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CHAPTER I I

“When Peace Descends”

Chapter Highlights

...The world that God made in six days is the world that we are making with our labors. We are creating our new world every day with our mental and spiritual labors. We are creating a whole new world for ourselves, a whole new consciousness, and one day we will realize that we have reached it.

...The movement, the transition from law to grace, is done by you, within your consciousness, at a specific moment.... It could be a moment like this one, in which you decide that the time has come to stop living by chance, by averages, by insurance statistics. In other words, the time has come to stop being a statistic, and to move “out from among them.”

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...Until that time, you are a mortal; you are a human being; you are subject to age, change, limitation, war, peace, depression, boom, health, sickness, life and death, chance, luck, and horoscopes.

...“Think not that I am come to send peace on earth: I came not to send peace, but a sword.” What a strange statement this is to come from a consciousness such as that of the Master!

...The reason the Christ seems to bring a sword is that our purpose in life and the Christ’s purpose in life are two entirely different things.

...We think in terms of economic or physical good; we think of peace, security, health, abundance, and happiness, but entirely in human terms, always involving the acquisition of some material form of good to bring us that peace, harmony, wholeness, and completeness. Even nationally and internationally, we depend on a bomb for peace, a frightening concept of the condition required for peace, nevertheless, a fact in this age.

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...In our lifetime, however, we have witnessed the failure of all of these to give us peace, security, or happiness.

...If you are looking for the peace of the world, do not go to the Christ for it, because the peace that *I*, the Christ, gives you is a peace that the world cannot give.

...When you feel My peace, you will feel it abundantly, permanently, joyously, a peace that passes human understanding.

There is no lack where God's grace is. "My peace I give unto you" is spoken from within you to you, from the center of your being out to the circumference.

My wholeness I give unto thee; My immortality I give unto thee; My infinity I give unto thee. Never do I withhold; all this is thine.

...Nothing can establish permanent peace in the heart of an individual except for the entrance into the heart of the Christ, the Spirit of God.

...Do you know what happens when you discover that Christ is within your being? You are made free!

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...Do you not see that when mankind learns of his freedom in Christ, he is free? After that, no one can hold him in bondage.

...If you will make a practice daily of realizing “where I am, God is; the place whereon I stand is holy ground; God in the midst of me is mighty, and all they that are opposed, they have but the arm of flesh, or nothingness; we have the Lord God Almighty; the Lord God in the midst of me is mighty, and there is no might external to me, not in the mind of man or the matter of man,” then you will begin to prove that that which heretofore has been opposition in your life; that which heretofore has been discordant or the source of discord; that which heretofore has been a barrier to your progress, to your prosperity, to your happiness— these will begin to fall away.

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...The moment you begin to prove your understanding of this, that there is no power external to you, that God in the midst of you is omnipotence, and there is no power external to you for good or evil in person, thing, or condition; that there is no mental power, no physical power that is power, for all power is given unto you, you will have dominion over everything that appears in your world.

Always remember the Master on prayer: Pray secretly and pray sacredly....make prayer a secret practice and a sacred one.

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...Just look throughout your human life, and you will see that everything in your life is functioning on the basis of good and evil. There is good one day and evil the next; there is good in this experience and evil in this. Sometimes the things that are good for us today are bad for us tomorrow. The things that may be bad for us today are of no power tomorrow. In other words, we volley back and forth between the two powers of good and evil. But in proportion as this spiritual Son is raised up in us, the Son of God, these laws do not operate anymore.

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...Having found the kingdom of God, dwelling now in the kingdom of God, there is something else taking responsibility for your entire experience.

All I want is dominion over my consciousness to the extent that every day, I want at least one meditation period, if it's only for three minutes, in which to realize,

Thank you, Father. I am God-governed, God-maintained, God-sustained, and this is the spiritual truth about everyone in our land and on our globe.

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...As the realization of our dominion dawns in thought, more assurance, confidence, and certainty become evident. We become a new being, and the world reflects back to us our own higher attitude toward it. Gradually, an understanding of our fellow man and his problems unfolds to us from within, and more love flows out from us, more tolerance, cooperativeness, helpfulness, and compassion, and we find the world responds to our newer concept of it, and then all the universe rushes to us to pour its riches and treasures in our lap.

...Therefore, what we entertain in consciousness is what we demonstrate in life—no more, no less.

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...It's like all phases of life. What we put into it is what we get out of it. What we put into our study, what we put into our practice, what we put into our devotion, what we put into living The Infinite Way—that's what comes back, because here it is: "As ye sow so shall ye reap."

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Search: “creating our”

From *The 1960-1961 Christmas and New Year – Waikiki – “Spiritual New Year”*

...Now the first step for any spiritual student to learn is this: That we each day set in operation the law that is to come back upon us tomorrow or next year or ten years from now. In other words, today we are creating our tomorrows even unto the next century. All of this has nothing to do with God. This has to do with you. This has to do with me. This has to do with our individual selfhood. In other words, that which I really do to another I am really doing to myself because there is but one Selfhood.

385 A 1960-1961 Christmas and
New Year – Waikiki “Spiritual New Year”

Search: “our purpose”

From *Awakening Mystical Consciousness*

...We are here only for one purpose, and that is to fulfill God’s purpose in us—not our purpose. Regardless of how good or how noble our purpose might be, if it is our purpose, we are wrong. Instead, let us put ourselves aside and realize: God created me, and God created me for His purpose, not mine. God created me to perform His will on earth, not for me to decide what I want to be, what I want to do, or where I want to do it. That would be having a mind and a will apart from God. Let not my will be done, but “Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.”

Awakening Mystical Consciousness
Chapter 11 – “Awakening the Soul Faculties”

From The 1952 New Washington Series

...Our purpose is not to reform, to save, or to change. Our purpose in being on this path is to learn to give up the world's erroneous concepts and trade them in for the truth of being.

8 B-2 1952 New Washington Series
“The Deep Things of Spirit”

Search: “spoken from within you”

From The 1964 San Francisco Special Class

...“My peace give I unto thee” is spoken from within you to you, from the center of your being to the circumference. “My grace is thy sufficiency” is spoken the same way:

My wholeness give I unto thee. My immortality give I unto thee. My infinity give I unto thee. Nothing do I withhold. Allness is thine.

543 B 1964 San Francisco Special Class
“Opening the Door to Me”

Search: “daily practice”

From *God Formed Us For His Glory*

...If any benefit is to enter our experience, it must enter through an activity of our consciousness, and if we hope eventually to be guided by the “still small voice,” to be led, to be directed by Infinite Intelligence, we, through an act of consciousness, must open our eyes and ears to that Infinite Invisible. That must become a daily practice, and I do not mean once a day. I mean a daily practice all the day long.

God Formed Us For His Glory

Chapter 9 – “The Inner Meaning of Living the Spiritual Life”

From *The Contemplative Life*

... If we engage in this daily practice—and we must—we shall soon find that we have received in our inner being the secret of the universe, the secret of harmony, the secret of the Holy Grail.

The Contemplative Life
Chapter 9 – “Daily Preparation for Spiritual Living”

Search: “begin to fall away”

From *Realization of Oneness*

... If you will work with these principles, you will begin to prove that that which heretofore has been resistance and opposition in your life, that which has been discordant or the source of discord, that which has been a barrier to your progress, your prosperity, or your happiness will begin to fall away.

Realization of Oneness
Chapter 12 – “Infinite Way Principles and World Affairs”

From *The Heart of Mysticism, Volume Five*

...You will find that when you attain a measure of God-realization, your problem will begin to fall away and eventually it will disappear. This does not mean that the first time we have a flicker of light, automatically, all our problems are going to be solved, but it means that in proportion as we attain God-consciousness our problems will begin to dissolve, and eventually, the nature of the problems will change.

The Heart of Mysticism, Volume Five
Chapter 2 – “Problems Aren’t Problems Anymore”

From *The Infinite Way*

...Now, in this moment of uplifted consciousness, we are able, even though faintly, to see ourselves free of material, mortal, human, and legal laws. We behold ourselves separate and apart from the bondage of sense, and in a measure we

glimpse the unlimited boundaries of eternal Life and of infinite Consciousness. The fetters of finite existence begin to fall away; the price tags begin to disappear. We no longer dwell in thought on human happiness or prosperity, nor is there any longer concern about health or home. The “wider, grander view” is coming into focus. The freedom of divine being is becoming apparent.

The Infinite Way
“The New Horizon”

Search: “at least one meditation period”

From The 1959 Halekou Special Work

...We only know the things that we already humanly know about; but we have no idea of those things that we cannot dream about, and it is for that reason then that we go as if we were going into a newly discovered land not knowing what we were going to find when we get there. It may be all wild beasts, but then there may be lots of gold and silver, and diamonds and jade too, and we don't know. We are going into unexplored territory during this at least one meditation period per day when we don't know where we're going or why, except that we know we're going into meditation to be receptive and responsive to that still, small voice. It is then that you learn principles that you never knew before, and that no one ever taught you, and that perhaps may never have been revealed before, or you may bring forth compositions of music, melodies that have never been heard on earth, or gems of art or literature or healing—whatever direction your life work is taking you. For that reason we have this wonderful passage: “Thy grace is my sufficiency in all things”...no outlining there; just Thy grace, and then God's grace takes the form necessary to our human completeness and fulfillment.

254 B 1959 Halekou Special Work
“Meditation Consciousness – More on I”

From *The Heart of Mysticism, Volume Three*

...The truth of the message of *The Infinite Way* is not mine personally, nor is it yours: it is ours to develop and use and share; otherwise it will be lost to us. If one were given a talent for music or art and did not develop and use it, it would not be long before the ability to play or paint would be lost. In the same way, if one is given a storehouse of spiritual truth and grace and does not use and share it, soon it will wither. So it is important that you who are partaking and enjoying the benefits of the study of spiritual truth begin to spend what you have—yourselves, your time and effort and assistance, your prayers and meditations. Spiritual truth must touch and awaken the world, and this can be accomplished only through such spending.

So that you may actively participate in this awakening, I ask that each student dedicate one meditation period each day to the specific realization of the Christ, for it is only through this realization that material sense will be dispelled, thus preparing the way for the receptivity of spiritual consciousness.

The Heart of Mysticism, Volume Three

Chapter 9 – “Spiritual Illumination – The Way of Harmony”

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