

Article 208: Posed And Supposed – part 2

Most people act as though, once started down a particular pathway, they have little choice or desire but to continue, ...it seems that they see their abilities and options only in light of previous training and experiences, or posed talents and results, and thus limit their options, opportunities, and future. Are you one of these individuals? Have you denied your declaredself and wondrous future merely because you feel they are supposed and cannot be proved? Have you denied your declaredself and forsaken your living as you truly desire ...in favor of pursuing relationships and matters which, from previous experience, you know will not offer you the fulfillment, satisfaction, and happiness you truly desire? Have you traded the self and life you desire, because it is supposed, for one you do not really want, simply because it is posed and seems more real? Why might that be so? Could it be because you are gradually realizing that the fulfillment of your life is profoundly different than what you expected and posed for yourself ...and have lived for so long? Did it seem that what you lived, sought after, and experienced brought about radically different *supposed* yet fulfilling results than you expected? Were your original, posed expectations reasonable? ...or even desirable? Or, just maybe, even now, you don't realize or understand the "truth: of what you have been living and creating?

If all of these *posed* actions and experiences brought you to consider your *supposed* declaredself and purpose, then realize that what seemed so right and real yet turned out to be inappropriate was truly fortunate, wasn't it?

[Posed and supposed are funny that way!](#)

The question is, "What will you do now?" Will you begin seeing, understanding, and living your supposed declaredself and purpose? ...if so, that will quickly affirm the self and life you truly desires, though probably in ways you never considered or believed possible or desirable for you ...while you were busy chasing other things and relationships ...and different ways of life which you had posed for yourself; ...even your old problems, struggles, and grief which you posed for yourself will make sense.

Many people, feeling that a "planned life" is not attractive or desirable, continue their "spontaneous" ways to unhappiness in a life with little satisfying meaning, ...but they have their spontaneity! ...or do they? ...for most of these same individuals would rather continue their posed spontaneity than live their supposed declaredself and purpose. Obviously,

a “planned life” does not ensure meaningfulness or happiness ...and a “spontaneous life” does not necessarily lead to a life of emptiness; ...can you envision and pose a planned and guided life filled with spontaneity? We hope so, because that’s exactly what your supposed declaredself and purpose have to offer.

Stop struggling to get free! ...you are free, so begin living your self and life as you truly desire. The distinction between the self and life you have posed for yourself ...and think you want ...and the supposed lifeself you truly desire is correctly revealed in the fact that you, like most people, desire and have struggled endlessly to achieve or possess or accomplish what actually failed to satisfy you even when you succeeded, yet time after time, in one way or another, you continue to achieve and obtain what you have been shown, time and time again, through previous experiences, will not make you happy; ...as a result, you continue pressing on more-intensely while rationalizing and justifying your posed actions ...which you know will not succeed!

If you are drawn away from an unfulfilling, previously posed self and life to find a new one which might satisfy you, be very cautious, for unless you make unusually different decisions which do not follow your normal pattern of posed abilities and experiences, your choice of a new life will be much the same as before. Building too strongly upon previous talents and experiences keeps your life going around in endless circles with few changes. To make a genuine difference you must step out of your posed pattern into a greater and finer supposed life without the doubts and confusions of judgments. Are you willing to let your declaredself guide everything in your life? ...a guide that supplants all judgments and posed limitations? And if there is a struggle within you between high-mindedness and affluence, you’ll be pleased to know that your declaredself favors both ...without any conflict. Your declaredself will help you explore, enliven, and increase your awareness ...and assist you in living your greater and finer lifeself by focusing your awareness in a desired, supposed direction such that your lifeself expands naturally and desirable without struggle. Follow a supposed-pathway of life as you truly desire ...and make that a posed-pattern of your abilities and experiences.

As you seek to enliven your supposed declaredself, you will become aware of many things which, before, you had excluded from your self and life. Give yourself plenty of time to move from your old posed-awarenesses to expansive new supposed-awarenesses ...and to compare them with your old beliefs, understandings, and life. Do not let

your new awarenesses drift into your previous ways and feelings. What do you suppose your attitudes and feelings will be when you first encounter and accept your declaredself on this extraordinary, supposed pathway of life? What are they likely to be as you begin living and experiencing your declaredself? ...when you offer your declaredself to others ...and to yourself? Are you willing to invest your self and life in your declaredself? Will your old, posed beliefs, abilities, experiences, and desires unite well with a supposed declaredself? If you cannot or will not answer these questions with enthusiasm and anticipation, you will quickly return to your posed life "as usual".

Your supposed declaredself and life and purpose are real ...they are not fantasies, ...while your posed life today, which seems so real, is your fantasy.