

## Article 290: A Personal Promiselanguage –part 5

The information about support in part 4 is very enlightening ...and begins revealing that in spite of our common language of definitions, I am living my personal language based more upon how things such as *support* actually act in my body and life, ...this to fully understand matters such as support, I must describe and understand them by their interactions in my self and life, ...are you willing to understand your own personal language? If so, then you'll be interested to hear what I discovered about *offering*, for in wanting to support my partner, I have to know how offering interacts in my self and life, ...so I asked, "What, for me, is offering ...as in *offering support*?" ...and drew Promisecard 1 ...which revealed that, for me, offering is *living and revealing that I create all things in myself and life by embodying or giving form to my beliefs.*

But this brings up the question as to whether *offering support* is different than *giving support*. From Promisecard 30 I learned that, for me, giving is *always living and revealing that all of life is founded on greater wholes*, ...thus, "giving" is an opportunity to create and follow greater wholes. Don't you wonder what *offering and giving* mean to you in your personal language?

Well, following these awarenesses in my language, *offering* in a personal relationship is "embodying for me", while *giving* is for the "greater whole created" with my partner ...not with the endeavor. Interesting! ...but the issue arises as to whether I can actually give to my partner? ...or to anyone? Can I teach someone? ...enlighten others? ...or heal them? ...or must they teach, enlighten, and heal themselves? ...and support themselves? Can I really give to my partner ...as in giving support? ...or does my giving depend upon her taking or receiving my support? The answer to this question is Promisecard 41 ...in *always living and revealing that no loss or decline is ever a lessening (of me), nor does it indicate that something is wrong or with me ...or with others or my partner.*

Continuing these understandings ...and "motions" in my self and life, if my teaching, enlightening, or healing ...or giving support to my partner in *any way* lessens me ...even if I feel it lessens me ...or even if I see my giving support as lessening me in relationship to others or my partner, if it tires me to give support or seems to tire me, or if I feel it depletes me of energy or empowerment, then my teaching, enlightening, healing, or supporting my partner, no matter what form that takes, is false ...and is

limited to what others accept, ...isn't that interesting? ...and informative beyond our common language limitations and distorted understandings. Giving does not require a receiver! ...and genuine giving reveals the "truth" of what is given. Actually, it is not so much that, in my life, giving proves "truth" ...but that not giving reveals falsity or "untruth". Anything that lessens me or that I feel lessens me ...or lessens another is false, ...and my teaching, enlightening, healing, or supporting my partner is also false, and I cannot give without others receiving or accepting, if I or others, including my partner, feel that something is *wrong or improper*. If I feel they are in *need* of teaching, enlightening, or healing ...or in need of support, or if they feel in need of these things, then my giving or supporting is false ...and is limited by their acceptance. What, through interactions, do these things mean in your life and personal language, ...do you know? ...or care?

Though it seems easier to be what I was in my old language than to move to a new language and realize what I am, I will forget the frustration and depression of false beliefs and traditional ideas I have lived ...and which have warped my self and life for so long ...and withheld promise, ...and I agree to consider more-desirable choices and actions ...and a new language for understanding. Are you willing to reconsider the same for your self and life?

Because I have a tendency to give support in the way I want to be supported, it was time for me to consider what "receiving support" or "being supported" means to me in my new language and personal understandings. Promisecard **3** revealed that, as all difficulties are self-created and self-imposed, all *support*, in any form ...from any seeming source, is also self-created and self-imposed. And *receiving*, as in *receiving support or being supported* reveals **33** ...that what is known within is still without ...and is clearly revealed in everything around me, ...thus, receiving support or being supported reveals, for me, that I feel something is wrong or lacking and I am in need of support, ...which is my denial of the support of all things ...and which makes the received or accepted support false.

In summary, my personal language reveals that, to me, support, as in *giving support* is only providing what genuinely supports me, for, in this way, I will not see others or my partner to be wrong or in need of support, nor will this lessen me, for in doing this, I am genuinely supporting myself. Giving support is for the "greater whole" created.

Offering support is *for me* ...and genuinely supports me. Support, as in *receiving support* is recognizing that as all things are supportive, being supported as I desire is in all ways self-created and self-imposed at all times ...but never as a need or to fill a lack. What do you know about these matters in your life and personal language? ...for regardless of how support is defined in your present language, you live and respond to how the action of offering, giving, receiving, or accepting support interacts in your self and life, ...and all others do the same for themselves, which has little commonality to those interactions in your life ...or mine. Do you see why a personal language of described interactions is vital for you to live as you truly desire?

*All things in life are supportive!*

Only I, feeling in need of support or wanting support, create and impose non-support. With this in mind, can I *thank* someone for supporting me? ...for doesn't that "thank you" acknowledge and create non-support? ...and won't that make my support, teaching, healing, loving, and life false?

The more important question for me is ...can I genuinely thank all things for being supportive?

*Can you see and thank all things for being supportive?*