thinker should be working toward and should be expecting as his spiritual right.

**Thaddaeus**, the tenth, is the disciple of **praise**, a quality in which the undisciplined man is woefully lacking. When this quality of **praise and thanksgiving** is awake within man, he walks with the words,

“Thank you, Father”, ever on his lips. ***He knows that his thanks for things not seen opens the windows of heaven and permits gifts beyond his capacity to receive to be poured upon him.***

The man who is not thankful for things received is not likely to be the recipient of many gifts from the same source.

Until this quality of the mind is disciplined, man will not see the desert blossom as the rose. Praise and thanksgiving are to the invisible gifts of God (one’s desires) what rain and sun are to the unseen seeds in the bosom of the earth.

"Thank You, Father," when spoken from  
the standpoint of acknowledgment for  
Good already received, will release the  
invisible to the visible.

**It is Wonderful!**

It is this very spoken Recognition and  
thanks, which makes the Word become  
flesh, and dwell among you.

It is this joyous thanks which opens the  
doors, which you could not open in any  
other way.

It is this very lost-found Word which  
changes the face of the earth (your earth)  
for you, and makes the desert blossom as  
a rose, right before your very eyes.

**It is Wonderful!**

That person gets the best results who realizes that he can use this divine principle; he who can get the clearest concept of his idea, and who can rely on mind to do for him, keeping everything out of his thought that would contradict the supremacy of Spirit or Mind.

"That the Divine Life  
and Energy *actually lives*  
*in us,*" was the philosopher  
Fichte's reply to the  
proposition—"the  
profoundest knowledge  
that man can attain."

~Ralph Waldo Trine

***That which I seek is seeking me. I let go of how it will come to me and I focus on my heart's desire. My higher self within me knows how to make it happen, so I just relax and let go. Everything that is necessary for the fulfillment of my desires is lovingly and harmoniously drawn to me. I accept this or something better. I am ready, receptive and grateful, and so it is.***

## THE ALLEGORICAL MILLIONAIRESS

Eve, “the allegorical millionairess,” started out rich but ended up poor. She misused her feelings when she, too, dwelled upon a belief in lack while still in the midst of abundance. Most of us can identify with both Adam and Eve, symbolic of man’s thoughts (Adam) and feelings (Eve), since we tend to make that same mistake.

Eve, like Adam, was surrounded by the rich substance of the universe, out of which all wealth is formed. But Eve seemed unaware that she was in the midst of so much abundance, and lamented *the feeling* of lack. The result was that she was cast out of Eden. **One must gain an inner feeling of abundance before they can experience outer wealth permanently.**

Like Adam and Eve, we are all “allegorical millionaires.” We, too, start out rich, but we need not end up poor. **The secret is to recognize and call forth divine substance as the root of all wealth.** So refuse to dwell upon a belief of lack while in the midst of abundance!

The ancients' secret for happy living was the act of *blessing*. Most of us have heard the terms "blessing," "bless you" or even, "I blessed him out." But seldom have we realized the power we have to experience health, harmony, and prosperity through the ancient practice of blessing.

The authority is the realized presence of God in the individual life of man. Where one feels with the heart, and knows with the mind, and is not in any way dependent upon any or all authority, **the way of life is illumined by the light within.** The kingdom of God is found as a conscious reality in the soul of man, and the individual soul becomes conscious of both dominion and power and rules its own kingdom.

The Bible is full of spiritual symbols which, when understood, unlock the doors to the more abundant life.

One of the most important symbols, which runs all through the Bible from *Genesis* to *Revelation*, is the symbol represented by Woman.

The Bible is full of women, good women and the other kind; pleasant women and rather unpleasant ones; wise women and foolish women; rich women and poor women; simple women and learned women; all kinds of women.

Woman is a continuing symbol throughout the Bible for this reason:

**Woman stands for the human soul.**

The children of Israel were told that they could have all the land that they could see. **The Bible is a metaphysical book and it is speaking to the individual.** This minute, it says to each of us, “I will give to you the land that thou seeth.” **So, what are you seeing with your inner eye? What pictures are you inviting into your life?** The imaging faculty has been called the scissors of the mind. **If you have failure thoughts, reverse the thought with a success thought.** This sounds easy enough to do, but when a failure thought has become a habit, it takes eternal vigilance to dislodge it. That is when a powerful affirmation is needed. You cannot always control your thoughts but you can control your words, and eventually the word impresses the subconscious and wins out.

**The Christ** - Christ is not a person, but a Principle, a Universal Presence, the Universal Image of God that is present in all Creation. This is the concept of the Cosmic Christ, which is present within every person. Each human individual partakes of the Christ nature to the degree that he or she recognizes the Cosmic Christ within and lives out of that revelation. Jesus of Nazareth was a human individual who revealed the Christ Nature to the highest degree ever known.

The conscious mind is the supreme ruler in our mental world; it deals with all impressions of the visible world, gathered through the five senses; it carries the responsibility of decisions and is the gateway through which our destiny comes.

Through the Magic Portal of conscious, creative, constructive thought, wisdom, knowledge, and understanding bring their richest gifts and place the scepter of power in your hand; while health, wealth, happiness and youth trail their glittering robes across the threshold of your consciousness and crystallize their royal attributes into your body and environment.

But if the thoughts entertained by the conscious mind are hate, envy, anxiety, weakness, fear, or other negative thoughts, then the Magic Portal becomes the Iron Door of despair through which poverty, disease and unhappiness drag their ragged garments into your life.

Refuse to think or speak anything negative.

The conscious mind plants the seed (of affirmation) in the soil of the subconscious, and there it develops. The seed is the thought of freedom, of constantly renewing life, and the seed brings forth that which is like itself.

The dictionary explains why there is dynamic power for good in the simple act of blessing. To bless means "to make holy or whole by spoken words." To bless means to "ask divine favor for some situation or condition." To bless means "to wish a person or situation well." To bless means "to make happy or prosperous." To bless means to "gladden, glorify, praise."

The fastest way to create is to simply be, right now, whatever you wish to create. Then do not negate it by thought. Do not think about it. Just be. All your thoughts, words and actions after that should then be of that new state you chose to be. If you are not wealthy and you wish to become wealthy, just decide right now, to be wealthy from this moment of Now. Do not then start to think about it, just choose to be. From then on, all your thoughts, words and actions should be of a wealthy person. In Ultimate Reality, this is not a lie to you. You are actually all things anyway, even though you may be experiencing small sections of the all. By choosing to be something else, you cause your environment and circumstances to shift to experience the new state.

The "godless" are they who are goodless, even though they may be members of churches and make a great profession of faith in God.

The "godly" are they who are goodly even though they make no profession of religion.

The complainers and bewailers are the faithless and unbelieving. Those who deny or belittle the power of good, and in their lives and actions affirm and magnify the power of evil, are the only real atheists.

The great purpose at which he labored so incessantly was the teaching of the realization of the Divine will in the hearts and minds, and through these in the lives of men—the finding and the realization of the Kingdom of God. This is the supreme fact of life. **Get right at the centre and the circumference will then care for itself.** As is the inner, so always and invariably will be the outer. There is an inner guide that regulates the life when this inner guide is allowed to assume authority.

The human race is divided into three classes; first, those who live in the limited world and never see anything beyond the limited; second, those who live in the limited world but have occasional glimpses of greater things, though having neither the knowledge nor the power to make their dreams come true; and third, those who are constantly passing from the lesser to the greater, making real every ideal as soon as it comes within the world of their conscious comprehension.

The inner mind will provide a way to express for us the thing we have impressed upon it, even giving to us the good measure, pressed down and running over, Father has promised; and it will do the work for us in a perfectly natural manner — so natural, many times, that we almost doubt that our own has come to us, and set it down as merely a wonderful *happening*, quite apart from the workings of the Spirit within.

The kingdom of  
heaven appears,  
when there is a  
perfect harmony  
and unity  
between the  
without and the  
within.

"The Kingdom will not come by waiting for it. It will not be a matter of saying 'Here it is' or 'There it is'. Rather, the Kingdom of the Father is spread out upon earth, and men do not see it. . . . **Let him who seeks continue seeking until he finds.** When he finds, he will become troubled. When he becomes troubled, he will be astonished, and he will rule over all things." - Jesus (from the gnostic Gospel of Thomas)

The law is  
**ALWAYS**  
working from  
the  
Inner pattern.

## THE LAW IS SIMPLE.

Plain directions, these: Live true to self; live spiritually; give the first place in your thought to the eternal, from which things come and then all things will come to you at need. "First?" Yes! Not things first, but that mental condition which controls things. Not Dollars first, but that mental attitude which attracts Dollars.

## THINGS ARE SECOND.

Few place things "second." Dollars, position, influence, show— these, in common thought, come "first." But these are results of Power. First become one with the Power, become the Power, and these desired things will come. The ordinary process of business, the customary method of thinking, is to be reversed. Think from inward Power, think from Being.

## BE MASTER.

You will then be the Master and things will take their right place. Become "One with God" by recognizing Him as King in your Soul. Listen to Him in the edicts of your Soul. Say, as you thus become negative to the Higher in you: "Now, God, do your work your way! and it will be done satisfactorily to me." No one can fail when he assumes this attitude of Love and Trust. It would be an impotent God, and therefore no-God, that did not work when these conditions are made.

## AFFIRMATIONS FOR USE.

My supply is Infinite! For God is my Supply. Supply can never fail me. Make this your Affirmation and hold it. Hold it! SUPPLY IS SURE.

The Law of Supply is as sure as gravity. In this Affirmation, All is Mine! Dollars want me! You have re-polarized your aura. You have changed your vibrations and you will draw, as the magnet draws the needle, all you can use. Try it! Never let go of your trust that Dollars, or that for which they stand, will come. Thy Kingdom, O Soul, has come and thy will is done for God and Soul are One. All is mine; 'tis but by asking:

The Law Must Be Fulfilled  
- The Law works equally well, however, when it is brought to bear on negative thought and feeling. If you concentrate on ill-health, poverty, loneliness, injustice, and futility, these conditions manifest in your life according to *your faith.*

**The law of action and reaction.** It means your external world, body, circumstances, environment, and financial status are always a perfect reflection of your inner thinking, beliefs, feelings, and convictions.

This being true, you can now change your inner pattern of thought by dwelling on the idea of success, wealth, and peace of mind. As you busy your mind with these latter concepts, these ideas will gradually seep into your mentality like seeds planted in the ground.

As all seeds (thoughts and ideas) grow after their kind, so will your habitual thinking and feeling manifest in prosperity, success, and peace of mind. Wise thought (action) is followed by right action (reaction).

**The Law of Faith. - According to your faith be it done unto you. The Universal Response will always be in direct ratio to the degree of your expectation. To him that hath [the consciousness of fulfillment] shall be given. From him that hath not [this consciousness] shall be taken away even that which he hath. If you expect much, you will receive much. If you expect little, you will receive little.**

The Law says that God can't take hold until you let go. Put all these possibilities out of your mind and think only of God's power and His willingness to use it in your behalf. He has ways of fulfilling your desires which you have not even thought of. Cling to that trust. Increase your understanding of it. Be true to it. Dare to leave everything quietly to God. Dare to claim His overflowing abundance in the midst of poverty and lack. Dare to trust Him through every difficulty and every vicissitude. **Dare to claim that God can do, that God will do, that God is doing whatever is necessary right now. Dare to acknowledge the Presence and Power of God in every person, circumstance, condition, and thing. Know God in yourself AS YOU.**

The Law is infallible, immutable, and inexorable. There is no evading it. **It works for you only as you bring yourself into obedience to it. To receive directly from God, you must let go of everything unlike Him. Only then does *all that the Father hath* become yours.**

The Life-Principle (God) never punishes. We punish ourselves instead by negative thinking and the misuse of the laws of life. Ignorance is the only sin, and all the punishment and misery of the world is the result.

The Lord is my light and my salvation: whom shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life: of whom shall I be afraid?’ The 27<sup>th</sup> Psalm is one of the most triumphant Psalms! It is also rhythmic and musical. The writer realized that no enemy could harm him, for the Lord was his light and his salvation. **Now remember, your only enemies are within yourself. The Bible is speaking of the enemy thoughts, your doubts, fears, hates, resentments, and forebodings. Every negative situation in your life is a crystallized thought, it has been built up out of your own vain imaginings!** But these situations cannot stand the light of the truth. So, you face the situation fearlessly, saying: “The Lord is my light and salvation; whom shall I fear?”

The Magic is  
in Believing.

Belief is  
Power.

The man who feels that  
he is the Infinite within  
his own Being knows  
that everything he  
desires is his; that he  
only needs to become  
Conscious of having it to  
begin at once to enjoy it.

The man who is involved in the wrong conditions of mind, does not know. He is ignorant of good and evil, of himself, of the inward causes which make his life. He is unhappy, and believes other people are entirely the cause of his unhappiness. He works blindly, and lives in darkness, seeing no central purpose in existence, and no orderly and lawful sequence in the course of things.

# **The Marvelous Law**

**The Universe Is Yours!**

**But each of its immense values:**

**Health, prosperity,  
Unfoldment and Spiritual Power,**

**You Must first claim within your  
own soul**

**Before one Iota thereof can appear  
your objective life.**

The mental stuff of which we are made is of such kind and quality that it responds to the formation of images within it by the creation of a counterpart that is discernible to the senses. Thus any picture we hold in our minds is bound to resolve in the material world. We cannot help ourselves in this. As long as we live and think, we will hold images in our minds, and these images develop into the things of our lives, and so long as we think a certain way we must live a certain way, and no amount of willing or wishing will change it, only the vision we carry within.

Imagination is the tool by which we may be delivered from our bondage. We can decide what we will think. We can decide to originate thought from some secret wellspring within rather than in response to the stimuli of the outer world.

- U.S. Andersen

The mind that masters itself creates its own ideas, thoughts and desires through the original use of its own imaging faculty, while the mind that does not master itself forms its thoughts and desires after the likeness of impressions received through the senses;

**and is therefore controlled by the conditions from which those impressions come.**

Christian D. Larson

The more gratefully we fix our minds on the supreme when good things come to us, the more good things we will receive, and the more rapidly they will come. And the reason simply is that the mental attitude of gratitude draws the mind into closer touch with the source from which the blessings come.

The more you think about your grievances or the injustices that you have suffered, the more such trials will you continue to receive; and the more you think of the good fortune you have had, the more good fortune will come to you.

The most important part of demonstrating is showing fearless faith. “I will go before thee and make the crooked places straight! I will break in pieces the gates of brass and cut in sunder the bars of iron.” **The Bible is talking about states of consciousness. “The gates of brass” and “bars of iron,” are your doubts, fears, resentments and anxieties. The gates of brass and bars of iron are of our own making and come from our own vain imaginings, a belief in evil.** There is a story of a herd of wild elephants: they were corralled in an enclosure but the men had no way of keeping them in, so they dug stakes and put a rope all around the enclosure. The elephants thought they could not get out. They could have just walked over the rope and stepped out but they had the illusion that the rope kept them in. **This is the way with people: doubt and fear is a rope stretched around their consciousness. It makes it impossible for them to walk out into clear thinking.**

The object of the game of life is to see clearly one's good and to obliterate all mental pictures of evil. This must be done by impressing the subconscious mind with a realization of good.

A very brilliant man, who has attained great success, told me he had suddenly erased all fear from his consciousness by reading a sign which hung in a room.

He saw printed, in large letters this statement—"*Why worry, it will probably never happen.*"

These words were stamped indelibly upon his subconscious mind, and he has now a firm conviction that only good can come into his life, therefore only *good can manifest.*

**The old puzzle of where to hide the divinity of man was finally solved by placing it within himself. Man has looked for it everywhere, but within himself; hence it has proved a safe hiding-place. However, he is awakening to the Truth of Being, and is coming to understand that *his attitude towards life determines what life will be to him.***

The only reason for poverty, the only reason for want, is in the mind of the person who suffers want. There is no more excuse for being poor than there is for being sick. Both are evils, and both are sins—are to be classed among sins. They belong to those evils which mortal mind has placed over mankind, by themselves adopting those mortal thoughts which are dragging mankind down. When God created man He gave him dominion over all the world, and He gave him eternal life; **but, at the same time, He gave him the power of selection**, and when, through some evil or material thought, Mother Eve had, as spoken of in the allegory, eaten the forbidden fruit, then and there mankind was stamped with materiality; and, as an inevitable result, man's first parents were driven from this paradise made by God.

Instead of enjoying everything good in profusion, as they had it, they were driven out, and man was cursed with the declaration "By the sweat of thy face thou shalt eat bread." That meant, so far and so long as you are governed by material thought, by material laws, shall this be so.

**If you, dear reader, wish to remain in these material environments, you will suffer and be forced to earn your bread with the sweat of your face;** your pathway will be hedged with thorns; and you, woman, shall bear your children in sorrow and become a slave to man. That was the curse that was pronounced upon man, and this curse has been growing worse all these years. During the last half of the present century God has given to us, His children, light upon these subjects, so as to enable us to reach out and grasp the lost inheritance, the dominion which was abandoned.

This is a suggestion of deep significance, and of much value to the reader. Let it be well remembered that money is not to be sought for the mere money's sake, as the apostle tells us that the love of money is the root of all evil. Money is really not to be sought at all. Nowhere are you told to seek money. **What are you to seek? The kingdom of God and His righteousness. Therefore, when you seek the kingdom of God (Good), that is within you, the development of righteousness (rightness), of love, of truth, of joy, of peace, of gentleness, long-suffering, brotherly kindness, your heart being filled with the love of God, loving God with all your heart, and your neighbor as yourself, then you are reaching for the kingdom of God; then you seek not to obtain the advantage of your brother, but rather seek to see that you do not obtain the advantage of him. Then you are approaching in a slight degree toward that kingdom of righteousness which must yield you all and everything, because God will then give you all those things as promised.**

The only way for you to avoid such failures is to constantly bear in mind that **your awareness is the Almighty**, the all-wise presence; without help, **this unknown presence within you effortlessly outpictures that which you are aware of being**. Be perfectly indifferent to the evidence of the senses, so that you may feel the naturalness of your desire, and your desire will be realized. Turn from appearances and feel the naturalness of that perfect perception within yourself, a quality never to be distrusted or doubted. Its understanding will never lead you astray. **Your desire is the solution of your problem. As the desire is realized, the problem is dissolved.**

**You cannot force anything outwardly by the mightiest effort of the will. There is only one way you can command the things you want and that is by assuming the consciousness of the things desired.**

There is a vast difference between feeling a thing and merely knowing it intellectually. **You must accept without reservation the fact that by possessing (feeling) a thing in consciousness, you have commanded the reality that causes it to come into existence in concrete form.** You must be absolutely convinced of an unbroken connection between the invisible reality and its visible manifestation. **Your inner acceptance must become an intense, unalterable conviction which transcends both reason and intellect, renouncing entirely any belief in the reality of the externalization except as a reflection of an inner state of consciousness.** When you really understand and believe these things, you will have built up so profound a certainty that nothing can shake you.

Your desires are the invisible realities which respond only to the commands of God. **God commands the invisible to appear by claiming himself to be the thing commanded.** „He made Himself equal with God and found it not robbery to do the works of God” [*Philippians 2:6*]. Now let this saying sink deep in your ear:

**BE CONSCIOUS OF BEING THAT WHICH YOU WANT TO APPEAR.**

The path to the kingdom is  
through the inner self and  
not through any person,  
including Jesus. He is the  
WAY means that the inner  
self is the door. ***You can***  
***only change yourself, not***  
***others.***

The perfect formula for prayer (The practice of this method will cause you to realize the most cherished desire of your heart.) First you realize that your own consciousness is God Almighty, the seat of Omnipotence, *thereby giving complete recognition to the power within.* The second step is your new conception of yourself,—your desire, or goal in life—or whatever you wish to be or do. The third step, *is the feeling which unites consciousness desiring, with the thing desired.* The fourth step, is the physical manifestation of that which was felt in the unseen, or withinness, of yourself.

The principle of life  
is that life  
responds by  
corresponding;

Your life becomes  
the thing you have  
decided it shall be.

The reason we can make our requests known with thanksgiving is because we know from the beginning that we are to receive and therefore we cannot help being thankful. This grateful attitude to the Spirit puts us in very close touch with power and adds much to the reality of the thing that we are dealing with. Without it we can do but little. So let us cultivate all the gratitude that we can.

In gratitude we will send our thoughts out into the world, and as it comes back it will come laden with the fruits of the Spirit.

**The Reciprocal Universe - For every visible form there is an invisible counterpart. This means that what we receive corresponds to what we imagine and believe we can receive, the Law of Mental Equivalents. This also is the Golden Rule: that what we do to others will be done also to us, the Law of Cause and Effect.**

The same mind that is in us is in the universe, the same mind, no difference. Now then, we reflect into this Universal Mind what we think. Practically the whole human race is hypnotized because it thinks what somebody else told it to think. It thinks from its physical environment. It says, I see sin, sickness, death, misery, unhappiness, I see calamity, and so it is giving to the creative, receptive, impersonal, eternal mind a concept, it is giving a law. Do you know what law means? It does not care if it slays you. If people would wake up and realize that law is law and not think they can say twiddle diddle dee and change law. You cannot change law. And Jesus was the first scientific man that ever lived because he saw the law as it was.

This impersonal, eternal law receives the impression of my thought and if I say, "Everything is wrong," it is wrong. In Christian Science they call it the law of reflection. Like produces like; like attracts like; like draws to itself like, always.

The steps of prayer are

**first**, recognition of the  
Spiritual Power,

**second**, acceptance of  
our desire,

**third**, the conviction in  
the reality of the unseen  
idea.

**The subconscious does not reason. It definitely has no sense of humor. But it has a complete memory, as well as a record of anything you ever believed with conviction, carefully stored away. These memories it reproduces over and over until we begin to devise a way of controlling it and changing what we do not want there.**

The  
subconscious is  
that marvelous  
phase of your  
mind that brings  
things into  
existence by the

# sheer power of thought.

The subjective mind is the seat of the memory. Buried deep in it are the causes of much of the delay we experience in appropriating our good. These unseen and forgotten forces tend to keep us in a state of restlessness and frustration.

You will continue half-slave and half-free *until you cleanse the mind and flush out every old fixed unhappy thought that enslaves you.*

The substance of all we shall ever attain or be, is within us now, waiting for realization and thereby expression. The soul

carries its own keys to all  
wisdom and to all valuable  
and usable power.

- Ralph Waldo Trine

### *The "Thank You Box" Brings Success*

The mother of a large family did not have ample supply with which to meet their needs. She took an old shoe box and converted it to a "thank you box."

She asked her children to write out the blessings they sought, and place them in the "thank you box." Once a week they would open the "thank you box" and go through their requests to see how many had been fulfilled.

These were farm people who needed rain for their crops. One week they were in the midst of a dry period. The mother wrote down these words which she put in the "thank you box": "Thank you God for rain - a regular downpour."

This happened on Tuesday. The next Sunday as they were going through their notes in the box, they realized that on Friday there had been "a regular downpour" of rain - the first in weeks!

On another occasion, her husband was having trouble with his car. He needed it in his work and also to make a special trip that had been planned. He had worked and worked on his car, trying to locate the mechanical trouble.

Finally his wife remembered the "thank you box" so she wrote a note: "Thank you, dear God, for helping us to locate the trouble." Within twenty four hours the trouble had been remedied.

A relative had looked for months for a job to no avail. The wife suddenly remembered to write a thank you note and put it in the box: "Thank you God for a good position with steady income for this relative," Within two weeks the relative had the best job of her life, after having looked for work for months.

The children in this family often wrote out notes about the more mundane things of life: Their desire for school clothes, ice cream for dinner, or going swimming. Each week, when they reviewed their notes, they were amazed to find how many of these things had been supplied.

About this "thank you box" method the mother said later, "In our family we have learned to use this 'thank you box' in solving all problems. It has become a necessity in our household. By giving thanks before we receive, our problems have often been solved."

Catherine Ponder

The thought-field is  
first to be cleared of  
the weeds of the old  
thought-sowing and the

seeds of the new must  
germinate and bear  
fruit in the garden of  
Supply.

The Truth has been  
known in every age  
by a few;  
but the great

mass of people  
has never even  
dreamed that we  
live in a mental and  
spiritual world.

The Universal Mind that flows through everyone knows no limitation or lack, and nothing is impossible to it. Its great dominant characteristic is creativeness. Since it is all

knowledge and all substance  
and all power, indeed the only  
thing it does is create.

*And it creates exactly what  
the mind of each individual  
person thinks into it.*

The universe accepts the individual  
at his own estimation, and  
responds to him in kind. It grants its  
powers as the individual becomes  
qualified to use them. It reveals its  
secrets as he becomes receptive to

them. It unfolds to man as he unfolds to it. Through wisdom and love, the individual may attain to that understanding and harmony that qualify him to exercise powers which appropriately may be designated as god-like.

The universe in which you live is a mirror of your consciousness. It can only reflect what you discover within. It can only respond to

you. It can only answer to your  
conscious word, be it good,  
bad, indifferent.

How can I lack any good, since  
mind is causation and I can  
think as I please?

THE unpardonable sin is blasphemy  
against the Holy Spirit which "shall not be  
forgiven either in this world or in the world  
to come." Why? Because, in the nature of  
the case, it cannot be. So long as you deny  
the reality, power, and presence of Spirit, or  
refuse to come into harmony with It, you  
automatically cut yourself off from Its

benefits. To blaspheme is to declare against it. If you separate the belt from the driving-gear, the machinery will stop running. If you separate yourself in consciousness from Spirit and Life, you lose its driving power. Sin and evil are separation in consciousness from Truth and Life. Sickness and poverty are the impoverished state in which the Prodigal finds himself who tries to live apart from the Source of life and supply—the Father's house.

The word “no” is mainly used as a word to communicate with each other about something. Universal laws do not answer, give or reflect to the word or the feeling of “no” in the way that you might be intending it to be when you are

trying to get rid of something. The universe cannot answer “no” to whatever you are trying to get rid of because “no” cannot be reflected as something different than what “no” is about. Universe always answers yes to whatever your vibration is, including whatever you say you don’t want or don’t want more of.

The Word speaks and the word becomes a law and the law manifests conditions. And so we speak forth into this Mind, this infinite, creative power, and it

returns to us; so it seems and so it absolutely does.

There is something, and believe me it is not something to be lightly dealt with—there is something that casts back at you manifested every word you speak.

“Vengeance is mine,” saith the Lord, I will repay.”

The works are finished. All that is required of you to let these qualities into expression is the claim – I AM that. Claim yourself to be that which you desire to be and that you shall be. Expressions follow the impressions, they do not precede them. Proof that you are will follow the claim that you are, it will not precede it.

“Leave all and follow Me” [Matthew 8:22; 9:9; Luke 5:27] is a double invitation to you. First, it invites you to turn completely away from all problems and, then, it calls upon you to continue walking in the claim that you are that which you desire to be. Do not be a Lot’s wife who looks back and becomes salted [Genesis 19] or preserved in the dead past. Be a Lot who does not look back but who keeps his vision focused upon the Promised Land, the thing desired.

Do this and you will know that you have found the master, the Master Magician, making the unseen the seen through the command,

“I AM THAT”.

THE WORLD, AND ALL  
WITHIN IT, IS MAN'S  
CONDITIONED  
CONSCIOUSNESS

OBJECTIFIED.  
CONSCIOUSNESS IS THE  
CAUSE AS WELL AS THE  
SUBSTANCE OF THE  
ENTIRE WORLD. SO IT IS  
TO CONSCIOUSNESS  
THAT WE MUST TURN IF  
WE WOULD DISCOVER  
THE SECRET OF  
CREATION.

The world is the objectified likeness of the subjective, conscious state in which consciousness abides. This understanding that consciousness is

the one and only reality is the  
foundation of the Bible.

The stories of the Bible are attempts  
to reveal in symbolic language this  
secret of creation as well as to show  
man the one formula of escape from  
all of his own creations.

First, you are aware; then you  
become aware of something; then  
you become aware as that which you  
were aware of; then you behold  
objectively that which you are aware  
of being.

The world presents different appearances according  
as our states of consciousness differ. What we see  
when we are identified with a state cannot be seen when  
we are no longer fused with it. By *state* is meant all that

man believes and consents to as true. No idea presented to the mind can realize itself unless the mind accepts it. It depends on the acceptance, the state with which we are identified, how things present themselves.

In the fusion of imagination and states is to be found the shaping of the world as it seems. The world is a revelation of the states with which imagination is fused. It is the state *from* which we think that determines the objective world in which we live. The rich man, the poor man, the good man, the thief are what they are by virtue of the states *from* which they view the world. On the distinction between these states depends the distinction between the worlds of these men. Individually so different is this same world. It is not the actions and behavior of the good man that should be matched but his point of view.

**It is the belief in separation**  
**from God which keeps our**

**good away from us.** It is the belief that binds us, and not any actual power. We are really bound by our false beliefs, and we shall never be permanently free until we experience a complete change of thought. This is what is meant by "The Renewing of the Mind."

There is a mystic force that transcends any powers of the intellect or of the body, that becomes manifest and operative in the life of man when this God-

consciousness becomes awakened and permeates his entire being. Failure to realize and to keep in constant communion with our Source is what causes fears, forebodings, worry, inharmony, conflict, conflict that downs us many times in mind, in spirit, in body—failure to follow that Light that lighteth every man that cometh into the world, failure to hear and to heed that Voice of the soul, that speaks continually clearer as we accustom ourselves to listen to and to heed it, failure to follow those intuitions with which the soul, every soul, is endowed, and that lead us aright and that become clearer in their leadings as we follow them. It is this guidance and this sustaining power that all great souls fall back upon in times of great crises.

- Ralph Waldo Trine

There is a powerful Spiritual Law at work here. It doesn't

make any difference what your problem or difficulty may be, if you will bring your faith and your feeling to bear upon it, if you will realize that right now and always, there is an **Infinite Power** waiting to fulfill your slightest or greatest wish, you don't need to seek the solution. **It will seek you.**

There is  
always  
something you  
can praise.

As you do, your  
own good  
multiplies.

There is an inexhaustible storehouse in man, from which he can draw forth security, peace and happiness—this is the Kingdom of Heaven spoken of in the Bible. Having found peace and happiness within, all other things are added to him. The only time is NOW. All experience is *now*. All Action is *now*. Let us experience the Kingdom of Heaven *now*, for God or our Good is the eternal *now*.

There is but one Being — God, and man has his being in the One. "In him we live, and move, and have our being." Because this is true, man has a certain innate recognition of the Law of his being. But, being ignorant, having a mind uneducated in the knowledge of God, he does not understand the one perfect Law, and so he sets up innumerable laws of his own, thus making an effort to fulfill the inner prompting to conform his life to law and order. Time is saved and hard experience avoided by going direct to the Divine Law, rejecting every man-made law that is out of harmony with the Law of Being.

The Law is set into operation by the power of the Word. "He shall have whatsoever he *saith*." Every word is a seed and brings forth after its kind. A word, acknowledging man-made law, sets in motion that law and the consequences follow. "If you sit in a draught you will catch cold" is an example of the ignorant law-making of the mortal, and everyone who believes that a draught will give him cold, and brings his belief into expression as a law by affirming it, gets just what he *says* and the cold appears, in response to his spoken word. But those who know the Law of Being are careful of their words and speak into activity only that Law. They speak words of Life and bring life into manifestation.

There is nothing to change but our concept of self. As soon as we succeed in transforming self, our world will dissolve and reshape itself in harmony with that which our change affirms.

Neville Goddard

There is one unfailing Law of Increase--

**"Whatever is praised and blessed,  
MULTIPLIES!"** Count your blessings and they increase. If you are in need of supply, start in now to praise every small piece of money that comes to you, blessing it as a symbol of God's abundance and love.

Salute the Divinity represented by it. Bless Him and name Him Infinite and Abundant Supply. You will be surprised how soon that small piece of money will increase to many pieces. Take God into your business.

Bless your store, bless everyone that works for you, each customer that comes in. Know that they represent the Divinity called Abundance, so bless them as such.

There is only One Creative Power. There is only One Source. God is called Awareness, Unconditioned Consciousness, Life. There is only one Life and all things in the world are made inside and out of Life or Consciousness. The Bible calls God I AM, which means Being or Existence. I AM conceives itself to be sun, moon, stars, planets, etc. In fact, everything you see is the I AM in infinite differentiation. There is only one Cause, one Substance, one Source.

Whatever you affix to I AM through feeling, you create in your world of expression. That is what the Bible means when it says that there is nothing made that is not made that way. Nothing is made without feeling. If you feel poor, you become poor; if you feel prosperous, you become prosperous; if you feel dignified, you become dignified.

Few place things "second."  
Dollars, position, influence,  
show— these, in common  
thought, come "first." But  
these are results of Power.  
**First become one with the  
Power, become the Power,  
and these desired things  
will come.** The ordinary  
process of business, the  
customary method of thinking,  
is to be reversed. Think from  
inward Power, think from  
Being.

Think and speak  
as if things  
already are and  
allow your  
subconscious to  
manifest the  
results in your life.

"Think give! Say to yourself, "I will think give today. I will think give every day of my life." The law is clear.

It promises: Think give, and you will get. It is a fundamental key to achieving prosperity."

This esoteric teaching is so carefully concealed that the casual reader is not even aware of its existence, let alone concealment. Only when it is recognized that the Biblical narrative contains deeper significance than is apparent on the surface is it realized that the ancients buried an entire SECRET DOCTRINE beneath an apparent recital of history. Once the key is discovered and the door unlocked one is struck with admiration of the genius of those capable of such an achievement. Hidden beneath this narrative, be it factual history or the figment of the imagination, is a startling revelation of the working of Universal Law, consistent with and in keeping with the known facts of nature as modern material science has revealed them. This narrative is so logical that it should convince the open minded investigator that these ancient philosophers knew far more of the origin and early development of the race than do we moderns.

This Higher Self—this phase of your Superconscious —needs but the encouragement of your recognition and realization in order to manifest its power in your behalf. It is seemingly discouraged, disheartened and abashed by your indifference, unbelief, and the failure to recognize its presence and to realize its power.

It does not need "training" or "developing"—all that it asks is to be recognized and realized by you, and to have from you a kindly, sympathetic reception. It has done much for you in the past—it will do more for you in the future, if you will but meet it half way.

This is the  
Affirmation of  
Success: I AM  
POWER TO BE AND  
TO DO THAT  
WHICH I WILL TO  
BE AND TO DO.

This is the only  
way to attain  
realization of  
power. In  
benefitting  
another—any  
other—we  
ourselves receive  
the inflow.

This millionaire promise applies to you, too, as you follow Abraham's example in invoking the prospering power of faith through the use of "the dynamic laws of prosperity"—which include his use of release, forming a vacuum, forgiveness, picturing, prosperity affirmations, tithing, giving "thank offerings" and "faith offerings"—and through claiming your heritage of wealth on all levels of life.

This spark within you,-the  
light that lighteth every  
man,- must flame up, must  
leap into living being. It is  
rightly called the consuming  
fire, bursting the seeming  
veil of ignorance and  
delivering before your very  
eyes the perfect health, the  
perfect world, Yourself as  
you are.

Those who have more faith and more determination inwardly know that every ideal will sometime be realized. It could not be otherwise, because what we see in the distance is invariably something that lies in the pathway of our own eternal progress and if we continue to move forward we must inevitably reach it.

Thought is the only reality; conditions are but the outward manifestation of thought; as thought changes, all conditions must change in order to be in harmony with their creator, which is thought.

Thought-messages of love sent in any direction come back in sweet echoes. They are like light reflected and re-reflected in a series of mirrors. As love comes in, its opposites vanish from the consciousness.

Henry Wood

THOUGHTLESS people sometimes say that our affirmations and meditations are foolish because we state what is not so. "To claim that my body is well or being healed when it is not, is only to tell a lie," said one distinguished man some years ago.

**This is to misunderstand the whole principle. We affirm the harmony that we seek in order to provide the subconscious with a blue print of the work to be done.**

When you decide to build a house, you purchase a vacant piece of ground and then your architect prepares drawings of a complete house. Actually, of course, there is no such house on the lot today, but you would not think of saying that the architect was drawing a lie. He is drawing what is to be, in order that it may be. **So, we build in thought the conditions that will later come into manifestation on the physical plane.**

Thoughts of anger, hatred, fear, jealousy, worry, etc., act directly on the secretions causing an actual poison in the system, which in time will destroy the body unless they are overcome with love, harmony, joy, faith, etc. Constructive thoughts and love is the strongest of all.

- Charles F. Haanel

Thus may the seeker for truth become the Great Finder, for he who seeks shall find; he who knocks at the portal of Wisdom shall have it opened unto him, and this shall be the nature of his marvelous discovery ;—"I and the Father Are One." To know that Spirit passes through us into expression, that creative energy is a servant waiting the command of thought, and that we are the thinkers of that thought, is to give us a sense of power and mastery. The master key to life is Unity. All the ills of life are due to inharmony, inharmony is due to a sense of separation and lack of unity. But when we have once more made our unity with All-Good we become bondservants no more 'to the Law, but rather the Law becomes our servant while we pass into the glorious freedom of the sons of God. Receive therefore the Spirit of truth, rise to the conscious union wherein you may say, "I and the Father are one" and enter your kingdom in the conscious recognition of the "Christ in You, the hope of glory,"

Thus, upon the instant that a man thinks, say, a cruel thought, or does a cruel deed, that same instant he has *injured his own mind*; he is not the same man he was the previous instant; he is a little viler and a little more unhappy; and a number of such successive thoughts and deeds would produce a cruel and wretched man.

The same thing applies to the contrary—the thinking of a kind thought, or doing a kind deed—an immediate nobility and happiness attend it; the man is better than he was before, and a number of such deeds would produce a great and blissful soul.

- James Allen

To  
Experience  
lack  
Is a  
"Denial of  
God,"

To "bless" is to magnify spiritually. It is another form of praise. Its mental law is increase-- multiplication. Jesus always blessed what he had in hand as a working capital, and it was increased. The few loaves and fishes expanded under this law to the satisfaction of the hunger of thousands.

- Charles Fillmore

To permit your mind to dwell upon the inferior is to become inferior and to surround yourself with inferior things. On the other hand, to fix your attention on the best is to surround yourself with the best, and to become the best.

**The creative power within us makes us into the image of that to which we give our attention.**  
We are of thinking substance, too, and thinking substance always takes the form of that which it thinks about.

To put God first is to give  
first place in your  
thought to the eternal,  
from which things come  
and then all things will  
come to you at need.

"First?" Yes! Not things  
first, but that mental  
condition which controls  
things.

Truth comes as a sword, for we must die to our illusions (beliefs in merely historical Biblical characters) and awaken to the psychological significance before man can know himself. The Bible is essentially a story about ourselves, although undoubtedly some of the characters were factually historical. All the stories in the Bible teach functional psychology and practical metaphysics. Any of the historical characters, therefore, refer to attained levels of consciousness—moods, feelings, and ideas. The carnal mind (conscious mind, the intellect) has difficulty in grasping the things of the spirit. This is the reason so many students of New Thought do not grow faster spiritually. They will cling fanatically to historical characters as such and fail to secure confidence in themselves—in their Self—The One Altogether Lovely! They are so busy setting up outer gods that they ignore the God within.

- Joseph Murphy - Peace Within Yourself

Truth is eternal, and therefore always was and is, and forever will be. It is always present, and always has been present.

Although present, it is not revealed. That is to say **it is never revealed to the uninitiated, but only to those who are ready.**

Truth, if it were revealed to the vulgar gaze, or to the unprepared, in heart and understanding, would destroy.

Two systems of thought prevail with mankind, one bespeaking good and the other evil. We can have our choice. It is for us to decide whether we wish the good, or whether we desire the bad. If we want the good, we think of God, His goodness and our heirship. We think of the power and dominion with which we were born; we think of the power which God gave us; we think of our birthright; we think of living, moving and having our being in the God of heaven and earth. We think of having eternal life, eternal happiness, perfect harmony, perfect plenty and perfect peace. We allow our minds to dwell along these lines, and when an evil thought or a black thought comes up, we banish it. **Such a life as this is perpetual happiness, and it soon changes the whole conformation of the physical being, as it were, and the very thoughts are pictured upon the face.** You have happiness and sunshine; whereas, if you think of evil, if your minds are continually dwelling upon these things; if you are thinking of fears, of this or that anxiety; if you are thinking of this or that ill, or evil; if your minds are filled with pain; if your minds are filled with hatred, with jealousy, with anger, with revenge—these thoughts soon mirror themselves upon your bodies and insidiously drag you down to death. **Therefore, we must select the good, if we would have the good; we must choose the good, if we would enjoy the good.**

Oliver Corwin Sabin

**UNLESS** one knows the meaning of the word Is-ra-el and what an Israelite is, he does not understand the Bible at all.

In the Bible an Israelite is anyone who is seeking God. It is not the same thing as being a Hebrew. A Hebrew is a member of a certain race, perhaps the oldest race. In the Biblical sense, anyone who is seeking God is an Israelite whether he is Christian, Hebrew, Mohammedan, Buddhist, or of any other religion. If one is not seeking God, he is not an Israelite whether he is a Hebrew or not.

# Use This Ancient Secret Often

As Paul advised, "Bless and curse not" (Romans 12:14). Never underestimate this ancient secret for happy living. **It is a simple but powerful way to release great good into your life**, and it will work to improve every phase of your world, **if you will invoke it.**

Use often the **dynamic power of blessing** by declaring,

*"I begin now to bless **everything** in my life as good, good, good!"*

**It will prove to be so.**

## Watch the Idle Words

*But I say unto you, That every idle word that men shall speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment* (Matthew 12:36). The negative thoughts, the doubts and fears, are the idle words which prevent healing or advancement.

**Every day and hour is the day of judgment.** When you pray for another, that is your judgment, the decision you arrived at. You realized the Presence of God, i.e., health, vitality and wholeness; or you dwelt on the sickness in him. How did you judge him? If you saw a diseased man and hoped he would be better, you judged wrongly. If you saw a perfectly healthy man (in other words, if you visioned him as he ought to be—vital, strong and bubbling over with enthusiasm and energy), you judged correctly.

We are living in a Universal activity of mental law, we are surrounded by a Mind which receives every impression of our thought and returns to us just what we think. Every man, then, is living in a world made for him from the activity of his thought.

We are told, "When you pray go within in secret and shut the door. And that which your father sees in secret, with that will he reward you openly." We have identified the „father“ to be the awareness of being. We have also identified the „door“ to be the awareness of being. So „shutting the door“ is shutting out that which „I“ am now aware of being and claiming myself to be that which „I“ desire to be. The very moment my claim is established to the point of conviction, that moment I begin to draw unto myself the evidence of my claim.

We attract into our lives the physical manifestations of the thoughts we think, and in order to attract good instead of evil **we must learn to control our thinking, to think positively instead of negatively.**

**We must be able to choose good thoughts.** If a man thinks only in response to the stimuli of the outer world, he remains ego only, an automaton; but when he originates thoughts at the center of consciousness, he creates his own life in the image of his desires and dons the mantle of immortal Self.

- U.S. Andersen

We do not  
see things  
as they are.

We see  
them as we  
are.

**-The Talmud**

We may speak of that prototype as in the present tense; as we say, "I have perfect digestion." Now, at the moment we may be manifesting an imperfect digestion, but we are "judging not by appearances but rather right judgments." So we say, "I have perfect digestion." If we do this with faith we create the perfect mold or image or prototype.

This the present tense. The Spirit begins to work upon our model and ultimately brings out the perfected or externalized object of our desire. This is the future tense, using relative terms. Now we can say, "I have perfect digestion," alluding not only to the image in the Creative Mind but also to the now realized external fact.

**We must actually BE, in Imagination.** It is one thing to think of the end, and another thing to think from the end. **To think from the end; to enact the end, is to create reality.** The inner actions must correspond to the actions we would physically perform "after these things should be".

Who is your Lord and master this very moment? Your Lord is your predominant, mental attitude; it is your conviction or belief about yourself, people, and things; this Lord can be a tyrant. For example, if your mood is now one of resentment, that is your Lord or tyrant that governs all of your actions and all phases of your life.

We must keep our eye on the Kingdom of Heaven, not upon the kingdom of earth. **We must teach man to know the Truth, and the Truth shall make him free.**

The Truth is: ***Man is belief expressed!***

When man knows that every form of discord, sickness, and lack is due to wrong thinking, he will know the Truth that sets him free.

We must remember  
that we create our  
own world after the  
image and likeness of  
our own mental  
pictures and thought  
patterns.

- Joseph Murphy

We only see what we want to see, so we need to be careful what we want to see. That especially means what we see in others as what we see in others is what we see in ourselves. If you are taught that money is a bad thing, you might want to revisit that belief and change it to money is a good thing otherwise you are only keeping money out of your own hands and no one else's. Allow your mind to imagine your life exactly the way you would want it if you could have it any way you could without restrictions **but the trick is to imagine you already have it NOW and continue that belief until your outward life comes into harmony with your inward life. THAT is where faith comes in.**

We should **ble**ss everything that we have****, *for we can increase and multiply what we have by speaking words*. Jesus said that His words were spirit and life. Did you ever think that your word is charged with great spiritual life force? It is. Be careful of your words. Man shall be held accountable for his lightest word. If you talk about substance in a negative way, your finances will be decreased, but if you talk about it in an appreciative, large way, you will be prospered.

We should form the habit of blessing everything that we have. It may seem foolish to some persons that we bless our nickels, dimes, and dollars, **but we know that we are setting the law of increase into operation.** All substance is one and connected, whether in the visible or the invisible. The mind likes something that is already formed and tangible for a suggestion to take hold of. With this image the mind sets to work to draw like substance from the invisible realm and thus increase what we have in hand. Jesus used the small quantity of loaves and fishes to produce a great quantity of - loaves and fishes. Elisha used a small amount of oil to produce a great amount of - oil. So when we bless our money or other goods, we are complying with a divine law of increase that has been demonstrated many times.

What a comfort it is  
to know  
that all that  
I experience  
is the result of my own  
standard of beliefs;  
that I am the center of my  
own web of circumstances  
and that as I change, so  
must my outer world!

What a privilege and how enjoyable it would be to live and walk in a world where we meet only Gods. In such a world you can live. In such a world I can live. For in the degree that we come into this higher realization do we see only the God in each human soul, and when we are thus able to see Him in every one we meet, we then live in such a world. And when we thus recognize the God in everyone, we by this recognition help to call it forth ever more and more. What a privilege, this privilege of yours, this privilege of mine!

What if what we call death is only the passing out of a spirit-self to a more refined or in some way entirely different etheric movement?—in which case a spirit might be perfectly well able to pass through what we call solid Matter, and live its own free and glorious life, on its appropriate plane, rid of 'this muddy vesture of decay.' An inspiring thought! An enchanting hope!

— J. PAGE HOPPS.

## What is Christology?

The chief aim of Christology is to emancipate man's soul and body from the belief in the bondage of carnal mind, which is wrought by a delusion that perverts thought through the baleful emotion of fear. It is fear that invests airy nothing with the form and substance of reality. Job, writing in the agony of his so-called disease, rightly, though perhaps unconsciously, pointed out its potential cause when he exclaimed, "The thing which I greatly feared has come upon me, and that which I was afraid of is come unto me." The source of his malady was within, for Satan, who was alleged to have inflicted it, but symbolized carnal mind.

What is really yours? The answer is: “All that the Kingdom affords is yours.” Every righteous desire of the heart is promised you. There are three thousand promises in the Bible, but these gifts can come to us only if we believe them possible, for everything comes through you – not to you. All life is vibration. **Feel rich, and you attract riches. Feel successful and you become successful.**

Negativity robs us of everything good that is ours. When negativity stops and positive replaces it we can **expect good things to happen to us.**

**Life doesn't rob us of anything. We rob ourselves by our own negative thinking.**

WHATEVER a man  
thinks,  
continuously,  
that will he  
become. Think  
that which you  
would be. This is  
the law of human  
life.

Whatever we  
become conscious  
of that we  
invariably bring  
forth into  
tangible  
expression.

Whatever you,  
- yes, YOU,  
accept, will  
come to abide  
with you as  
realities.

"Whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap." This means that whatever man sends out in word or deed, will return to him; what he gives, he will receive.

If he gives hate, he will receive hate; if he gives love, he will receive love; if he gives criticism, he will receive criticism; if he lies he will be lied to; if he cheats he will be cheated.

Give only what you would like returned to you.

When all  
fear is  
obliterated  
we live  
magic lives.

When fifty-one per cent of your thinking is health and life and power, that day the fifty-one per cent will swallow up, erase, kill out the rest. The day you as an individual, through fifty-one per cent of your thought, pass beyond the perception of limitation, you will draw out of the universe everything you desire; poverty will desert you and you will be emancipated forever. The day you think fifty-one per cent of happiness, misery shall depart and never return. Is it not then worth your time and your effort, and should it not be the greatest purpose in the life of any awakened soul so to depict this principle as to emancipate himself?

**"When I remember to  
practice the law of  
praise,  
unpleasantness  
magically disappears.**

**Praise and thanksgiving  
activate life in the cells  
of the body, releasing  
Increased amounts of  
energy and restoring  
wholeness.**

When man solves the mystery of imagining, he will have discovered the secret of causation, and that is: **Imagining creates reality.** Therefore, the man who is aware of what he is imagining knows what he is creating; realizes more and more that the drama of life is imaginal — not physical.

When the time comes  
that nothing goes forth  
from you other than that  
which you would be glad  
to have return,

THEN

you will have reached  
your heaven.

When we *fill our thought world fully and completely* with the thoughts of the things we want; when we establish within ourselves the *habit* of relating with the constructive currents of the universe in which these things are held for us in solution, that we will get the things from out this formless energy which is everywhere around us, just as surely as the magnet attracts the iron and steel filings, no matter how much gold, silver and brass filings there may be around, and just as surely as the lily attracts from out this formless energy the material which goes to make the lily, although side by side, watered by the same dews and rains and kissed by the same sunshine and drawing sustenance from the same earth, is a weed; but the lily, with the lily's consciousness filling its thought world, its field of consciousness, with the vision of lily atoms, does not attract the material which goes to make the weed, but it lets the weed do that for itself.

When we have learned that God is our supply, and that He it is from whence cometh *all* our help, we will no longer care whether "pay" is rendered for our services or not. We will simply know that all things are ours now, and out of the fullness of love we will give freely. God's hand is sure. Your hand is God's hand now—today. It is full now. Give out of it mentally to all who call upon you, whatever they need. "Trust also in Him, and He shall bring it to pass."

- H. Emile Cady

When we live in the senses alone, for pleasure alone, we have no fixed nor well defined purpose in life, and are at the mercies of every ill wind that blows, and encounter failure after failure, much disease, much worry, much sorrow, and usually kill the body at an early age.

When you ask for anything in spirit, you are complying with the Law and **ALLOWING** the Law to work through you unhampered by the doubts, fears, and restrictions of the conscious mind.

When you fail to recognize your spiritual wealth, you cut yourself off from your source of supply and your subconscious self is powerless to do anything except to **LET YOU WORK JUST AS HARD AS YOU THINK IT NECESSARY.**

When you begin the  
process of  
Recognizing God in  
everything, then the  
appearances of evil  
will diminish, until  
they fade entirely out  
of the picture.

When you  
bless a  
person or  
situation, that  
person or  
situation just  
has to bless  
you.

When you can  
sincerely love  
everything and  
everybody you will  
be astonished at  
the results, for love  
is the magnet that  
attracts the best of  
everything.

When you get  
negative people  
out of your life,  
negative things  
stop happening  
to you.

When you recognize, once and for all, that you are the source of everything that happens in your life, you unleash a powerful force. Once you see that everything, which exists for you, is your creation and no one else's, then you will see that everything that can or will exist in the future is your creation also.

*"Whenever we say, 'I don't have the money for something, or some activity right now, but I will have it later,' we have denied the Presence of infinite invisible Supply right now. We have also falsely stated that right now we are incomplete, but that later we hope to be complete. Just so long as we continue to look to the so-called future for our Supply, it will seem always to be in the future. So long as this fallacy continues, we will never seem to have quite enough supply present right here and right now. We cannot deny the Presence of invisible Supply, and expect to see the evidence of Supply present right here and right now."*

Winston Churchill departed this world a very successful man;

however, during his life he had many failures. Then one day he made this discovery, which changed his life.

These are his words:

"The mood decides the fortunes of people, rather than the fortunes decide the mood."

Within yourself lies the cause of whatever  
enters into your life.

To come into the full realization of your  
own awakened inner powers  
is to be able to condition your  
life in exact accord  
with what you would have it.

Words of Truth written or spoken from a consciousness of the absolute reality of the substance in them, do more than satisfy the intellect or the senses. They are God's means of bringing to pass the very Good about which they are uttered. Therefore, Reader, read slowly and ponder these words in your heart. They will uncover the Rich Mentality, with which God has endowed you and open the Way to your perpetual Prosperity.

## **The Rich Mentality**

by Harriet Hale Rix

You are a success, and you are giving to the Law, every day, just what you want done. And the Law is always working for you. All fear has gone and you know that there is but One Power in all the Universe. Happy is the man who knows this, the greatest of all Truths.

You can attract  
only that which  
you first mentally  
become and feel  
yourself to be in  
reality, without  
any doubting.

You can get busy helping  
your dreams come true  
by declaring daily,

“I HAVE FAITH IN  
GOD. I HAVE FAITH IN  
PEOPLE. I HAVE  
FAITH IN THINGS.”

This is how Abraham  
became a millionaire.

You have dominion over your thinking through Intelligence. While thought is constantly changing, Intelligence remains the same. You have power over your thoughts by virtue of your being. Such power is inherent in you. Power is not in thought, but power is in You.

"Behold, I give unto you power to tread upon serpents (evil beliefs), and nothing shall by any means hurt you." The ability to understand the nothingness of matter and mind is the basis of escape, of emancipation.

You have the power *within* you, which you can use to experience greater health, happiness and prosperity than you have ever previously known.

You can begin releasing that power to produce greater good in your life and affairs, when you realize that your mind *is* your world. *When you rule your mind, you rule your world. When you choose your thoughts, you choose results.*

Your world is affected by your thoughts and feelings more fully than you realize. Your world is affected by your likes and dislikes more fully than you realize. When your thinking veers, your life veers.

Your thoughts are your greatest power. Better thoughts will bring better conditions to you.

That is the miracle of mind power.

**You think you lack  
love, money, home,  
etc., but what you  
really lack is the  
consciousness of God.  
If He were dwelling in  
your thoughts  
continually these  
things would be added.**

You want the rule to think right.

The rule is this:

NEVER THINK ANYTHING OF YOURSELF,  
ABOUT YOURSELF, OR ABOUT YOUR  
AFFAIRS, OR YOUR SURROUNDINGS  
EXCEPT THAT WHICH YOU WISH TO  
SEE REALIZED IN TRUTH.

If you want happiness, think happiness; if you want health, think health; if you want affluence, think affluence. *Think that which you want and everlastingly deny that which you do not want.* **If you will follow this rule absolutely, the last pang that you will ever suffer has passed.**

***It is only in the degree that you have the power to comply with this rule that you have the power to be happy and the power to escape miseries.***

You, the reader, know that you exist. This knowing that you exist is God. **What you are aware of is your concept of God.** Each man must ask himself, "What am I aware of?" **The answer to this question is his belief about God.** It is what he knows about God. When he says, "I am aware of want. I am fearful. I am sick," these are lies and have no truth in them. When man says, "I am fearful," he is saying God is full of fear which is nonsensical. When he says, "I am in want," he is relating a lie and a denial of God's abundance and infinite supply. His faith is in failure, and he succeeds in being a failure. He believes in a lie, but he cannot prove the lie. The false condition seems real as long as he dwells upon it. **When he ceases to believe it, he is free and healed.**

Joseph Murphy

You're not coming here to be told how bad the world is, for if you believe it is bad, there is something you must do about it because you have planted the world. You have your seedtime. So here people gather to be told how to operate this wonderful gift that the Father gave them. There is this wonderful mind and imagination. So you are told to go out and be choosy in your selection; single out that aspect of reality to which you want to respond, success, health, dignity, nobility, something wonderful that you contribute to the good of the world. As you walk by you are contributing to society, you contribute to the community in which you live, not necessarily by giving dollars but you contribute by your wonderful seedtime. If, in your community, you see the need of maybe a church, you see the need of some wonderful school, you don't wait until people get together, you actually, in your mind's eye, contemplate the joy that is yours because of the wonderful school here for the children, a wonderful church here to lift man spiritually, and you wonder what it would be like were it true; - you feel the thrill of witnessing it within. That is seedtime. Then in a way that you do not know and you need not labor to produce, you will encounter that school and that church and these lovely things in your community.