

Article 239: God or Godness? –part 6

But You Already Knew That, ...Didn't you?

Accepting new ideas frequently follows a process from outright rejection of, "That's not true! It can't possibly be right" to the mild agreement of, "Well, maybe. It might be true ...but so what!? It's not really important!" followed by the tentative agreement of, "Of course it's true ...and it seems important, but it's not new!" ...which finally leads to, "Ohh, I've always known that!" Well, let's see if you have always known the things in this Article.

If we throw three separate baseballs, out from the top of the Empire State building, each with a different force ...creating varying starting velocities, when the three balls hit the street below, by following the same laws of physics, they will reach essentially the same terminal velocity ...and you will be hard-pressed to determine their starting velocities ...simply because there are "hidden variables" and cannot be determined or even suggested from the conclusion of matching terminal velocities. The initial starting force acted differently upon each baseball, yet, in the end, did not appear or create any different effect. In other words, the pattern of gravity superseded, canceled and concealed these variables. Many events and conditions have hidden variables which cannot be seen or deduced from the consequences ...or concluding information, ...but you always suspected that ...didn't you?

With the knowledge about hidden variables, you can see that from a conclusion, circumstance, condition, or illness, you cannot rely on any information to reveal, or from which you can deduce, anything about starting or "causing" events or conditions, simply because many hidden variables may have acted at the beginning, and all along the way, which do not appear in or affect the results. In this, it seems that from an effect, you can never determine a beginning event with any certainty ...or know any contributing factors which may have acted as hidden variables. And though similar events or illnesses follow the same physical laws, even by comparing what is known, you cannot determine or account for these hidden variables, ...yet they are real and active! ...but, then, you knew that ...didn't you?

Now, like the baseballs, suppose you see the effects of living certain beliefs in a person's life, from these effects, you cannot determine the hidden variable of passion or intensity which may or may not have been applied at the first instance of living these beliefs ...or along the way. And comparing this individual with others will not reveal these hidden variables either, ...for, by following a common pattern of language and thinking, the

hidden variable of passion, intensity, or force of believing and living remains concealed ...and cannot be determined with any degree of accuracy, ...in fact, regardless of the passion or force applied, by following the same believing•thinking-languagepatterns, the conclusions or results will be essentially the same. Though it is constantly declared and inferred that the passion and intensity put into living a belief or in either case~with or without passion~you are following the same pattern of language, this conclusion is, by itself, unreasonable, ...for the pattern seems to override the passion ...or other hidden variables, ...but you knew that too ...didn't you?

A person with cancer~indicating beliefs-out-of-control~is not necessarily living these dangerous beliefs with great intensity and nerve, they may be living them quietly and subtly ...and just as dangerously, while another person living the same beliefs with great intensity may not result cancer. Passion, force, and intensity, it seems, have little or no affect on the results or illness. Your attitudes and emotions about someone or something have less to do with the results or outpicturings than the patterns you follow ...especially your languagepattern, ...unless, of course, your emotions disrupt that pattern or introduce new or different constituents, but even these matters, arising from your language, will not easily override your languagepatterns. Therefore, in understandings and attempting to resolve difficulties, problem beliefs, misinformation, or undesirable situations ...or heal illnesses, look more-closely and insightfully at the patterns followed ...than to the emotions involved, for it certainly seems that the pattern of language and conclusions followed does more harm than your feelings about your beliefs and experiences, ...but you've always know that ...haven't?

You are not bound by
what others believe and declare to be true.

Most of your feelings today came from a pattern of old beliefs and associations about previous experiences ...and your judgments of those events, not from existing circumstances and events. What you most strongly live into your life today are your patterns from the past ...and other patterns you have picked up along the way ...and adopted to your ways. Isn't it time to end your old patterns, associations, conclusions, and judgments ...and the emotions they engender ...and begin living that life and feelings you truly desire at every moment ...instead of repeating the past?

Don't be surprised if abandoning your familiar beliefs, behaviors, patterns, and emotions ...and creating a new relationship and life with yourself is difficult, for even if your life is truly not what you want, you, like most people, find it difficult or even undesirable to end your old ways and begin anew. Have you come late to this changing-point in your life? ...after old patterns of thinking•believing•behaving are firmly set? Perhaps, in the past, you found it very difficult to end or change your traditional beliefs and concepts about life, your usual judgments and conclusions, and your old habits of thinking and responding. Why have you lingered so in your old ways and life? Are you more-fearful of ending your old life ...or concerned about beginning anew? Are you struggling to discover "your way" of living anew? Aren't you concerned that "your way" will just be a new version of "your *old* ways"? If you want matters in your body and life to change, don't linger too long saying *goodbye* to a life of habitual patterns which have not served you or been as rewarding and enriching as you desired.

As your old habits and patterns become apparent ...and you begin letting them slip away, you may experience... no, you probably will experience feelings of sadness and loss ...and emptiness, maybe even abandonment, before your new self and life takes a firm hold upon you. Will ending your present images and unrewarding habits begin with new visions and ideas? ...with new imaginings and information? With new relationships? ...or by dressing up old beliefs, concepts, and behaviors in new words and similar activities?

Seize every opportunity to begin anew!

Just as scientific theories about the universe are so subjective that they reveal more about the researcher's knowledge and state of being than they do about the objective properties and actions of the universe, the structure and pattern of language says more about itself than it does about you and the world around you. In much the same way, your beliefs and concepts ...and the pattern of your thinking expresses far more about you than they do about life ...or about the truth of your awarenesses and understandings.

**You do not live in a universe of "truth",
you live in the realm of patterns you maintain.**

Are you waiting for your image of God or life to change or your condition of Godness or declared self to make itself actively known before you enliven and live as you truly desire? Do you expect to be enlightened

and enlivened with a new state of mind while you continue your old habits and patterns? Do you expect new, enriching feelings and clear purpose or goal before you will enliven yourself? Do you feel that some unknown thing is acting upon you ...and restraining you? Remember, whether or not you believe in these limiting hidden variables ...or enriching variables that enhance you, you are correct ...so why don't you choose what you truly desire and live that? Or does it seem that just as matters appear to be falling apart and you earnestly want a new self and life, next moment or day continues "as usual" ...and matters are not so bad after all? Well, you cannot live more-expansively and enrichingly, or consciously perceive and believe your condition of Godness while hanging on to old beliefs and ways and patterns, but, of course, you knew that, ...didn't you? Maybe you don't really want to change and live a new self and life ...or live new language-patterns of thinking and believing, ...maybe you expect to continue the pattern of your unsatisfying believing•thinking•living and have the events and circumstances of your self and life change dramatically as you truly desire, ...does it seem wise to continue these expectations?

Are you fearful of realigning everything in your life to enliven your condition of Godness? ...fearful of upsetting unrealized hidden variables? Do you feel blocked or at a standstill in your life? Are you waiting for these blockages and limitations to be removed ...and for life to make sense before you awaken yourself to greater and finer awarenesses, understandings, and opportunities? ...and to the greatness of yourself and your condition of Godness? Is it possible that you are waiting for and expecting a "spiritual awakening"? But, of course, you already knew that a true spiritual awakening is merely an awakening to self ...and your condition of Godness, ...didn't you?

Until you clearly see yourself in the context of being on an immortal, journey of many previous lives, not merely struggling in this life, it is unlikely that your life today will have any real or overriding meaning, significance, and purpose for you,

...but you already knew that ...didn't you?