

William Samuel's Teaching Overview

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SIMPLE PREREQUISITES TO A KNOWLEDGE OF TRUTH

The understanding of Truth and the discovery of the Now-Awareness is addressed:

1) To those who are willing to concede to the Allness of Isness.

Satisfactory meditation comes with the absolute conviction that God is, **the Isness of God**, that God is Intelligence and Love; that there is no power apart from God and no power in opposition to God. **The Allness of God is in every individual on the face of the globe. The infinite Allness of God is wherever one individual is.** The Allness of God is in one tiny leaf- in every leaf. Watch what happens as we begin to accept this kind of God and no longer reach out to something outside ourselves, but merely stand still in being and say, **"God is"**. God is state of Being, a state of infinite Intelligence and ever-present Love. God is forever being God: God is being Life; God is being Love; and God is forever expressing Its Life and Its Love. The Life of God cannot be lengthened nor can it be shortened; the Life of God cannot age nor can it change: God is a state of immortal, infinite Being. God is Light and in Him is no darkness at all. God is able to make all grace abound toward you; always having all sufficiency in all things and may abound to every good work.

2) To those who come to see that Awareness and Life are the same and will concede that this awareness is ALONE, TOTAL and ALL to each of us.

In meditation the acknowledgement of divine grace is recognition of the nature of God and of our relationship to God. **Isness, God is the Solitary, the Alone, the All.** The only ONE is Self-Conscious and that Self-Consciousness is Identity. Within All of All there is no other Identity. Self-consciousness functioning is Awareness. That relationship is **oneness**. The teaching of oneness is probably the highest spiritual teaching ever given to the world. God is one: one Power, one Law, one Substance, and one Cause. God cannot be divided; God is indivisible. God is infinite. Were this is not true there would have been less God on earth when the population was only 10% of what is today and by the same token, there would be twice as much God on earth when the population is doubled. God is my individual being; God constitutes my being; God is the Life, the soul and spirit of my being. God is the very substance of which my body is formed. God is the only law governing me – not laws of lack or limitation; God is the only law. God's law is a law of immortality, eternity and perfection; it is self-maintained and self sustained.

3) To those who possess an eager willingness to let go the misidentification once it has been pin- pointed out and exposed.

In denying the personal sense of self, which is the misidentification, we glorify the Self which we really are - the God-Self. The God-Self is our true being and the measure of our Selfhood is infinity. **We are not the ego, the personality or body, who says Awareness is "mine."** THAT is the incorrect identity, the "old man," the "liar from the beginning," the "deceiver," the devil himself. THAT is the one to be "put off." It is the old nature of us "the old man" the misidentification, etc viewing itself as an entity "separate and apart from Allness. *That* is the one to "come out from and be separated. **Awareness is who we are! Awareness itself!**

WHAT TO EXPECT FROM THESE STUDIES

This work, as appearances go, *uncovers our Identity as Tranquility*. The fruits of this Endeavour are Tranquility, Serenity, and pure Peace. W.Samuel teachings do not promise anything but peace, simple Tranquility; and he assure you that **everyone who will silence intellectuality for a time and listen to the words about Reality, Isness, God with an open Heart—and who will make the slightest effort to try them out and practice them—the *slightest* effort—will acquire a sense of equanimity and tranquility he has never known before!** It will be like a new-found seed within the self I: that grows into a powerful, wonder-full Presence.

Jesus did not promise healings or wealth or the solution to problems; neither did Buddha, Lao Tse, or any of the lights of the universe. They said to those grown weary of the world, "Come and I will give you *peace*. I will give you Peace—not the kind of peace the world comprehends, but Tranquility beyond understanding."

Tranquility-being-Identity is not an excitement at all—it is not an emotion. If we were to attempt to use intellectual terms we would have to say that it is more nearly the absence of emotion, the absence of "feeling" *as we have been accustomed to it*.

Tranquility is another name for the Identity we are. **Tranquility is an inner sense of peace, contentment and desirelessness.** It is the Christ-real-within that appears to rectify the misjudged-without. Tranquility is found to be just that—Tranquility is not elation, ecstasy, or super-exhilaration; it is serenity and calm, not the mere opposites of agony or depression. It is a balanced, centered quiet which appears to the intellect as a "midway" between emotional extremes in precisely the same way that "sufficiency" has an intellectual residence between poverty and wealth.

Tranquility is not a condition of overflowing happiness, but happiness itself; not a state of jubilation, but joy itself. Tranquility is the *avoidance* of worry, desire and fear. **Tranquility is Love, Tranquility is the Secret Place, the Heart, the Christ, the Shekinah, the Holy of Holies wherein nothing enters that makes a lie. Tranquility is being absolutely all IDENTITY is; hence, all "I" am! Tranquility am I!**

Tranquility is your Identity-not something you feel, experience, or put on like an overcoat over an untranquil false-identity. It is inevitable that you should see this, for the simple reason that you are this Tranquility already.

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND VIRGIN BIRTH

The Heart reveals that the "Truth" and "Christ" are Identical – meaning the same one. Identity is the Christ – Truth itself. The Christ-truth is perceived within – a personal and intimate experience; an event untouched, untainted by anything out there. ***When one feels the Truth stirring within himself, the experience is pristine, pure and unblemished. It is immaculate. This intimate and solitary singing of the heart is the Immaculate Conception; the virgin birth of the Christ;*** the coming of Truth that ultimately "tells us all things" and "overcomes the world" of personal misperception and illusion. The very moment one turns to the Heart within, acknowledging Deific Truth itself to be Christ, one has done all that is necessary to do. ***Then you will receive the 7 gifts of***

the Spirit of Christ such as: Wisdom, Knowledge, Fortitude (courage), Understanding, Counsel, Piety and Wonder & Awe.

The Heart will speak with a feeling of warmth and well being, with a soothing tender touch of love! You will feel a sense of soft excitement, wonderment and awe. THIS is the Immaculate Conception, This is the Christ! This is the Truth! Acknowledge it! Adore it! Worship it! It will change your experience completely. It has come to declare Reality, to set everything aright and to show forth the wonders of the Infinite Being you are. *As Jesus Christ said: "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life"*.

THE PENDULUM ILLUSTRATION

There is a belief and judgment, that there is an ego-identity who *contains* Life, Consciousness and Awareness. The belief that creates constitutes and IS the pseudo-pendulum itself. *"Since the eternal Divine Awareness is non-dual and there is no other path to attain it except to abide as Awareness"*.

Personal judgment is the action that sets the pendulum into its swinging, fatiguing, aging motion from extreme to extreme. The judge IS the swinging pendulum itself, whereas IDENTITY-BEING-I is Awareness, the immovable, unchanging Center Light! **This Center-Peace is the very center-tranquility of Life, the Heart within.** We are ever the unchanging Awareness of Transcendent Wisdom. *Our understanding however is only theory until we stop making judgments and holding opinions and until we let go our identification as anything but the Center Light!*

Again, what is this Center Light? It is opinionless, motiveless, judgeless, desireless Awareness. It is the same consciousness that comprehends these words, *uncover* of that nothing-identity that says, "This is good and that is bad." It is this Consciousness-of-Being, here and now, simply being conscious of being without condemning everything on the face of the earth, without having judgmental opinions of this or that, without desire to acquire or get rid of, without motives for every action. *As the scriptures says: "Judge not and you will not be judged" because the judgments you give are the judgment you will receive. When you cease making judgments, you will know that it will be "the last judgment". It is literally your last condemnation of the things you have seen and have heard and of "feelings" you have felt. In the scriptures, the "last judgment" is about judgment of yourself after death, when you will meet God face to face, and will be asked "what have you done to the least of your neighbor"*.

In other words the activity of God, the Transcendent Awareness comes alive in us and as it takes over: we are no longer good and we are no longer bad; we are no longer sick or well. We are at a stage which transcends the pairs of opposites. In spiritual wisdom there is no pair of opposites. "God is" and therefore there is no concern as to whether or not we can reach God, because there is nothing for which we need to reach God as the God-Self is our true being and our true identity.

CONTRADISTINCTION AND APPEARANCE

Contradistinction is a means by which **Singleness** is tangibly known. This new ability to perceive distinctions (arriving as the natural consequence of subduing judgmental living) is often viewed as a judgmental action by others. The ability to distinguish increases as judgement ends. New sights we have been unconscious of before; new sounds we have never been consciously heard before; feelings we long since thought have vanished with the years, but more we find an ever growing ability to distinguish new things in areas not recognised as containing new things. An intuitive alertness of a new kind develops.

The principle of contradistinction is the comprehension of why the appearance of things, material or intangible defies the comprehension by the thinking intellectual man. The hem of this holy principle can be touched only by those who are willing to let go their personal sense of identification and by those who surrender all within their thoughts and action that refuses to grant the Allness, Isness, Deity, Light, Love and Truth.

Infinite awareness is not limited. The infinity of wisdom includes the perception of form and a positive knowledge of what “matter” is. The form of the “tree” is made apparent (tangible) by Wisdom’s knowledge that a tree is not a meadow, is not a hillside, is not the sky or any other form but THAT form. Wisdom knows that the tangible “hand” is not a tangible “foot”. The personal attachment of values to forms and the contradistinction makes them tangible; “This is good, that is bad, I want, I don’t want; I like, I hate; good and evil; real and unreal”. These are the chains that appear to bind: These are the chains that expanding awareness discerns by the uncomfortable contradistinctions that make them apparent.

CONCLUSION

Awareness is the activity of Mind. God is Mind; consequently there is but one Mind for this Awareness-I-am to be the function of: the Divine Mind, the only Mind, God's Mind. I am this function itself, not a personality who possesses it. I am God's Awareness! There is nothing I must come to understand in order to be what I am already!

Awareness-consciousness-is God’s Self-perception in action, not the personal tool of an ego. Awareness, consciousness and Life are synonymous terms. Awareness is the action of God, the activity of Mind, the Life that God is. The very Life reading these words is the Life that God IS, Reality IS, Isness IS, we are pointing out the Light which reveals that Life is “GOD”, closer than fingers and toes, closer than breathing. A single, divine, all-inclusive awareness is who and what we are already. *As Life is God, our breathing is our Life.*

Awareness is the *action* of God, but not God. Someone has written (even as WS did in times past), "I am ALL in all." While this concept did its work for a time, **now we see a new pronouncement which states "The All is I! The ALL is I! The All is all I am!"—but never am I the all!**

Like a child, Awareness is simply being what Perfection is, in the process of tenderly and effortlessly being aware of Itself. Like a child. Awareness is motiveless living in the Now of Eternity—without regard, without regret, unblemished, pristine, pure, trusting, confident and happy beyond measure. Like a child. Awareness is Tranquility being This-I-am, forever! *As the Scripture says: You should be like little children again before you can enter the Kingdom of God, because like a child is opinionless, motiveless, judgeless and desireless. The very moment one turns to the Heart within, acknowledging Deific Truth itself to be Christ, one has experience the Kingdom of God.*