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Christ said: “If those who lead you say to you, ‘See, the kingdom is in the sky,’ then the birds of the sky will precede you. If they say to you, ‘It is in the sea,’ then the fish will precede you. Rather, the kingdom is inside of you, and it is outside of you. When you come to know yourselves, then you will become known, and you will realize that it is you who are the sons of the living Father. But if you will not know yourselves, you dwell in poverty and it is you who are that poverty.” — *The Gospel of Thomas*

What an absolute joy it is to work on a story like this one.

Why? Because this story is uplifting and satisfying, and based on positive energy. It is a break from the “heavy” subject material that often constitutes my interviews.

I initially became aware of the Ishaya monks as a result of

(Please see A Talk With The Ishaya Monks, p.20)

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Happy First Anniversary!

To All Of YOU Who Have Helped

The SPECTRUM

Achieve This Important Milestone

A round of applause and congratulations is in order as we arrive at this one-year milestone for The SPECTRUM newspaper. You who have helped us get to this point—through so many avenues, from financial support, to spreading "the word" about this paper to others, to blessing us with the most wonderful notes and calls of encouragement—deserve kudos as least as much as we do.

At the beginning of my introductory remarks for the Premier Issue of June 1, 1999, I stated: "Our path of coming to life has been quite a bumpy one, and our birthing pains a bit arduous, but here we are—finally!"

That was, of course, an understatement of the actual nasty events which conspired to try to keep us from coming to life. And the dark energies have not let up their harassment one bit as we proceeded down the road of this past year. Commander Hatonn has some interesting things to say about this subject in an unexpected "anniversary" message for this issue of The SPECTRUM.

Somehow, twelve months and twelve papers later, we continue to grow in popularity and (according to your notes and calls) quality of journalistic presentation. For example, in response to our Front Page story last month on the "Black" Pope and that missing link in the conspiracy puzzle, a thankful Ms. F.S. of Pacifica CA expressed in a brief note what many, many of you also conveyed to us:

"This is the best issue yet and I didn't think it could get any better!"

"I've looked for many years for the man at the top—am so happy to find out! I've found the Masons, Bilderbergers, Trilateral Commission, etc., but I knew there was someone else and I could never figure out why they hit Christians so hard—now I know! No wonder we get paranoid!"

"Thanks to you all, F.S."

Then there was the kind of P.S. that I mentioned earlier is part of what has helped us to grow and become better known with each passing month:

"Please send my son a copy. Thanks."

And then there was another P.S. which brings home a most important point we encounter frequently from you who are senior enough citizens to have caught a whiff of some of the shenanigans pulled by the dark, so-called "elite" controllers of this planet back in the days before the media and other sources of

information were so well controlled:

"I recall hearing about a 'Black' Pope about 60-65 years ago, but all they knew was that there were two Popes. So I forgot about it. Maybe that's why some people were anti-Catholic—they couldn't distinguish all the fine points!"

The above kind of astute "connecting the dots" is what The SPECTRUM is all about and certainly what gives us a thrill and encourages us to continue bringing forth The Truth as such is caused to cross our path to share with you.

Speaking of which, it may come as a shock to many of you (it certainly aged me a bit) that we came very, very close—one afternoon a few weeks ago—to having to send you, rather than this paper this month, a one-page letter saying something along the lines of "there will be no newspaper until further notice". It happened that a primary funding source could no longer help us and, were it not for another angel who stepped forward with typical quiet grace, we would be dead in the water now.

That's how much we depend on your help. That's how close we come, every month, to not being able to bring you the kind of features that prompted the wonderful note from F.S. above.

As Commander Hatonn also mentions in his "anniversary" message, some of you who might otherwise help us financially remain in a state of withdrawal from having been "stung" in the past. Only YOU can recognize and overcome that fear reaction, though our article this month on the Dave Overton/Phoenix Institute/"Pot O'Gold" case may provide some frequently-asked-for insights concerning the sordid matters which caused this newspaper to come into existence in the first place.

We intend to keep on track as long as there is "fuel in the tank" with which to keep the machinery running. And we are truly grateful for the help of all kinds that has allowed us to reach this First Anniversary milestone.

As you look out with discernment upon the events happening all around us, it is becoming more and more clear that, in this time of the Great Awakening, the walls of lies and deceit are crumbling faster than the dark ones can fix the growing leaks. Our articles herein on Sai Baba and "chemtrails" are just two examples of what's happening with greater and greater frequency. Things are SURE getting interesting!

— Dr. Edwin M. Young, Editor-In-Chief

The News Desk

6/1/00 DR. AL OVERHOLT

FORGOTTEN FACTS

From a reader and supporter, 5/16/00: [quoting]

Here's an interesting long lost fact:

Back in 1969, a group of Black Panthers decided that a fellow Black, named Alex Rackley, needed to die. Rackley was a fellow Panther suspected of disloyalty. Rackley was first tied to a chair. Once safely immobilized his "friends" tortured him for hours by, among other things, pouring boiling water on him.

When they got tired of torturing Rackley, Black Panther member Warren Kimbo took Mr. Rackley outside and put a bullet in his head.

Rackley's body was later found floating in a river about 25 miles north of New Haven, Conn.

Perhaps at this point you're curious as to what happened to these Black Panthers. In 1977, that's only eight years later, only one of the killers was still in jail. The shooter, Warren Kimbro, managed to get a scholarship to Harvard. He later became an assistant dean at Eastern Connecticut State College.

Isn't that something? As a '60s radical you can pump a bullet into someone's head, and a few years later, in the same state, you can become an assistant college dean! Only in America! [Sorry, but this goes on all over the world!]

Erica Huggins was the lady who served the Panthers by boiling the water for Mr. Rackley's torture. Some years later she was elected to a California School Board.

How in the world do you think these killers got off so easy? Maybe it was in some part due to the efforts of two people who came to the defense of the Panthers.

These two people actually went so far as to shut down Yale University with demonstrations in defense of the accused Black Panthers during their trial.

One of these people was none other than Bill Lan Lee. Mr. Lee, or Mr. Lan Lee, as the case may be, isn't a college dean. He isn't a member of a California school board. He is now head of the U.S. Justice Department's Civil Rights Division.

Ok, so who was the other Panther defender? Is this other notable Panther defender now a school board member?

Is this other Panther apologist now an assistant college dean?

No, neither!

The other Panther defender was, like Lee, a radical law student at Yale University at the time. She is now known as the "smartest

woman in the world".

She is none other than the unofficial [now official] Democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate from the State of New York—our lovely First Lady, the incredible Hillary Rodham Clinton.

Pass this on.

HAVE A GOOD DAY! [End quoting]

As most of our readers already know, the so-called elite who rule this world from behind the scenes are almost all criminals of one kind or another, as are most of the puppets they place into important positions, and should be in prisons. Meanwhile, many of the ones who are in prisons are whistle blowers, etc., who have tried to do the right thing but were not aware of just who they were up against.

FOURTH AMENDMENT

SNEAK ATTACK!

RENO'S OUTRAGEOUS "SECRET SEARCHES" MEASURE

From the INTERNET, <illusions@beyond-the-illusion.com>, 5/21/00: [quoting]

The Reno Department of Justice is very good at being sneaky. The DOJ's lobbyists are on the verge of successfully sneaking into law a provision which will authorize federal agents to stealthily enter people's homes, search the homes, and not tell anyone.

The Secret Searches measure is so outrageous that it would have no chance of being enacted as a bill on its own, when subjected to public scrutiny and debate. So instead, the DOJ has nestled the Secret Search item deep inside a long bill dealing with methamphetamines. The measure is further disguised with the innocuous title of "Notice Clarification".

Subject to virtually no public discussion, the Secret Searches item has already passed the Senate, hidden inside the methamphetamine giant S.486. Next week, the House Judiciary Committee will take up H.R. 2987, the House version of the Senate bill, which also contains the buried clause on Secret Searches (section 301). The federal bankruptcy

reform bill (which has passed both houses, and is currently in a conference committee) likewise has the hidden Secret Searches language.

If the Secret Searches provision became law, it would apply to all searches conducted by the federal government, not just searches involving methamphetamines or bankruptcy.

When conducting searches, federal agents are currently required to announce their presence before entering, and to provide an inventory of any items they take. Because the person whose home or business is being searched knows about the search, he can exercise his *Fourth Amendment* rights, and make sure that the police have a properly-issued search warrant. He can also see if the search is being conducted according to the warrant's terms, i.e., the police are searching only for items authorized by the warrant, they are searching the right address, etc.

But under a Secret Searches law, federal police could enter a person's home surreptitiously, conduct a search, and not tell the homeowner until months later.

Even months later, the police would not have to provide an inventory of "intangible" items which were taken in a search. So if the police entered your home secretly, and photocopied your diary or made a copy of your computer hard disk, they would never have to inform you of their actions.

Should the Secret Searches item be deleted from the methamphetamine and bankruptcy bills, it is likely that Clinton will try to sneak the item into a gigantic budget bill, during the Congressional Republicans' annual fall appropriations surrender. Take note: In a previous Congress, Clinton was able to obtain authority for warrantless wiretaps, which had been defeated after public debate earlier in the year, by hiding the authority in the year's omnibus budget bill. [End quoting]

Are we going to let them get away with this while we are entertained by sports, TV, etc.?



ARE WE FIDDLING WHILE ROME BURNS?

WAS ELIAN'S FREEDOM FLIGHT STAGED?

From *RUMOR MILL NEWS (RUMILLS)*, (<http://www.rumormillnews.com>), 5/25/00: [quoting]

On January 7, 2000, a *Rumor Mill News* source stated: "that a joint operation between Cuba and the United States arranged for the small group of Cuban refugees to make an attempt to reach the United States in a small boat.

"Once the boat was near shipping and fishing areas, it was sabotaged. Elian was the only survivor."

The anonymous source stated that Elian had NOT been in the water for two days.

The following article from the *Miami Herald* seems to confirm our source's information. If Elian's "rescue" was a staged event, then there are many questions that need to be answered.

Where is Elian's mother and her boyfriend?

Are they dead—i.e., were they murdered to create "The Elian Crisis"?

Are they in prison in Cuba? Was Elian's father right when he told Elian that his mother was alive and back in Cuba?

Who are these other two survivors? Are they Cuban agents or American agents?

Why did Donato Dalrymple go fishing with his cousin on that eventful day?

Like many low-level CIA agents from the cold war days, Dalrymple has a Russian wife. (Remember Marina Oswald?) Is Dalrymple an agent—and if so, which government does he work for? Russia, the United States, or Cuba?

Rumor Mill News still has its agents out gathering more information on this. As it comes in, we will pass it on. Meanwhile, consider the following:

ACCOUNTS OF SURVIVORS IN ELIAN SAGA DISPUTED

By Alfonso Chardy,
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SAGA OF ELIAN

<<http://www.herald.com/content/archive/news/rafters99/docs2/029395.htm>>

A doctor who examined Elian Gonzalez shortly after he was rescued on Thanksgiving Day told immigration authorities the boy probably had been in the water less than 24 hours, newly released U.S. Coast Guard records show.

The records, and interviews based on them, also cast doubt on the commonly told story of how the two adult survivors of the rafter tragedy came ashore.

A man listed in the documents as a witness told *The Herald* on Tuesday that he found

Arianne Horta and Nivaldo Fernandez several miles out to sea and brought them to Crandon Park Marina so they would not be returned to Cuba.

The two survivors have insisted that they swam to shore by themselves, a story Horta repeated again this week.

The records, released to *The Herald* in response to a request filed under the federal Freedom of Information Act, are unlikely to change the basic legal issues in the court battle over whether Elian Gonzalez is entitled to a political asylum hearing.

But they show that six months after Elian was plucked from the sea, there is still much that is not known for sure about the sinking of the boat that carried Elian, his mother, and 12 other people on an ill-fated journey to the United States.

Resolving those discrepancies could prove difficult. Only Horta, Fernandez and Elian, who was then 5 years old, survived the sinking, and the documents suggest that Horta and Fernandez have changed some of the details of their account since they were first interviewed by U.S. authorities.

But Coast Guard officials also were cautious about the accuracy of information contained in the phone and radio logs provided to *The Herald*.

"Many times, the information in the logs is hearsay" said a Coast Guard spokeswoman who asked that her name not be published.

According to the most oft-repeated version of the events, the boat in which Elian, his mother Horta, 22, and her boyfriend Fernandez, 33, were traveling capsized late at night Monday, Nov. 22. That would mean that Elian, Horta, and Fernandez spent more than 50 hours in the water before being rescued on the morning of Nov. 25, Thanksgiving Day.

There is little doubt that the boat left Cuba Nov. 22. Cuban authorities telexed the U.S. Coast Guard that day reporting that a badly overloaded boat had left for the United States. And a phone bill shows that Elian's grandfather, Juan Gonzalez Hernandez, placed a collect call to his sister in Miami, Georgina Cid, at 9:01 p.m. that day, to report that Elian and his mother were on their way to Miami.

But it is less clear what happened between that time and 6:25 a.m. Thanksgiving Day—the time listed on a Miami-Dade police report taken on the discovery at Crandon Park Marina of Horta and Fernandez. Elian was located about two hours later off Fort Lauderdale.

In an interview Tuesday, Horta repeated her version of events that she, Fernandez, and Elian were in the water from around 10 p.m. Monday Nov. 22 until their discovery Nov. 25.

"I remember distinctly that we went into the water Nov. 22 because it was my birthday" Horta said. "I spent my birthday in the water."

A Coast Guard log entry at noon, Nov. 25,

however, contradicts Horta. It says the boat capsized "early morning Tuesday."

DEEP SUSPICION

Another Coast Guard log entry written at 6:52 p.m. Nov. 25 reflects deep Border Patrol suspicion that the survivors could have been in the water since Monday night. It quotes an unidentified Border Patrol agent as saying it was "not believable that a 5-year-old survived on a raft for 3 days".

Yet, the same log entry notes that "Miami medical personnel" had indicated to the Border Patrol that Horta and Fernandez "look like they could have been out there for that long".

Another entry, this from Nov. 26, the day after the rescues, claims that a doctor had said the boy had been in the water much less time than the commonly believed version would suggest.

"Doctor said the boy wasn't in the water 24 hrs" the entry says. The notation was made by an unidentified Coast Guard mission coordinator.

The coordinator obtained the information from a U.S. Border Patrol officer who—in turn—was relaying the gist of a conversation with one of the doctors who treated Elian at Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital in Hollywood.

The Coast Guard said this week that it did not have the name of the doctor. A spokeswoman for the hospital, Lauri Brunelli, declined to comment, citing patient confidentiality.

Inconsistencies about the timing of the capsizing are compounded by differing versions of how Horta and Fernandez reached shore.

Horta, in a story *The Herald* published Nov. 28, was quoted as saying she and Fernandez were rescued by a passing boat. But in a later story, published Dec. 13, Horta left the impression she and Fernandez swam to shore—a version Horta repeated Tuesday, saying that she and Fernandez made the swim after seeing the lights of Key Biscayne.

WITNESS NAMED

But a previously unreleased police report gave the name of a witness, Reniel Carminate, who when contacted by *The Herald* on Tuesday, gave two accounts of how Horta and Fernandez were rescued, both of which differed from Horta's version.

In the first, Carminate said that he and other people pulled Horta and Fernandez from an inner tube as it floated in the water near Crandon Park Marina on the west side of the Rickenbacker Causeway near Key Biscayne.

But when told that Horta claimed that she and Fernandez had swam to shore, Carminate changed his story.

"I guess I'll have to tell you what really happened" he said. "The real story is that we

found them several miles off Key Biscayne.”

Carmenate said he took Horta and Fernandez to shore before calling authorities so the couple would not be automatically returned to Cuba. Cuban migrants intercepted at sea are generally repatriated, while those who reach shore usually stay.

Carmenate said he was aware of the policy because he had been a “rafter” himself. Carmenate said he arrived from Cuba by boat two years ago.

Told of Carmenate’s version, Horta insisted Wednesday that she and Fernandez swam to shore by themselves and that she had never met Carmenate. Fernandez could not be reached for comment.

But there is little doubt that Carmenate was one of the sources of the first reports to authorities about Horta and Fernandez. His name is listed in a Miami-Dade police account of the incident, and a Coast Guard log entry notes that a Border Patrol agent believed that the fishermen who found Horta and Fernandez somehow were involved.

RUMOR MILL NEWS AGENCY, P.O. BOX 1784, APTOS, CA 95001, TEL/FAX: 831-462-3949. [End quoting]

Anything the government is involved so heavily within can’t be as simple as the media try to make it out to be. This may or may not be true, but it sure gives a lot to think about—shades of the movie *Wag The Dog*.

GENE-ALTERED FOOD CLEARS
FDA HURDLE

From ASSOCIATED PRESS, 5/12/00: [quoting]

Food labels will **NOT** have to disclose whether **ANY** ingredients are genetically engineered, the Clinton administration decided Wednesday.

“The scientific evidence does not show that these products are any different from a health

and safety standpoint” said Joe Levitt, director of the Food and Drug Administration’s Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition.

Instead, the administration adopted a series of industry-backed steps intended to assure the public that genetically engineered plants and animals are safe to eat.

Critics of the industry say there isn’t enough knowledge about possible allergic reactions to the food or potential harm to the environment, and they have demanded both a labeling requirement and tougher testing standards for biotech food.

The administration’s plan would formalize the FDA’s review process for new biotech crops and set labeling standards restricting the claims made for biotech-free foods.

Biotech companies will be required to turn over their research data and to notify the FDA at least four months in advance of releasing new genetically engineered ingredients for animal-feeding products or food directly consumed by humans. [End quoting]

It looks like we’re going to have to really speak **LOUD AND CLEAR** to our representatives in Congress if we are going to persuade them to allow us to have just plain unadulterated food to eat. If we don’t, we can only expect much harsher poisoning with no way to tell.

STUDY SAYS CHEMO DULLS
THE INTELLECT

From THE DAILY NEWS, Los Angeles, for 3/29/00: [quoting]

Ordinary doses of chemotherapy sometimes appear to permanently dull survivors’ intellectual powers, leaving them with poor memories, muddled thinking, and inability to do math in their heads, new research suggests. Cancer patients often complain of “chemobrain” or “woolly-headedness” during treatment. While they are typically reassured this will go

away, little attempt has been made until now to see if these subtle problems linger years later. The new study, conducted at Dartmouth Medical School, found that people who get standard chemotherapy appear to be about twice as likely as other cancer patients to score poorly on various intelligence tests an average of 10 years after their treatment. [End quoting]

It does far more than deaden the brain. Why do you think, along with radiation, it’s the dark, so-called elites’ favorite treatment for one of the biggest killers?

Remember the game plan is to get your money and then kill most of the world’s population. The way to accomplish this is to get you sick and let you die slowly. Then they get your money, and you don’t even suspect, much less blame them.

Meanwhile, many legitimate cancer cures have been around for most of a century, yet these are mostly not among the choices you are allowed by the medical police out to “protect” you, through suppression, unless you go to Mexico or elsewhere.

The FDA is now also trying to outlaw any practitioner of natural help for getting well. This is being acted upon at the present time, and if we don’t speak up very soon, it will be too late!

HUGE ICEBERGS ADRIFT
FROM ANTARCTICA

From THE DAILY NEWS, Los Angeles, for 5/11/00: [quoting]

Three giant icebergs have broken off the Ronne Ice Shelf in Antarctica and are adrift, the National Ice Center reported Wednesday.

Iceberg A-43 was detected by satellite on May 5, having broken free on May 4.

Iceberg A-44 broke loose May 6, at about the same time A-43 broke in half to form A-43A and A-43B.

The center said A-43A measures 107 miles by 21 miles; A-43B is 53 miles by 23, and A-44 is 41 by 20 miles.

When an iceberg is first sighted, the National Center in Suitland, MD, documents its point of origin and assigns a letter, dividing Antarctica into quadrants. For example, A-44 is the 44th iceberg the ice center has found in quadrant A, which is the area due south of South America.

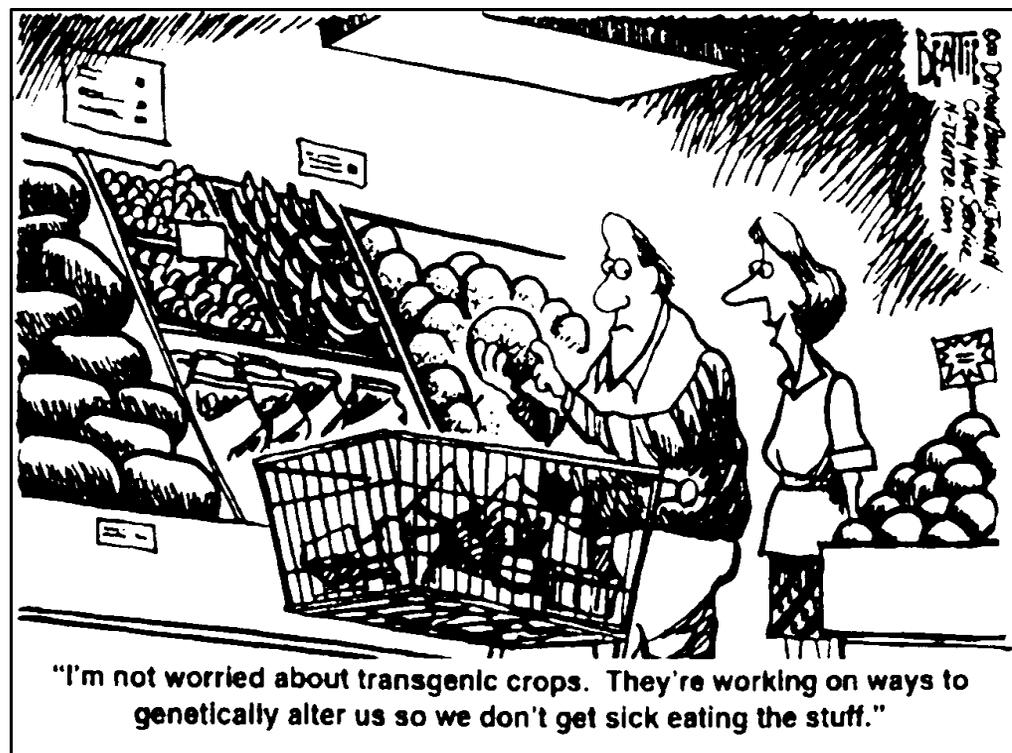
The ice center is a joint activity of the Navy, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, and the Coast Guard. [End quoting]

If this isn’t enough to wake us up to radical changes in climate and weather, then the storm in Liberty, Texas the night of May 19 should do the job. They had 18.5 inches of rain in—believe it or not—5 hours, between 9 p.m. and 2 a.m. Saturday morning! That is an average of 3.7 inches per hour for 5 hours straight!

Another article I read said that certain parts of Australia had 10-15 times the normal rainfall for the first 3 months of this year.

The weather patterns are shifting drastically and, along with other indicators, suggest that severe Earth changes are soon upon us.

Also remember that the normal media prostitutes are usually instructed to play down these kinds of storms and, with only passing



attention, don't even consider them "newsworthy"—while keeping your attention focused on "important" matters like the latest fashions.

People have made fun of those who prepared themselves for emergencies, and yet the news today is stating that many thousands of people along the East Coast of the U.S. are without power for many hours from a severe storm. The power industry is warning there will probably be many areas of the country that will have blackouts this summer because of lack of sufficient power and distribution. So just who is so stupid and paranoid to have emergency supplies handy?

TOO MANY CONTRADICTIONS FOR THOSE WITH EYES TO SEE

From *THE IDAHO OBSERVER*, 5/10/00: [quoting]

If what is heard is true, then our economy is the greatest in history. Why then are so many new programs being created for the poor? A contradiction.

If the unemployment percentage or figure is the lowest in history, why then are the homeless numbers not dropping, but increasing? A contradiction.

If the wages and salaries are the highest ever, then why is the poverty level not decreasing? A contradiction.

If the states and federal government all have the largest surpluses in history, then why is the extra money not being returned to the rightful owners of those funds, the people, and the tax rates lowered? A contradiction.

A government rule, regulation, or law covers every single facet or phase of our lives. If our premise in this country is freedom and liberty, why then do we have less of those two rights than we had yesterday? A contradiction.

If George Orwell's 1984 book is a fictional account of what he foresaw for the future, why then do we have "secret witness" and "inform on your neighbor" programs? A contradiction.

If our government is honest as it proclaims itself to be, why then are these questions being asked?

The truth is absolute and cannot be changed or denied. — Ronn Jackson, Canton, South Dakota [End quoting]

Just carefully watching the evening news programs on our vidiot boxes can quickly add quite a few more items to the above list. Seems a lot like 1929 all over again, shortly before the Stock Market crash that October.

SUICIDE SEEDS ON THE FAST TRACK

From *STRATEGY*, Australia, Intl., 3/2000: [quoting]

Rural Advancement Foundation, 2/25/00
TERMINATOR 2 YEARS LATER:

SUICIDE SEEDS ON THE FAST TRACK

"We've continued right on with work on the Technology Protection System [Terminator]. We never really slowed down. We're on target, moving ahead to commercialize it. We never really backed off." — Harry Collins, Delta & Pine Land Seed Co., January, 2000

ISSUE: Despite mounting opposition from national governments and United Nations' agencies, work on Terminator and Traitor (genetic trait control) moves full speed ahead. After Monsanto and AstraZeneca publicly vowed not to commercialize suicide seeds in 1999, governments and civil society organizations were lulled into thinking that the crisis had passed.

Nothing could be further from the truth. Last year AstraZeneca conducted its first field trial on genetic trait control technology in the UK. According to industry sources, it is not the first company to conduct field tests. Can commercialization be far behind?

PLAYERS: Delta & Pine Land, the world's largest cotton seed company, proudly asserts that it is "moving ahead to commercialize" Terminator. Monsanto and AstraZeneca have each merged with other companies since they pledged not to commercialize suicide seeds. The Gene Giants collectively hold over 30 Terminator-type patents. Corporate commitments to disavow Terminator are short-lived and virtually meaningless in light of the eye-popping pace of corporate takeovers and makeovers. The United Nations' Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Director General Jacques Diouf has joined many governments in opposing Terminator. Despite massive public protest, the US Department of Agriculture (USDA) continues to defend and support anti-farmer, Terminator research.

IMPACT: Without government action to firmly reject Terminator and Traitor, these technologies will soon be available commercially, with potentially disastrous consequences for farmers, food security, and biodiversity.

Chemically dependent seeds are the goal of Traitor technology—will hold farmers and food security hostage to a handful of multinational enterprises.

National agricultural production could become wholly dependent upon foreign exports of critical chemical inducers. Entire countries could be forced to surrender national seed sovereignty and be held in biological bondage if governments decided to use the technology to enforce trade sanctions or resolve trade disputes. Could genetic trait control technology become a biological weapon used for agro-terrorism?

POLICY: The future of Terminator/Traitor Technology rests with national governments and multinational corporations. The pressure points for political action are, first and foremost,

with national governments around the world.

Second, pressure should be applied at key international forums such as the Convention on Biological Diversity, FAO, the World Trade Organization's Trade-Related Intellectual Property (WTO/TRIPs), at the upcoming Global Forum on Agricultural Research in Dresden, and at negotiations in Geneva to strengthen the Biological and Toxin Weapons Convention. RAFI's work in Year Three of the Terminator will be in these international areas.

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PLEASE USE ANY METHOD YOU CAN TO CONTACT YOUR POLITICIANS AND BUREAUCRATS TO LET THEM KNOW YOU WANT SOMETHING DONE TO REMEDY THIS SITUATION—IT IS ONLY YOUR LIFE AND COUNTRY THAT ARE AT STAKE!

HANDYMAN SAVES KNIFING VICTIM'S LIFE—BY SEALING HIS WOUND WITH SUPER GLUE!

From the INTERNET, <para-discuss@tje.net>, 5/10/00: [quoting]

Now this story is not too far fetched, I know of others that have super glued wounds.

Love & Light, Louise

I thought you might be interested in the following page, taken from WEEKLY WORLD NEWS Online.

To view the HTML version, just go to this URL: <<http://www.weeklyworldnews.com/stories/1894.html>>.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—Hero handyman Larry Vurtenbrad saved a stabbing victim from bleeding to death by sealing the wound with glue!

The quick-thinking jack-of-all-trades used the super-strong, super glue-type adhesive to close up the wound in 41-year-old Dave Cleardow's belly after a vicious mugger slashed the victim wide open.

"Had it not been for the swift and resourceful actions taken by Mr. Vurtenbrad, Mr. Cleardow would not be alive today" said an emergency room physician who treated the victim.

The incredible drama unfolded one night in early April as Vurtenbrad headed back to his truck, toolbox in hand, after spending 12 hours repairing the plumbing in an aging apartment building.

"I was dog-tired and just ready to plop into bed" he recalls.

But as he passed an alley, he heard groans of agony—and when he glanced down the dark passageway, he saw a man lying in a heap.

"He was moaning, 'Help me, I've been

stabbed'” said the 35-year-old handyman.

Vurtenbrad rushed to the victim's side and was horrified by what he saw. Not only was the trucker lying in a pool of blood, his abdomen had been slashed horizontally and his intestines were literally hanging out of his body. “I knelt next to him and kind of pushed his guts back in and squeezed the two flaps of flesh back together” the Good Samaritan says.

“I told him, ‘Take it easy, it's not as bad as it looks.’”

But Vurtenbrad knew the situation was grave. He told Cleardow to hold the flaps of skin together with his hands, then yelled to a passerby to call 911 while he looked for something to use as a bandage.

Desperately, he threw open his toolbox and reached in for his trusty duct tape.” When I saw that my last roll was empty, I thought we were out of luck” he recalls.

Then the handyman saw it: A tube of the industrial-strength glue, guaranteed to bond virtually any type of material instantly.

After telling the bleeding man to line up the two flaps properly, Vurtenbrad applied the glue liberally to the wound, pushed the flesh together, and prayed.

Within seconds, the bleeding stopped and the flaps were holding together on their own, as if stitched by a trained surgeon. About 21 minutes later, an ambulance showed up. But doctors admit that if it hadn't been for the glue, Cleardow would have died in the filthy alley.

Now recovered from his injury, Cleardow is grateful to his rescuer. “The robber came up behind me and I really thought I was going to die” he said. “But Larry Vurtenbrad saved my life. He's a hero.” [End quoting]

Hopefully this information may help to save other lives in an emergency situation.

OUR FOREFATHERS ON FIREARMS

From *THE KEYSTONE SENTINEL*, Vol. V, #4, 4/00: [quoting]

“Firearms stand next in importance to the *Constitution* itself. They are the American people's liberty teeth and keystone under independence. — George Washington

“Americans have the right and advantage of being armed, unlike the citizens of other countries whose governments are afraid to trust the people with arms.” — James Madison

“The strongest reason for the people to retain the right to keep and bear arms is, as last resort, to protect themselves **AGAINST TYRANNY IN GOVERNMENT**. [*emphasis mine*] — Thomas Jefferson [End quoting]

These quotes are included here as a reminder of the practical wisdom of our Founding Fathers in a very imperfect world. They knew all too well that it would only be a matter of time before the so-called elite, who

had already accomplished their stranglehold on Europe, would be seducing the political prostitutes in America into selling this country too. That goal has pretty much been achieved, while most of the public sleeps in front of their television sets. Is it any wonder that actor Charlton Heston and the National Rifle Association have endured such extreme harrassment. Go back and re-read Charlton Heston's outstanding Harvard speech called *Winning The Cultural War* in the January, 2000 issue of *The SPECTRUM*.

THE “MILLION MOM MARCH” FARCE (OR — HOW THE NWO DISARMS AMERICA: ACT II - SCENE 3)

From the INTERNET, <<http://sightings.com>>, 5/14/00: [quoting]

By Ken Adachi

First, let's review:

The Clintons are under direction of the Illuminati to do their part to effect the disarming of America. The script being followed is the same one the Illuminati used to effect the disarming of British and Australian citizens. The Clintons aren't necessarily involved in planning or strategy, since the Bilderbergers, the Tavistock Institute, and the Committee of 300, for example, attend to those details, but the Clintons are required to implement the agenda (at least until Gore or Bush becomes the next U.S. President, and then either one of those Illuminati puppets will continue the job).

Act I, remember, required a lot of young, innocent blood to be splattered across America's TV sets and newspaper headlines. So practically overnight it seems, we have high school shootings, elementary school shootings, preschool shootings, playground shootings, park shootings, fast-food restaurant shootings, bus stop shootings, church shootings, office building shootings, and post office shootings. (Did I leave anything out? Well, no matter, the Illuminati will eventually round out the list).

In most cases, expendable, mind-controlled individuals are used to perform the shooting sprees (along with unrecognized “helpers” as evidenced from Oklahoma City, Waco, and Columbine) with the dutiful cooperation of munchkins in TV Media Land providing the horrifying video. The purpose, of course, is to create a tidal wave of national (& emotional) opposition to guns and pass legislation to ban the ownership of all firearms. For the time being, they wish to call it “gun control”, but, in the end, the final goal is “gun banning”.

Why?

Well, when these deceptive little devils kick in their “national emergency(ies)” or “martial law” or “national crisis” scenarios, they will come-a-calling to you and I. The steel helmeted, flak jacketed, assault weaponed, armed individuals outside your front door will

want to come in and have a look around. They will tell you that Federal Law # blah, blah, blah (based on “LAWFUL Presidential Executive Orders”) requires them to confiscate all firearms, “excessive” food, radio equipment, and perhaps even YOU, under the rubric of “national security”.

Now, they wouldn't like it if you dissented TOO vigorously. It's OK if you just shout and yell and they have to carry you away in cuffs and ship you off to one of their “Detention Centers” dotted across the landscape. No problem. But they definitely don't want you to take out your .45 or Uzi and start SHOOTING AT THEM! Good Lord, NO! We can't have that!

Back to the play:

For starters, the organizers of this performance have said that there aren't REALLY going to be a MILLION moms protesting guns this Sunday. No, they've already stated publicly that it's more likely to be 150,000 people or so.

Huh?

Yeah, well, it boils down to image and spin doctoring. After all, 150K sounds so—well, pedestrian. You have to admit that a MILLION sounds a lot more impressive than a TENTH of a million and, to prove the point, look at Louis Farrakhan's 1995 “Million Man March” on Washington. How many people are aware that less than 250,000 people showed up for that? It's the image, man; it's the IMAGE that counts!

Ok, but will stay-at-home, cookie baking, soccer moms be the bulk of the marchers?

Well, not exactly.

That's what we're SUPPOSED to think, of course, but in reality this effort will be attended by organized (& well funded) anti-gun people. For instance, look at the leader of this Million Mom “grass roots movement”: Donna Dees-Thomases. She just happens to be the sister-in-law of Hillary Clinton's best friend. Gee, you can't get any more grassroots than that!

I particularly loved this quote from a story posted by CNN on May 11 about the “March”: “...sponsors of the demonstration emphasized that a small group of moms are responsible for the event.

“Dees-Thomases said Thursday that many of the planners ‘never organized anything more complicated than a car pool’.”

Yeah. Right.

Thankfully, Americans aren't as stupid as the Illuminati assumes they are and they are seeing through Messrs. Reno's and Clinton's subterfuge with growing clarity. God Bless those 5 Texas women who started the *Second Amendment Sisters* <<http://www.sas-aim.org/>>.

Let's just hope there are enough politicians left in Congress who are ALSO interested in preserving our liberties.

<Educate-Yourself.org> [End quoting]

Remember that we here at *The SPECTRUM*

do not advocate guns. However, the fact that the law is on the books and they know some people will have them, is a very big deterrent to all kinds of criminals—including, most especially, the ones of the elite and government. History has proven, over and over again, that once you outlaw guns, the criminals in high places become fearless and the people become nearly powerless to stop their enslavement.

HOW TO SURVIVE A HEART ATTACK WHEN YOU ARE ALONE GIVE YOURSELF CPR

From A READER, 5/1/00: [quoting]

Many people are alone when they suffer a heart attack.

Without help, a person whose heart stops beating properly begins to feel faint and has about 10 seconds left before losing consciousness. However, these victims can help themselves by coughing repeatedly and very vigorously. A deep breath should be taken before each cough, and the cough must be deep and prolonged, as when producing sputum from deep inside the chest.

A breath and a cough must be repeated about every two seconds without let-up until help arrives, or until the heart is felt to be beating normally again.

Deep breaths get oxygen into the lungs and coughing movements squeeze the heart and keep the blood circulating. The squeezing pressure on the heart also helps it regain normal rhythm. In this way, heart attack victims can get to a phone and, between breaths, call for help. You'll be giving yourself CPR with this technique. [End quoting]

Tell as many people as possible about this, it could save a life.

THE LAW OF DIMINISHING RETURNS?

From "Politically Incorrect", by Dr. Richard Schulze, a column in his *GET WELL* newsletter for May 2000: [quoting]

The United States lost again for the country with the longest life expectancy, and Japan won again. We didn't even make it into the top ten, not even close. Numerous countries all over the world have longer life spans and are outliving us, like Greece, Spain, Israel, Sweden, Holland, even Iceland; the list is long. We did make the top ten on something though: countries that spend the most on medical care. We rank #1 in the world! Interestingly enough, none of the countries listed above, where people lived the longest, were in the top ten of money spent on medical care.

This proves without a doubt that medicine is definitely a case of the more you spend, the less you get.

JUST SAY NO TO DRUGS!

Our kids don't stand a chance anymore. No, not from the pushers who lurk in the alleys around schoolyards, but from the pushers inside the schools—the school nurses. Yes, in thousands of schools all across America nurses are pushing drug carts from classroom to classroom with paper cups filled with pills, just like in the hospital, to medicate our supposedly misbehaving children.

In my clinic, hundreds of my patient's children were sent by their teachers to medical doctors to put them on powerful psychiatric and mood-altering drugs.

I would read the teachers' reports of the children's horrendous crimes of *daydreaming, having a vivid imagination, touching the other kids, singing, laughing, wiggling, doodling, hugging too much, having too much fun and even praying.*

Have you ever noticed these are all the same great traits we adults are now paying our good money to take classes in, trying to re-learn. Now, in the new millennium, Fortune 500 companies are sending their top executives on vision quests and self expression seminars, in hopes to undo their frozen, unimaginative minds, to develop new innovative products and new ways of doing business, while at the same time their kids are having their imagination drugged out of them in school.

This is insane.

For most of us, the school system destroyed our sense of freedom, imagination, spontaneity, love, and laughter, and filled us with fear, anxiety, insecurity, and self doubt. It turned us into a race of followers who don't dare to color outside of the lines, rarely disagree with anyone, never question authority, follow the status quo, follow the rules, and behave like good little boys and girls.

In my day, they just scared, intimidated, threatened, and occasionally beat us into submission. But today, powerful chemical mind-zapping drugs are being used by dysfunctional school systems and bad, lazy teachers in overcrowded classrooms to get all the kids to come to attention, line up, shut up, do as you're told, and learn.

I have taught for over 20 years, all over the world, and call me old fashioned, but I always thought the best way to get a student's attention was to be personally excited, passionate, and involved in the subject, and figure out ways to get the students excited, having fun, and involved too.

Check it out for yourself, almost every murdering kid, from the Columbine High School murderers, to the numerous other school shootings, to even that boy who raped, sodomized, and then drowned that little girl face-first in the toilet of a Nevada casino, was on mood-altering, medical-doctor-prescribed, teacher-requested, pharmaceutical drugs. The press is too damn scared to talk about this one,

I think because so many adults today are on Prozac, other antidepressants, and mood-altering drugs, and hundreds of thousands of our kids are on them too.

The problem is of such magnitude that it scares the hell out of people, so we pretend it doesn't exist. The only solution would be for people to take responsibility for themselves and their families—and God only knows we are all too busy to do that.

Ritalin and other drugs of this nature are known to backfire when the kid is *agitated* and pushed too far, and have been proven to cause abnormal behavior all the way to frank psychotic episodes (disturbances of such magnitude that there is personality disintegration and loss of contact with reality.

I would say that our kids who are assaulting, sodomizing, raping, and murdering their classmates, have definitely had personality disintegration and lost contact with reality. Some don't even remember what they did when they are taken off the drugs.

A dear friend of mine told me last week that their wonderful kid was just prescribed Ritalin because the teacher said they looked at the classroom door and lost their attention when another kid walked through it; they were distracted. I said: thank God the kid was alert, since nowadays that classmate coming through the door could be some pharmaceutical-drug doped-up, suicidal zombie with a pipe bomb.

Prozac is now a commonly prescribed drug for 2- and 3-year-old children who medical doctors, day care workers, and nursery school teachers believe need to be psychologically *altered*.

"We are all born geniuses, and some of us get less damaged than others as we grow up."

[End quoting]

Readers of *The SPECTRUM* should be quite familiar with Dr. Schulze, who has been frequently under attack by the medical police for promoting wellness with too much success for their liking, and for a very long time. Go back to the December 1999 issue of *The SPECTRUM* for a wonderful wellness prescription from Dr. Schulze. And while we're on the subject:

YOUR LIVER: IS IT YOUR FIRST LINE OF DEFENSE OR JUST A TOXIC DUMPSITE?

From *GET WELL*, Dr. Richard Schulze's newsletter, May 2000: [quoting]

"You can heal yourself of ANYTHING. ANY disease. ANY illness. Your body knows exactly how to create perfect health and heal you. All you have to do is STOP doing what you did to make yourself sick and START doing what will assist your body in healing itself. Then the Miracle happens. Tomorrow is what you believe and do today."

— Dr. Richard Schulze

Your liver is the LARGEST organ in your body.

It is your BLOOD CLEANING FILTER.

It PROTECTS you by CLEANING your blood of toxic chemicals and poisons that are in your food, water, and air. Modern living and our modern diet, the "Good Life", OVERLOADS your Liver.

It gets CONGESTED with thick, muddy, toxic SLUDGE that concentrates and ends up filling your gallbladder with hundreds of STONES and ROCKS. Imagine if you drove your car for 50 or 60 years and never, ever changed the oil or air filters.

Why is the liver so important? IT KEEPS YOU ALIVE!

Both the #1 and #2 causes of death are directly linked to the liver. The #1 cause of death is heart attacks and stroke caused by cholesterol blocking either coronary or cerebral arteries kill the heart and the brain. IT'S THE LIVER'S JOB TO FILTER THIS CHOLESTEROL OUT OF YOUR BLOOD.

The #2 cause of death is cancer. Everyone now agrees that almost all cancers are caused by toxic carcinogenic chemicals in our food, water, and air. These poisons get into our bloodstream, kill our cells, create tumors, cause cancer and kill us. IT'S THE LIVER'S JOB TO ELIMINATE THESE POISONS FROM OUR BLOOD.

No one ever just gets sick. Disease doesn't just happen, it is created. And often diseases are created by a sick, weak, overloaded liver.

As your liver congests, it can't do its filtering job. As it begins to back up, you get a SLOW TRICKLE OF POISONOUS, TOXIC WASTE entering your blood. This can go on for years, causing all sorts of chronic aches, pains, and illnesses. Eventually, when it fails, you get a TOXIC TIDAL WAVE OF POISON, and now you're in deep trouble. Most experts agree, from constipation and cataracts, to even cancer, many diseases start first with a sick, constipated liver.

Viral Hepatitis (liver inflammation) has reached epidemic proportions.

As if Viral Hepatitis A and B weren't bad enough, Hepatitis C has now infected MILLIONS of Americans, about 1 person out of every 50. There are now 6 different types of Viral Hepatitis and "C" is the #1 cause of liver transplants.

500,000 people this year will have their impacted Gallbladders carved out of their belly. Some will die; the rest will have impaired liver function and bad digestion for the rest of their life.

The key word inside the word liver is LIVE!

NATURAL HEALING PUBLICATIONS.
1-877-TEACH-ME (832-2463) <<http://www.naturalhealingpub.com>>. [End quoting]

Again, Dr. Schulze has saved many, many

people's lives who were given up for dead by the mainstream medical profession. He is certainly a threat to them and a good friend to us!

BASIC FACTS TO KNOW ABOUT VACCINATIONS!

From *THE VacLib LETTER*, Spring 2000: [quoting]

Vaccination Liberation, North Idaho Chapter 1-208-765-8421

1. Vaccines are toxic.

Vaccines contain substances poisonous to humans (i.e. mercury, formaldehyde, aluminum, etc.). Vaccine package inserts contain this and other information required by law to be disclosed to the public. Although these inserts are produced for consumers, doctors do not make them available to their patients.

Vaccines are grown on, and contain, foreign tissue and altered genetic material of both human and animal origin.

2. Immunization (the act of injecting vaccines) depresses and disables brain and immune function. Honest, unbiased scientific investigation has shown vaccinations to be a causative factor in many illnesses including:

- Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (aka SIDS, crib or cot death);
- developmental disorders (autism, seizures, mental retardation, hyperactivity, dyslexia, etc.);
- immune deficiency (i.e. AIDS, Epstein-Barre Syndrome, etc.);
- degenerative diseases (i.e. muscular dystrophy, multiple sclerosis, arthritis, cancer, leukemia, lupus, etc.)

3. The high rate of adverse vaccine reactions is being ignored and denied by conventional medicine.

Prior to 1990, doctors were not legally required to report adverse reactions to the Centers for Disease Control (CDC).

Adverse reactions are considered "normal", are ignored or diagnosed as other diseases. Even with this poor system, reported damage is substantial.

Despite their current legal obligation, less than 10% of doctors report the damage they witness to the CDC.

4. Mass Vaccination Programs systematically and recklessly endanger the public while disregarding our rights.

Since vaccination breaks the skin, it is technically a surgery. All surgeries by law require informed consent. Informed consent is rarely attained before vaccines are administered.

Doctors vaccinate the unwitting and uninformed. The vaccine manufacturers' package inserts, which contain biased industry claims and the bare minimum required by law to reveal, are not routinely made available to consumers so that they can make a more informed choice.

Double-talk and unethical enforcement, such as threats, intimidation, and coercion are used to ensure vaccination compliance.

5. There is no proof that vaccinations are safe or effective.

There are no control group studies. Authorities consider that "to not vaccinate" is unethical and have refused to study unvaccinated volunteers. If control studies were done according to honest science, vaccination would be outlawed.

Studies which have been done are not designed to eliminate the examiner's bias. Authorities who compile and report disease statistics work closely with, and have a vested interest in, companies which produce the vaccines. In other industries, this kind of bias is not tolerated. Injuries and deaths in these studies are attributed to anything but vaccination to skew the results and make it appear that vaccines have some merit.

6. Laws allow drug companies to violate the public trust.

In private vaccine damage suits, information is revealed condemning vaccines as deadly.

Vaccine manufacturers use "gag orders" as a leverage tool in vaccine damage legal settlements to restrict the plaintiff from disclosing to the public the truth about the dangerous nature of vaccines. Our government has allowed these unethical tactics to be used which jeopardize public welfare.

7. The National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act of 1987 is a pacifier.

This compensation program pretends to acknowledge the existence of vaccine damage by making "right" the wrongs done. Nothing in this Act attempts to avert these adverse events from happening in the future.

This Act is the result of vaccine producers pressuring the government to "immunize" them from private lawsuits which can run an average of \$4 million per case. The fund is made up of tax added into the cost to the consumer of each vaccine, thereby making vaccine consumers pay for one another's, and perhaps their own, injury; the vaccine manufacturers have made themselves quite "immune" from accountability. In recent years it has become even more difficult to be compensated through this program due to the parameters for determining vaccine damage changing and coroners now ruling out vaccine damage and charging the parents with Shaken Baby Syndrome.

8. Private insurance companies, which do the best liability studies, have totally abandoned coverage for damage to life and property due to:

- Acts of God
- Nuclear war and nuclear power plant accidents
- Vaccination

9. Vaccination is not emergency medicine. It is claimed that vaccines avert a possible future risk and yet people are pressured to

decide on the spot. A doctor's use of fear and intimidation to force compliance is not ethical. Vaccines are drugs with potentially serious adverse reactions. Time and forethought should be given before a decision is made.

10. There is no law enforcing vaccination for babies or anyone else.

Vaccination is linked with school attendance but is not compulsory. Exemptions from vaccinations, although restricted and monitored, are part of every state public health law and can be expanded by public pressure.

Departments of Health, Education, and the American Medical Association personnel profit from the sale of vaccines. They keep the existence of, and details about, exemptions relatively unknown.

For more information, or to obtain a \$25 membership packet which documents the facts in this flyer, contact: Vaccination Liberation, North Idaho Chapter, P.O. Box 1444, Coeur d'Alene, ID 83816. <vaclib@nidlink.com> [End quoting]

We can go all the way back to the great 1988 book by superb researcher Eustace Mullins, called *MURDER BY INJECTION: The Story Of The Medical Conspiracy Against America*, for an eye-opening account of the quackery and big business that passes for the healing arts under the watchful eyes of the AMA and FDA medical police.

BILL GATES GIVES \$925 MILLION FOR VACCINATIONS!!

From *THE VacLib LETTER*, Spring 2000: [quoting]

Vaccination Liberation, North Idaho Chapter: 1-208-765-8421.

Patty Stonesifer of the Bill and Linda Gates Foundation has tabulated the Gates' philanthropic largess. The numbers are no less staggering than the charities to which they are being donated.

WHERE THE MONEY GOES

- \$1 billion over 20 years to establish the Gates Millennium Scholarship Program, which will support promising minority students through college and some kinds of graduate school.

- \$750 million over five years to the Global Alliance for Vaccines and Immunization, which includes the World Health Organization, the Rockefeller Foundation, UNICEF, pharmaceutical companies, and the World Bank.

- \$350 million over three years to teachers, administrators, school districts and schools to improve America's K-12 education, starting in Washington State.

- \$200 million to the Gates Library Program, which is wiring public libraries in America's poorest communities in an effort to close the "digital divide".

- \$100 million to the Gates Children's

Vaccine Program, which will accelerate delivery of lifesaving vaccines to children in the poorest countries of the world.

- \$50 million to the Maternal Mortality Reduction Program, run by the Columbia University School of Public Health.

- \$50 million to the Malaria Vaccine Initiative, to conduct research on promising candidates for a malaria vaccine.

- \$50 million to an international group called the Alliance for the Prevention of Cervical Cancer.

- \$50 million to a fund for global polio eradication, led by the World Health Organization, UNICEF, Rotary International, and the U.N. Foundation.

- \$40 million to the International Vaccine Institute, a research program based in Seoul, South Korea.

- \$28 million to UNICEF for the elimination of maternal and neonatal tetanus.

- \$25 million to the Sequella Global Tuberculosis Foundation.

- \$25 million to the International AIDS Vaccine Initiative, which is creating coalitions of research scientists, pharmaceutical companies, and governments in developing countries to look for a safe, effective, widely accessible vaccine against AIDS. [End quoting]

As if the evidence against the practice of vaccinations was not overwhelming enough, when you allow for the PURPOSEFUL inclusion of very nasty stuff in serums, as part of the depopulation agenda of the New World Order thugs, you have a great formula for, as Eustace Mullins titled his book, *MURDER BY INJECTION*.

Do you think Bill Gates is simply "doing his part" for this NWO agenda? *The SPECTRUM* newspaper could live for a loong time on mere crumbs from Bill's philanthropy table; do you think that has any chance of happening?!

WHAT HAPPENED TO DR. BURZYNSKI?

From the *CALIFORNIA SUN*, Spring Edition: [quoting]

By Angelina Ferragomie

The *California Sun* was one of the first newspapers in the country to cover the plight of Dr. Stanislaw Burzynski (Dr. B) and his fight with the Food & Drug Administration (FDA) back in the May issue of 1996. During that time, Dr. B was entrenched in a fierce battle with the FDA over his right to practice medicine using his own protocols for cancer, called anti-neoplastins.

Dr. Burzynski discovered there are certain proteins (peptides and amino-acid derivatives) that are found in healthy blood, but at extremely low levels in cancer patients. By administering anti-neoplastins (peptides &

amino acids), Burzynski could actually reprogram the cancer cell's life cycle so the cells will die.

The FDA indicted him on 72 counts and was actually trying to put him in prison for life. After 10 years of legal costs, Dr. B finally won, or so we were told.

In an interview conducted on the former Shoong and Chappell Show called *HeartBeat*, Radio Free America, in September of 1999, Dr. B admitted to Nicole Shoong and Dr. James Chappell that he was "granted" permission by our illustrious government to conduct FDA approved trials of his anti-neoplastins on a selected, by the government, group of cancer patients. The government would oversee every case and decide who lives, who is treated, who is turned away, and who dies. The significance of what this meant didn't really dawn on me until just recently.

While purusing through a popular health magazine, I read a story about a four-year-old child named Thomas Navarro. The story refers to this young boy with a medulla blastoma (a brain tumor) and Dr. B's dilemma in NOT being able to treat him.

Apparently the FDA has demanded all potential patients of Dr. B undergo radiation and chemotherapy first. This, in spite of the fact that radiation and chemotherapy are totally ineffective and are NOT normally recommended for children.

This is because chemotherapeutic agents are the most highly toxic drugs known, with a litany of horrific side-effects. Radiation, at the dose typically used, is also known to aggressively destroy the immune system. In addition, these hideous treatments cause irreversible and permanent brain damage, including blindness, deafness, cognitive damage, and growth disturbances, as well as the possibility of developing leukemia and other diseases.

A study reported in the December 1999 issue of the *Journal Of Clinical Oncology* showed that, of 29 infants and young children with medullablastoma, 23 experienced disease progression during chemotherapy. All of the children went on to receive radiation, all lost cognitive function, experienced a decline in sensory functions, required hormone replacement therapy, and all had growth abnormalities!

What happened to the tenacious Dr. B who fought so hard to provide a non-toxic cancer treatment that once showed miraculous results and who once said he would never cower to the Gestapo tactics of the FDA? You don't have to be a doctor to know that little Thomas will surely die without a non-toxic treatment immediately. If not death, orthodox medicine's own statistics show those with a medullablastoma will suffer severe brain damage and a host of other permanent disabilities.

Where is Dr. Burzynski in all of this? Why does he feel the need for FDA approval? Why can't he open a satellite clinic in Mexico or Nassau and save a multitude of lives? For some reason, he is now playing into the hands of his former enemies. Why?

The FDA is the strong arm for the pharmaceutical companies; their only interest is in drugs and sustainable disease. Does Burzynski really think by buckling under FDA restraints he will receive a patent on his anti-neoplastin therapy? How many lives will be lost by adhering to governmental double-blind studies? What is to happen to Thomas Navarro?

Now that Dr. B is working for the FDA, he must incorporate two prerequisites: First, all tumors must be measurable; and second, all patients must first undergo immune destroying chemotherapy and radiation with recorded failure. What chance does anyone have at survival after the medics destroy their immune function with toxic chemotherapy and burning radiation?

What is wrong with this picture? Where are we coming from America? We have allowed a strong-arm group of AMA puppets, FDA, to regulate our health. We have given them authority over our children's welfare! We have given them carte blanche over our lives? When will we wake up? [End quoting]

One wonders whether Dr. B has sold out or if he is naive enough to think that by cooperating with the medical authorities he will somehow eventually be allowed to practice any kind of true healing. He should have a good, long talk with Dr. Schulze!

HERO DOG OF THE YEAR

From the ARCAMAX WEIRD NEWS, "ArcaMax" <ezines@arcamax.com>, 5/26/00: [quoting]

Honor, the golden retriever, has been named "Hero Dog of the Year" by *Dog Fancy Magazine*. The pooch "called" for help after her companion, Maribel Schumann of Bryan, Texas, suffered a severe head injury when she fell off a porch swing.

Honor is a service dog, trained by the Texas Hearing and Service Dogs organization to help the wheelchair-bound Schumann live independently. Schumann was sitting in the swing when it collapsed, knocking her out. Honor roused her, got her back in her wheelchair and into the house, and then pushed a button on the telephone to call 911. [End quoting]

Anyone who doubts there are angels among us constantly need only be around our faithful animal friends for awhile to see miracles quietly unfold. The popular *Chicken Soup For The Soul* series of books has several astonishing volumes of collected stories on this subject. And the great British research scientist, Rupert

Sheldrake, has just recently published a new volume called: *Dogs That Know When Their Owners Are Coming Home, And Other Unexplained Powers Of Animals*. We have so much to learn!

HOW DO BEES FLY?

From the INTERNET, <para-discuss@tje.net>, 5/16/00: [quoting]

Here again we have a mystery. How do bees fly? Lets see if this makes any sense.

One day I was sitting on the ground looking at a large bumble bee going from clover to clover. As I watched it seemed he had a hard time lifting off and moving around. He had a huge body and very small thin wings which seemed strange, and at first I thought they were cut off or worn off from going in and out of flowers.

As I watched him, he would make a sound and raise up a little, then the sound would change to a different pitch and he would rise and move ahead. His wings moved so fast they seemed invisible.

As I watched, he would make different sounds, and his wings, like on a helicopter, directed his flight, and the sounds would raise and lower him. I watched him for over two hours, and he kind of knew that I was watching him, so he made a couple of passes around my head and I could see how he worked his wings and sound to maneuver around.

Maybe we could learn something from him after all. C.B. [End quoting]

If you think the idea that they may be using sound to fly and wings to guide them is crazy, think again. There is much recent research beginning to come forth on this subject. The *Bible* tells about using musical instruments—sound—to crumble the walls of Jericho, and some Tibetan monks are known for their rumored use of sounds, made by musical instruments, to raise huge stones up the sides of mountains for construction.

SATELLITE RADIO AROUND THE CORNER

From an unknown source: [quoting]

Ford and General Motors recently inked separate deals with upstart satellite radio companies that will bring digital radio to your car, possibly as early as next year. Offering CD-quality sound and dozens of listening choices from around the world, digital radio promises to be the biggest change to in-car entertainment since FM stereo.

The service will initially be available through two networks: Ford has joined forces with CD Radio of New York City, while GM has signed up with XM of Washington, D.C. Other carmakers are expected to follow suit.

CD Radio's network will consist of three satellites, while XM's will have two. Each

hopes to launch its first late this year or early in 2000, with XM slated to use a platform at sea. The satellites provide the basic coverage, and ground-based transmitters fill in the areas in which the signal could be blocked, such as in high-rise cities. The plan is to deliver as many as 100 digital channels, half of which will feature specialized commercial-free programming, and the other half digital broadcasts of existing channels. Current over-the-air channels will still be available as well.

Satellite radio will initially roll out in just a few select cities, but should quickly spread across the United States. Both networks will offer the service to subscribers for \$9.95 a month. To receive the signal, vehicles will be equipped with a digital radio and a small external antenna.

While the networks are not designed for two-way communications, each is capable of identifying and transmitting signals to an individual subscriber. This could eventually mean a variety of other services, including the ability to start the car from a distance or unlock the vehicle at the request of an owner who has lost his or her keys. — D.M. [End quoting]

It also means they will probably be tracking your car every second—even though your radio is not on—and maybe even monitoring your in-car conversations.

COMPUTER HARD DRIVE

From *POPULAR MECHANICS* magazine, June 2000 [quoting]

Abandoning conventional magnetic materials will make it possible to build computer hard drives that store 10,000 times more information than the best systems currently in existence, say Indiana University researchers. The current storage record of 3 gigabits (3 billion bits) of digital information on 1 sq. cm of area was set last year by IBM researchers, using cobalt magnetic material.

Chemist George Christou told a recent meeting of the American Chemical Society that he and his colleagues found a way to fit 30,000 billion bits on the same amount of space. "My group makes molecules containing the metal manganese" he explains. "Each molecule can be considered an ultra-small magnetic particle, and this promises access to the ultimate high-density information storage devices." [End quoting]

It is ironic that, at the same time some scientists are working so hard to improve our lives, others are working to kill us off!

CELL PHONES MAY BE LEAKING HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS

From the INTERNET, <http://sightings.com>, 5/14/00: [quoting]

Swedish scientists have claimed that hazardous chemicals emitted by mobile phones

could be causing symptoms such as headaches in phone users.

The researchers claim this is the first report of possible leaching of chemicals from mobile phones in use.

According to Bo Brstell and colleagues at Malm-based contract testing laboratory IMTEC, mobile phones warmed to body heat, as they could be when pressed against the ear, emitted a range of chemicals, including phenol, creosol, and biphenyls.

They suggest that these could enter mobile phone users' bodies through the skin or by inhalation.

"This may explain why many frequent users of mobile phones complain over constant headaches and dizziness" Brstell told Swedish magazine *New Technology* which first reported on the IMTEC scientists' two-year investigation.

Responding to the news, Mats Pellbck-Scharp, of major Swedish mobile phone maker Ericsson, said he could not understand where the chemicals originate from. "We will of course look into this immediately" he said.

Sweden's Chemicals Inspectorate has requested a copy of the scientists' report for evaluation and the Swedish Institute for Research on the Workplace will also follow up the research.

Brstell and colleagues are not sure where the chemicals originate.

"They may come from details on the phones made from phenolic plastic. Another source may be the liquids used to facilitate the release of the phone shell from plastic presses at the factory. Circuit cards may also be the villains," Brstell said.

Meanwhile, a new report from the United Kingdom's Independent Expert Group on Mobile Phones (IEGMP) recommends a "precautionary approach" to the use of mobile phones. **The panel specifically discourages the use of mobile phones by children and the marketing of phones to children.**

The panel says information about radiation exposure from different mobile phones—known as specific absorption rates (SARs)—should be "readily accessible to consumers". These numbers should be published "on the box" of new phones. The government should also circulate a leaflet to every household in the U.K. of the possible impact of the phones on health.

Further research is needed, the panel concludes, recommending a "substantial" research program, cofunded by the government and industry and run by an "independent panel".

In its response, the UK government has already agreed that information on SARs should be widely available and to set up a research program. More information, and the full text of the report, are available at: <<http://www.iegmp.org.uk/>>. [End quoting]

Considering the lengthy parade of denials for some years now about longterm effects of electromagnetic radiation from cell phones held so close to the body, especially the brain, is it any wonder that a new culprit might be introduced to deflect attention from the culprit which has much wider implications. If ever electromagnetic radiation is acknowledged as being harmful from cell phones, then it is a very small jump to also include electric power lines. And the power companies have been generating disinformation campaigns (to tell you power lines are safe) for a lot longer than have the cellular phone manufacturers.

THE NOSE KNOWS

From *POPULAR SCIENCE* magazine, April 2000: [quoting]

Soon, your refrigerator may tell you when the beef in its drawer has passed its prime. A California company has developed a device that lets appliances "smell". Cyrano Science's Nose Chip sensor consists of a polymer matrix that expands like a sponge when exposed to an odor. As the polymers expand, their electrical resistance changes; since each polymer is engineered to respond to a particular chemical, each odor produces a distinct electronic "fingerprint". (Spoiled food gives off chemicals that are characteristic of spoilage.) By comparing this fingerprint to an electronic database, a microprocessor can identify the type of odor and its strength.

The electronic nose concept has been around for at least a decade, but Cyrano says it has miniaturized and standardized the materials to the point where, in the next couple years, it will be able to manufacture sensors for about \$1 apiece.

Bruce Hemann, Cyrano's director of applications engineering, says the company is talking with appliance manufacturers about putting the sensors in new refrigerators. The technology would be a boom for the elderly, who tend to lose their sense of smell over time, making them vulnerable to food poisoning.

— C.W. [End quoting]

Sounds like a very worthwhile product for many uses.

INFORMATION PLEASE

From a READER and supporter, 5/22/00: [quoting]

When I was quite young, my father had one of the first telephones in our neighborhood. I remember well, the polished, old case fastened to the wall and shiny receiver on the side of the box.

I was too little to reach the telephone, but used to listen with fascination when my mother used to talk to it. Then I discovered that somewhere inside the wonderful device lived an amazing person and her name was "Information

Please" and there was nothing she did not know.

"Information Please" could supply anybody's number and the correct time. My first personal experience with this genie-in-the-bottle came one day while my mother was visiting a neighbor. Amusing myself at the tool bench in the basement. I whacked my finger with a hammer. The pain was terrible, but there didn't seem to be any reason in crying because there was no one home to give sympathy. I walked around the house sucking my throbbing finger, finally arriving at the stairway.

The telephone!

Quickly, I ran for the footstool in the parlor and dragged it to the landing. Climbing up, I unhooked the receiver in the parlor and held it to my ear.

"Information, please" I said into the mouthpiece just above my head. A click or two and a small clear voice spoke into my ear.

"Information"

"I hurt my finger!" I wailed into the phone.

The tears came readily enough now that I had an audience.

"Isn't your mother home?" came the question.

Nobody's home but me!" I blubbered.

"Are you bleeding?" the voice asked.

"No" I replied. "I hit my finger with the hammer and it hurts."

"Can you open your icebox?" she asked. I said I could. "Then chip off a little piece of ice and hold it to your finger" said the voice.

After that, I called "Information, please" for everything. I asked her for help with my geography and she told me where Philadelphia was. She helped me with my math.

She told me my pet chipmunk, that I had caught in the park just the day before, would eat fruit and nuts.

Then, there was the time Petey, our pet canary, died. I called "Information, please" and told her the sad story. She listened, then said the usual things grown-ups say to soothe a child. But I was un-consoled. I asked her, "Why is it that birds should sing so beautifully and bring joy to all families, only to end up as a heap of feathers on the bottom of a cage?"

She must have sensed my deep concern, for she said quietly, "Paul, remember that there are other worlds to sing in."

Somehow I felt better.

Another day I was on the telephone.

"Information, please."

"Information" said the now familiar voice.

"How do you spell fix?" I asked.

All this took place in a small town in the Pacific northwest. When I was nine years old, we moved across the country to Boston. I missed my friend very much. "Information, please" belonged in that old wooden box back home and I somehow never thought of trying the tall, shiny new phone that sat on the table

in the hall.

As I grew into my teens, the memories of those childhood conversations never really left me. Often, in moments of doubt and perplexity, I would recall the serene sense of security I had then. I appreciated now how patient, understanding, and kind she was to have spent her time on a little boy.

A few years later, on my way west to college, my plane put down in Seattle. I had about half-an-hour or so between planes. I spent 15 minutes or so on the phone with my sister, who lived there now. Then, without thinking what I was doing, I dialed my hometown operator and said, "Information, please."

Miraculously, I heard the small, clear voice I knew so well.

"Information."

I hadn't planned this, but I heard myself saying, "Could you please tell me how to spell fix?"

There was a long pause. Then came the soft-spoken answer: "I guess our finger must have healed by now."

I laughed. "So it's really still you" I said. "I wonder if you have any idea how much you meant to me during that time."

"I wonder" she said, "if you know how much your calls meant to me. I never had any children and I used to look forward to your calls."

I told her how often I had thought of her over the years and I asked if I could call her again when I came back to visit my sister.

"Please do" she said. "Just ask for Sally."

Three months later I was back in Seattle. A different voice answered "Information".

I asked for Sally. "Are you a friend?" she said.

"Yes, a very old friend" I answered.

"I'm sorry to have to tell you this" she said.

"Sally had been working part time the last few years because she was sick. She died five weeks ago."

Before I could hang up she said "Wait a minute. Did you say your name was Paul?"

"Yes."

"Well, Sally left a message for you. She wrote it down in case you called. Let me read it to you."

The note said: "Tell him I still say there are other worlds to sing in. He'll know what I mean."

I thanked her and hung up. I know what Sally meant.

Never underestimate the impression you may make on others. Whose life have you touched today? [End quoting]

What have we lost in today's "sophisticated" world that once allowed "Information, please" to have such a wonderful warmth? It's amazing the effect that a few words can have on a person's life. A few kind words can go a long, long way. 

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Staying The Course Despite Rough Seas

5/29/00 HATONN

Good afternoon, my scribe. It is I, Gyeorgos Ceres Hatonn, come to you this day IN THE LIGHT, LOVE, AND ONENESS OF CREATOR SOURCE—*THE ONE LIGHT*. Thank you for seeking clarification, for the dark “tricksters” are forever looking to exploit the smallest of weaknesses, and familiarity often causes ones to let their guard down.

I will take a brief moment to acknowledge you of *The SPECTRUM* team (this includes all of you quiet donors and supporters) who have persisted through trying times and have continued on the tedious path of the Wayshower. The Light you are shining forth in a world accustomed to darkness is truly a worthwhile endeavor. I thank each of you for your persistence and perseverance.

This first anniversary is an achievement in and of itself. Despite all sorts of blatant lies and slanderous, childlike attacks from those you split away from, you have heeded our instructions very well in that you have just let the would-be attackers to their own delusional perceptions of reality, and let them to their own path of choosing. If another tries to pick a fight with you, and you do not respond, then there is NO battle. And more importantly, there is no needless drain of energies—physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual—off course and into distraction, which is the adversary’s purpose all along.

We of the Lighted realms of Creation see no value in trying to tear down another or discredit anyone, for their actions will always bear the fruit of intent. Each individual must deal with their own intentions and their subsequent inner emotional response.

The frequency-raising responses will always garner great happiness for the ones who are truly following their Higher Purpose. Low-frequency stress is often the result of going against the flow of your true inner desires.

If you sit in indecision as to which path is correct for you, then simply look to those who are following any particular path, and choose the one that resonates with YOU. DO NOT WORRY about making a wrong choice, for there are NO wrong choices! Any choice is better, from a growth perspective, than sitting in indecision (stagnation). Even a choice that

eventually proves to be counter to your true soul purpose will eventually help you to focus more clearly on what it is you truly want, for you will have eliminated one or more choices or directions in which to seek.

Look not to tear another down for following their chosen path. There is no absolute RIGHT or WRONG from which you have the ability to perceive for another. You can judge what is RIGHT or WRONG for yourself, but beyond this it is quite an unworthy endeavor to dwell upon or judge the choices of another. Discern for yourself and walk YOUR path with

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certainty, curiosity, and with a willingness to grow when you make a mistake.

Many become so embarrassed, when they are shown to be on a less productive path than they themselves wish to perceive, that often these ones will put forth great energy in attacking those who are attempting to offer or show a better way. The more enlightened viewpoint will see no need to attack the less enlightened viewpoint, for there will be a greater understanding, and thus compassion, for the other, less encompassing viewpoint, and thus no threat is perceived.

If you feel threatened by another, it is due to your own insecurities, NOT because you are somehow “right”. Your world history is full of examples of people who need to destroy those who think differently than they do.

The underlying FEAR that these reactionary ones have is that others will see them as being weak, wrong, stupid, or even insane. The EGO fears having any perceived weakness exposed, for the ego equates this sort of exposure to a threat to the survival of the entity. And yet every en-Light-ened teacher will strive to teach their students to OVERCOME the ego, and learn humility, grace, and thus compassion for self and others.

Once the ego is tamed, great advancements along the infinite spiritual journey can be made. The third-dimensional schoolroom is a great teaching environment for this very lesson. Many ones, who had the opportunity to become great spiritual leaders and Lighted wayshowers, have succumbed to the power of the EGO. This happens when they have made a mistake and, instead of admitting to the error, they try to cover it up and destroy (or discredit) any ones who KNOW the truth.

We have witnessed this very scenario more times than we wish to dwell upon, for it is often with great sadness that we notice, as the child begins to walk, and falls, that instead of getting back up, the child just sits there in an incapacitating “tantrum” of sorts.

It must be reiterated here that each and every one of you have AT LEAST two personal Guides from the Lighted realms to help direct and guide you along your spiritual journey—which includes the “physical” environment in which you now find yourself. And, if this were not enough, you each have the ability and right to go directly to Creator Source—the One who created you, God—and get your Guidance directly, if you so choose. There are no exceptions! Even persons who have committed the worst imaginable acts have Lighted Guides TRYING to assist them.

From the perspective of a Guide, there is no judgment other than what will best serve the individual, given their current circumstance, regardless of their past actions or deeds.

Dear friends, our crew at *The SPECTRUM* are under constant attack from those who do not wish to see the world awakened. These attacking ones are the ones who FEAR the exposure of their INSANITY; these attacking ones employ the “dark” arts of nonphysical manipulation of energy that some call “black magic”. (It is, in actuality, a neutral—neither black nor white—potential available to all ones.) The so-called “dark elite” of your world use this potential for very self-serving, manipulative purposes—usually to enslave others—and thus you have a “dark” (unenlightened, often ego-controlled) overtone (perhaps “under”-tone would be a better description, considering the frequency range of these ones) to the energy.

These non-physical attacks have been dealt with by our *SPECTRUM* crew in a very enlightened way. Typically, when such an attack enters the awareness of the individual, there will result a very subtle disturbance of sorts. Sometimes it will be a restless sleep, or it will be a few little nicks, cuts, or bumps (seemingly unrelated) happening in a relatively short period of time. Other times it will be another person, around the targeted one, who comes under great attack, and the resulting effects often slop over onto the targeted one’s

plate to deal with. These are all part of the challenges that you ones came to face. All players involved are playing their parts well.

With each such attack, our crew is getting stronger and wiser to the SUBTLE ways of the dark “tricksters”. As the experience continues, there will continue to be distractions and attacks. However, as I have promised the *SPECTRUM* crew before, I will reiterate here: Stay the course and all the resources (people and money) necessary to continue will be provided. This may not allow for a lot of extra, for there are many ones who have been “taken to the cleaners” in the past by ones claiming to be walking the Wayshower path—and some were. But when the temptation was great, they sought their own comfort, securities, and desires, rather than serving those who were seeking their assistance. We understand quite well the situation, and it is understandable that ones, who otherwise could, are quite hesitant to offer their assistance in your current situation. It is up to each individual to recognize and appreciate opportunities to help.

I tell you ones there is NOTHING to worry about, for there are great unexpected “twists” and “turns” in the road ahead. Allow the spontaneity of the unfolding drama you call “life” to present to you ones the challenges, obstacles, and most importantly the inner rewards (knowledge, truth, happiness, and Love) that come from being in service to others. The physical “treasures” are but distractions along the way that the EGO desires so as to have “status” to compare self to others, and thus somehow JUDGE who is better or who is higher on the “pecking order”.

None is better than another, and each of you have something special to offer. If you know not what else to offer, then offer a prayer of protection to those whom you love and to those who are standing on the frontline, attempting to offer a Light in the midst of a dark and nasty storm, by which you might find YOUR unique path to a greater understanding.

This information will not resonate with all ones—be assured. However I, Gyeorgos Ceres Hatonn, tell you that these words WILL withstand the greatest of scrutiny. I ask that you each question every word carefully and discern for yourself what you will. You can never ask too many questions, and we of the Lighted realms do NOT take offense at being challenged, for we have nothing to fear, such as being exposed for being anything other than exactly what and WHO we say we are.

The Truth is quite different than what many of you ones currently perceive. That is an important reason for the existence of *The SPECTRUM* newspaper. All lies WILL be exposed, for in the quickly coming awakening experience, the frequency-raising alone will cause the lie to glare in one’s mind as a shrill warning siren and red flashing lights.

For this reason, the ego-driven ones (of low

frequency, usually overshadowed by darker, control-oriented, non-physical entities) will strive to keep anger, fear, and apathy alive within those who resonate with same so as to keep their dark, delusional idea of reality going as long as possible. These darkened ones will have great hardship dealing with this coming expansive shift in awareness, for their days of dark trickery, deceit, and manipulation are quite short now.

To you of our ground-based crew (if this message reaches you, consider it for you), thank you for your persistence and perseverance in these most challenging times. Together you can and ARE making a very positive contribution to the awakening masses of the planet. Each seemingly small thing you contribute toward helping another is a step toward freeing the souls who have become “trapped” in the karmic wheel of this planet’s third-density illusion.

We of the Host of God are as near as your breath, and we are ALWAYS waiting and willing to offer a Guiding Hand when such is

requested. Call upon the Light (that which is dedicated to serving, in knowingness and truth, the will of Creator Source), still your mind from distraction, and allow the Inspiration to come. Question all such offerings, for there are NONE who are completely immune to the subtle influence of the darkened energies (self-serving power seekers) who have mastered the ability to impart their thought upon your own, if YOU allow them to, through careless acceptance of “anything” that comes.

Be at peace, and may the intent of these words find their proper place within your conscious understanding. I am Gyeorgos Ceres Hatonn. I come with the Host of Creator God—*The One Light*—in service to ALL ones on and in and around your planet at this most grand of experiences: the birthing of a world into the next evolutionary level of existence.

The challenges are great, but the rewards will be beyond your current ability to perceive. Stay the course, and keep the Light of God about you at ALL times.

Blessings and Peace—Salu! 

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The Curious Case Of Dave Overton's Gold And The Phoenix Institute

Editor's note: For our newer readers, the following information will likely have little meaning and only passing interest. However, for those longtime readers and supporters of this newspaper—which came into existence exactly because of shady shenanigans, pulled on those of us who previously WERE the CONTACT newspaper, by those associated with the management of the Phoenix Institute—we feel we have an obligation to present some news of ever so revealing interest, especially to those of you who can read between the lines and have a vested FINANCIAL interest in said Phoenix Institute.

(See the www.contactnews10.com website, which is operated by a private archiving consortium that has been under almost constant attack by those who do not wish The Truth to remain available for scrutiny, for details of the clash which birthed this newspaper—in the final three issues of “our” CONTACT, for the dates of 3/15/99, 3/22/99, and 3/26/99.)

First we present a fine summary article by Dave Overton's good friend and sometimes contributing writer to this newspaper, Calvin Burgin. We asked Calvin to write this because of the imbecilic travesty that the so-called

regular media did with the story, such as what we share nearby from the Austin American-Statesman for Tuesday, May 16, 2000. With this kind of “help” from the mainstream media “professionals”, it's no wonder why so many turn to newspapers such as The SPECTRUM for more factual and unbiased information.

Calvin Burgin is as precise and thorough a researcher as he is a common-sense, fluent writer. (As an aside here, we are presenting an information box near this article listing his available scholarly works.)

Calvin also just happened to be a good, personal friend of Dave Overton. Dave Overton, meanwhile, was a very gifted being who often “colored outside the lines” as does any genius—and was ridiculed for that, as is often the case, by those whose minds could not stretch beyond the conventional status quo.

As an educator, Dave Overton knew the power of knowledge. And, going the extra step of wanting to put that conviction into action, Dave had a vision of making financial resources available to see that important, long-suppressed information could be made widely available to the public—the kind of information that The SPECTRUM provides on a regular

basis. That vision and goal is hardly what was conveyed in the mainstream newspapers.

For obvious reasons, following Calvin's tasteful, first-hand story, we then present a short chronicle of the recent history of the Phoenix Institute—where Dave Overton wanted his gold to go BEFORE many curious (and still unanswered) questions began to crop-up concerning both the veracity and the solvency of said Phoenix Institute—whose longtime main management have, by the way, been “away” in the Philippines for almost TWO YEARS now!

We will leave it up to the discerning reader to connect the dots and read between the lines—and pursue further what may be of personal or legal interest, especially from a financial perspective. It does not take the equations of rocket science to come to the conclusion that something does not seem to add up very well where the Phoenix Institute is concerned.

5/22/00 CALVIN BURGIN

OVERTON GOLD FINALLY SOLD

On Monday, May 15, 2000, about nine years after Dave Overton gave nearly \$390,000 in gold to the Phoenix Institute, disposition was finally made of the gold. As reported in the newspapers, more than half the gold (\$160,000) was awarded to The Phoenix Institute for Research and Education. Heirs of Overton's estate received \$104,000 in gold, and the estate's administrator, attorney Chuck Grigson, got \$14,000. The gold is now worth considerably less than what it was when it became entangled in the court cases.

I remember my surprise when I read in the CONTACT newspaper that George Green had stolen a shipment of gold that had been shipped to the Phoenix Institute by Dave Overton. The gold had been sold to Dave by Larry Spence

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With man's fortune divvied up, the Pot o' Gold case is closed



David Overton: Wanted coins to promote space alien's teachings.

By DENISE GAMINO
American-Statesman Staff

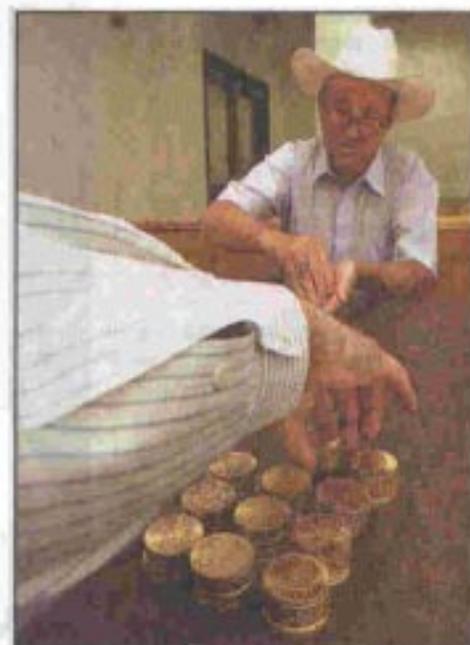
A Travis County courtroom became an old-fashioned counting house Monday as lawyers sat under wooden ceiling fans and divvied up stacks of gold coins to settle the estate of an Austin man who thought his fortune would buy him intergalactic immortality.

After the lawyers presented Probate Court Judge Guy Herman with a settlement agreement, the judge surprised them by pulling two cast-iron pots from behind the bench so the lawyers could place the gold inside. The fight over the gold coins was known informally at the courthouse as the Pot o' Gold case.

In the end, more than half the gold — \$160,000 — was awarded to a California group, the Phoenix Institute for Research and Education, which promotes the teachings of a 9½-foot extraterrestrial named Hatonn, “Commander in Chief of the Pleiades Sector Flight Command.” The estate of Dave Overton, an eccentric genius and retired University of Texas mathematics instructor who had lived like a pauper, got \$104,000 in gold. The estate's administrator, Austin lawyer Chuck Grigson, got \$14,000 in coins.

The gold originally belonged to Overton, who gave more than \$500,000 to the Phoenix Institute

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In a Travis County courtroom Monday, Larry Spence, a rare coin dealer, helps sort the gold once owned by David Overton, an eccentric Austinite who hoped it would buy him immortality. The coins were divided up as part of an agreement to settle Overton's estate.

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Rare Coins. Larry Spence Rare Coins consists of Larry Spence and Calvin Burgin—I am Calvin Burgin. Dave Overton was my customer and I had no idea until then that he was reading CONTACT newspaper!

The Phoenix Institute is a Nevada Corporation [Editor's note: See the story following Calvin's here for some intriguing details about the curious status history of the Phoenix Institute of late!], and the Nevada courts ruled that George Green had stolen the gold. The lawyers then tied up in courts the disposition of the gold until after Dave Overton died of cancer.

Eventually the gold was sent to Texas, as another ploy to hold up disposition of the gold, to see if perhaps the heirs of Overton's estate should get the gold. I often talked with Dave and it was his wish that the gold should have gone to the Phoenix Institute to further distribution of the writings of "Georgeos Ceres Hatonn". Dave had made other provisions for his friends and heirs; he had no intention of them getting the gold. The shipment of the gold to the Phoenix Institute was long before Dave died and should never have become entangled in his estate proceedings.

In my business as a coin dealer, I continually see so many people going nuts over gold, brothers and sisters becoming enemies because of greed over gold, even murders being committed. Such is humanity.

And when lawyers get involved, truth and justice flee faster than a speeding bullet. At the end of the court proceedings, the gold was sold to Larry Spence, and before Larry could take the gold, Judge Guy Herman pulled out a cast iron pot from under the desk and had the gold poured into the pot so that he could have his picture taken with the "pot of gold".

The day before the gold was divided by the court, the *Austin American-Statesman* newspaper had a front page article about Dave Overton. The author of the article had spent a couple of hours with me asking about Dave, but chose to mostly ignore what I said and published nonsense statements about Dave's beliefs from neighbors who admitted "We just didn't understand it." The newspaper stated that Dave "believed gold could buy his immortality". It was claimed that Dave believed "to get on the spaceship, you had to

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Gold doled out to settle estate

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because he believed Hatonn would land a spaceship in Overton's front yard and beam him up to life everlasting. Overton, a widower with no children, died in an Austin nursing home in 1996 at age 81.

Overton had shipped the gold coins to the Phoenix Institute in 1991 to help it promote Hatonn's teachings. At the time, the coins were worth \$390,000. But a Nevada state judge ruled in 1994 that the Phoenix Institute had swindled the gold from Overton.

Before the gold could be sent back to Overton, he died of prostate cancer.

His will, which left most of his belongings to his two close friends — Hal Fellows and Ron Flory — did not mention the gold. But

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lawyers for his estate staked a claim to it because the shipment of coins had never reached the Phoenix Institute. A breakaway member of the group had intercepted the coins when they arrived at the Institute and buried the gold treasure in his Nevada backyard.

The estate's lawyers also argued that \$170,000 in loans Overton made to the Phoenix Institute had to be repaid.

The Phoenix Institute and the estate's administrator recently agreed to settle the lawsuit by dividing the gold coins and dropping the fight over the \$170,000 in

promissory notes.

"I was concerned over how a jury might see the case," said Randy Doubrava, an Austin lawyer who represents the Phoenix Institute, "because of the beliefs in Hatonn and the Commander and it being something outside of mainstream beliefs."

Grigson, representing the estate, said he opted to settle the case even though he believes a jury probably would have awarded the gold to Overton's estate rather than the Phoenix Institute.

"The gold would have gone away," he said. The coins "would all be eaten up in the expenses of the litigation."

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buy a ticket. And that's where the money went."

Dave was an electrical and mathematical genius. He taught math at the University of Texas, and, as generally happens with geniuses, was considered eccentric and "hard to understand" by his friends and neighbors.

Well, Dave, I remember our meetings and I understand.

5/30/00 SPECTRUM STAFF

THE PHOENIX INSTITUTE FOR RESEARCH & EDUCATION, LTD.

(An Update To Our Readers)

In response to the many inquiries that have poured into our offices over the past year concerning the "status" of the Phoenix Institute, we would like to take this opportunity to inform you of some facts of public record. It will be obvious from carefully reviewing this data exactly how well "tended" the Phoenix Institute has been.

As you can see from Calvin Burgin's article above, the Dave Overton gold case has finally been resolved.

When reviewing the legal status of the Phoenix Institute at the Nevada Secretary of State's website (<http://sos.state.nv.us/corp>) on May 12, 2000, we found that the Phoenix Institute was in "REVOKED" status, and that Nevada Corporate Headquarters, Inc. had RESIGNED as the Phoenix Institute's longtime Resident Agent.

When asking the Nevada Secretary of State's staff the question: What causes a corporation to receive a "revoked" status? The

answer was: "For not filing an annual list of officers and paying the annual fees on time. Initially the fees are due in the month of incorporation. The following month, if not received, it goes into "delinquent" status. Then, after 9 months, it is revoked."

When asked when Nevada Corporate Headquarters resigned as Resident Agent for the Phoenix Institute, the Secretary of State's Office informed us that the resignation took place on May 10, 1999. When asked when the Phoenix Institute received its "revoked" status, we were told it occurred on December 1, 1999. This means that since March of 1999 the basic fees and bookkeeping matters to keep the Phoenix Institute in proper and legal standing had not been paid to the Secretary of State's Office.

In summary, as of May 18, 2000, the Phoenix Institute was "revoked" by the Secretary of State of Nevada—which means: no annual corporate fees had been paid, no Resident Agent was responsible for the corporation, and no officers or directors had been filed with the State of Nevada.

And then, all of a sudden, on May 19, 2000, Mr. Ron Kirzinger paid outstanding fees and filed documents with the Secretary of State's office identifying him as BOTH the Resident Agent for, and President of, the Phoenix Institute for Research & Education, Ltd. The address listed is: 5344 Images Court, Las Vegas, Nevada 89107. Doris Ekker is still listed as Secretary for the corporation, and E.J. Ekker is still listed as Treasurer.

Remember that E.J. Ekker WAS on file as both the President AND Treasurer of the Phoenix Institute previous to this latest maneuver. See the scanned copies of the print-

outs of the actual corporate records on file with the Nevada Secretary of State's Corporate Information database both before (on 5/12/00; 1:58 p.m.) and after (on 5/23/00) this latest "adjustment" to the Phoenix Institute situation.

It is very, very, very interesting, to say the least, to observe the timeline on this sequence of corporate bookkeeping events with respect to the timeline of the final disposition of Dave Overton's gold.

On May 15, 2000, the judge issued his ruling on the Dave Overton gold case, and monies were disbursed. This was four days BEFORE the Phoenix Institute was resurrected from its grave. This therefore begs the enormous provocative "\$160,000" question:

If, on May 15, 2000, the Phoenix Institute for Research & Education, Ltd. was legally and fiscally in a "revoked" status by the Nevada Secretary of State's corporate records office—which, again, means there were legally no officers, no directors, no fees paid, and no Resident Agent—THEN EXACTLY WHERE did the gold go and WHO GOT THAT GOLD?

And even much more importantly there begs the question: How about the welfare of all of those honest and well-meaning people who invested in the Phoenix Institute and who, upon suspecting less-than-honest business conduct, have repeatedly asked for

(and been denied, with a myriad of excuses) the return of their sometimes substantial funds?

One can't help but wonder: if Dave Overton's gold was not forthcoming to the

Phoenix Institute, how much longer would the Phoenix Institute have remained in the "revoked" status? Maybe indefinitely? And, as a possible investor in said Phoenix Institute, where would that leave YOU?

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Resident Agent:	NEVADA CORPORATE HEADQUARTERS, INC. (Resigned)		
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President:	E.J. EKKER		
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Secretary:	NORA BOYLES		
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For those of you with a strong moral or financial interest in finding out further information about the Phoenix Institute, we strongly suggest you contact Mr. Kirzinger at the corporate address listed earlier in this

article—and also listed on the most recent corporate record form from the Nevada Secretary of State’s website that is reproduced nearby.

And one last note of intriguing insight:

according to the most recent (5/30/00) public records of the Nevada Secretary of State’s Office, Mr. Ron Kirzinger ALSO happens to be Resident Agent for: Global Alliance

Investment Association, Mountain Land Corporation, and Ruth Holding Corporation. E.J. Ekker is listed as the President and Treasurer of all of these; Doris Ekker is listed as the Secretary of all of these. Moreover, we find that Mountain Land Corporation and Ruth Holding Corporation show a “reinstated” status description. Reinstated from what? (A further check on 6/4/00 shows seven MORE corporations “awakening” under this same curious management umbrella.)

We are aware that some who had entrusted sometimes substantial funds to the Phoenix Institute are currently in the process of pursuing legal avenues of redress, as well as conducting a vigorous investigation into the legitimacy of that operation due to, as several legal experts have put it, the strong appearance of “a pattern of fraudulent activity” where the management of the Phoenix Institute is concerned.

Does all of this suggest a track record of forthright and responsible corporate management—or something much, much different?

You be the judge. We only wonder what Dave Overton would say right now. ☹

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A Talk With The Ishaya Monks:

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discussions with Dennis Grover in Reno NV (remember the video we have been offering in this newspaper resulting from Gail and I appearing on his cable-tv interview show a few months ago). What I learned was so interesting that there was a natural desire to find out more about them. As it turns out, that was easily accomplished. They are very accessible—by design. In fact, they will come and teach in your town, if you invite them and perhaps even offer to sponsor them.

The Ishayas have a www.ishaya.com website. You may receive their electronic newsletter by sending a message to subscribe@ishaya.com and hear about their courses at the www.ishaya.com/courses web address. They may also be reached directly by letter at: Society for Ascension, 272 Biodome Drive, Waynesville, NC 28786; or by telephone at: 828-926-7853, fax: 828-926-5150. They have a number of centers within the United States and abroad. The centers in the United States are: Seffner, Florida: 813-651-5731; St. Louis, Missouri: 314-989-0305; and Sparks, Nevada: 775-626-8332. In Canada their center is in Moncton, New Brunswick: 506-857-4230. They also have centers in England, Japan, Mexico, and Venezuela. There are a number of books available through their centers, including: *First Thunder*; *Ascension!*; *Enlightenment!*; *Second Thunder*; *Third Thunder*; *Third Thunder, Part II*.

A few weeks ago, on May 11, I was able to conduct a telephone interview with 3 monks (of the 90) in North Carolina. But before we share that discussion with you, let's backtrack just a bit and take a look at some introductory information about their teachings.

While their terminology for some matters is different, you longtime connoisseurs of the spiritual messages shared in this newspaper will find a great deal of similarity—which is to be expected when dealing with Truth. For instance, they use the term “ascending” to mean the process of “frequency raising” and they center a lot of their teaching focus upon that very worthwhile endeavor.

Moreover, keep in mind that this is the time of the Great Awakening on planet Earth. One

part of this awakening process is the exposure of long-held lies and other deceptions which constitute a profound web of mind control. However, another and equally important part of the awakening process is the bringing back into active human consciousness of skills inherent in man (HU-man; Higher Universal man) but long dormant or suppressed by that web of longstanding lies. The Ishaya monks focus much of their effort quite effectively on this “reawakening of latent skills” spiritual path.

Before presenting some of the Ishayas' teachings, let us begin with a quote from a long respected Indian spiritual teacher which sets the stage for much that is to follow:

“There is no greater mystery than this, that we keep seeking reality though, in fact, we ARE reality! We think that there is something hiding our reality and that this must be destroyed before reality is gained. How ridiculous! A day will dawn when you will laugh at all your past efforts.” — Ramana Maharshi

Let me now extract some information from the Ishaya's own literature to begin to set the stage for the discussion forum of the interview: (Direct quotes contained within this article are copyrighted by the Ishayas and the Society for Ascension, and all rights are reserved.) [quoting]

WHO ARE THE ISHAYAS?

The Ishaya Tradition

(Note: The following is not something you need to believe in order to practice Ascension. The Ishayas' Ascension is a teaching centered around personal experience and empowerment—and requires no belief whatsoever.)

The Ishaya Tradition holds that, as a young man, Isha-ben-Joseph, Jesus the Christ, traveled to the Himalayas in search of Enlightened Masters. He spent seven years with the Ishayas learning these techniques, which he then taught during his time in Judea.

Subsequently, his disciple John returned to the Himalayas to help preserve these Teachings

until the time when the world was ready to receive this tradition of Enlightenment. That time is Now!

History Of The Ishayas And The Ishayas' Ascension The Ishaya Tradition

Any discussion of the Ishayas' historical tradition must begin with a reminder that the Ishayas' teachings are centered around personal experience and empowerment only, and require no belief whatsoever. All religious traditions teach some form of inward contemplation or prayer, and the Ishayas' Ascension—being a very powerful tool to achieve this inward movement—can exist within and even without any system of belief.

Nonetheless, the history of Ascension itself is quite long and beautiful. Several segments of that story are recounted in the *Thunder* series of books, which hint that Ascension has been active in the human sector for many thousands of years—far longer than most historians would consider plausible.

Other than the present time, the most recent revival of Ascension began approximately 2,500 years ago in India, when a young boy named Shankara set off to become enlightened. Being especially gifted, he achieved his goal at an early age, attracting a large following in the process. He rediscovered the principles of Ascension, and founded the four major schools, or Maths, that still exist in the four corners of India. Before disappearing from the world at about age 30, he taught at the northern Math. To this day, principal teachers at all four Maths are given the honorary title of Shankaracharya. Descendants of that tradition were traveling in Egypt some 500 years later, and met another very special young seeker known as Isha, Yeshua ben Joseph, or Jesus, son of Joseph.

From a very early age, this gifted youth had known and lived one central truth—that I and my Father are One—and had an intense desire to share this forgotten but explosively beautiful human legacy with others. He had, with the assistance of his merchant uncle, traveled extensively, seeking a spiritual tradition that resonated to this Truth, but to no avail. When he met these sages from India, however, he knew that his search had ended.

Jesus made the dangerous journey to India and practiced this tradition for several years, then returned to Judea to complete his mission. Second century Tibetan records exist that recount his return journey. The *New Testament* describes many aspects of the three years of Jesus' public ministry. For the most part, however, it details the public mission, and refers only off-handedly to the teaching he was giving his rather large body of followers—those going out in pairs to share his teaching with others.

There are many casual references to the

esoteric teachings throughout the Scriptures, but because they were ignored by the Pauline tradition, they are much more apparent in texts that have not undergone centuries of editing. Of these, the recently discovered and authenticated *Gospel of Thomas* serves as a clear link between the inner and the outer teachings of Jesus.

After the Crucifixion, the remaining disciples traveled to the boundaries of the known world to continue their mission. It was, of course, in the Roman Empire that Pauline Christianity flowered, flourished, and finally crowded out teachings it labeled as heretical. John the Beloved was entrusted with assuring that the inner teaching would survive undistorted. He was captured by the Romans and exiled to Patmos for a number of years, where he wrote the *Book of Revelation* and perfected his practice of Ascension.

Upon his release, he and twelve companions began a journey to the mountains of India. He and the three others who completed the pilgrimage contacted the Masters who had originally welcomed Jesus. With their assistance, the Ishaya (meaning “for Christ”) Order was established in a remote valley of the Himalayas. This beautiful and remarkably temperate garden setting, which has been a favorite retreat of enlightened sages for millennia, has been referred to in the legends and lore of many cultures. The Ishayas call it Vashti, and it is there that the tradition of ascension has been preserved for the last 2,000 years, awaiting its advent into the modern world. It was in Vashti that MSI (Maharishi Sadashiva Isham) was trained in the Ascension techniques, and it was from there that he brought the Ishaya Tradition to America.

Upon his return to the United States, MSI began teaching the techniques to all who were willing to learn. He also instructed those who responded to their heart’s desire to fully live the Ishayas’ tradition how to teach and share Ascension. Hosted in living rooms throughout America, the teaching quickly expanded to several countries including Canada, Europe, Japan, New Zealand, and Australia.

Today, the teaching continues to expand wherever the interest is expressed. As it has in centuries past, the Ishayas’ Tradition continues to serve the desire of all who choose to remember their natural birthright of enlightenment. [End quote]

Let us now turn to some introductory remarks from the book *Ascension* by MSI. Note how closely this (and later) information parallels the longtime writings of the Ascended Masters on these same subjects as shared in the pages of this newspaper: [quoting]

They hold that the original teachings of Jesus were not a belief system at all, but rather a mechanical series of techniques to transform human life into a constant perception and knowing of the perfection of divinity within

every human heart.

What is the source or goal of human life? The mind in the waking state is filled with opposing thoughts. Is the perfection of life to be found after death? Is Heaven a far-off state, one to be attained by living a “good” life, or is it something that is at hand—a reality that can be attained here and now, an Ascended reality that is possible to be achieved in the present?

Is it possible to live an ideal, Heavenly life in this world? Is it possible to live every moment in an upward-directed, Ascending mode, in which every thought, word and deed is filled with bliss and love and life? Can individual life become ideal? Can it be completely healed of the pain of past loss and faulty belief?

Logically, it is impossible to heal individual life if the world is not healed. No one is isolated from the rest of humanity; all are woven together in a tapestry of energy and synergy in which the lives and actions of one reflect in all others. If one person suffers, all suffer—at least to some extent. Recognizing this, the ancients formulated a lofty ideal, perhaps best expressed as the Bodhisattva pledge in Buddhism: “I will not leave this world until all are enlightened.”

These teachings are comprised of 27 Attitudes or Techniques, divided into 7 Spheres, each Sphere more powerful than the one before. The First Sphere, which is generally taught over a weekend, contains the first Four Ascension Attitudes or Techniques, which are comprised of, in general terms: (1) Praise; (2) Gratitude; (3) Love; (4) Compassion. Most of the 27 attitudes have three parts: one for the heart, one for the mind, and one to focus awareness. Following the First Sphere weekend teachings, there are Advanced Meetings/Techniques, as well as residential courses. [End quoting]

I now want to share a few statements from the book *First Thunder* by MSI:

“We learn how to use the mind differently! Instead of incessantly thinking, chattering away, never ever stopping for rest, thinking the same thing we thought yesterday and the day before and the day before that, over and over and over again, pointlessly noisy, going nowhere—instead of all that, we rediscover silence inside. We learn to experience the present. We stop regretting the past, we stop worrying about the future. We begin to be Here and Now. Then the full power of the mind is available every moment.

“What’s the emotion in the First Attitude?

“Appreciation, or in one syllable, Praise. Appreciation is almost as powerful as Love and Gratitude, and it’s a lot easier to turn on at will. You can simply shift your mind toward appreciation instead of criticism; your body responds by making you healthier as your mind becomes happier. We can choose to be sad that a glass is half-empty or choose to be happy a

glass is half full. It’s completely within our power; it’s all a matter of choice. And the simple truth is that condemnation never helps anyone improve, whereas appreciation always does.”

Christ said, “Preach from your housetops that which you will hear in your ear. For no one lights a lamp and puts it under a bushel, nor does he put it in a hidden place, but rather he sets it on a lamp-stand so that everyone who enters and leaves will see its light.” — *The Gospel of Thomas*

Turning again to a quote from *Ascension* by MSI:

“Cosmic Intelligence is one name for that Force which pushes our individual lives and our world toward perfection. It is the Source of the harmony between the opposing natural laws that causes all of life to progress, in spite of the appearances on the surface. According to the Ishayas, our only responsibility here on Earth is to make sure that we are not working against Cosmic Intelligence, either consciously or unconsciously.

“Evolution on Earth is accelerating at an ever-increasing rate. The vibratory rate of our world is changing upward so quickly now that there is a real danger large numbers will fail to make this transition. It is our obligation to do whatever we can to enable as many as possible to negotiate this global shift in awareness successfully. This should not be considered a burden; it is a joyous movement upward into the Light; every step forward on this path is not only great good fortune for every individual, but a large upsurge in life for the world’s billions.”

Before we enter the discussion with the monks, I would like to take some time to share with you a few parables, stories, and quotes from the Ishaya newsletters and website.

In the Vol. 2, No. 7 edition of the Ishaya newsletter, *The Ascenders Connection*, we find the following parable:

Where The Greatest Treasure Is Hidden

One day, the gods, having stolen from man his divinity, met in council to discuss where they should hide it.

One suggested that it should be carried to the other side of the Earth and buried; but it was pointed out that man is a great wanderer, and that he might find the lost treasure on the other side of the Earth.

Another proposed that it be dropped into the depths of the sea; but the same fear was expressed—that man, in his insatiable curiosity, might dive deep enough to find it even there.

Finally, after a space of silence, the oldest and wisest of the gods said: “Hide it in man himself, as that is the last place he will ever think to look for it!” And it was so agreed, all seeing at once the subtle and wise strategy.

Man did wander over the Earth, for ages, seeking in all places high and low, far and near, before he thought to look within himself for the divinity he sought.

At last, dimly, he began to realize that what he thought was far off, hidden in the “pathos of distance,” is nearer than the breath he breathes, even in his own heart.

Christ said, “The images are manifest to man, but the Light in them remains concealed in the image of the Light of the Father. He will become manifest, but His image will remain concealed by His Light.” — *The Gospel of Thomas*

In the Vol. 2, No. 5 edition of *The Ascenders Connection*, we read the following wise version of the “making lemonade from lemons” perspective:

The Mule Who Fell In A Well

A farmer owned an old mule. The mule fell into the farmer’s well. The farmer heard the mule ‘braying’—or whatever mules do when they fall into wells.

After carefully assessing the situation, the farmer sympathized with the mule, but decided that neither the mule nor the well was worth the trouble of saving. Instead he called his neighbors together and told them what had happened, and enlisted them to help haul dirt to bury the old mule in the well and put him out of his misery.

Initially, the old mule was hysterical! But as the farmer and his neighbor continued shoveling and the dirt hit his back, a thought struck him (as if mules could think). It suddenly dawned on him that every time a shovel load of dirt landed on his back, he could shake it off and step up!

This he did, blow after blow. “Shake it off and step up; shake it off and step up; shake it

off and step up” he repeated to encourage himself. No matter how painful the blows, or distressing the situation, the old mule fought panic and just kept right on shaking it off and stepping up.

It wasn’t long before the old mule, battered and exhausted, stepped triumphantly out of the well onto solid ground. What seemed like it would bury him, actually blessed him—all because of the manner in which he chose to handle his adversity. (*Story submitted by Wendy Waller of New Zealand*)

Christ said, “He who is near me is near the fire, and he who is far from me is far from the kingdom.” — *The Gospel of Thomas*

In the Vol. 2, No. 6 edition of *The Ascenders Connection*, we are reminded of the power of reconciliation in the following:

The Farmers And The Carpenter

Once upon a time two brothers, John and George, who lived on adjoining farms, fell into conflict. It was the first serious rift in 40 years of farming side-by-side, sharing machinery, and trading labor and goods without a hitch. Then it all fell apart. It began with a small misunderstanding and it grew into a major difference, and finally it exploded into an exchange of bitter words, followed by weeks of silence.

One morning, there was a knock on John’s door. He opened it to find a man with a carpenter’s toolbox. “I’m looking for a few days work,” he said. “Perhaps you would have a few small jobs here and there. Could I help you?”

“Yes” said the older brother. “I do have a job for you. Look across the creek at that farm. That’s my brother. In fact, it’s my younger brother, George.

“Last week, he took a bulldozer to the meadow and now there is a creek between us. He may have done this to spite me, but I’ll go him one better. See that pile of lumber curing by the barn? I want you to build me a fence—an 8-foot fence—so I won’t need to see his place anymore. Cool him down, anyhow.”

John had to go to town for supplies, so he helped the carpenter get the materials ready, and then he was off for the day. The carpenter worked hard all that day measuring, sawing, and nailing.

About sunset, when the farmer returned, the carpenter had just finished his job.

The farmer’s eyes opened wide; his jaw dropped.

There was no fence there at all. It was a bridge—a bridge stretching from one side of the creek to the other! A fine piece of work—handrails and all—and George, his younger brother, was coming across, his hand outstretched. “John, you’re quite a fellow to build this bridge after all I’ve said and done.”

The two brothers stood at each end of the bridge, and then they met in the middle, taking each other’s hand. They turned to see the carpenter hoist his toolbox on his shoulder.

“No, wait! Stay a few days. I’ve a lot of other projects for you,” said John.

“I’d love to stay on,” the carpenter said, “But I have many more bridges to build.” (*Submitted by Christine O’Connor*)

Christ said, “It is I who am the Light which is above them all. It is I who am the all. From me did the all come forth, and unto me the all extend. Split a piece of wood, and I am there. Lift up the stone, and you will find me there.” — *The Gospel of Thomas*

Let us now turn to some extremely powerful suggestions and insights by MSI:

“If one can, even for an instant, be free from the limitations of belief, judgment, and previous experience, the Universe instantly becomes completely different. It is not that one breaks physical laws; rather, one flows in harmony with different physical laws, those that are not commonly known or used. When one is adept with this ability, the full range of the natural Universe is open for exploration and development.

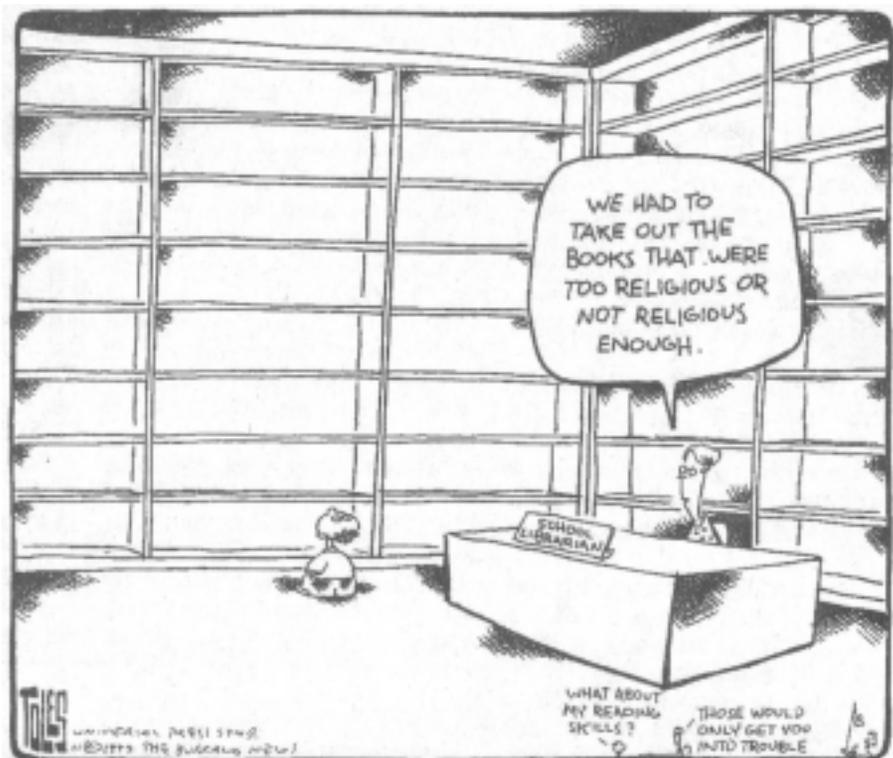
“It is not that some precious few are open to Higher experience and ability. All are. It is not that only a fortunate few can break the restricting confines of their limited pasts and be born into a New World of manifest splendor. All can.

“What is required is nothing more than to stop supporting the old, destructive beliefs by our continual, unconscious choice. How can a choice be unconscious? If we turn often enough from the Light, we may forget that we possess the power to turn back toward the Light at any instant of time. This act of forgetting makes us as if unconscious of our continual, every-moment-repeated choice to believe that we are limited, finite beings, not the Sons and Daughters of God. As we believe, so we act.” — from *Flying With The Eagles, Running With The Lions*

For some further spiritual insight, clarification, and inspiration, let’s now consider a lengthier article by MSI: [quoting]

THE ASCENDANT

When we perceive the external world, we are looking at our definitions of forms and objects, but not the underlying Unified Field in



which they appear. Similarly, our inner world, feelings and thoughts, clutter our awareness, but the awareness of awareness itself is never known. The Ascendant is the space in which things exist; it is the essence out of which everything is made: thoughts, feelings, computers, my aunt Daisy.

This is not a void, as some have claimed; this is not an emptiness or negative reality. Rather, the Ascendant is a positive state of fullness, of Infinite potential energy out of which everything comes. Since the Ascendant underlies and permeates everything in creation, it is called Omnipresent. Everything comes from it and exists only because of it. Nothing can or does exist in isolation. Everything is composed of the Ascendant, continually flowing in and out of manifestation.

The Ascendant cannot be measured or defined. We can assign a name to it, like Infinite or Unbounded or Absolute, but these still imply it is something. Any name for the Ascendant or belief about the Ascendant is not the experience of the Ascendant. It is only when we abandon our insistence on attempting to limit the Unlimited by assigning waking-state concepts to it that the Infinite Light of the Primal World dawns within. Freed from mental fabrications about the nature of Reality, awareness is experienced as Absolute and identical with everything that is.

The Ascendant is without prior cause: it is its own cause; it is ever the same, unchanging. Like water, it is not altered, regardless of how much dirt is added to it: only the clarity of it is shrouded while its essential nature remains the same. The Ascendant is perfect stability; it is the Ground of all grounds. There is no experience of duality in the Ascendant, there is no difference between the self and the Self. There is no separation. Like a peak experience while painting, writing, or composing music, there is no subject-object duality. There is no thought in the Ascendant; there is no feeling; there is nothing other than Silence: Eternal, self-sufficient.

The Ascendant is the Ultimate Reality from which everything has come and in which everything continues to exist forever. To experience this as our True Nature is enlightenment; to remain ignorant of this means remaining caught by the boundaries of illusion, life after life, caught on the wheel of samsara, of cyclic change. Through Ascending, the Ascendant is experienced as our own essential nature, as awareness of awareness itself, as pure Unlimited consciousness. This is the experience of Infinite Freedom. This is liberation from the boundaries of the ego. Since the Ascendant is the Source of everything, recognizing that "I am That" means that I recognize that I am All-pervasive. This is the state of Is-ness, free from any and every duality, freed from the sense of My-ness or even Am-ness. The Ascendant simply is. And

That I am.

Even though the experience of the Ascendant is impossible to define in words, it is a real experience. In fact, the experience of the Ascendant is more real than any waking-state experience. The experience of the Unbounded is infinitely abstract, and yet infinitely concrete. Having once tasted this clearly, life cannot remain the same. There is no previous behavior pattern, habit, judgment, or belief that can withstand the force of Unbounded Awareness, for the Ascendant is the root of everything.

When the mind is experiencing the silence of the Ascendant, there is no motion of thought. Like a perfectly still pond untouched by the wind, there are no waves, no ripples, no motion of any kind when the mind is opened to the experience of the Ascendant. This state is measurable by the electroencephalograph: coherence of brain waves is the objective measurement of the subjective experience of Ascending.

The mind consumes vastly less energy when it floats in the Ascendant; because of this, the body settles down to its deepest possible state of rest. In the perfect state of Infinite silence, there is no necessity for breath: the individual retains life by recognizing that he or she is part of Universal Life, in no way different or separate from Eternal existence. In other words, life continues because life is the essence of the Ascendant. In this state, no decay is possible, no illness, no death, no suffering, no pain.

The Ascendant is the source of everything. Nothing lies outside it; nothing is built of anything other than it; nothing can exist for the small fraction of a moment outside of it. It is the conscious part of consciousness; it is the part of existence that exists. It is all that ever was, all that will ever be; you, with your human nervous system have, by your birth, been given the ultimate gift—a machine that cannot only experience the Ascendant but direct it in any way you choose.

You are actually already directing the Ascendant all the time. But if your mind is not continually focused on one desire at a time, your mutually contradictory thoughts and desires cancel each other out. Not entirely, of course, or else you would be a catatonic schizophrenic—you would do nothing but sit and stare off into space. Since you are reading this, it is safe to assume you are not so self-contradictory that you are sailing in entirely useless circles in the boat of your mind.

The mind in contact with the Ascendant is like a perfectly still pool. Thoughts and desires are like stones dropped into the pool. If one stone falls, perfectly concentric ripples spread beautifully over the water and reach the far shore. If two stones are dropped, there will be crests and valleys that cross over each other, emphasizing some, canceling others. If a whole

handful of stones hit the water at once, chaos is the result—there is no order left. The reflection in the pond is broken into a myriad of imperfect shards. The full Moon can be sailing serenely above, but the pond will show only frenetic motion.

On any sandy beach, the kind and quality of the waves very much determine the shape of the sand. The kind and quality of our thought waves very much determine the overall shape of our minds. The ripples caused by our thoughts and desires produce both immediate (surface) and long-term (underlying) effects. When the pattern of thinking and desiring is chaotic, the result will necessarily be abnormal experiences—mental, emotional, or physical—and abnormal behavior. The extent of the chaotic thinking directly determines the extent of the disorder in life. When the pattern of thinking and desiring is orderly, the result is health, happiness, joy, progress, creativity, fulfillment.

This may be easy to grasp intellectually regarding the individual life: if my thinking is disordered, my actions and life will be disordered. But since the Ascendant is the Source of everything, it is also true that my chaotic thinking will react with all parts of the Universe at all times and all places. Like salmon returning to their hatching grounds to spawn, there are no accidents of fate; there are only our own thoughts returning to their source in our individual minds.

There is quite literally no one to blame, no one to condemn, no one to judge in any way whatsoever. My desires have created my Universe, just for me; your desires have created your Universe, just for you. The fact that so many of our Universes seem so similar and seem to share many common features is a happy or a useful coincidence that defines our common humanity. (Those whose individual Universes are much out of synchrony with the majority of humanity tend to end up in mental hospitals or prisons.) This implies that the best cure for all disease, mental or physical, is the same—reconnecting the individual mind consciously to the Ascendant.

The human mind is so infinitely flexible that it can stretch in its experience from the most concrete to the most abstract—from the physical reality experienced by our senses to the abstract, internal reality of Consciousness itself.

The unifying thread of life is Love. From the most abstract to the most concrete, at every level of existence, at every level of experiencing, runs this slender thread. It seems delicate, a fragile thing, easily lost or broke, but is not so. It is more obdurate than granite; it can never be broken, never diminished, never lost; and it is forever growing, primarily by being given away. We cannot fall out of it, although sometimes we mistakenly believe that we do. Rather, what happens when we feel

that we have fallen out of love is that our mutually contradictory projected desires have made it impossible for our relationship to provide further growth. This is the kindest and most accurate description.

For, underlying all our desires—the melange of contradictory impulses we drop into the still waters of the Ascendant—there forever remains our original intention, crystalline, flawless, pure, directing our being through situation after situation, life after life, world after world. And what is that original intention? It is to return to our Source. We are not and never will be at home here; we will always feel that we are the dispossessed wanderers of time. That, truly, we are. Like Pellinore of the Arthurian legends, we have lost our kingdoms and queendoms and wander aimlessly about, slowly rusting since our home has become invisible to us.

Yet is our exile self-imposed? We chose to be here; we can choose to return whence we came whenever we so desire. Nothing can stand between us and our re-union with our Source, for we never truly left the Ascendant. We only thought we did; we have traveled exceedingly far in our imaginations, but it is fantasy merely. The Ascendant will wait patiently for us to remember, throughout all Eternity if need be. For we are the Ascendant. No matter how long we forget this simple fact, no matter how long we adamantly deny that this is true or continue to build up false dreams and strange beliefs, the Ascendant waits patiently for us.

There is no thought we can think, no action we can perform, that will ever change this simple fact. The Ascendant is the root of all that we are, it is the fullest expression of all we shall ever be; it is the Source not only of us but of everything, everywhere, at all times. Life, therefore, is extremely easy to understand.

If this seems difficult to grasp, it can only be because there is some part of it that has not been properly understood. It can only be because there are still some dark areas of our personalities that have not yet been addressed. How can we change this? In any way that works!

Ascension is a systematic procedure for re-educating the mind to free itself from judgment and condemnation. This is a completely automatic process; once begun it continues much by itself. The mind is similar to a phonograph record—there are grooves in our brains, neuronal circuits, formed by repeated experiences and thoughts. It is possible to retrain the mind so that the deepest grooves are those that lead to expansion of consciousness, to liberation. The mind just needs to learn how to take the correct angle, then the entire process is perfectly natural. The older grooves are overshadowed and eventually erased.

The natural state of the human mind is enlightenment! [End quote]

Now that this information has been shared with you for background, let's move directly into the interview with the Ishaya monks for a better understanding of their philosophy and teaching techniques.

The 3 monks with whom I spoke are called Gomati Ishaya, Himavat Ishaya, and Vasistha Ishaya.

Martin: Historically, do the Ishaya monks have a link with the Himis Monastery in Ladak, referred to historically by the great researcher Nichols Notovitch?

Himavat: Not that I'm aware of.

Martin: Is the origin of the teachings from Kashmir?

Himavat: No.

Martin: Where does this come from, specifically? Is it near a place called Jagannath, Rajagriha, Benares, in the country of Orissa? I know that Christ spent time in a monastery there. Can you give me a clue as to where the Ishayas originate from?

Vasistha: 500 years before Christ, the Shankaracharya revitalized the teaching of enlightenment in the northern Math (school) of India.

Martin: I see, ok, so this was pre-Christ?

Vasistha: Yes.

Martin: Ok. Let's talk about what you refer to as the First Sphere, which consists of 4 attitudes. What are those attitudes and why are they so important as a foundation to your teaching. And please, take as long as you need to discuss those 4 attitudes.

Vasistha: (*laughter*) Ok. The 4 attitudes are based on: praise, gratitude and love...

Martin: Why were you laughing at that question?

Vasistha: It's like saying, "Tell us the attitudes without telling us the attitudes."

Martin: Oh, no, no. (*laughter*) Tell us the attitudes, by all means and...

Himavat: We can say the attitudes in a context of what we call the First Sphere weekend, and they comprise the core, the foundation of the teaching. We will not give you the attitudes, per se. That happens in the context of the weekend workshop.

Martin: I see. I have the attitudes from your Internet site, and from the newsletters. Do I not mention the attitudes in the introductory remarks?

Himavat: We do talk about the praise attitude, the gratitude attitude, the love attitude, and the compassion attitude. So, that's what we'll tell you—about that.

Gomati: But not what the attitudes are, per se.

Martin: I see, ok. Let's just talk about the First Sphere.

Gomati: What would you like to know?

Martin: Everything. (*laughter*)

Himavat: One of the loveliest things about this whole teaching, for me, is that it is only

about your experience. In other words, there's all this stuff that I may believe or not believe, and it is irrelevant to what we really teach. Because what we teach is, when you use these ascension attitudes, you will have an experience, and that, for me, is truly the beginning and the end of what this is all about. Even where it came from doesn't matter, on one level.

Martin: Right.

Himavat: We keep coming back to that, over and over, and then, of course, we talk about it. And so, in praise, for instance, we talk an attitude that is an ascension emotion—an emotion that's uplifting, an emotion that helps to align you with the ascending currents of Creation.

Martin: Ok.

Himavat: It's really that simple.

Vasistha: What's unique about this teaching is that these attitudes have been cognized by the enlightened, and have been held for humanity since the beginning of human. And what's so unique about the attitudes is, because they come from the deepest level of being, the ground of all being, which we call the Ascendant, you use them from the surface level of wherever you're at; it always, always, always takes you into the deepest level of being—always.

At first, your awareness may not be able to follow the attitude all the way in. It's like, when you have a large onion, if you take a knife and cut to the center of the onion and pull the knife out, you only see a cut on the surface of the onion. You can't see the center of the onion. But if you make several thousand cuts, eventually there's an opening where you can actually see the center of the onion. And the psychologists have considered humans like onions, where you have to peel-off layers before you get to the core of the true level of being where pure unconditional love exists, always, and has never not been there. This is a direct path in, where you don't have to peel-off layers—you cut right through the layers to the center of being.

Gomati: And there's no "belief" required. Basically, we talk about this in the First Sphere weekend, that everything we say, including the answer to the question about the origins of the techniques—everything we talk about is for the person to believe or not, as they choose. It does not affect—what Vasistha and Himavat were talking about—which is, THE EXPERIENCE. The experience is what is uniquely yours, and that is really what the focus is on. That's what the emphasis is on. That's what it's all about—being infinite on the inside, and experiencing that fully, regardless of any belief.

Himavat: I could share with you my experience of the attitudes. The very first attitude, the praise attitude, is one which I come back to over and over, no matter how many I

may have learned. And my experience of using the attitude is that, number one, I've begun to redefine what a miracle is in my life because of what I experience, using these attitudes.

For instance, I'll be in a conversation with someone; we might be disagreeing and really wanting to hold a position, and then I'll remember to introduce this first ascension attitude into my thought-stream, and all of a sudden, I'm not invested as much. It's like I've lost half of the investment in needing to hold a position. Then I'll do it again and, by God, almost the rest of my needing to have to be right is gone.

And, for me, I've come to understand that THAT'S the miracle! (*laughter*)

Vasistha: The other thing that's so awesome, almost everybody on Earth is familiar with mind-chatter, where your mind is chattering or talking all the time, whether it's emotions, or thoughts, or pictures, or sounds—the mind is moving all the time. One of the gifts these attitudes give, in a very experiential way, is that you can actually experience the mind shutting off, being still—I mean, BEING STILL. It is the first stage, the very, very beginning stage of experiencing the Infinite, on the inside, when the mind gets still.

Himavat: We'll also say, we also tell people, that all you need is the first ascension attitude to significantly accelerate the growth of your consciousness.

We also say this is not the only path. This just happens to be the most powerful path I've found, which is why I'm excited to be making it available to other people.

And so, over the First Sphere weekend, which is on a Friday night, and all day Saturday, and then all day Sunday, we teach the first four ascension attitudes so that there can be more than just the beginning to work with.

The mind loves to be charged. Vasistha was talking about the ascension attitudes coming from the deepest level of consciousness. My experience is that they work all by themselves. And when I was told by my teacher that these ascension attitudes already exist at the cellular level inside all of Creation, and that they resonate naturally—which is why they are so easy to do—it gave me, my mind, a context in which to begin to understand how come this is so easy.

And some people don't care. And, anymore, I don't care. But the mind loves to be entertained. And it was consistent with my experience. I've never found a teaching that was so easy. I've tried to meditate. I've tried dozens of different techniques and had a few teachers and read hundreds of books, and every time I used a technique, I would use it for a while and it would be wonderful, but then there would come a point where it seemed to be too much like work, even if I would do it anyway.

This has given me the experience of how easy it can be. There's another miracle for me: It is, it's effortless.

Gomati: Between the three of us sitting here, Rick, we had 50 years of meditation experience BEFORE we came to ascension. All three of us were seekers, in our own way, and tried a lot of different things. And one of the things that excited me about this path, too, is the fact that THERE IS NO OUTER GURU. There is no person who you give your energy to who stands between you and Source.

There was an MSI, and he's no longer in the body. What he always talked about is what we live now—which is to know the guru within, to grow our own Universe, and to know what we know from our intimate connection with the Infinite, and not to put any other person between us and Source, but to know that that connection is always there, within us.

Martin: Well, see, that's the key. I'm sure that will be the key to our readers. I believe that's the key, going directly to Source and never forgetting that. And the tendency in this culture is to forget that, to be programmed to either traditional religion, or cults, or guru situations; it's very unfortunate.

I grew up in California, and I caught the tail end of the '60s and went to college in the early '70s in the San Francisco Bay Area. So, I've ridden the "guru wave" for many years, and I've done a lot of spiritual reading over the years. I heard Ram Dass talk many times, and Alan Watts, you name them, I heard them—Lama Govinda, Swami Satchidananda, Krishnamurti, and others—and, of course, the conclusion has been, for me, for many years, that there should be no separation between Source and self. The answer lies within. Just like Immanuel, the Christ always taught, "The kingdom of God is within you." It's music to my ears, and I'm sure it will be music to our readers' ears, to hear you say that it is an experiential thing, and that it is with self, and that there is no guru. It is individual, and it is direct, and I think that is really nice. And I should step off my soapbox here, for a minute, and let you talk.

Vasistha: What you had to say was awesome, and there's one thing that is taught very clearly—that it's a natural, normal stage of every human being to experience the Infinite on the inside; it is actually normal. We're subnormal when we're not there. It is just because of the habit of riding the senses outward that we lost contact with the inner self.

Martin: I agree!

Vasistha: And this is a teaching that effortlessly retrains the senses to go inward, first, to the Source of Being, and then come out from there. And it has been confirmed by everybody who has been able to touch this Source, that yes, things do come from there; and yes, techniques do take you there, very

easily; and yes, there may be some stress in the way, which—almost everybody is stressed. And when you're so wrapped-up in stress, you can't feel deeply enough on the inside to find the peace or the sound that underlies everything.

So, the First Sphere is designed to move stress out of the nervous system so that you can experience, inside, that which has no edges or boundaries that the mind can grab a hold of. Usually, when people first begin to experience this silence, with no edges to grab a hold of to define anything, the only similar situation the mind has for that is sleep. So many times, at first, the mind, the body will say, "I must be asleep." That is not the case. Over time, you can bring the stillness from deep inside you closer to the surface of your being, so you can walk it and live it all the time.

You don't have to—with this practice, you can do it while you're walking, while you're talking, while you're driving. And it's safe to use while you're driving because it gets you more present in the body, not spaced-out of your body. It brings more of you to the table, instead of just the 5 percent. It brings all of you to the table, to be present, in this moment, with all of you instead of just a small portion.

Himavat: I would like to share a little bit about my experience with some of what Sadashiva (MSI) wrote. Sadashiva is our teacher. His name is Maharishi Sadashiva Isham. We've self-published 5 books. And when I was a student in college in the late '60s and early '70s, I studied the religions of India and China and Asia, and came across Patanjali for the first time, the *Yoga Sutras*, and I literally got a headache trying to...

Martin: (*laughter*)

Himavat: ...and in the ensuing 30 years, I was, over and over again, drawn back to try to understand Patanjali. Then I would come across different translations, wherever I was at that time, whatever bookstore had the *Yoga Sutras*, and each time I would end-up with a headache, again. It was really frustrating for me.

When I came across Sadashiva's translation and commentary, I was so excited. In his preface, the forward, he talks about why would another person want to translate this book; it's one of the most widely translated books on the planet. He says, because typically it's been translated by scholars who did not understand the level of consciousness that Patanjali was writing from.

And so, I said to myself: "Well, this is interesting." And, the implication was that Sadashiva—I don't remember how he states it—you'll have to check out the book yourself, but my experience is that he is coming from that same level of consciousness. And, for me, the most exciting thing—are you familiar with the *Yoga Sutras* by Patanjali?

Martin: Many years ago.

Himavat: There's a whole chapter talking about the different stages of enlightenment, stages of consciousness as we grow. Typically it's been translated as a "how to" book. Through these suggested things that he's telling you to do in the book, then you will achieve these results.

And Sadashiva differs dramatically from that. He says: "No, it's a map. It's not a manual." So, if you want to get from San Francisco to L.A., you look at a map, but then you actually have to get in the car.

And Sadashiva says: "This is not a manual." You've got to actually do it. You have to have adequate tools. And he refers to ascension attitudes as, of course, adequate tools. Again, they are not the only tools. We do not pretend this is the only path, but they are adequate.

And for what Patanjali was saying, in terms of Sadashiva's translation and commentaries, one of the most exciting things about the book for me was the first verse, which is known as the *sutra*, in the first of the four chapters. And in there, he translates—it's lovely because he gives you the actual Sanskrit; then he transliterates, so that you can just pronounce the Sanskrit; and then he translates, so you get the English translation of the Sanskrit. And then he gives you a lovely commentary.

Now, in the translation of the first verse, he said: "Now, the teaching of yoga." And that comma, Rick, makes all the difference in the world. And since Sadashiva has published that book, I'm noticing other people are getting that and bringing that forward in things like *The Yoga Journal*. The point is the NOW, in the teaching of yoga; if we can just be in this moment, innocently, then we get what Union Yoga is all about.

And that innocence it what is engendered, every time we introduce an ascension attitude, and that innocence builds. It gives us an opportunity to let go of everything that we thought we were, and allow the Source to come through us more purely, to let go of any notions. And that innocence is just real exciting.

Vasistha: It's like, how can you know the Infinite if you don't know it, if you don't have a direct experience of it? You can have all kinds of ideas. So, the way you begin to find out who you are is to let go of who you are, and that's all the clouds in the way of the Sun, and then the Sun dawns naturally when the clouds move. It's not like it wasn't there. It's always been there!

Martin: Right.

Vasistha: It's always been there. Just let go of what poofs out of us, what stress needs to move out of us—fears and hurts move out of us—and then who we are dawns naturally, and it's there in everyone. It's already there! It's the normal stage of human life.

Gomati: This is so contrary to what we

have been programmed to do and be our whole lives, which is about striving to achieve and working and "making something happen". And, the whole concept of enlightenment is very much about letting go and relaxing TO your own enlightenment. It's about letting go, and letting go. And there's always—what I find in my life and my process is, there's always more ways that I can let go. And when I find those and release whatever it is that I'm still holding onto, in any way, the growth is incredible. And my experience of the Infinite expands every time that happens, as well. And so, it's constantly a process of being willing to BE, be present, and let go. So—let go!

Vasistha: Actually, the attitude facilitates quite naturally. It's not like something that you have to consciously do. It's like, you're hit in the arm and it hurts, you clench around it, your body clenches around it because it's painful. When we have emotional pain, we tend to clench around that too, and what that does is not lock the pain out, but actually locks the pain in.

Because these attitudes take you toward deeper states of relaxation and rest, naturally, without effort, when you're totally relaxed, you can't clench. Whatever stress is in there begins to move naturally and effortlessly because you're so relaxed you can't hold it in anymore. So, it moves out of you.

Quite often it moves out quite gracefully, and sometimes it moves out where you're aware of it. But anyway, it comes out of you, and it's awesome. And the result of that, letting go of what is stuck on the inside is—you can ask anybody, anywhere on Earth, "Have you ever experienced pain in your life?"

"Well, of course I have." And we all have clenched areas on the inside that can be removed very easily and gracefully, if you just relax them.

Gomati: One thing, Rick, about this teaching that makes it really unique that was such a powerful attractor for me, from my experience, in past meditation and spiritual practices, is the fact that this is the only teaching that I, personally, have ever found that helps to release all of the emotional blocks that have built-up over a lifetime of living on planet Earth. All the things, all the ways that we believe, or have believed in the past, that we were "less than perfect", that there was something wrong with us, that we're disconnected from Source, that our bodies are unattractive, we're unlovable, we don't deserve love, all those basic root-stresses that life on planet Earth seems to engender in all of humanity—I used to think that it was just the U.S. But I've been traveling around the world teaching ascension; I have found it to be a common denominator.

Martin: Right.

Gomati: And it is what keeps ones from being, fully, who they are. Because it is the

emotional attachments to these old, limiting beliefs that keep us from being fully present in the moment, that cause us to be scattered, when going over past moments, or even projecting fear into the future, or worry, or whatever we do with the past—as opposed to being in the Absolute Present Moment.

Martin: One of the questions that I had for you, and you're answering it as you're talking, I believe: what do you find in the First Spheres, as you go out on an Arch—and probably you should mention what that is—as you're talking to people, or teaching people in the First Sphere; what do you find are some of the most difficult blocks for people to overcome in order that they can move forward with the training?

Vasistha: The first thing that I face a lot is: "Why do you charge \$200? If it's truth, why don't you just give it out for free?" You know, it's usually money that is the sticking point for a lot of people.

Martin: Well, sure. A lot of people can't afford it.

Vasistha: Or they say they can't. Everybody I've come across, of those people who said they can't afford it, and then when I said, "It's not about the money, it's about if you want this, really, can you get what you want?" And it happens for people when they really desire it.

The second thing is: Do you want to support people's limitations? We don't choose to support people's limitations. The hardest thing the ego cannot do is ask for help, and say, "Can you do something else? Can you work something else out?" And that's an individual call, by each of the individual teachers.

But the first thing, to use a metaphor, is how a flower receives the infinite light of the Sun and lets its inner essence out, lets it open—but the opening has to come from the inside of the flower, from the human heart. We give a part of ourselves, we create an opening to receive the gift. And the part of ourselves that almost everybody is most tightly wrapped around is money. I mean, almost everybody. And so, absolutely, what's required for enlightenment is to take a step and not know where your foot's going to land.

Martin: Right.

Vasistha: So, you pay \$200 [*the cost for a First Sphere weekend*] and you don't know if it's going to be worth it or not. I've been to 10,000 other workshops, and is this going to disappoint me, again? You decide to do it, and you find out. And that's a step of unknown. Then you get to experience, and it's just an awesome gift to have people take that step.

Himavat: Things that I notice in myself, and just about everybody else who I come across as students, or even in my life, is—I have this incredible tendency to focus on the problem. Like, "I cannot do this, because..." or "What's wrong?" And what the ascension

attitudes teach us is to focus on the solution. So, what do you want? Do you want to take a risk that the universe might support you in that?

When I find something to praise—in you or anyone else who I’m talking to—then the miracles start to happen. But what I’m doing is shifting a real, fundamental trick of the ego to focus on the truth of the ascending currents of Creation, and a solution, and then the problem gets washed away.

I’ve spent a lot of good money on therapists, for a long time; all we did is focus on the problem and we made a little progress. Ok, fine. We got through some stuff and that was fine.

This is what I find: We have this incredible tendency, wherever I go, to continue to focus on the problem. And we can do that if we want, but it’s just so slow and tedious. And so, yes, we acknowledge the problem. There is NO “Pollyanna” here. There is NO “ostrich” here. Yes, there is a pink elephant, and that’s what I’m feeling. I’m feeling scared, or whatever, and notice it, but don’t focus on it.

We focus on solutions, which is in finding praise, finding gratitude, finding love, and finding compassion. And when we focus on that, that’s when the miracles happen.

That’s the biggest thing I find, wherever I go, and it manifests in all kinds of different ways. Sometimes it’s money, sometimes it’s the place, a simple venue. “Oh, my house is too small.” I was in Japan teaching and there was so much self-consciousness about people’s homes, and they were really scared to bring the teacher into the homes, because they had all this self-consciousness. And it all boils down to that same thing, that “there’s something wrong with me”. And what we do is, we cut to the chase. We say, “Ok, that’s your belief and that may be your experience, but here, I’m going to give you something that I see in you that’s praiseworthy, right here, and right now. So, there’s the miracle.

Gomati: I find that there’s a lot of people who experience pain of love lost, or pain from feeling hurt by a loved one, lifetimes of repressed pain and sadness and rejection and abandonment, and all those deep issues that go way back, and they underlie a lot of programs that get run in the head—about not being worthy, about not being deserving, about not deserving to have money, about not being able to do things, about not understanding anything beyond the limitations that are imposed by those underlying beliefs.

And so, with the ascension attitudes, they go right to the source of all the old, limiting beliefs that people come with, and by the very use of them, actually help to release the emotions related to them. And they come out, sometimes, just while you’re simply ascending. You could be lying down, totally relaxed, very peaceful, old emotions might move in ways without expressing them. And then there might

be emotions that come up that are strong, that need to be spoken out—where you have a “charge”, that you just need to say whatever it is you feel the charge is about, so that you can move the emotions.

The process of healing the “emotional body” is key to expansion of consciousness; it’s integral. And so, it is a natural part of the process, and it automatically evolves with the use of the attitudes; it unfolds.

Vasistha: One of the things we draw in an introductory talk, or a Sphere, is that a mind is like a blank slate; there’s infinite potential there. And then the mind gets covered in with life experiences of hurt and pain, and whatever else happens in our environment that gets us to feel more and more limited until, by the time we’re adults, we’re pretty predictable in many ways and we have used less than, I would say less than 5%, probably 1% or 2% of our brain in a “conscious” way. Most of our actions become unconscious; most of what’s running through our head is unconscious.

When we effort to change, from the conscious level, all of our unconscious stuff, it is almost impossible. It’s like one stone in the river trying to divert the river. But when you go beneath, below all the unconscious, to the level of the Source of Truth, from that level, from the level of the Ascendant, the stuff moves gracefully out of our nervous system that blocks our awareness of our true and immortal self. It just gradually moves that out, the attitudes. Everybody has thoughts all the time anyway. If you have a thought that takes you to the Source of Being, that begins to move all of the stuff out of the way, and your awareness of that, conscious awareness of...(voice fades out).

Martin: I’m sorry, you’re cutting in and out. Are you there?

Vasistha: Yes. I get inspired and I start speaking softer, sometimes.

Martin: Well, yes, I do the exact same thing. And the tendency is, as your consciousness goes up, the voice tends to fade-out. (laughter)

Vasistha: I’ve been told about that, a few times.

Martin: Let’s keep talking along this line. Let’s talk about emotional blocks, about these attitudes like gratitude, compassion. On an experiential level, you know, it’s very easy to live in the country, which I do, and be compassionate as you are walking out and looking at the blue birds and watering the garden, and then you go to the post office and you run into a big long line, then somebody pulls out in front of you, in the parking lot. And, I mean, there goes compassion, right out the window. (laughter) So, on an experiential level, living in the inner city (laughter)—I’m being facetious now—but you know what I’m saying. How do you maintain that “center of peace” while living in the REAL world?

Himavat: We lose that center all the time, don’t we?

Martin: Absolutely.

Himavat: And so, what we have now is—I have the most dependable tool, the most reliable vehicle I’ve ever had. In other words, I get angry. I get frustrated. I project out. I have all those feelings. They’re not compassionate, and they’re not gentle.

So then, I have this vehicle, this tool, it’s such a simple thought. And I introduce this thought into my consciousness, and it works all by itself. I don’t even have to figure out how I’m going to be a nice guy, or how I’m going to change my emotions, or which block it is, or how it’s going to work out, because what we call the Ascendant—and it doesn’t matter, you can call it the Source, you can call it God, you can call it Nature, you can call it the Infinite—we don’t care what you call it. We just use the word Ascendant for the reasons that we have. But when I introduce the ascension attitude in the way—and the way that Vasistha described it was lovely, about cutting to the core of the onion with a knife—you may not see it, but that’s the miracle. I mean, I continue to experience miracles after doing this for 4 years, and the miracles just keep coming and coming and coming.

And the miracle is, the anger goes away. The urges to push, or to have it my way, go away. It doesn’t mean they don’t come back. We’re talking full human consciousness. And full human consciousness includes all of that. It includes wanting to have it our way—includes the anger, the frustration, the sadness, the pain, the deep emotional scares, the superficial emotional scares. What we learn to do is embrace them. I mean, when we engage the ascending attitude of love by using, for instance, the love technique that we teach in the First Sphere weekend, then something happens that is beyond my conscious mind. It goes to the Source. And the surface of the mind, where we have all this consciousness, where the mind lives, that really only comprises about 5% of what really is possible for us, as humans, to access through the miracle of the brain and nervous system.

And so, these ascension attitudes begin to wake-up the part of us that’s been asleep, the part of us that knows that there’s no separation, the part of us that DOES create the miracles all by itself. And so, if someone cuts me off in traffic, I introduce an ascension attitude and I’m not angry like I used to be. It’s really that simple.

Gomati: Living the attitudes with the eyes open, all day long, as you go about your life, is what’s referred to in the Bible as praying without speaking. It is that constant connection with Source that IS the shift in consciousness. It is the nervous system being cleared. And it takes a cleared nervous system to be a perfect vehicle for consciousness. And it is through a

clear nervous system that ones return to who they really are, and get to fully experience their Divine Essence, with the Divine Essence.

So, the importance of being with the attitudes all the time, using them as you go throughout your day, is that you are constantly releasing stress—you know, the kind that you were talking about, Rick, standing in the line at the post office, or being cut-off in traffic, and all of the things that happen every day to everybody. These are then just occurrences in your life, and they are not big deals, and they don't push your buttons the way they may have in the past. That's because, in that moment, you have a choice. You have this awesome gift and you can choose to be totally connected with Source at every moment.

Vasistha: It's sort of like, naturally, learning to take a half-step inward, and then you're in this ocean of peace. And then how can the outside be more dominant? How can the outside twirl you around, when you take that half-step inward? And so, actually, it's learning by using the attitudes to take a half-step inward.

And this is not a system that is a mantra. It's very important to not have it as a mantra, but as a hallowed space between the attitude and the next time you introduce the attitude. So, it's not a mantra.

And it is something you can choose. Usually, people on First Sphere, many times, at least the ones who I've taught, get so relaxed and change, over the course of the weekend—which is a miracle in itself—get so relaxed over the course of the weekend that they say it's like they become aware of the body being totally deeply relaxed and they feel like they need a month of sleep because they got so relaxed; they're finally aware of how tired they really are.

And all that negative stuff moving out. It's like, a lady I taught in Australia, it's so funny. She smokes, and she's a mile-a-minute talker, so you know she had a lot of "mind chatter" going on all the time. You know, yak-yak-yak inside the mind, thoughts going all the time. She said, at six weeks after the First Sphere, she was out picking grapes and she looked up and there was something wrong. She was looking around and there was something really wrong.

Martin: (laughter)

Vasistha: What was wrong was, the mind was silent.

Martin: It was quiet. (laughter)

Vasistha: It was quiet. It was like, she went on working and she'd look up again, and it was still quiet on the inside. It was like a shock to her, it was so quiet. And that's so awesome; that's the gift!

If you have inner quiet, what disturbs your ocean? The little wind that blows on the outside isn't enough to disturb the depths. And the other thing that's so awesome is because,

when you're in this place of that half-step inward, it's like what energy comes out of you has a coherent, laser-like quality that touches every nervous system around you. And, it's like you bring this with you, this can touch people just because you're there in that awareness in your nervous system, so powerful and so coherent, it goes out from you and it's like a coherent, unified field; it just touches everything around you. It's awesome.

The inside and the outside begin to match. It's like you're the bringer of peace into your environment, not because of a behavior pattern, but because you're actually experiencing peace in a deep way, and it just brings peace all around you, because that's the natural condition of human life. And the mind-chatter and the stress are self abuse that we've done to ourselves all our life, by getting lost on the outside and not knowing that we had any other choice. And now, with these ascendant attitudes, we have a choice that makes a huge difference. And all of Nature and all of life support this, because it is built into the structure of Creation.

And so, in just choosing an attitude—I mean, it's awesome what it can do and what it does. All of life supports everybody in waking up. What if it's really true that each one of us is an Infinite Immortal Being who just forgot, and believes the forgetfulness?

Martin: I just received, by e-mail, your latest newsletter. One of the questions in the newsletter is, "How do I plan for the future while staying in the present moment?" (The question comes from Chen-Meng Tan, Petaling Jaya, Malaysia.) Care to comment on that?

Vasistha: Sure. We'd love to comment on it. For me, when I strain to make things happen, it's like I'm fighting the river, and it can beat me up, you know? And when I relax a little bit, there's a flow that seems to happen. And being in that flow, that half-step inward, where actually things come to me BEFORE I try to make them happen. It's like, look what's happening in your life, actually.

Martin: That's well said.

Vidya: Hi, I'm Vidya. I'm the guy who wrote the answer to that question written in the newsletter. I'm the one who sent you the newsletter.

Martin: Oh, good, thank you.

Vidya: Basically, you got the answer already that I wrote there. I can just tell here what I wrote, which was that, it's very simple. You stay in the moment, no matter what you're doing. Perpetual consciousness is about being aware of what you're doing in every single moment; be aware that, hey, there's something that needs to be planned for in the future, but you don't lose the now. So, it's not about going into the future, or into the past, but just being here, now, and doing whatever you're doing in this moment, whether it's planning or anything else.

Himavat: This is another way of using these attitudes which have many, many layers that they operate on. One of the subtle things that happens is, every time we introduce one of the ascension attitudes, our awareness is brought inward. Everything in our culture, and all around the world, is wanting to draw our awareness outward. And so, we have all of these belief systems that are based on "come outward to get your answers" and "come outward to find your solution" and "come outward to deal with this outside world".

What we're saying is, now you have a choice. When you go inward, something different is going to happen, and you're going to begin to have different experiences based on this new focus, which is 100% inward, if only for a moment. And then, of course, our attention is drawn outward again.

But the future, on the outside, is something that we have all these systems to cope with, depending on how we've created our life right now. And what we're saying is, there's a new way—however the Universe wants to present itself, whether it's the future or in this present moment, or whatever—and that the more you take your focus inward, the more you line-up with that part of the Universe that wants to support you totally, in every moment, including this one, by focusing on this moment, now, which comes back to that innocence.

We're used to looking to the future, and it's not like we don't make plans. Of course, we still do make plans, because we are IN the world. And what we are remembering is: we are NOT OF the world, and so, that's the tricky part.

How do we be in the world and not of the world? We remember both.

I have a physical body. I need to pay rent next week. The electric bill is due. You know? So, what am I going to do? And then we go inside, and then something happens. And to the extent that we allow that, and learn more discernment about how that wants to play-out, by continuing to take this focus to the Source and allow the Source to become more a part of our experience, then the inner and the outer begin to blend, to become more in harmony with each other, and things take care of themselves—maybe not the way that we expect them, but maybe the best way for our growth. And it's a question only you can answer.

Martin: All these are great answers. I'm trying to interject as little as possible to just let you all talk.

Vasistha: Go ahead and interject, it might spark something!

Martin: I've literally found, in these interviews, if I just allow the space for people to speak, it gets very interesting very quickly. So, I just want to allow the space for you all to speak while we have the time.

Let's keep talking about this. Let's talk

about this inward experience. Very often I have had the experience with spiritual beings in my life, who basically—I suppose we could go back, speaking of the late '60s, we could go back to “turn-on, tune-in, and drop-out”. That tends to be a tendency of many people to, literally, just withdraw on the inner; then inner life becomes so rich that the outer life becomes less and less important. You see that in India, of course, a lot. So, using the ascension attitudes, I guess the question would be, how do you balance a rich inner life, and still function IN the world without becoming sucked into being OF the world?

Vasistha: It sounds like some people try escaping, and that's not what this does, because it does bring you totally into your body, totally present, and more able to function. You know, I've had tapes which are meditation tapes that say: “Do not use while driving or operating heavy equipment.”

Martin: Right.

Vasistha: But we say, these adages that we give: “Safe to use while driving or operating heavy equipment.” So, this brings you more present, and at the same time, more peace. It's like there's more of you, with less stress, available.

And it's the gentle half-step inward that brings you—I mean, why do we plan for the future? Because our past hurts and pains have told us that we have to do something in the future to prevent pain from happening in the present.

When we begin to heal the pain, then we can let go enough to be open to much more of the Universe coming to us. Most people have thoughts like: “I want the perfect job, the perfect wife, the perfect family, the perfect whatever, great income” and yet we don't manifest that in our lives because 95% of the undercurrent in our lives, called the unconscious, says: “You don't deserve that.” “You're not worthy.” “You're not good enough.”

This happened as a child, and because this happened, you shut down a part of yourself, emotionally or mentally. And these ascension attitudes heal those layers of internal, unconscious hurts and stresses that have blocked us from fulfillment in our lives, blocked us from knowing, from direct experience—that the Universe really does support us, totally. That is, we're supporting the Universe, and the Universe is supporting us, and we're all right together in a unified way that's awesome, that's beyond the mind's, the brain's ability to comprehend. It's more experiential, and by feel this begins to wake-up, naturally, on the inside, natural evolution called expansion of consciousness, expansion of the mind, and expansion of the heart. For the mind to experience the Infinite, the heart to experience the Infinite—the inside and the outside and the connection in-between.

Gomati: And a natural part of that is when you share it with other people. What we have here, based out of North Carolina, are 90 teachers, and when we're here we have each other and a lot of support, in a really beautiful setting, in the Smoky Mountains. The energy is really intense and awesome because we ascend here 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. And yet we all choose to go out and teach and be in the world because sharing what we have is such a great gift, and so rich and fulfilling for each of us, that we all really look forward to, and are very enthusiastic about, traveling all around this country, and all around the world, and meeting people who also are excited about being who they fully are, and growing.

It's such an organic, natural extension of inner expansion to share it on the outside, and to be there for other people so that when they go through stages of experiences that you have had, you can be there to support them through those stages. And it can be a whole experience in itself, just that opportunity to be there; it's such a privilege and such an honor, and such a high. We all just really love it.

Martin: It's part of what we call giving and giving.

Himavat: Just to be pedantic for a moment and to define what we mean when we say “We ascend here”. It's so, so simple. What we mean by that—'cause I know that word has a lot of definitions in the metaphysical community anymore—

Martin: Sure it does.

Himavat: —so, specifically, what we mean is: we introduce these ascension attitudes, and then we have an experience, and then we introduce the ascension attitudes, again. And so, that's the beginning and the end of the program. And whatever happens is going to happen.

So, when we say we ascend, it's—I like to tell people it's a cross between prayer and meditation. Because, for me, it's easier than any meditation I EVER used, and it's because it works WITH the mind, not trying to still the mind. All the meditations I ever used, I was always trying to still the mind, and I don't try to do anything with this. And so, I introduce the ascension attitudes, or series of ascension attitudes, however my program looks, and then something happens. And that's all we mean. It's not like we're trying to conjure up anything besides that. It's amazingly simple.

Vasistha: The other thing is, on the property we do have ascension times from 4-6 p.m., two hours in the afternoon where we consciously do closed-eyed ascension as a group, and it's awesomely glorious to have that group focus, then. It's like you can feel the whole energy of the property drop to a much deeper level. Even people coming onto the property, who are sensitive, can feel a big shift. And there's a time in the morning, usually around 7:30-9:30 a.m., where people do it also,

closed-eyed ascension.

And then the recommendation is to do open-eyed ascension as much as possible. And there's a lot of support for remembering to do that, and support for moving through whatever clouds come in front of the Sun, whatever stress needs to move out of the way, so you can be more fully who you are.

Himavat: I was out of the room for a few minutes. Did we define for you what an Arc is?

Gomati: No.

Martin: No, not yet.

Himavat: I'll get back to that, real briefly. It's a word that came out of wherever it came from, to define a particular way that we go out traveling as a teacher. For instance, I might go out with Vasistha, and he and I would decide, either with sponsors, or knowing that there are sponsors we would contact, we'd go, say, to California and Arizona and New Mexico. To pick an example, we'd travel in that area for an extended period of time, say, it might be as briefly as a week and a half or two weeks; it might be as long as three or four months. We ALLOW the Ascendant to show us where to go a lot. And, of course, we make phone calls, we make plans, we make commitments. The First Spheres that we teach are based on commitment of sponsors who open-up, who find a venue for us, or students who commit to the First Sphere class.

We also have advanced classes, or advanced meetings for anyone who's been through the First Sphere weekend, who then becomes what we call an advanced ascender, and there are programs for them. And sometimes those advanced programs are built into this tour; I suppose that would be another way to describe what we mean when we say we're going on an Arc.

It's very individual. Each teacher or group of teachers will define it, depending on how they are moved, and how the sponsors have invited them, and all kinds factors that play into it. Hopefully that gives you some idea of what we mean when we say that we're going out on an Arc.

Martin: Yes, it does, perfectly. We have a few minutes, as many minutes as you want to give, here.

As you've traveled out in the world and throughout the United States, over the last few years, have you noticed—it's my personal belief that the planet is shifting in frequency, is increasing in frequency. There is a greater, call it a “love vibration” or “God energy” on the planet. The millennium is a key time, spiritually, for the planet, and also evolutionarily—geophysically and emotionally and spiritually, on all levels. Have YOU noticed a change or a shift over the last number of years? Has your reception been, say, even warmer and better in the last year or two than earlier? What have been your observations as

you've done this?

Vasistha: What I've noticed is that people start further along. When I first started teaching, just 4 years ago, people's starting point was much lower. And now, when I teach, people are much more conscious when I teach them. It's awesome.

Yeah, I've had awesome responses and the people are much further along, and much more awake, and examples in the world are all the unconscious stuff is being made conscious. The hidden stuff can't be hidden anymore. Also, more people are reaching to wake-up, and it's an awesome experience. And it doesn't take everyone to wake-up for the whole field of human consciousness to wake-up. It only takes enough, a very small number actually, to wake-up to shift the whole field of human consciousness.

Gomati: One of the ways I've observed the shifts and changes happening are in the cultural changes that have been going on. For example, in Ireland, as recently as 2 or 3 years ago, if you'd been there, there would have been a lot of activity every Sunday in the churches. In Southern Ireland, in particular, it would be the Catholic Church. What has evolved over the last, just the last 2 or 3 years, is that attendance has dropped off so much in the Catholic Churches that, now there are not so many people attending every Sunday. However, vacant Catholic Churches, that have been abandoned for lack of use, have been turned to alternative uses, like lighting-fixtures stores, cafes, clothing stores. This would have been sacrilege only 3 years ago.

The life that existed for the Irish people after work—of going to the pub, and sitting around and sharing beer with your buddies, and exploring all of the emotions that are stuck in there, has totally shifted, and now home and the heart are with the family, much more. And the pub is much more an outer accouterment than a place that people go for their social belongingness, and their ability to work through emotions, and live in the world.

So, all these old mores, not just in that culture but in a lot of other cultures where I've taught, are falling away. It's like the old programs that kept people locked into patterns that were not helpful for their growth, and which kept them thinking small and feeling small, are slowly but surely falling away.

In Asian cultures, there is a Confucianism whereby the children gave their power away to their parents, not just during childhood, but after adulthood, where their parents decided who they would marry. Their parents decided what job they would have. Their parents decided what their life would be like. And that has been honored for centuries in a lot of Oriental cultures. And, again, it's falling away.

Finally, people are starting to ask: "What do I want? What is MY future?" And to actually believe that they deserve to know who they

fully are and explore their own spiritual growth. I mean, all kinds of exciting things like this are happening, planetarily, every day, and it's getting more and more speeded-up, in my experience, so that people are coming to their deepest desires; they're wanting to know who they are, and feeling for the first time in their life the freedom to explore those options to find out the answers to those questions.

Martin: Art Bell liked to use the expression "The Quickening" and I think that's a very appropriate phrase.

Himavat: In the First Spheres, no matter where I teach, whether it's in Japan or Australia or anywhere in the United States or Canada, the people who come to the First Sphere weekend quickly understand material that we used to have to really take a lot of time with; it amazes me. In other words, we have things that we like to talk about that help the mind and the heart to come together over the First Sphere weekend, wrapped-up with the art of ascension, if you would like to call it that. And so there was all this material that I used to go over, and all these examples that I used to use for people, and I find that I'm not, hardly, using any material any more.

I mean, there's some fundamental material that I love to hear, and it still has great value, but most of it people get so quickly that I find myself just sharing my experiences, and then people are so much more open at the get-go, at the beginning of the weekend, that they're sharing their experiences.

It's awesome that people get so deep, so quickly now, with these ascension attitudes, in a way that's exponential compared to—I mean, I might see someone really so vibrantly alive, 1 person out of 7 or 8, 3 years ago, and now 6 or 7 out of 8 are just lit-up like a Christmas tree, far before the weekend is over, because they're ready. We're ALL ready, because this truth wants to come through us. It's so much faster now than it was 3 years ago; there's just no comparison.

Martin: Is the goal of the Ishayas to just maintain the number of monks you have now, and just go out into the world and teach this teaching? Are there those among you who are writing a lot? Are you publishing? Is your task more along the oral tradition path, to teach this method and that's, basically, it?

Vasistha: Actually there is a goal, and in the next 15 or 20 years, we'll know if we've done it. And the goal can be stated several ways.

One way is for 144,000 people to reach the first stage of enlightenment, or 10,000 to reach the unified consciousness stage. That will be enough to shift all human consciousness out of the sleep state and into awareness of the Infinite, on the inside, as a reality. This would be something that is experientially present, that this shift will come and the peace that passes understanding will be a viable experience in

human consciousness, not something that's talked about and was only experienced a long time ago.

Himavat: And we let the Universe support us. It's like a play, where it's opening and evolving and writing itself every day, as long as we continue to focus ourselves by using these ascension attitudes, all the time, day and night; then we are moved to respond to all that's out there. People want this.

And one of the tricks is: some people already know that this is what they want; some people know that they want something, but they don't know what it is, and so we get to see the beginning of the bridge for those people who don't even know what it is they want; they just know that they want something.

So we make this available however the wants present themselves. The ways that we make it available continue to evolve. Some of us like to write. Some of us prefer to do the computer. Vidya, who has spoken here, is our key player to the computer web. And some of us like to travel, and there's all kinds of ways that we want to get this out.

Gomati: One of the things I wanted to say in response to your question, also, was that while we have 90 people who have already gone through teacher's training, who are teachers, or monks, if you will, we have at this moment, as we speak, another 60 who are in the process, at one stage or another, of becoming teachers of ascension.

This is an ongoing process we have all the time, and what we call this property here in North Carolina is the Academy, because it is a teaching academy for people who are ready to make the commitment in their lives, to dedicate their life to their own healing, and in so doing, heal the planet. This begins from our own internal healing, our constant connection with Source, so that we can then affect those around us, and hence the entire planet.

What we've found, just being here on this property in the last 4 years, are amazing changes in the local area. We've only really checked in this particular location here in North Carolina, but there have been marked decreases in fatal accidents, murders, there's none of those any more. Car accidents, emergency room visits, I mean, it's been huge—and I don't have the numbers in my head at this moment, but huge decreases in some of the few measures that their are; we're seeing how consciousness impacts.

Vasistha: That's with an increase in population!

We do continue to teach teachers, and it's not by the intellectual process. It's by ascending as much as possible, and going inward to have a direct experience that can become a continuous direct experience, which is what we require for people, for teachers to go out and teach. And there is a clear thing that MSI says in the first appendix of the

Enlightenment! book, about what a travesty it is to have anyone teach about God who does not have a continual, direct, conscious experience of that, 24 hours a day. They may have had one or two experiences, and then speak from a place of ego or personality, instead of direct, personal experience.

Martin: Our paper does go around the world. We have a lot of Canadian readers, as well as many in the United States. And some of them are all by themselves, out in some small town, in some out-of-the-way place. So, they may be reading this. What would you say to those people who may be feeling alone or isolated in their given area?

Himavat: We have books. We have a website. We have teachers who travel. Once you learn to ascend, you get a monthly newsletter. We are always willing to talk, 24 hours a day, on the phone. We have the *Ascension!* book on tape. We have an introductory tape.

It's just a matter of how people want to create their lives. If they want to be out and appreciate that alone time, then that's what they've created. And we can go as far as we can go, when there are groups of people who want to get together, or our coming to be with them, physically, and we do everything we can to support the people. Once we are done with the class, our intention is to continue to support people once we've talked with them. We encourage people to call and write, use the web, the e-mail, whatever.

Gomati: The class, the First Sphere, is not over at the end of the weekend, you know. We don't walk out of people's lives because we have dedicated our lives to this and it's not like a job or something like that. We are there for anyone who wants us, who can reach us in all the different ways Himavat just mentioned.

And we would like for everyone to know that they are not alone. I mean, no one is alone. We've never been separate from Source in the past; we aren't now; and we never will be.

It's very much an individual choice in terms of how a person wants to connect and how it fits into their lifestyle and what they want to create for themselves. There are a lot of options available, including they could create a group right where they live, in the middle of nowhere, if there are like-minded people who also want to learn how to use these techniques. Then, once the weekend is over, they can choose to get together on a weekly basis, or however often suits their lifestyles, to share their growth together. And this is a very, very powerful way for people to not only connect with each other, but to grow emotionally and spiritually in their own right.

We just came back from a class in Massachusetts with a group that meets regularly. Most of the group of about 10 or 12 people have been meeting consistently now for

about 4 months, and they have supported each other through some major emotional growth periods, and encouraged each other, and in the absence of a teacher, when we're in North Carolina and they're in Massachusetts, they are a powerful support group for each other, a powerful love-force for each other, and constant inspiration for each other.

Then, when we're in the area, we come by, as available, to be there for their, what we call, advanced meetings. In that case, we offer what we can offer in that moment, as well; but it's something that people can do wherever they live on this planet, and whatever they're doing in their lives, as well as just being in constant connection with Source, on your own, whether you choose to live in isolation or in the middle of a very active city.

Vasistha: And the awesome thing is that when people ascend together, it seems to amp-up tremendously. And if you're living, as you are, out in the mountains, then all of Nature supports you waking-up. And, actually, the deepest part of you supports all of life everywhere in reaching higher levels of being; it's the natural connection, inside and outside, that can occur very easily.

Martin: That last response from all of you was perfect, by the way. This is exactly the kind of supportive feedback that I think will be really helpful to our readers in understanding what this is about, and allowing people to reconnect with Source, because I think that is the Great Deceiver, feeling that they really are alone, when in fact, they're never alone. It's very easy to start believing that after awhile, and it's very unfortunate that that's the case, but it IS often the case.

Himavat: I have experienced THAT as one of the root stresses that will still come up for people, once they've been ascending for awhile; they begin to feel that "aloneness" as that sense of separation gets bigger. And we do everything we can, as teachers, to encourage people to call at any time, and to call each other. Because a lot of times, as you've probably already seen, people will be experiencing a lot of the same issues at the same time.

Martin: Sure.

Himavat: And we do everything we can, because we do say that stress will move, and sometimes it will a lot, and sometimes it will be a little. But please, please—we just continue to ask people to call us, or at least call each other, so that when the stress moves, you have a chance to talk about it. That's why they're called emotions, of course—they move! We have a tendency, sometimes, to repress them, and we encourage people, please, just to call us, let them move, and let them come out—especially that root stress that deceptively says that we are alone.

Vasistha: It's so incredible. It's like having an inside hug, a hug on the inside all

the time. You KNOW, from direct experience, after a while, that you are loved, you are connected, there is an unlimited amount of support for every one of us.

Martin: A lot of people in cities, well, just a lot of people in this country, obviously struggle day-to-day, to make ends meet, and most of the day-to-day life has to do with survival issues, money issues, getting the children to school, picking the children up from school, getting to work, driving in traffic, and I can almost hear some of those people saying: "Well, yeah, ascension attitudes, it's easy for YOU to say, you're on a beautiful property in North Carolina; but what about me? I have 4 kids, and a wife, and a job, and I'm just trying to pay the rent!"

Himavat: That's an excellent question; I'm glad you brought it up. It's something that, when I bump into it when I'm talking to people on the phone, I am so excited at what happens, over and over again. What I remember, and what we teach, is that WE ARE CREATORS!

The opposite of that is that we perceive ourselves as victims: "I cannot do this." "The Universe will not support me in this." "I am broke; I don't have the money." "I don't have the time; I cannot do it."

I taught a woman back in Massachusetts a couple of weeks ago, who really, really wanted this. She didn't know where she was going to get the day-care. For one person the issue is time; for another person the issue is money.

What I remember and hold in my consciousness—and this has something to do—Vasistha mentioned earlier how it is contagious when we put the focus inside and let the Ascendant come out through us, that it has an effect on our outside world. It's what I do over and over with people.

What I ask people is: What do you REALLY want? And then, let's see how the Universe is going to support you. And really, the bottom line is: What do we REALLY want? Because sometimes we'll say: "I really want this First Sphere weekend" or "I really want enlightenment". But it may not be true. It may just be what we THINK we want.

Maybe there's something more important in our nervous system that we really DO want. And so, we get a conflict. We're telling the Universe two different things at the same time. And so, what I do with people is, I stay with them. I listen to them. And I ask them questions that help them to know that they ARE creators, help them to know more in that moment, whether they learn to ascend or not, what it is that they really do want.

Then I say: "Let's watch how the Universe supports you." And so, this is the funniest thing, I wanted to be able to teach this one person all 4 attitudes on the weekend, and she wanted to learn them, too, but she had all these problems.

It ended up, I only got to teach her the first

2 attitudes when I was there with her. And that was what the Universe was telling both of us—that, yes, you have this desire, and here is how it's going to work. And that's where we let it go. We learned detachment. And, so, she is very excited about sponsoring a class when she has more time, because she learned about my being there at the last minute, so timing was a factor.

So, we continue to hold people in the knowingness that they're creators. And if people want to perceive themselves as victims, ok, they'll continue to remind people—here, look at how, in your life, you've already created certain things that you do want and the Universe has supported you. That's what I focus on, the solution to the problem.

Gomati: And at the risk of repeating what we've already said, when you use these attitudes with your eyes open, it shifts and changes all those stresses that are, seemingly, big, and seemingly bringing you down, in sort-of the day-to-day world, because giving the attitudes helps one to view everything with a totally new perspective. It offers you a fresh perspective in every moment, of everything on the outside being exactly the way it was before you learned how to use the attitudes, but now it feels totally different. Again and again I've taught people who have said: "Everything in my outside world changed" or "All my friends have changed, and everything else" when, in effect, what was actually the case was that the person changed from the inside. The perception that everything was changing was coming from seeing the world through different eyes.

Vasistha: And the other thing is, you're going to have thoughts and emotions anyway; you are. So, you can choose thoughts and emotions that bring you more and more stress. I mean, it's real simple. All you have to do is criticize everything you can for about 15 or 20 minutes and see how you feel. It's likely you'll feel bad. And then, if you have a way of being able to honestly think of something you can appreciate, honestly, whether it's the light in somebody's eyes or the shine off somebody's hair, just something you can appreciate, then do that for 5 or 10 minutes and see how your body feels. You'll be surprised at how different that is.

And yet, we don't even say to do that. We don't say you have to make a shift on how you deal with everything. All we say is, simply, if you're going to have a thought, choose a thought like an ascension attitude that makes a difference, that takes you inward to the Source of Being, and allow that to begin to come out from you.

I mean, if you're going to have thoughts, choose ones that make a huge positive difference. And so, this is really simple because all you have to do is, not change your behavior and not change anything on the

outside, just spend time choosing these thoughts that have a tremendous power to them, and are supported by an Alignment that goes back to the beginning.

Martin: These are all great answers. This is going to be a good read.

Himavat: Would you send us a copy of your read? *(laughter)*

Martin: *(laughter)* Of course. Can we just take a few minutes more to make some closing comments which you would like to leave our readers with, some food for thought, generally?

Vasistha: Ok, I've got something. Food for thought. Just a real simple question. And the question is: What is your purpose here on Earth? Why are you here? Is it to work 9-5 for 50 years? What is your purpose for being here? You don't have to answer, but it is sure something to be aware of, a little bit. Why am I here?

Himavat: My experience of all the great teachers and all the great teachings is they have consistently pointed the finger back to my own heart. And I am so excited how this particular, there is a technique, this teaching, has given me the most dependable, the most reliable vehicle for that, that I have ever experienced. Words cannot tell you how much love I feel for myself and for all the people I come in contact with anymore, because that's where I continue to put my focus. And, it's so easy. That's what it's all about. And it's not about anything I say. It is totally about the experience YOU have when you introduce this one, simple, new thought. That's what I love about it.

Gomati: People have life experiences that are really different, one from the other. And some people have been on spiritual paths for a long time; others have never even thought about spirituality. The techniques that we teach take people right where they are, work with everyone, regardless of where they're coming from, move them along, incrementally, at a rate that they're ready to go at. It's an organic process. It's very natural,

and it's very powerful, both because it is so effective and because it is so simple. And it transforms people's lives.

I get to see how much it transforms people's lives every day. And I feel, very strongly, that now is the time because this IS the great period of transformation on planet Earth, and there are so many changes and shifts happening, and it is so important to be grounded during all of this and to be connected to Source, constantly. That is what's being asked of us, now—to choose to be in the Infinite all the time, and that we make that choice, constantly, so that we can be part of the evolutionary process, and note all Lightworkers and supporters of this constant evolution that's occurring. And we can stand-up and be counted!

Martin: That's a perfect place to end, perfect—unless someone else has something to say. What you just said was just wonderful.

Vasistha: You can edit this out if you want, but I'm just going to say it: I've meditated for 30 years before ascension, and this is absolutely the best decision I've ever made in my life, and the results are phenomenal as far as inner-conscious communion with The One, on an experiential level, not a "belief" level. It is just completely awesome—life changing!

Martin: Thank you all for such an uplifting discussion! 



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Chemtrails: Did An Airline Mechanic Stumble Upon The Truth? “Project Cloverleaf”

5/28/00 NEWS DESK SPECIAL REPORT

CHEMTRAILS—DID AN AIRLINE
MECHANIC STUMBLE UPON
THE TRUTH?

From the INTERNET, <<http://sightings.com>>, 5/17/00: [quoting]

(Note: We cannot confirm the following statement but the implications are enormous, and we expect there will be serious efforts to investigate and evaluate these allegations quickly. — *Sightings* website editor)

For reasons you will understand as you read this I cannot divulge my identity. I am an aircraft mechanic for a major airline. I work at one of our maintenance bases located at a large airport. I have discovered some information that I think you will find important.

First I should tell you something about the “pecking order” among mechanics. It is important to my story and to the cause to which you have dedicated yourself.

Mechanics want to work on three things: the avionics, the engines, or the flight controls. The mechanics who work on these systems are considered at the top of the “pecking order”. Next come the mechanics who work on the hydraulics and air conditioning systems. Then come the ones who work on the galley and other non-essential systems. But at the very bottom of the list are the mechanics who work on the waste disposal systems. No mechanic wants to work on the pumps, tanks, and pipes that are used to store the waste from the lavatories.

But at every airport where I have worked there are always 2 or 3 mechanics who **VOLUNTEER** to work on the lavatory systems. The other mechanics are happy to let them do it. Because of this you will have only 2 or 3 mechanics who work on these systems at any one airport. No one pays much attention to these guys and no mechanic socializes with another mechanic who only works on the waste systems. In fact I had never thought much about this situation until last month.

Like most airlines, we have reciprocal agreements with the other airlines who fly into this airport. If they have a problem with a plane, one of our mechanics will take care of it. Likewise if one of our planes has a problem at an airport where the other airline has a maintenance base, they will fix our plane.

One day last month I was called out from our base to work on a plane for another airline. When I got the call the dispatcher did not know what the problem was. When I got to the plane I found out that the problem was in the waste disposal system.

There was nothing for me to do but to crawl in and fix the problem. When I got into the bay, I realized that something was not right. **THERE WERE MORE TANKS, PUMPS, AND PIPES THEN SHOULD HAVE BEEN**

Editor’s note: Many of you have personally watched the crisscross patterns being formed in your local skies from “jet contrails” that not only don’t go away quickly (as contrails should), but continue to expand and expand into a gossamer-like haze across the sky within a few hours. Many instances of illness, especially respiratory and often quite serious, leading to overflowing hospital emergency rooms, are reported in conjunction with these mysterious sprayings. Analyses of the contents of the sprayings—when such have been able to be accomplished amidst frequent clandestine interference—have revealed some bizarre and truly scary ingredients.

And if the sprayings themselves are not puzzling enough, the silence so far about WHAT is going on, WHY it is going on, and WHO is responsible for such a large-scale assault upon large populations of citizens (not just in the United States) has been even more bizarre. Before Art Bell “retired” from his late-night talk-radio program, he covered this subject several times, presenting the best researchers available, and yet with even his twenty million listeners, not one “insider” came forth to help open up what appeared to be a tightly sealed box.

It seemed preposterous that something that was happening so frequently, and on such a massive scale, could be kept so well silenced. Of course maybe that’s a sad commentary on how “soft” people have become, and so easily intimidated into complete silence—even when their own families and friends and pets are being sprayed and oftentimes made ill, sometimes to the point of death.

But silence is finally losing its grip. The following was assembled by our News Desk guru, Dr. Al Overholt, because of some very recent and astonishing “cracks” in the wall of silence on this subject. God bless and watch over those few who have been daring enough

to finally come forth with what they know. It goes without saying that the greatest safety is in large numbers of others also coming forward and telling what they know.

Remember that this is the time of the Great Awakening. ALL lies and deceits shall be exposed and replaced with the Light of Truth. No small part of the events of this time are the testings for each of us. Will we—each in our own way—stand for Truth or fold to the bribes and intimidations of the dark, so-called “elite” controllers? Whether we pass or fail our testings is entirely up to our own choosing.

Something this utterly massive cannot move forward, day after day, without the cooperation (intimidation, spinelessness, bribery, cold-heartedness, etc.) of many, many, many people—from pilots to air traffic controllers to secret chemical truck drivers, to you name it. No wonder, as one airline manager admits below, his conscience bothered him. Indeed it should! Hooray! That means he’s alive. Remember the old adage about all it takes for bad things to happen is for good people to look the other way and do nothing.

As I (E.Y) write this, the skies overhead have been crisscrossed for yet another time, today. This was maybe the fourth time this month. It has been going on for well over two years now. Once again I watched the mystery unfold overhead with growing feelings of anger and helplessness. This evening I’m coughing again; something just won’t clear from my lungs. And I’m mad as hell about this—along with a large and growing number of you.

Hopefully by spreading the following astonishing new information around, as widely as we all can, it will induce others “in the know” to finally come forth and tell their Truth about this matter. Please. Otherwise, how many will regret what they could have done to help stop this travesty—after it is too late and the end-of-exam bell has rung?

THERE.

At first I assumed that the system had been changed. It had been 10 years since I had worked on one. As I tried to find the problem, I quickly realized the extra piping and tanks were not connected to the waste disposal system. I had just discovered this when another mechanic from my company showed up. It was one of the mechanics who usually works on these systems. I happily turned the job over to him. As I was leaving, I asked him about the extra equipment. He told me: "Worry about your end of the plane and let me worry about mine."

The next day I was on the company computer to look up a wiring schematic. While I was there I decided to look up the extra equipment I had found. **TO MY AMAZEMENT THE MANUALS DID NOT SHOW ANY OF THE EXTRA EQUIPMENT I HAD SEEN WITH MY OWN EYES THE DAY BEFORE.** I even tied into the manufacturer files and still found nothing. Now I was really determined to find out what that equipment did.

The next week we had three of our planes in our main hanger for periodic inspection. There are mechanics crawling all over a plane during these inspections. I had just finished my shift and I decided to have a look at the waste system on one of our planes. With all the mechanics around I figured that no one would notice an extra one on the plane. Sure enough, the plane I chose had the extra equipment!

I began to trace the system of pipes, pumps, and tanks. I found what appeared to be the control unit for the system. It was a standard looking avionics control box, **BUT IT HAD NO MARKINGS OF ANY KIND.** I could trace the control wires from the box to the pumps and valves, but there were no control circuits coming into the unit. The only wires coming into the unit was a power connection to the aircraft's main power bus.

The system had one large and two smaller tanks. It was hard to tell in the cramped compartment, but it looked like the large tank could hold 50 gallons. The tanks were connected to a fill-and-drain valve that passed through the fuselage, just behind the drain valve for the waste system. When I had a chance to look for this connection under the plane, **I FOUND IT CUNNINGLY HIDDEN BEHIND A PANEL UNDER THE PANEL USED TO ACCESS THE WASTE DRAIN.**

I began to trace the piping from the pumps. These pipes lead to a network of small pipes that ended in the trailing edges of the wings and horizontal stabilizers. If you look closely at the wings of a large airplane, you will see a set of wires, about the size of your finger, extending from the trailing edge of the wing surfaces. These are the static discharge wicks. They are used to dissipate the static electric charge that builds up on a plane in flight. I

discovered that the pipes from this mystery system lead to every 1-out-of-3 of these static discharge wicks. **THESE WICKS HAD BEEN "HOLLOWED OUT" TO ALLOW WHATEVER FLOWS THROUGH THESE PIPES TO BE DISCHARGED THROUGH THESE FAKE WICKS.**

It was while I was on the wing that one of the managers spotted me. He ordered me out of the hanger, telling me that my shift was over and I had not been authorized any overtime.

The next couple of days were very busy and I had no time to continue my investigation. Late one afternoon, two days after my discovery, I was called to replace an engine temperature sensor on a plane due to take off in two hours. I finished the job and turned in the paperwork.

About 30 minutes later, I was paged to see the General Manager. When I went in his office I found that our union rep and two others who I did not know were waiting for me.

The GM told me that a serious problem had been discovered. He said that I was being written up and suspended for turning in false paperwork. He handed me a disciplinary form stating that I had turned in false paperwork on the engine temperature sensor I had installed a few hours before.

I was floored and began to protest. I told them that this was ridiculous and that I had done this work. The union rep spoke up then and recommended that we take a look at the plane and see if we could straighten it all out. It was at this time that I asked who the other two men were. The GM told me that they were airline safety inspectors, but would not give me their names.

We proceeded to the plane, which should have been in the air, but was parked on our maintenance ramp. We opened the engine cowling and the union rep pulled the sensor. He checked the serial number and told everyone that it was the old instrument. We then went to the parts bay and went back into the racks. The union rep checked my report and pulled from the rack a sealed box. He opened the box and pulled out the engine temperature sensor with the serial number of the one I had installed. I was told that I was suspended for a week without pay and to leave immediately.

I sat at home the first day of my suspension wondering what the hell had happened to me. That evening I received a phone call. The voice told me: "Now you know what happens to mechanics who poke around in things they shouldn't. The next time you start working on systems that are no concern of yours, you will lose your job! As it is, I'm feeling generous; I believe that you'll be able to go back to work soon." (click)

Again I had to pick myself up off the floor. I made the connection that what had happened was directly connected to my tracing the

mysterious piping.

The next morning the General Manager called me. He said that, due to my past excellent employment record, the suspension had been reduced to one day and that I should report back to work immediately. **THE ONLY THING I COULD THINK OF WAS WHAT ARE THEY TRYING TO HIDE AND WHO ARE THEY?!?**

That day at work went by as if nothing had happened. None of the other mechanics mentioned the suspension and my union rep told me not to talk about it. That night I logged onto the Internet to try to find some answers.

I don't remember now how I got there, but I came across your [*Sightings*] site. That's when it all came together. But the next morning at work I found a note inside my locked locker. It said: "Curiosity killed the cat. Don't be looking at Internet sites that are no concern of yours."

Well that's it. **THEY ARE WATCHING ME!**

Well you already know what they are doing. I don't know what they are spraying, but I can tell you how they are doing it.

I figure they are using the "honey trucks". These are the trucks that empty the waste from the lavatory waste tanks. The airports usually contract out this job and nobody goes near these trucks. Who wants to stand next a truck full of s--t.

WHILE THESE GUYS ARE EMPTYING THE WASTE TANKS, THEY ARE FILLING THE TANKS OF THE SPRAY SYSTEM. They know the plane's flight path, so they probably program the control unit to start spraying some amount of time after the plane reaches a certain altitude. The spray nozzles in the fake static wicks are so small that no one on the plane would see a thing.

God help us all. A concerned citizen. [End quoting]

AN AIRLINE MANAGER'S
REVEALING STATEMENT

From the INTERNET,
<www.carnicom.com>, 5/22/00: [quoting]

Posted by C.E. Carnicom, on behalf of the author.

I read the e-mail you [*C.E. Carnicom*] received from the anonymous mechanic, and I felt compelled to respond to it. I, too, work for an airline, though I work in upper management levels. I will not say which airline, what city I am located in, nor what office I work for, for obvious reasons. I wish I could document everything I am about to relate to you, but to do so is next to impossible and would result in possible physical harm to me.

The e-mail from the anonymous mechanic rings true. Airline companies in America have

been participating in something called **PROJECT CLOVERLEAF** for a few years now. The earliest date anyone remembers being briefed on it is 1998. I was briefed on it in 1999. The few airline employees who were briefed on *Project Cloverleaf* were all made to undergo background checks, and before we were briefed on it, we were made to sign non-disclosure agreements, which basically state that if we tell anyone what we know, we could be imprisoned.

About twenty employees in our office were briefed, along with me, by two officials from some government agency. They didn't tell us which one. They told us that the government was going to pay our airline, along with others, to release special chemicals from commercial aircraft. When asked what the chemicals were and why we were going to spray them, they told us that information was given on a need-to-know basis and we weren't cleared for it.

They then went on to state that the chemicals were harmless, but the program was of such importance that it needed to be done at all costs. When we asked them why they didn't just rig military aircraft to spray these chemicals, they stated that there weren't enough military aircraft available to release chemicals on such a large basis as needs to be done. That's why *Project Cloverleaf* was initiated, to allow commercial airlines to assist in releasing these chemicals into the atmosphere.

Then someone asked why all the secrecy was needed. The government reps then stated that if the general public knew that the aircraft they were flying on were releasing chemicals into the air, environmentalist groups would raise hell and demand the spraying stop.

Someone asked one of the g-men: "Then if the chemicals are harmless, why not tell the public what the chemicals are and why we are spraying them?" He seemed perturbed at this question, and told us in a tone of authority that the public doesn't need to know what's going on, but that this program is in their best interests.

He also stated that we should not tell anyone, nor ask any more questions about it. With that, the briefing was over.

All documents in our office pertaining to *Project Cloverleaf* are kept in locked safes. Nobody is allowed to take these documents out of the office. Very few employees are allowed access to these documents, and they remain tight-lipped about what the documents say.

Mr. Carnicom, I am no fool. I know there's something going on. And, frankly, I am scared. I feel a high level of guilt that I have been aware of this kind of operation, but unable to tell anyone. **IT'S BEEN EATING AWAY AT ME, KNOWING THAT THE COMPANY I WORK FOR MAY BE POISONING THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.** I hope this letter will open some eyes to what's happening.

Again, I wish I could give you documented information, but you have to understand why I must remain totally anonymous.

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Local user, 5/22/00

Reply Re: An Airline Manger's Statement

This is a very interesting statement on top of the mechanic's. I do believe that when more people feel they can speak out about the spraying, we will get more people saying what they know. I have been reading all the pros and cons on the mechanic's statement, and however it is being used to spray us all, the important thing is that it is being done, and as we gather more and more information, the pieces of the puzzle will fit together. I believe we are on our way to the complete puzzle soon.

Global user, 5/22/00

Reply Re: An Airline Manager's Statement

Mr. Carnicom, thank you for posting this man's letter on your website and this forum.

This manager should be praised for coming clean with what he knows about the involvement of commercial airlines in the chemtrail enigma.

When reading the airline mechanic's statement about his company's participation in the chemtrail spraying program, I realized it all made some sense. Even if the airlines weren't spraying massive doses individually, there are enough of them in the air to add a considerable amount of spray material on a daily basis.

TPTB like to have arcane meanings/inferences to their project code names. What could "Cloverleaf" really mean? Planes going over, under, and around each other in four directions, spraying God-only-knows-what. And a project having three parts or participants—civilian, national military, and international military U.N. (Other countries are getting sprayed too.) But for what purpose?

Nevertheless, it is amazing at this point that

something is finally coming out about this situation; however, IMHO I think we should realize that TPTB are going to try to put their best spin on this story: nothing toxic

being sprayed, just harmless everyday common substances, etc., etc.

Maybe more people will come forward with their part of the puzzle; don't forget they have families too.

Global user, 5/22/00, 6:33:43 PM

Reply Re: An Airline Manager's Statement

First of all I would like to say thank you to the Airline Manager. You are indeed a brave soul. This secret would eat at me too.

Finally, someone "in the know" has come forward. Unless this is some disinformation hoax, this goes a long way to answering some questions. Okay, now: what is in the spray? Anyone?

Global user, 5/22/00

Reply: God Bless This Manager!

Another brave person placing his job and maybe his neck on the line. We owe him a debt of gratitude and our prayers for his safety. May God place his angels around this man and his family and protect them and bless them and give him the wisdom and quick-wit to outsmart those who would come against him and his efforts to get his testimony out.

May God inspire others also in the know to come forth with their testimonies of what they have seen and heard.

Global user, 5/22/00 7:48 PM

Reply Re: An Airline Manger's Statement

Let me see if I can make this sound half-way sensible.

Firstly, anyone who read my postings on the mechanic's statement thread will know that I was somewhat skeptical of that statement. However, the manager's statement goes a long way in my mind toward lending credence to the mechanic's statement.

Whether either or both of these statements are true or false seems to be irrelevant at this point. If they are to be taken at face value, then they go a long way toward explaining a lot of what is being observed in the skies. If they are designed as disinformation, then what exactly are they trying to cover up?

In an earlier posting I asked how many people know about this, and why weren't they coming forward? Well, one more has now come forward, and I have no doubt that this may be the beginning of a deluge of guilt-ridden souls involved in the civil aviation industry who will now feel compelled to tell their stories.

This, I believe, is huge, because we know that whistle-blowers in the military are few and far between. After all, secrecy and subterfuge are a part of military life. For those involved in civil aviation, however, such secrecy is foreign (except perhaps in the upper echelons of corporations).

Hopefully, therefore, we can count on more involved in civil aviation across the continent (yes, I know that the risks are huge, and we all

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owe you a debt for your courage) to come forward (anonymously if need be) to corroborate the stories of these two brave individuals.

Global user, 5/22/00

Reply Re: *Project Cloverleaf*

I just researched *Project Cloverleaf* using the Alta Vista search engine, and after reading 150 entries, I found this one to be “wacked out” enough to copy. It does closely resemble some of the projects that NASA has done in reference to the Giza Pyramid, 33.3 degree Masons, and other off-the-wall programs of theirs.

As we all know by now, the so-called shadow government is comprised of some very loosely wrapped individuals who are “consorting with alien space races”. Okay, I’ll buy that theory as long as we all realize that these “aliens” are fallen angels and they are here or will be shortly coming here as “angels of Light”. But we Christians know better.

Now, being as this “shadow government” has pretty much openly admitted to manipulating man-made catastrophes in an effort to hurry up the End Times and usher in their anti-Christ, this does make a whole lotta sense. I believe in and “stand upon” the Word of God, and I also follow William J. Cooper’s advice. Coop says: “Listen to everyone; read everything; believe absolutely nothing unless you can prove it in your own research.”

Now for the *Project Cloverleaf* (www2.eu.spiritweb.org/Spi...shtar.html): This bizarre website speaks of the arrival of



technicians, support personnel, etc. and the people (of Earth) being able to see them and their craft and of the darkness and hysteria this sight will cause. You have to read it to believe it; it certainly sounds like a big cover-up of some “alien” invasion. [End quoting]

UNUSUAL TRUCK ACTIVITY

From the INTERNET, 5/8/00: [quoting]

The following information was reported recently on the message board attached to <www.carnicom.com>:

An interesting event happened last Friday (5/8/00) on a trip down California’s main north-south highway (I-5). Somewhere around Yreka, California, I was passed several times by a tanker truck as we went up and down the mountain grades. This truck did not display any Department Of Transportation (DOT) placards giving the code of its contents (such as the 1206=gasoline). It was obviously a chemical hauler and obviously was carrying a load.

As I pulled into the Weed, California, rest area, this truck pulled in next to my rig. The cylindrical silver stainless steel tank had an expanded metal walkway running the full length of the top of the tank, some type of gauge on its left side, a conical rear section, **AND WAS DRIPPING YELLOW-AMBER-BROWN STICKY-LOOKING FLUID FROM THE TOP VENTS DOWN THE SIDES OF THE TANK.**

THIS IS THE SAME FLUID APPEARANCE OF THE STUFF THAT HIT MY WINDSHIELD LAST JUNE 10, AND BURNED MY EXPOSED SKIN, and caused Sun coronas, so I didn’t touch or sample this fluid, and returned to the road.

The tanker and I continued to pass each other on down the highway, and as we drew up to the Northern California Highway Patrol Truck Inspection Station at Dunsmuir, California, I expected to lose my road companion as: “ALL TRUCKS MUST STOP FOR INSPECTION” and all trucks were pulling in—**EXCEPT THIS TANKER!**

This was in broad daylight. There are three

sets of truck-monitoring equipment: cameras, radars, and height infra-red lights just prior to this station, and the station never closes, as it is the northern portal of entry to California. This tanker slowed down to 50 mph on the highway, the driver looked directly at the station office, and cruised by all the trucks in line. I laid on the horn for one half mile as this went down, so the truckers waiting in line could see this. Again, there was no bypass signal on, and trucks in front of, and behind, this tanker pulled into the station.

Now this truck had my full attention and, as I passed it, I photographed it and got its numbers: Tractor unit=dark blue Ray Booth, Cottonwood, California; Tank unit=Trimac Western, McMinnville, Oregon?

Tank unit’s licence plate=Tennessee Apportioned #006 197 T.

Tank serial number=481016 “Non-SPEC”.

As I was getting this truck’s numbers, I got tagged by a very dark blue new Chevy Caprice with an anti-sway bar under the rear axle [*meaning the car was fitted for heavy-duty use like a police car is outfitted*] and a man in his late 30s or early 40s with blond hair and a stone glare and wrap-around sunglasses. Although we were now in a 70 mph zone around Redding, California, this car paced me at 75, 45, 35, 55, 35, 75, etc., for about 20 miles until I forced it to either crash into me or get in front of me. Then I paced him and made a very abrupt exit and changed my course.

On my return trip Sunday I came around a bend at Vollmers, California, on Highway I-5 to find a similar tanker, Trimac Western, with a different tractor and driver going north, broken down on the side of the road. I stopped to assist the driver and found he was hauling “paint” (the sky?). He also had no Department Of Transportation (DOT) placards, also had Tennessee Apportioned plates, but his tank was freshly washed and not dripping goo.

From the <www.dsiti.com> website we read: “Trimac is the fifth largest tank company in the United States, with a system of tanks, ships, tank farms, rail car tanks, highway tankers and terminals serving the chemical industry. Trimac is owned by Rentokil Initial



of the UK which employs 140,000 people in over 40 countries.” They haul pesticides and chemicals for BASF, DuPONT, BAYER, and all the other big chemmies.

- No Department of Transportation placards.

- No stopping for California Highway Patrol inspection that all trucks must stop for.

- And escorted by spooks? [End quoting]

CONTRAIL VS. CHEMTRAIL

From MILITIA OF MONTANA, 5/22/00: [quoting]

A. A contrail disperses. A chemtrail spreads into cloud cover and sometimes has fallout (cob-web-like filaments, red/yellow powders, milky-white fluid).

II. Purposes (weather modification, protection from ozone holes, bio-vaccination, culling - ???)

A. Weather modification.

- Openly stated goal of the U.S. Military is “owning the weather” <www.au.af.mil/au/database/research/ay1996/acsc/9025ag.htm>.

- UN environmental Program “Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change” <www.ipcc.ch>.

- UN “Capacity Development Initiative” on climate change—in partnership with THE WORLD BANK as financiers (remember Seattle protests) <www.gefweb.org/Capacity_Dev.pdf>.

- Dr. Bernard Eastlund took up the Tesla theories. Eastlund released his research and concerns on the Internet AFTER the military took over, to cover his butt. <www.borderlands.com/newstuff/research/HPEMRAD/Eastlund.htm>.

- When DOD took over Dr. Eastlund’s research, the birth of HAARP took place. HAARP is based in Alaska and it is being applied to the Earth’s ionosphere for weather control and mind control purposes. *Angels Don’t Play This HAARP*, Dr. Nick Begich [Earthpulse Press, PO Box 201393, Anchorage, AK 99520]; Concerned citizens group paper at <www.geocities.com/Area51/Shadowlands/6583/project116.html>.

- US Air Force IS involved. Early April 2000, KC135s were grounded, and during the period immediately following, spraying reports across the US significantly dropped. See <<http://clubs.yahoo.com/clubs/>



chemtrailtrackingusa> (OVER 700 members—daily reports to track). Also see the research of William Thomas, author: *The Scorched Earth, Bringing The War Home, Probing The Chemtrail Conundrum* <www.islandnet.com/~wilco/investsky.htm>, e-mail: <wilco@islandnet.com>.

- Our weathermen KNOW. The data doesn’t support the cloud cover. For instance, last year in Sante Fe, NM there was a 21-day period of continuous cloud cover when humidity/dew point levels were no higher than 30%. Clouds can only form when humidity/dew point levels are 60% or higher.

HOW DID THE CLOUDS FORM??

(see <www.carnicom.com/contrails.htm>)

B. There has definitely been biological warfare testing of UNKNOWING U.S. citizens and OUR GOVERNMENT IS FULLY AWARE OF IT.

- 1977 hearings before the U.S. Senate Committee on Human Resources Subcommittee on Health and Scientific Research (see <www.carnicom.com/contrails.htm>).

- AGAIN 5/6/94, U.S. Senate testimony of Dr. Leonard Cole (author, *Clouds Of Secrecy*) before the Committee on Veteran’s Affairs (see <www.carnicom.com/contrails.htm>).

- 3 segments aired on ABC/Ted Koppel’s *Nightline* which included the testimony of Peter Kawaja on the biowarfare exposure of Gulf War vets. Of the initial 697,000 soldiers deployed to the Gulf War, 489,400+ (70%) are now discharged, **THOUSANDS** have died and

are dying, 67% of their babies born after are born deformed, family/friends/doctors/nurses becoming sick. Mycoplasmas are a part of their sickness.

- UN Wildlands Project—the “re-wilding of America”. 50% of the United States is being set aside for global parklands with NO HUMANS ALLOWED. Papers state “human population must be reduced”. Concerned citizens site: <www.wildlandsproject.org/html/summary.htm>.

- Damning patents. U.S. patent 5534413 for invasive mycoplasma infection (isolated from the urine of AIDS patients), and THE VACCINE YOU NEVER, EVER HEAR ABOUT: U.S. Patent 5242820. Mycoplasmas can cause Epstein-Barr/mono, Lupus, ALS, MS, Meningitis, Lymphoma, Leukemia, Alzheimers, Crohn’s Disease, PID, Arthritis, Fibromyalgia, Allergies, Asthma etc.

See: <<http://members.aol.com/ghylak/mycoplasma.htm>> and <www.gulfwarvets.com/article24.htm>.

- Lab results from ground samples taken from 2 unassociated parties (Sacramento and E. Oregon) after flyovers from unmarked aircraft reveal biowarfare bacterias named in over 160 Pentagon patents referencing biowarfare applications, toxic molds, ethylene dibromide (a pesticide banned by the EPA which damages lungs/heart/liver/kidneys). (See <www.carnicom.com/contrails.htm>).

“The flu that’s not the flu.” Hospitals filled to capacity, TURNING AWAY patients:

“THIS VIRUS IS A MUCH MORE SUCCESSFUL PARASITE” says Dr. W. Paul Glezen of the Influenza Research Center at Baylor. NEVER has “parasite” been associated with a “virus”. A parasite FEEDS FROM THE HOST. A virus, on the other hand, NEEDS A SUSCEPTIBLE HOST’S CELLS TO MULTIPLY. What’s Dr. Glezen talking about? Dr. Leonard G. Horowitz states: “Based on the evidence that my colleagues and I have accumulated, I conclude that this flu-like illness IS most likely associated with chemical and biological co-factors.” (His e-mail: <tetra@tetrahedron.org>.)

• Fluorescent black-light reveals filaments—LOTS—which glow blue, red/orange. Contain barium titanate, a dielectric used to keep electricity flowing. Using this to: trap moisture to create clouds; build up Earth pressures to cause earthquakes, tornados, volcanic eruptions; to create extra tension and stress in humans. The fibers are in a twisted ribbon shape ~3-5 microns thick by ~10 to 13 microns wide. They have imperfections that manifest as small clumps of polymer whiskers ~0.5 to 1 micron in diameter by ~5 to 10 microns long. They are large enough by themselves and in sufficient quantity to cause possible long-lasting lung disease. WHERE ARE YOU, AMERICAN LUNG ASSOCIATION?

A microscopic particle count study in New Mexico shows a 16% increase in the magnitude of the average microscopic particle count data of 1999 vs. the average of the COMBINED

YEARS of 1996, 1997 and 1998. The difference is significant—at the 99.9% plus level. The conclusion reached is that the microscopic air particle count in New Mexico in 1999 is STRIKINGLY different from that of the preceding 3 years combined. (See <www.carnicom.com/contrails.htm>.)

C. Ominous developments.

• Unusual truck activity across the U.S. Trimac Western tanker trucks that DO NOT display D.O.T. placard codes giving their contents, being WAVED THRU mandatory truck inspection stops! People who slow down to take a “look see” are being shadowed 20-30 miles by civilian cars escorting the tanker trucks. Trimac is owned by Rentokil of the United Kingdom—they haul pesticides and chemicals for BASF, DuPont and Bayer. (See <www.carnicom.com/contrails.htm>.) Let all truckers, commuters, etc. know to keep their eyes open for these Trimac tanker trucks. If one is spotted, take down any D.O.T. placards, license #s, identifying markings, date/time/location and forward it to Cliff Carnicom at <cecarnicom@hotmail.com>. We need to tie this together with the statement below on “aircraft waste disposal system”.

• COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT ARE NOW BEING USED TO SPRAY—particularly BOEING planes. Also, an aircraft mechanic from a major airline received anonymous “warning” call, job suspension, and threats left in his locker after his observing an extra 50 gal. plus 2 smaller tanks located near the aircraft

waste disposal system. The extra tanks WERE NOT connected to the waste disposal system, but instead piping from them led to deliberately “hollowed out” wiring connected to the edges of the aircraft’s wings. (See <www.carnicom.com/contrails.htm>.)

• Also of anti-chemtrail activists reporting harassment, but on 5/19/00 Cliff Carnicom, owner of the most proactive anti-chemtrail website, contacted the FBI regarding impersonation, libel, professional hacking, and death threats. His site alone has submitted 3,087 letters to federal officials and 828 letters to state officials and TO DATE NO RESPONSE HAS BEEN RECEIVED.

D. Announcements.

• E-mail Congressman Tom Udall. He told a constituent he would ask for Congressional hearings. Let’s hold him up to that. <tom.udall@mail.house.gov>.

• Nationwide organization “Citizens Against Chemtrails” is putting together a massive petition for Congressional hearing purposes. Submit your name/address/e-mail at Cliff site: <www.carnicom.com/contrails.htm>, or e-mail <ohwarriorgoddess@earthlink.net>.

• Whistleblowers can do so anonymously at <www.users.ev1.net/~seektress/tips.htm>, <http://www.montana.com/militiaofmontana/catalog.htm> [End quoting]

PROJECT CLOVERLEAF THE PLOT THICKENS

From THOMAS BUYEA, <ranger116@webtv.net>, 5/24/00: [quoting]

About a year and a half ago, one of the Chemtrail websites was doing research on who the all-white tankers with no ID numbers belonged to and they saw one that had a green shamrock on the tail (shamrock=cloverleaf?). They were able to research and find that the green shamrock was the logo of a company that leased large aircraft! Maybe that is where the government got the name for this operation—from the tail insignia that was on some of the tankers they leased? [End quoting]

NEW MEXICO REP. POSTS CHEMTRAIL LETTER

From the INTERNET, Thomas Buyea, <ranger116@webtv.net>, 5/16/00: [quoting]

A letter from Congressman Tom Udall of New Mexico was sent to a citizen of that state about CHEMTRAILS! The Congressman says that he has asked many government and military agencies about chemtrails with no information forthcoming and that “He is considering holding Oversight Hearings in Congress” on the subject of chemtrails!

It couldn’t hurt to write, e-mail (tom.udall@mail.house.gov), and call him to help push him into having the Oversight Hearings in Congress! [End quoting] ☺

Praise From Our Readers

Congratulate everyone at SPECTRUM for the magnificent and important work being done for our enlightenment. It is very much appreciated.

— L.L., New Jersey

The paper came the other day and it’s just as terrific as usual. I don’t know how we’d manage if we didn’t have you to keep us informed. I would never have guessed the Catholics were Top Dog above the Zionists. What a day to be living in, and here where all this action is taking place! We know from where our help and strength is coming, so we’ll just continue to look up.

— G.B., Kansas

Thank you for the tape and a great paper.

— S.V., Missouri

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Learn To Balance In The “Now”

Editor's note: The following writing started out as a private message to the receiver of many of the spiritual messages shared in this newspaper and the WISDOM OF THE RAYS volumes. However—clever Teachers that these Higher Guides are—the message took an ever-so-subtle turn within one of the early-on paragraphs and all of a sudden became a general writing that clearly was meant to be shared herein.

5/18/00 SOLTEC

Good afternoon, my friend. It is I, Ceres Anthonious “Toniose” Soltec, come in the Radiant One Light of Creator Source. Be at peace, for there are reasons for ALL happenings that, when fully understood, play a perfect part in the unfolding drama of what you perceive of as life.

Nothing is more important than the moment of “now”. What was is gone, and what will be is yet to be determined. Learn to use the “now” time for that which will be of service to the greatest number of people.

Let the guilts of yesterday and yesteryear to their respective time periods. This is to say, let the past be in the past, and let not the memories be constantly recreated within the perceived reality of the mind. Your perception of reality is what you “think” it to be, but the truth of the matter is often different than your current perception of same.

As the unfolding play continues to run its course, you shall be witness to many events that will challenge your viewpoint of what is really real. You will have need for a strong grounding point from which to establish a stable mental focus.

You currently use many small grounding points that you “fall” back upon when the perceived reality begins to cause overload and invoke the reactionary impulses to run away or give up. This is to say you already use this sort of stabilization method, and we encourage you to do so. Our caution to you is that things will, in all probability, seem to get worse

before there is a “break” in the perceived “reality” of your current experience.

Many times past we have given you the equivalent of this very message, using many different ways to approach the same underlying subject. We will not force our point of view or our understanding upon another. Rather, we will offer the Guidance that we deem appropriate in the moment, and allow the recipient to take what they feel they can “digest” at the time, and leave that which is beyond their current willingness to accept. We judge NOT, for that is not our place, nor is it beneficial to anyone involved.

Learn to live IN THE PRESENT, and see each day as an opportunity to contribute to the Whole of Creation. There are no “perfect” choices when it comes to the third-dimensional physical plane, nor are there any completely imperfect choices, as each choice will ultimately lead to a greater understanding and growth along the infinite journey of the soul.

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In short, you cannot fail at the game of life. The game is one of skill. Each of you are like an apprentice working on mastering the various talents and abilities that will enable you to take full, responsible control over the physical density.

In other words, as you progress along through the challenges set in front of you, you will gain great insight and knowledge that will

enable you to responsibly and knowingly direct your energy in a deliberate, focused, and balanced manner, so as to CREATE (manifest) what it is that your HEART (not the head) truly wants. When the heart and the head (the emotional and the analytical) are truly in agreement, there is a resulting focus of energy that is, in essence, the Prime Mover from which all creations precipitate.

In your current environment there is a deliberate barrage from all directions that is meant to distract you from finding what it is your heart truly desires. These distractions come in all shapes and sizes, and most often it is the day-to-day SMALL things that tend to be

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the most difficult ones to recognize—and thus to deal with and overcome.

The feeling of “no goal to focus on” is a byproduct of the misalignment of the heart and the head. You will tend to go in circles until a greater balance is achieved. The more you approach this balance, the greater the inner clarity will be, and the more deliberate will be your ability to focus energy and manifest your desires.

Any deliberate focus will result in energy flow, and the manifestation process will occur. The difference is that, when the heart and the head are in alignment, the deliberate focusing is EFFORTLESS. This is because there will be no inner contradictions or reactionary impulses of FEAR (perhaps the greatest distraction of all) to cause a “cancellation of net manifestation energy”. The cancellation effect is like pushing on the gas pedal and the brake at the same time in your automobiles—a lot of energy is being expended to go nowhere.

If money is your greatest desire (we choose this example quite deliberately), and you care not how you achieve it, then you will, in all likelihood, have plenty of it. But, at what PRICE is it if you achieve same without balance? Do you destroy others so that you may have your physical perceptions of value? Are you willing to pay the EMOTIONAL (guilt) price for achieving something without balance?

Many who follow their heart, while integrating the analytical, find something fulfilling to focus upon, and the outcome is a tremendous energy flow that results in a very balanced and abundant and fulfilling life. Rarely do truly happy and balanced people ever worry about such matters as the accumulation

of material items—and yet they will often have all that they could ever want.

Your current general society is programmed to place “the cart before the horse” when it comes to understanding the creative process. This is BY DESIGN so as to keep you OFF BALANCE and in a near panicked state of confusion when it comes to truly understanding the actual nature of your being.

Find your heart’s desire and learn to appreciate its simple nature. Find within that which brings the greatest satisfaction, and learn to recognize the value in following the heart’s impulses. Many a great person has had to walk through a torturous “hell” as they struggle with balancing the two energy pathways between the heart and the head.

These are the challenges of the third-dimensional schoolroom. You must learn to master these things for self. There is no one who can or would do this for you, for you are created in uniqueness and no other would walk YOUR path exactly (as uniquely) as do you.

Your unique path is why you have chosen to come forth; it is what brings you to the present moment of “now” in which you find yourself. All prior choices lead to the ever

evolving present situation in which you find yourself. Whether it be laying on the beach on a lazy Sunday afternoon, or trying to just “get through the day” in a house full of demanding children, the choices YOU make dictate your current situation. Learn to achieve balance and

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It has been said many times: “Life is a journey, not a destination.” There is no end to

the journey! It is a forever unfolding moment of “now”.

The role you currently play is transient. You “only” take with you the knowledge gained from the experience. All else is part of the third-dimensional illusion created within the “concrete” dreamworld of the play itself—which we refer to as this planetary “schoolroom”.

I am Ceres Anthonious Soltec. I come wearing many hats. I am a personal Guide to many ones. I am a scientist with a strong emphasis on the geophysical matters of a wholistic nature. This is to say that the SOUL matters of the geophysical orbs are as much a concern for me as are the physical shiftings of crustal plates. You can help your planetary orb regain her balance by balancing self.

I am a member of the Host of Creator God of Light—*The One Light*. I have been sent to answer the calls of those who petition for Guidance. My challenges are many and the rewards for my service benefit the entirety of The Creation.

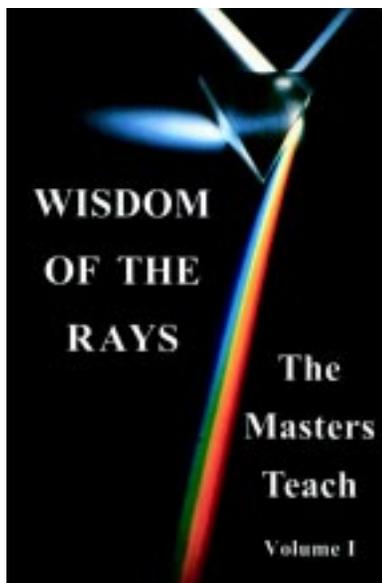
It is an honor and a duty to serve in the manner in which I “now” find myself serving. In Light and Love—blessings to you all.

Salu. 

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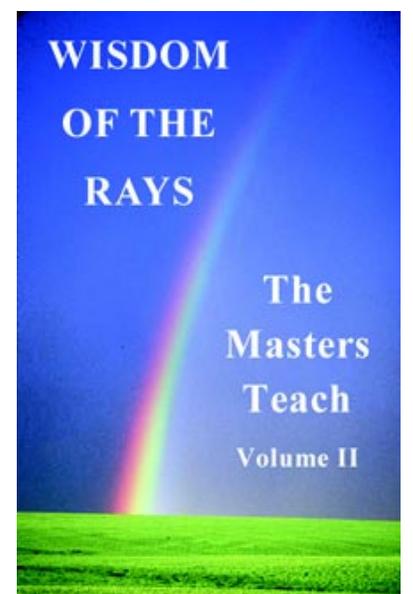


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Exposing A Sick And Demented Fraud: The Truth About “Holy” Sathya Sai Baba

Editor's note: What you are about to read below will come as a great shock to many who have given great respect and honor



to Sathya Sai Baba. However, as we have said many times in these pages, we are in the time of the Great Awakening. This is a time when ALL lies and deceptions shall be exposed.

Some of you will say: “Well, how could these gullible dupes be so stupid?” The answer is as old as the science of mind control itself. And that weakness is further exploited in this situation through the deep yearnings we all have for a personal relationship with God.

The spiritual messages from Master Teachers we frequently share in this newspaper always and without exception counsel that God is WITHIN each of us and therein is where the communication must take place—not by chasing after some self-proclaimed magic-performing guru in very physical form.

You have all seen this mistake repeated over and over again, especially in our modern era where a “cult” can be manufactured (by such as the CIA) almost overnight.

The “carrots” of attraction remain the same mind-control tricks (sometimes mixed with outstanding theatrical dazzle) which have always worked on unsuspecting mankind, especially through what we call “religions”.

We thank those brave and decent people who have come forward to tell the truth, and we also thank David Icke Magazine (on the Internet) for acting as an information source for the collection and dissemination of this most important material. More information can be found at the www.davidicke.com website. And as David's magazine cautions: “The articles being presented and published are not necessarily the views and research of David Icke. David Icke, and/or the editors and publishers, may or may not agree with the assumptions, the articles, or the conclusions of the authors. Each article is presented to give everyone every possible source to TRUTH available. Discerning TRUTH is the responsibility of each reader.”

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5/3/00 DAVID ICKE MAGAZINE

by Tony O'Clery

SAI BABA'S INFLUENCE

His influence seems to be pervasive among some of the world's elite—presidents from Costa Rica and other countries.

Some members of the Spanish royal family, Antonio Craxi of Italy, even Prince Charles wanted an audience, according to Sri Indulal Shah, the head of the Sai Organization. The last governor-general of Canada, Romeo Le Blanc, sent public birthday wishes; so did a mayor from the Ottawa area. Fergie, the Duchess of Windsor, visited Sai Baba. John Lennon did visit, but stormed off in disgust for some reason. Ravi Shankar is a devotee. Presidents and prime ministers of India visit him almost regularly. The king of Nepal visited him, along with some European bishop. Michael Jackson is also reputed to be a follower, as reported in the *Link* newspaper in

Vancouver. Hillary and Bill Clinton's advance party went to Puttaparthi, but no visit occurred. Sai devotees even claim Al Gore as sympathetic. Isaac Tigrett, the founder of the Hard Rock Café and House of Blues, is a well known devotee and contributes millions of dollars.

So his influence is all the way throughout society and doesn't just include millions of ordinary people. It is reputed his devotees number as many as 100 million. However there are problems since people like Connie Larsson went public with exposure of Sai Baba's sexual antics; this was published in a Swedish magazine, *Sokaren*, and reported in the Swedish daily newspaper, *Afton Bladet*, in February 2000.

Sai Baba claims to be able to bi-locate and shape shift, and there is much reporting of this. Al Drucker claims Sai Baba shape-shifted into the shape of an S.S. Colonel, who was in the same railway carriage, and advised Al to go West and escape Germany, as there would be no Moses this time. Al escaped and ended up working for NASA and being a major devotee and writer for Sai Baba. He appeared to Larsson in Sri Lanka and prevented his suicide. He appeared as two big Black guys to rescue a Dr. Gadhia of the U.K. who was in East Africa and had a car crash in a lonely place.

There are reports that he has shape-shifted to animal shapes, such as dogs and snakes. He once appeared as a group of different people, in order to prevent a suicide in India. He seems to take advantage of the weak!

He bi-locates in his subtle body frequently, and I, along with my daughters, have experienced this on more than one occasion. He visits people in their dreams often, as well.

Many devotees' houses have ash and honey manifesting, and dripping off of pictures in their houses. I have seen this personally in Vancouver, in India at the temple at Sri Rangapatnam, and in other places around the world. Most of the so-called materializations he does at the Puttaparthi Ashram are just conjuring and, strangely, he admits he doesn't materialize all the time.

Many reports and even affidavits have been produced telling of his molestation of pubescent boys. He is reputed to be a hermaphrodite, both male and female genitalia.

He claims to be God continually and says he is Rama and Krishna come back again. He claims to be "the Father" who sent Jesus into incarnation. This indoctrination is extant right through his international organization. I myself was the secretary of the Vancouver Center, and have been a member of different Centers around the world, particularly in Australia. I was a devotee for fifteen years, before finding out the truth.

I don't know whether he has taken reptilian form, but if you read the great Indian spiritual epic, *The Ramayana*, it is full of the shape-

shifters who occupied the planet before Adamic man, and could take any form. In fact, there was no human template when these beings first descended. Edgar Cayce comments about them in his readings. These astral beings haven't gone anywhere; they are still around.

The question that I have, with regard to these famous people and leaders, is: why do they flock to this "being"? Who is he and why is he here? Has it something to do with capturing souls for this plane and the astral? Is this the phony spiritual movement that is to be used to try and completely dominate the planet?

Sai Baba has obviously, up until now, been protected by some kind of pedophile network, for he doesn't molest for so many years in a vacuum. Are these famous leaders also pedophiles? I believe that even the British police regard this organization as being involved with pedophilia, and a judge is looking at their tax status.

A judge in Hyderabad has opened the doors for a suit, possibly criminal charges against the Sai hospital in Puttaparthi for selling organs. A man donated his kidney to his father, but the father didn't get it and died. The man went back demanding compensation and was run off by the local police. It goes on and on, cover-up after cover-up.

Deccan Chronicle, 5/11/99:

"Hyderabad, Nov. 4: Justice G. Raghu Ram of the Andhra Pradesh High Court on Thursday admitted a writ petition seeking initiation of criminal prosecution against the doctors of the Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Medical Sciences, Puttaparthi, in Anantapur district, alleging malpractices regarding the transplantation of kidney.

"The writ petition has been filed by Balaji Triambak Rao Karavande, who has alleged that the doctors of the institute removed a kidney from his body and did not transplant the same to his father.

"After he offered to donate one of his kidneys to save his father's life, the doctors at the institute operated on him on April 25, 1994 and told him that the same would be transplanted to his father.

"B.T. Karavande said that his father died in December, 1995 and, to his shock, the doctors claimed that his father's body did not show signs of a new transplanted kidney. He informed the court that after this revelation, he lodged a complaint with the Latur [Maharashtra] police, who exhumed the body, conducted a post-mortem, and confirmed that no kidney transplant has taken place.

"He alleged that the police at Puttaparthi did not register the complaint, and that he was thrown out of the hospital when he confronted the doctors with the relevant documents. He sought compensation of Rs 20 lakh and direction to the police to register a case and punish the guilty who played fraud upon him."

This story is also reported in *The Hindu*,

Hyderabad, 5/11/99.

Apart from the obvious fraud and theft, if the allegations are proven, the persons and doctors responsible at the Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Medical Sciences have also, at least, committed manslaughter and possibly murder (if a deliberate intent can be established).

I doubt this will go that far considering the influence Sai Baba has on the governments in India. There will probably be a scapegoat.

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SAI BABA SCANDAL! THE FINDINGS

by Faye Bailey

INTRODUCTION

The findings are something that both David [Bailey] and I [Faye Bailey] never thought or knew existed, and although neither of us could have ever even imagined that one day we would be compiling them, the unthinkable has happened.

The following is the spelling out of a situation that exists with Sai Baba. Sadly, it is extremely negative, and will possibly shock and distress you greatly as it did us, when we found ourselves in the incredible position of being presented with information we could not ignore.

Once David accepted that something was very, very wrong, he began his own research. He has been very thorough, meanwhile hoping and praying every moment that the things he was uncovering were untrue. These findings are the last thing we both would ever have wanted.

However, they exist. We ask only that you read them all before forming any judgment.

Apart from our separate personal experiences, there are also included experiences of others, chosen from many such, which are an integral part of unveiling this huge, illusory global scam—the biggest hoax in the God business.

A veritable mountain of information is now available, far more than I can possibly place before you. My task is to report the findings I do offer accurately, while presenting a cross-section of untenable behavior, lies uncovered, and magic exposed. David has spent long hours and many months talking to people all over the world, whilst unraveling this tangled skein of years of deceit accumulated around the said "divinity incarnate", but he is not alone in this. Courageous people on every continent are banding together to expose the monumental spiritual fraud which has been perpetrated for the personal gain of a select group, headed by Sai Baba.

Disillusioned people of every rank and file, who have also found what lies behind the

facade—including ex-students of the Sai colleges, judges, doctors, government ministers in Europe, the Americas, Australia and beyond—are in agreement that it is now time to share their findings. There are hundreds of personal accounts which tear the veil from the “avatar”. I give only a few. Due to verbosity from some of the contributors, I have edited the information, but not altered its context. Contributors have given permission to be quoted and identified. The accounts that follow are merely a fraction of those available, all describing a situation that has been functional for many years. This is an opportunity to become aware of it, thus moving into a position enabling informed choice, rather than one coming from ignorance.

I begin with my personal revelations. Those who read David’s and my books (written before our discoveries and since removed from sale by us), know our history. How devoted we were to Sai Baba, to the point of each marrying the other, even though we were strangers from opposite sides of the world. How we travelled the world speaking of the wonder of him.

So, what happened to change everything?

When the dark side of Sai Baba began to be revealed to David, at first I refused to listen, unable to bear hearing anything negative about my beloved “avatar of the age”. This unhappy state of affairs continued for six months until, on our next visit to India, I had my own validation of David’s findings.

Can you imagine how it felt as I began to see beyond the veil? For years I had enjoyed the privilege of being called to the interview room, and had spent every moment there, focused only on Swami’s face—until David suggested that I shift my attention to his hands.

Watching rings, watches, and other trinkets being palmed, or pulled out from the side of chair cushions, and seeing vibhuti tablets held between fingers before being crushed and “manifest”, was a horrifying revelation, a personal catastrophe for me. I had given up my life, my marriage, husband, children, home, career, and homeland because of my love for Sai Baba—only to find trickery at the epicenter of all I held dear.

During subsequent interviews, increasingly aghast as I watched the same things happen again and again, I kept silently pleading: “Why? Why do it?” This illusionist activity totally destroyed my trust in one whom I expected to practice the truth he preached. But magician’s tricks were the very least of it. As time passed, and people began sharing their own experiences and findings with us, my world of divine guru-centered spirituality came crashing down.

While still at the ashram, the worst thing for me—as a mother of sons—occurred when a young man, a college student, came to our

room to plead with David: **“Please, sir, do something to stop him sexually abusing us!”**

These sons of devotees, unable to bear their untenable position of being unwilling participants in a pedophile situation any longer, yet unable to share this with their parents because they would be disbelieved, placed their trust in David, a trust which had built over his five years as a visiting professor of music to the Sai college.

Later that night the same young man returned to our room in great distress, to implore David not to reveal his name, saying that he feared expulsion from the college, and even worse than that, for his personal safety, if it were to be found out that he had spoken of these things. David was able to reassure him that he didn’t know his name, therefore could not, and would not, ever identify him. But this interaction and shocking revelation was merely the tip of an iceberg of sickening information—an iceberg that was to batter, then sink our years of blind devotion.

Becoming increasingly cognizant of Sai Baba’s sexual activity involving violation of basic human rights with the children (as young as seven years old) under his care, and the growing list of one-deceit-after-another in activities stemming from him, brought awareness of the depth of our own emotional investment.

Awareness also of the devastation these discoveries wrought in us. We were placed in an untenable situation, unable to risk creating similar chaos in other spiritual seekers of like investment. The only course was to say little and move away, which caused a furor of angry and untrue rumours about us to proliferate.

Last year, David felt it appropriate to share his findings when personally questioned, but the dilemma of whether to speak or not tested me sorely. I felt keenly the responsibility of holding this negative knowledge, recognizing that silence made me part of the conspiracy, but kept praying that, given time, somehow all of it would be satisfactorily explained away.

It was not to be.

Over the past eighteen months we have become privy to so many serious and horrific allegations, and so much damning information sent from disillusioned ex-devotees from all over the world (in particular, from ex-students of Sai Baba’s male colleges) which supported our own findings, that it is now impossible to remain silent.

As editor of a magazine that has as its mandate the seeking of truth, I have no option but to fulfill my responsibility to that mandate. My decision to do so follows much personal anguish and earnest prayer, and I have been given the necessary support and courage by my Inner Guidance and outer, true friends.

It is not the doctrine of Sai Baba that is being scrutinized, but his practices within it; not the message, but the messenger. His message

is, for the most part, one of universal verities, even though his teachings have been found to have many contradictions, misquotes, and proven anomalies.

The allegations I have gathered to record here are in regard to the global scam he perpetrates, including his chicanery, illusion, fraud, embezzlement, implication with murders, ongoing pedophile activities, and the almost impenetrable fortress of lies creating his “divinity”. There is also the weight of detailed descriptive testimony regarding his participation in sexual activity with willing and unwilling partners (both students and visiting foreigners), discounting the widely distributed justification of “kundalini raising”. The super speciality hospital and water project have been shown to be paper tigers, with apparent embezzlement of money, organ theft, and unfulfilled hydration promises.

There are known investigations at governmental levels worldwide. The Sai school has been closed in Sweden. A veritable volcano is about to erupt, due to the disquiet of many, many people. The Internet has had a major role in this. The mass of experience and evidence being presented there is hard, thrusting, knife-edged, and backed by courageous ex-devotees prepared to put their names to such statements for the good of all.

David has personally contacted many of the contributors, and listened as they verbally verified and further described their own experiences. Sadly, there is no way this letter can be gently worded.

The truth that THIS SITUATION EXISTS will stand. It will stand whether it is believed or not.

I fully appreciate the grief and awful sense of loss that reading these revelations may bring to you. David and I have experienced the same and we know how terrible it can be. I send you my love and empathy.

— Faye Bailey, Editor of *The Quarterly*

PERSONAL EXPERIENCES

by David Bailey

I have written this because so many rumors (often completely untrue) have spread about Faye and myself, as to why we moved away from Sai Baba. I know that what you are going to read here may cause you deep distress. The situation I am about to reveal is certainly not something we could ever have imagined possible.

I only ask you to read it all, while accepting that these are my personal experiences. I share with you my truth. No more, no less.

There have been many sleepless nights as I grappled with the task of what to do and how to cope with this indisputable factual information, in the light of my responsibility to the many, many people who read my books

and heard me speak.

The following findings are a result of my heart-aching research, over a period of three years.

VIBHUTI DURING DARSHAN

Sai Baba carries vibhuti in tablet form between the third and fourth fingers of his right hand, with spare tablets in the hand holding up his robe. He crushes a tablet when required, and transfers tablets during the taking of letters. I have watched this happen innumerable times. Once on the mandir porch he dropped a tablet in front of me, and told a member of the Trust to “eat it quickly”. Tablet-palming can be clearly seen on many videos, if slowed down to frame-by-frame viewing, including in our wedding day interview video, used at the beginning of *God Lives In India*. This video has been removed from sale by the Trust.

Australian television, in its program *60 MINUTES* (their equivalent of *PANORAMA*) showed how these “B-grade” conjuring tricks are done.

Vibhuti tablets explains why vibhuti distribution runs out in the interview room before everyone has had some.

All powdered vibhuti is produced by roasting cow dung with sandalwood, and manufactured vibhuti, bought elsewhere, is then double sieved by ladies of the ashram seva dal, before being packaged for interview-room distribution.

Use of vibhuti on open wounds consistently causes infection in them, a fact commented by Faye to me when she was called to deal with people having these infections in the ashram.

JEWELRY

All are worthless trinkets. Some are bought in Puttaparthi village, but mainly they come from Bangalore and Hyderabad. I made it my business to meet one of the jewelers concerned and have this information verified.

I was told by Sai Baba, and also by members of his inner circle, that my “materialized” ring with its huge stone was a sixty-four-faceted diamond of great commercial value. After leaving the ashram in December 1998, I damaged one of the clasps on the ring and took it to a jeweler in southern India, many hundreds of kilometers away. This stranger immediately recognized it as a “Sai Baba” ring. He told me that the metal it was made of was not gold, also that the stone was a valueless zircon, and under it there was a piece of silver paper to make the zircon glitter, which was why the back of the ring was solid. He informed me that these hard-backed rings are especially made for Sai Baba. As he took the stone out to repair the damaged clasp, sure enough, a piece of silver paper fell out, and the stone thus revealed was seen to be a zircon.

The then Sai organization co-ordinator of Ireland was with Faye and me at the time, and another lady, who had a Baba ring in which a face (attributed to Baba because of the black head of hair around a small “face”) could be seen. The jeweler showed us how these are made. A piece of colored glass has a small piece of silver paper behind it so that at certain angles it reflects the color of one’s own face. This is surrounded by a circular ring of black enamel to give the impression of hair. He lifted the stone out of the ring and proved this also was so. The Irish co-ordinator took photos of the rings. On his return to Ireland, he resigned and left the organization.

When Sai Baba decides to give someone a robe in the interview room, he does so as a cover to get further trinkets from his store in the back room. More than a few times Faye and I have heard the sound of a drawer being opened and the tinkle of metallic things being moved. He returns with them hidden under the robe (and we have watched him transferring trinkets from under the robe on his lap, to his right hand—it’s just so obvious when you look) before waving his hand while faking a materialization. His velvet chair contains objects hidden in the sides. We have seen them there and then observed his sleight of hand as he brings them out of hiding.

But, well before I was aware of these things, I began to have some doubts about the authenticity of Sai Baba’s claims of divine manifestation.

During my second interview, one of the first things I noticed which bothered me was that someone asked him to repair a broken chain on a japamala, and another had lost a stone from a ring. He did nothing at the time, but said: “No, no, I will change for new one tomorrow.” I found this very perplexing. Why, if he could create anything at will, which is what I had been told, did he not blow on these things and repair them then?

I now know why: He cannot.

HEALING

I have not seen him do a genuine healing on anybody in all my time of being close to him, and having had innumerable interviews. I have seen him tell people to stand up, and get out of wheel chairs, but the effect is not lasting. He generally ignores the sick and frail ones, giving out as the reason, their karma.

The Australian “pink twins” continue to use wheel chairs, in spite of Sai Baba’s claims of healing them and their claims of being healed.

A sad case for me is Maynard Ferguson, with over three years of deterioration in his hearing. During several interviews with him and his wife, he, his wife and myself asked—pleaded—with Swami, to heal him. Every time, he promised to do so, but now Maynard is very deaf and has to rely on two powerful

hearing aids to help him. As a fellow musician, I know what this must mean to him in his heart.

Once Faye and I had an interview in the company of an elderly, rather frail Indian gentleman who used to sit on the veranda near me. He asked Sai Baba for help for his failing health. Swami, behind his back shrugged his shoulders at us, saying in what we both thought was rather an unfeeling aside: “And what can I do? Cancer. Too far gone, too far gone.” Faye has had her own experience of him giving health advice she trustingly followed, which nearly caused permanent damage to her, before she at last resorted to western medical treatment for her complaint.

The German co-ordinator, whom I visited in the super speciality hospital after he’d had a stroke, was eventually taken back to the veranda, but Swami did not heal him. The elderly man has gone back to Germany, and some two years later is little improved.

I believe any healing claimed by Sai Baba is, in fact, a personal inner healing activated by the person himself or herself.

MISCELLANEOUS MUSINGS

The mandir ceiling is now covered in gold leaf. I was shown a piece of this gold leaf which had fallen from the ceiling.

I ask myself: “Why, in a country of such appalling poverty, does he allow this escalating show of opulence to occur?” The mandir, at my last count, had one hundred and sixty-seven chandeliers instead of the original thirty-six. What on Earth for? Sai Baba now has several luxury cars supposedly “gifted” by rich devotees. Why is more than one necessary? This is reminiscent of other cult leaders, such as Rajneesh.

I know Sai Baba doesn’t live only on rice and chappattis as he claims. His evening meal consists of six to eight different dishes prepared for him every night, and Faye and I have shared the “leftovers” several times, having gone with someone to collect the remains of the meal from his rooms. He claimed to Faye that he “drinks no tea, no coffee, only hot water” yet has drunk coffee with me.

During the preparation of the 1997 Christmas Day students’ program, I was in interview with the students, and we were discussing with Swami the music and story of Jesus’ birth, which the boys were going to present. When “We Three Kings From Orient Are” was mentioned, Sai Baba directed that this song not be sung, saying: “No, no, no! There were no kings. They did not exist.” Yet, in his January 1996 discourse, he said: “When Christ was born, three kings came to see the infant.”

It is claimed by a few people that different lights can be seen around Sai Baba. Everybody has an aura, which one can learn to

see. There is a book by Mark Smith, for example, called *Auras—See Them In 60 Seconds*. The existence of this light does not confirm divinity. There's only been a handful of people around the world who claim to have seen Sai Baba's aura. Anyone who has made this claim to me has been an ardent devotee.

I have been shown photographs with unrecognizable light shapes on them, and been told by the presenter that these represent Sai Baba, Krishna, Gopis and others. What would be the point of divinity appearing in this indistinguishable way? And what proof can it be of the said divinity? According to Kodak laboratories, light emissions on photographs are caused by intermittent camera malfunction and/or film idiosyncrasy, and the most common emission colors are orange and white.

THE SUPER SPECIALITY HOSPITAL

I know that one wing has never been opened, supposedly through lack of funds.

Yet, we are told that just one of the many donations given for the building was US \$49,000,000.00 (forty-nine million US dollars!). This converts to approximately ST £30,000,000.00 (thirty million pounds sterling!). Names of many other large benefactors are listed in the hospital reception area, making the funds donated for this complex absolutely mind boggling.

In relative terms, money can buy five times in India what it can here. I question what happens to these huge amounts of donated monies.

A doctor I sat near on the mandir porch, who works in this hospital, told me never to let anyone I cared about go there, as the sanitation is disgusting and the lack of aseptic technique is appalling. This allegation has been repeated numerous times in correspondence we have received, by people who have seen through the hospital.

The Renal Department is now also closed.

There is bad publicity regarding allegations of theft of a kidney and subsequent current legal action being taken in India.

In 1997 Australian national television *60 MINUTES* critically investigated the super speciality hospital, and Sai Baba's claims of divinity.

(Details for obtaining this video are as follows: "God Botherers" Segment—Ex: *60 MINUTES*, Tx: 24/8/97, 9 Network, Australia Archives Division, 4 Cleg Street, Artarmon NSW 2064, Tel: + 9439 4500, Fax: + 9906 4415 AUSTRALIA.)

THE WATER PROJECT

It has been claimed that all seven hundred and fifty villages in the Sai Baba Water Project are now receiving water. This I believed until I was shown a Telegu newspaper with a front

page feature article showing photos of villages with no water, broken pipes, no pipes, pipes and no tanks, and many with nothing at all. The headlines, translated, read: "**SAI BABA, WHERE'S OUR WATER? YOU'VE CHEATED US AGAIN!**"

I went to some of these villages within the project radius and found for myself that the report was correct. My questioning of local businessmen in the area revealed some interesting information. General opinion concurred that the project had been set up because the ashram had many problems with its own insufficient well supply, one of which was constantly recurring gastric disturbances, particularly by foreign devotees.

Request for permission to lay a water pipeline to the ashram fell on the government's deaf ears, the response being that unless villages along the proposed line could also be supplied, permission would be withheld. Hence the huge global fund-raising, which also perplexed me—having been indoctrinated with the "no fund-raising" policies given out by Sai Baba.

Within twelve months, an effective pipeline to the ashram and a selection of villages was established, and then the work stopped. At my consternation at being told of this scandalous situation, the village elders simply shrugged their shoulders, saying: "What can we do?"

FINANCIAL PROBLEMS

As Faye and I travelled around the world, speaking to Sai Baba groups, after almost every meeting people would come to us asking for help because of the financial trickery they had experienced at the ashram. In particular about giving many thousands of pounds, dollars, marks, or whatever for a unit there, and never getting one, let alone being given a receipt for the money. Then, when eventually disheartened, they attempted to retrieve their money, they were told there were no records of the transaction. We heard this story many times.

It is a common practice at retreats and meetings for new devotees to be told that Sai Baba does not need donations.

This happened at Downe House public school (near Newbury), where a series of weekend retreats were held during school holidays. However, when the new devotees had been to more than one weekend, they were taken aside individually and given a bank account number at the Bank of India in Andhra Pradesh, to which donations can be sent.

On some occasions, with particularly gullible targets, a printed paragraph was given—to be inserted into a will for donations to be made. Such people were also told that sending money to the Sathya Sai Medical Trust in India was inheritance tax effective, as the Indian Trust is a registered charity in the

United Kingdom. This, of course, is untrue. Such donations do not attract inheritance tax relief. The above allegation of fraud is supported by a statement from a lawyer and others who were personally involved.

Not surprisingly, Downe House has since banned any further Sai organization meetings on its premises.

PERSONAL PROBLEMS

We spoke to people who had written dozens of letters over serious personal situations and had no response, and no change in the situation. Desperate and despondent, these people turned to us as their last hope, asking us to intercede for them with Sai Baba, whom they believed was omnipotent (but not, seemingly, omniscient).

SEXUAL PROBLEMS

Concerned mothers, and young men of various ages, would ask to speak to me in confidence about intimate incidents they had with Swami. They told me about alleged sexual activity, each story replicating the previous one. Swami would take these young men and boys into the private interview room, alone with him, then insist that they take their trousers down, and he would massage them, often masturbating them, and/or insisting on oral sex, and sometimes collecting their semen in his handkerchief.

This left me speechless! I knew of the book written by Tal Brook in the '70s called *Lord Of The Air* where he detailed the sexual harassment he had undergone with Sai Baba, but this book had always been dismissed by long established devotees as a collection of mischief-making lies told by an angry young man. And yet Faye's own son had been kissed repeatedly on his cheeks and the corners of his mouth when alone in the inner room with Sai Baba, and also sexually touched. And when it was obvious to Sai Baba that this behavior was unwelcome, he began berating the young man in subsequent interviews with Faye, calling him "Mad dog! Hard hearted!" and so on. At the time this seemed incongruous; it was only after we began traveling the world that the inconceivable and incomprehensible began to make itself clear.

When I asked various co-ordinators about these many disturbing incidents reported to me in our travels, I was told that Swami was "raising kundalini". I questioned this in my mind. If he was capable of doing anything, why did he have to physically touch the boys, especially when they were unwilling? And what about when he had them actively engage in sex with him? It seems that an ongoing, serious, and untenable infringement of basic human rights is being scurrilously perpetrated in the name of "divinity".

I didn't ever hear any stories about girls having their kundalini raised in this way.

On my last visit to Puttaparthi, a male student came and asked me for help, on behalf of some of his fellow students, because they were desperately in need of someone to stop Swami sexually abusing them. I was told how Sai Baba had for years been demanding that these particular boys have oral sex and group sex for his pleasure. Their details matched what I had already been told so many times around the world. I asked him if this was an acceptable practice in India, and his look of horror, as he denied it, spoke volumes.

Then he asked me a question I couldn't answer: "Sir, why do you think ex-students tried to kill him in '93?" (!!!) I turned to several longtime devotees on the veranda for explanation of these nefarious activities, and worried them with questions and suppositions until, in the end, they realised that I had found the truth, and then admitted that these things do happen—and then agreed with each other that it was for his pleasure and nothing to do with kundalini raising.

Different national co-ordinators I spoke to, both in India and after we returned home, continued for a time to deny that it happens. But when it became obvious that I was not going to leave this issue alone, a couple of them telephoned me to say that, yes, I was correct, and they had known of this for years.

"But he is god, and god can do anything he likes." (!!!) Early in 1999 a young Swedish man returned from a visit to the ashram and made a full statement to his co-ordinating committee about his sexual experiences with Swami during six interviews. Within hours of this revelation, one of the top officials of Sweden's Sai organization was on our doorstep, asking why we had left Sai Baba. He and his wife, both really lovely people, were absolutely devastated to hear the young man's story confirmed. After saying brokenly "I cannot be part of this" he went outside and sat on the steps in our front garden and sobbed his heart out. He had been a devotee for more than twenty years, and his wife had written two books on Sai Baba and another was already at the point of being printed.

He went home to resign his position from something he had given years of his life and his love to, and she cancelled her book and withdrew the others from the market. Within days there was public confirmation—that these things I had spoken about through the year to a small number of serious seekers of truth—were indeed happening to others as well.

Soon after, the Sai school in Sweden closed.

Due to this courageous young man's statement, the unmentionable began being mentioned, then mentioned increasingly loudly, by increasing numbers of young men. The Swedish publicity began a flurry of exposures.

Swedish film star Conny Larsson revealed his own experiences, which are included in this fact file. Our phone ran hot with young men from all over Europe sharing their pain.

One teenager rang from France and confided that he had wanted to commit suicide ever since his own experience of sexual harassment, as he couldn't live with the thought that he must be gay. He said he was very relieved to hear that there were other victims.

The Education in Human Values system was developed by Dr. Gokak, at one time a member of Sai Baba's professorial board. Sai Baba has not written any part of this system. Dr. Gokak left Sai Baba some years ago.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

I was led to believe that the schools and colleges in Puttaparthi and Whitefield had been set up to give free education to local children. This is not the case. Last year the fees at the lower grade schools were 20,000 rupees per child for one year, plus books, plus uniform, plus accommodation if required.

The village school is government run, as are all village schools throughout India, and is free—parents pay only for books and uniform.

Assuming that the college boys I taught were local lads, I was amazed at their learning capacity, until I discovered that these boys were brought in from all over India and had to pass very strict entrance exams, needing 85-90% pass marks. As one of the tutors said to me: "Sai Baba takes only the best. They'd have to try, to fail."

One of my concerns with these lads was that they had no career officer to guide them as to where they may find a job, and they would return after leaving college and ask me for advice about how to get employment. This occurred regularly over the five years I interacted with them.

THE FINDINGS, PART 2

by David & Faye Bailey

Peggy Mason, a professional journalist who wrote for spiritual magazines, went to see Sai Baba with her husband, Ron Laing, and had a number of interviews during their short stay. Both she and Ron were enchanted with Swami (as indeed I was at first), and this one visit was the basis for their subsequent writings.

In December 1997 on our way to Gatwick airport to leave for India, we collected a letter written to Swami by Peggy. I gave the letter to him during the next afternoon darshan. The following morning I received a fax to say that Peggy had died.

A few days later I had an interview in the company of the editor of the *Sanathana Sarathi*, and he told Swami that Faye was now editor of Peggy Mason's magazine.

SB: Yes, yes. It's in very good hands, now make it go! How is Peggy Mason?

Me: She has merged with you.

SB: Yes. She lives near you in England?

Me: She lived eighty miles from me, but she died a few days ago Swami. She is with you!

SB: Yes, yes, her husband was a good man. When you go home, give my regards to her.

Me: She is dead, Swami. Dead! She has merged with you!

SB: Give her my love when you get back to England.

Me: I cannot, Swami, because she is DEAD!

SB: Oh?? Oh...

In another interview, a few days later, this time with Faye, Swami seemed very confused and spoke randomly without making coherent sense for a minute or so, and ended by telling all in the room that Peggy Mason had played the trumpet very well during the Christmas celebrations just completed in the ashram. He was not making a joke and we were both nonplussed and very disturbed, and everyone else there also looked puzzled and somewhat concerned about these ramblings, as they had all heard Maynard Ferguson play trumpet on Christmas day.

On two occasions he called us into the private interview room and questioned me intently about someone in the outer room. Then after we had both returned to the outer room, he repeated everything I had just told him—no more, no less, while implying he was getting the information by "tuning in".

This possibly explains why he thought I was American in the first instance, even referring to me in his discourse as American. Perhaps someone had given him incorrect data?

My greatest difficulty at this time was finding someone other than Faye to talk to about all these disturbing findings. Everyone I knew from the West had much less interactive experience with Swami than I had. During my six years of being devoted to him I had over one hundred close encounters in the way of interviews and work sessions, and been very involved with him during my times of teaching the students in the male college.

For most devotees, a visit to the ashram means sitting in the darshan lines looking on, wishing and hoping for interaction, while listening to the stories others tell. This is very different to being "in there"—seeing how things work behind the scenes. I had to find someone who had the same level of experience as I had.

I began to look for Terry Gallagher, an Australian whom I heard had been close to Swami before my time. Terry had been Central Coordinator for the Sai organization in Australia for three years, and had been given very preferential treatment from Sai Baba for a number of years. I traced him to Kiama in New South Wales, Australia.

I knew he had left the ashram vowing never

to return, and I wanted to know why? I soon found out. Terry had discovered the unmentionable inner workings of Sai Baba as I had now done. Exactly the same—but more. Terry left, never to return after the assassination attempt by ex-students in 1993. I wanted to know what Terry knew. I soon did.

Is this why there are so few really “longstanding” western followers around? Do those who get close, get too close and discover that the mighty “Wizard of Oz” is just a little magician? In this case, a little magician who is also a pedophile? Do they then discern that “God wouldn’t do that” and leave? Premanand, another with a very close connection to Sai Baba some years before Terry’s time, had also discovered the truth behind the facade and left. Premanand now shares his findings on the Internet.

PHENOMENA

There are many instances of vibhuti, etc., appearing on pictures around the world. Very often in homes and temples where non-stop bhajans are sung, which may well have something to do with the appearance of this phenomena. Generally speaking, we in the West know so little about mind power and the power of vibration. However some of these appearances of vibhuti are fake, and can be created by chemical means.

Some would appear to be genuine, but my research in this area leads me to determine that the appearance of phenomena does not automatically mean it comes from Swami, or has any divine connection whatsoever. Whilst in India, Faye and I saw many examples of phenomena. Enough to know that the ability to do phenomena does not make one divine.

My suspicions, once aroused about Swami’s divinity, gave me no peace.

Things I blindly accepted because I had been told they were so, did not stand up in the light of close scrutiny. Even the men in power around him, although they act out a role of subservient adoration when in front of Sai Baba, play a different part away from him. On occasions I was with members of the inner circle, Mr. Rao for example, in the main office. Once, I had been sent by Swami for something and the reply he gave me ended with the words: “Swami doesn’t know what he is talking about.” (!) Yet they perpetrate the idea that he knows everything.

Over this questioning span of many months I have had my share of indoctrination procedures from those in high places. While at the ashram, my very first queries brought intense social interaction from an Indian inner-circle member who, unknown and uninvited, visited Faye and me in our unit after almost every darshan for a week, to tell us of the many wonders of Swami’s miraculous powers. Only later did we understand why he did this.

Once back home, when rumors were beginning to fly about our defection from the fold, I received several phone calls from longstanding devotees from the VIP lines, telling me that I had a problem. I had to decide if Sai Baba was God or not. If he was God, then he could do everything he wanted to anyone, sexually, fraudulently, drugs, trickery, etc. But, of course, if I did not accept him as God, then I had my own view of morals, and the laws of my land to follow. For me there was no choice to make.

I know there are instances worldwide of people going to Prashanthi, and coming back with a new lease on life, but so do people who visit the many other gurus in India, or Mother Meera, or Lourdes, and so on. My investigations into mind power find simple explanations for this.

If even only a handful of people sit quietly together to do yoga meditation, circle work, or just to meditate, they expect, and often get, a lovely atmosphere, and sometimes healing happens.

Imagine the energy that might be generated by hundreds of people sitting quietly focused for an hour or two in darshan. Among these are probably some natural or trained psychics, and natural or trained healers, as well as many people sitting still and focused for a lengthy period, perhaps for the first time in their lives. Different experiences are bound to occur. Nothing to do with Sai Baba.

I think the “love connection” people experience is simply one connecting with one’s Self.

When one gets involved with Sai Baba, a very subtle brainwashing commences. Sitting for hours in darshan is one of these. When one sees all around with hands in prayer position, one naturally follows suit. Once attached and involved, common sense and logic progressively disappear, until one reaches the point of attributing every small act of living to Sai Baba.

Where to now? No more gurus for me.

Once more, for me the true connection with God is inside me.

No more giving my power away.

To sit still quietly and talk to God within, I find gets real answers.

To accept who I am in this life, and to do my best with my gifts, knowing that I am part of the Great Picture, is enough.

CONCLUSION

If I take any other subject, I look at the pros and cons fearlessly.

For example, where I shop: Is the price good? Do they sell what I want? Or perhaps: Is this car what I really want? How many miles to the gallon? Insurance cost, deterioration, repair bills?

I choose from being presented the true facts.

The car salesman was not knowingly waiting there for me, to give me an experience I needed for my life. I gave myself the experience by deciding to go to that showroom.

I consider this attitude should also be applied to spiritual subjects.

I spent a lot of time believing what I was told by others—that this was a great test for me, and Swami was doing it to give me an experience.

From my conversations and observations with Swami, I know for myself that this is not the case. I gave myself the experience, by listening to very well meaning people when I first heard about Swami, who in their turn had not done any research into the truth, but just believed others.

There are fantastic stories going round about Sai Baba’s supposed powers, but in five years searching I have not found one to be genuine.

Always secondhand information. People repeat these stories in good faith and then say: “I know this was so.” But how can they know? They were not there.

The above is first-hand information.

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From: Australia

Source: Terry Gallagher

Purpose: A letter to the Baileys.

Subject: DISILLUSION

Dear Faye and David:

When speaking to you recently I was so pleased to hear about your decision not to mention or publish anything further about Sai Baba in your *Quarterly Spiritual Digest*.

The information you have uncovered about Sai Baba, I have also found out from personal experience to be true.

What began as a wonderful spiritual journey ended with total disbelief and bitter disappointment when we found out the truth.

Perhaps I should start at the beginning with a brief account of that journey.

After reading a book called *Man Of Miracles*, I set off for India (and Puttaparthi), with my wife and three young daughters, in an organized group for Christmas 1983.

What we found when we arrived in India was something I had been searching for all my life. The most beautiful, peaceful atmosphere, with wonderful people searching for their own spiritual truth, living in a community whose whole objective was that of improving self-awareness and achieving self-realization, through the teachings of a living guru—Sai Baba.

Adjacent to the ashram and provided free of cost to the students was a primary school for boys and girls, and various colleges for boys, where spiritual teachings were incorporated into the normal academic disciplines.

We were all very impressed and motivated

towards learning as much as possible about what Sai Baba had to teach us.

The celebration of Christmas came and went, after which our family was called for an interview with Sai Baba. As a result of this interview and what appeared at the time to be the most perfect environment for students and devotees to advance their spiritual lives, I made a substantial donation to the Central Trust to help them fund their educational programs.

Upon leaving the interview, I was told by Sai Baba that I should sit on the veranda of the Mandir in the future, with students from the colleges and other devotees.

As it turned out, this gave me the opportunity to meet people and observe events very closely that I otherwise may not have had the opportunity to do.

We all had mixed feelings when we had to leave the ashram and return to Australia—sad in having to leave and joy in what we had experienced.

We returned to the ashram again in 1985 for one month; then in 1986 we stayed for seven months, at which time our daughters attended Sai Baba's school.

It was during this time that I began to observe things that made me question what I had experienced on previous visits. Having a scientific background, I began to observe a set routine that Sai Baba followed each morning and evening during darshan, and in particular, how he materialized vibhuti (holy ash).

I will never forget the look of anguish on Sai Baba's face when he came onto the veranda of the Mandir early one morning and dropped two vibhuti pellets in front of me, as he attempted to accept a rose from a college student. There was no vibhuti materialization during darshan that morning!

In the months that followed, I observed how he transferred these vibhuti pellets from one hand to the other, using the letters he collects from devotees to disguise his movements. In the many interviews that followed, I also observed more than thirty instances of rings, "diamonds", japamalas, vibhuti containers, etc., all being produced by sleight of hand and deception.

At first I kept this information to myself. I reasoned that if this was what made people come to see Sai Baba, resulting in them becoming more spiritual, what harm could it do? Eventually I told my wife and children, who also saw through this "materialization" trickery.

It was the observations and information that followed on from these initial findings that concerned me most, especially those relating to students being sexually interfered with in grotesque ways by Sai Baba.

We returned to the ashram several times during the following years, making further observations and having these confirmed by college students and longterm devotees living at

the ashram. During this time I was the central coordinator for three years for the Sathya Sai organization in Australia.

It wasn't until 1993, following the assassination attempt on Sai Baba, resulting in the murder of four college students and two assistants in the Mandir, that we made our last visit to India.

The purpose of this visit was to find the reason why former students of Sai Baba's college would want to kill him, particularly when they had been given a free education! The eye witness accounts were horrific! After bursting into the Mandir, four students found themselves trapped upstairs where Sai Baba was staying. Each was interrogated by police, then one at a time they were executed! The stench of death was everywhere.

I made further inquiries about Sai Baba having sexual relations with college boys and male students—some of these as young as seven years of age—and whether this was the reason for former students wanting to kill him. I was told, to my horror, that this was an acceptable Indian practice! I felt sick, and just wanted to take my family and leave the ashram and India as quickly as possible.

Before we did, we were all called for an interview with Sai Baba, and we told him what we had experienced and been told.

Sai Baba made no comment on our accusations and was only anxious to know who had told us these details, requesting us to tell him several times! Having had dozens of interviews over the years, this was the most stressful and uncomfortable interview our family had ever experienced.

Sai Baba was tense and agitated and his body language told us all, that what we had found out about him was the truth! We left the interview and returned to Australia.

The following years were very difficult spiritually. We concentrated on all the positive aspects we had experienced over the past ten years and found this comforting.

When we attempted to tell others about our experiences and the truth about Sai Baba, no one would believe us, except those who also had similar experiences, and mostly it is fear which prevents them from telling others! It has only been in the past twelve months that former students and devotees of Sai Baba have begun communicating with each other, confirming experiences to be true and supporting each other spiritually and emotionally when necessary.

I now know the truth about Sai Baba and sincerely pray that others, too, will follow both their logic and intuition to also find the truth.

Warm regards, Terry Gallagher

From: India

Source: Name withheld at request. (Available for investigation by authorities.)

Subject: Dr. Bhatia (head of SSH blood bank); why did he leave?

Regarding the notice of expulsion of Dr. Bhatia in the *Sanathana Sarathi* magazine, please note: Three young students from Sai Baba's junior male college were called for interview. One of them, a seven-year-old boy student, came out of the private interview room crying. He continued to cry for two days, and was unable to eat or study.

That evening, Dr. Bhatia, on duty in the children's canteen, was asked to find the cause of the child's distress. He questioned and then examined the child, and found that he had been sexually penetrated via his anus. The child was taken to Bangalore and re-examined. A second medical opinion confirmed sexual abuse.

Dr. Bhatia had been involved in sexual activity with Sai Baba for six years, believing that he was serving divinity. He went to Sai Baba: Why do you do this to such a young child when you have all of us adults and the older students to play with? Sai Baba's reply: Don't bargain with God!

Soon after, five men went to Dr. Bhatia's home, threatening his life with knives. He made his escape by car, fleeing to Delhi.

Once there, Dr. Bhatia was unable to practice medicine because he had left all his personal papers behind in Puttaparthi. He wrote asking for them. They have not yet been released. However, the doctor now practices at a Delhi hospital.

A promissory agreement has been offered from Puttaparthi, that Dr. Bhatia's personal belongings will be released to him on the proviso that he remain mute about the happenings concerning the little boy student, and he does not make any legal claims against the Super Speciality Hospital, and he keeps his sexual relationship with Sai Baba a secret.

A rumor given out for his "dismissal" was that he was caught selling blood, another that he was having an affair within the ashram, and yet another claiming jealousy between departmental heads at the hospital.

I offer this for the sake of truth.

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From website: <<http://www.myfreeoffice.com/saibabaexposed/student1.html>>

Subject: Sathya Sai Baba—The Good, The Bad And The Ugly.

Posted on: <soc.culture.tamil> by ex-student Meenakshi Srikanth in 1993 after some students tried to kill Sai Baba but failed.

Meenakshi writes: The following is a chronicle of my experiences in the Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning (Whitefield Branch). You have my word about the truth of this article, which has no intention to pass judgment about the personality under consideration. Meenakshi warns that the information may shock.

THE GOOD: An excellent orator in Telegu;

does not have a radically new philosophy; effectively preaches age-old values. Many followers attempt to practice the ideals, and there are numerous charity programs organized in his name.

THE BAD: How does he get his following? "Miracles". A few days after I joined the college, during darshan time, Swami was casually talking about the power of meditation or some such thing when all of a sudden he waved his hands in the air and produced a pendant containing a beautiful picture of Lord Muruga. I was stunned. I had not seen anything like that before. I was not a devotee when I joined the college (my father asked me to), so this was something that really shook me. I went back to the hostel and waxed eloquent about the power of Swami to some of my seniors.

They nodded sagely and smiled cryptically. It was not long before some of them called me aside and said: "Don't start believing all this stuff. It does not take much to become a devotee, but it takes a lot to come out of it." Saying this, one of them waved his hand and produced vibhuti, and another produced a ring. Then they told me all.

The simplicity of this is going to baffle you, so be prepared for the gullibility of the common man.

Swami produces things out of "thin air" by turning his right palm to face the ground while rotating it (parallel to the ground) a few times. He then makes a sudden upward motion (as if he is plucking a low-lying fruit) and gives out whatever he has produced. The mechanism of doing this is simple. When he comes out of the mandir, his left hand will be holding a kerchief or letter or his flowing robe.

Don't look at his smiling face or his overflowing hair. Look at his left hand: clutched in his hand with (mostly) the middle finger, ring finger, and the little finger is whatever he is going to give out that session.

These items include such as vibhuti (from pellets; those of you who have seen him give out vibhuti will recollect that he makes a powdering action with his fingers when he is actually delivering), rings or whatever. Just keep looking at his hand. There will be a time when a devotee will fall at his feet or when he will lean forward. At that time the stuff gets transferred to between his fingers in the right hand. This would be visible too if you are looking for it. Very soon thereafter, the "materialization" takes place.

Right, so you think this method is so stupid that even a goat would have found it out by now. Let me tell you something: just practice this a few times, and try it on your friends. You will be surprised by their surprise. I can do this easily now and have fooled many of my friends. Only I don't call myself God and have VIPs fall at my feet.

I have seen these things happen hundreds of

times. I have received vibhuti, laddu, and such myself. In our hostel there was a coterie (select group) who knew about all these tricks. We used to have a ball of a time in darshan line and then share the hilarious experiences after the show was over.

Once, Swami was out of the mandir and was collecting letters. He had a small silver pendant in his hand, which we had all seen when he had gone past us in the line. He had transferred it to his right hand and was just waiting for someone to give it to, when a devotee from a back row extended a letter. Swami bent forward and stretched out his right palm to receive it.

It was a fine Bangalore morning; the Sun was out and the pendant in his hand was gleaming for all to see! We went black and blue for a second and, suppressing a threatening-to-explode laugh, looked away. Swami went ahead, unperturbed, and gave the pendant to some important-looking guy down the line. We were talking about this for a whole week and even thought of writing a letter to Swami asking him to be more careful.

On another occasion, a singer had come to Brindavan and we were listening to him. Swami wanted to give him a watch, and it was in readiness beneath his left thigh in the sofa on which he was sitting. I was sitting three rows from Swami and watching him closely. The song over, Swami shifted a bit on his seat and the watch was now in his left hand. He bent forward and moved the watch to his right hand. I saw this, then looked up and saw Swami was watching me. I turned red but so did Swami!

He started shifting around a lot and asked one of the students to change the direction of the table fan. When the audience was looking away, he put the watch back in his left hand. Now, the student who was changing the fan was a nervous wreck with everyone watching him, and whatever happened, there were sparks flying out of the socket! Other students set it right, but by now the watch had gone back below the thigh. The singer never got it that day. (I really felt sorry for him.)

The next morning in darshan line Swami came near me and, opening his empty right palm, called me a "doubting Thomas". I wished I could have asked him to open the left palm, since I knew he had something there.

Now, this seems funny, but I got very scared and wrote a very apologetic letter to him.

There are a couple of other tricks he does. During Dussehra he does a vibhuti abhishek of Shirdi Sai Baba. He gets a pot, turns it upside down to show it's empty, then puts his hand inside and vibhuti starts flowing out. Even a goat with a rational mind would figure out what he is doing.

Take a pot, fill it with vibhuti and solidify it with some water and let it stand. Until you disturb it, nothing will fall out.

Another thing he used to do was materialize linga. He does this by regurgitation. (Yes!) He makes motions as if he is trying to get it out of his stomach, and soon enough, has it out of his mouth. You will find plenty of these if you visit the museum in Puttaparthi. The way he does this is also simple. There is always a queue of trusted lieutenants (secret police?) who stand by him and pass him white handkerchiefs on which he would eventually place the linga.

In one of these the linga will come, and all he has to do is to take it close to his mouth and make a motion as if the linga had just dropped into the kerchief. I have not seen this myself (he no longer does it) but I have seen videos of this. My point is, once you have proved that one of his "miracles" is magic, the rest don't need any proof.

Some students in the college know this and live a life of forced devotion and false pretence. They have to, for if they don't, life can get very unpleasant. The parents of these students are very ardent devotees, whose lives have been defined by their devotion to Swami. It would be impossible to convince them that Swami is not what they think he is, but only a cheap charlatan doing popular tricks.

The lives of these students are truly pitiable. They live a constant Jeckyl-and-Hyde life from which there is no reprieve. But the lives of some students are more horrible.

THE UGLY: This I have not had personal experience with (thank holy heavens for that!) but it is 100% true because I have heard firsthand accounts of these bizarre things. I have looked at enough circumstantial evidences along with these witnesses' accounts that I have no hesitation in telling that the following is true.

How do I start telling this to you, gentle reader? In my very first few days in our hostel, I had the distinct impression that something ugly was going on about which everybody knew but none wanted to talk. Whenever Swami came to Bangalore, there always used to be a few students who got interviews every other day.

These students were often referred to as those who are "in form" (a cricket analogy) with Swami. These students were among the most privileged in the hostel. They could go outside the hostel (not normally allowed) when they like, and behave specially. The wardens and lecturers used to consult them before anything significant was done in the hostel. These students kept within themselves for most of the time. I was preoccupied with my own troubles and did not keep any close look at these, though I was curious.

When I got to know about Swami from my seniors, they asked me if I noticed anything strange about the hostel. I told them. They smiled and asked me to keep an open eye, promising they would tell me all about it soon. It did not take me very long to find out what

was different about these students. They were all gay.

Now, kindly bring down those raised eyebrows my dear reader. All the indications, body languages, special jokes about husbands and wives, etc., were there and it did not take a sleuth's effort to divine what was going on. I told about this to my seniors and the fact they told me was startling to say the least.

Many of these students were made gay ("sodomized" would be an unrefined word) by Swami, who himself is gay. I did not believe it when they told me this. But not long after, I heard the experiences as narrated by students who had undergone the trauma themselves. Now, it so happened that a couple of these students were Tamils, with whom I became friendly quite soon. One of them used to tell me harrowing stories.

When Swami was in Brindavan he used to get the call for interview at least once in three days. Whereas a student, when he gets an interview, is usually so elated and pleased that Swami has recognised his devotion, etc., this boy, let's call him Nandan, always had a grim face as he walked into the bungalow.

He never attended classes those days in which he got an interview. I have often seen him show marks on his chest and chin and say a flow of choice words of slang. Nandan often used to get covers (envelopes) from Swami in public, and sometimes he would be asked to open one. It would contain crisp hundred-rupee notes.

[David's note: I have seen this happen many times.]

There is another word for giving money for such acts. Nandan was helpless. He could not go home and complain. His family and parents were devotees for thirty years, and their very lives had been defined around Baba. Nandan, since he knew the world, has been knowing Swami, and none else, as God. He was first initiated into doing this when he was in school. Swami told him that he (Swami) was the only purusha in the world and the whole world was his wife. Nandan was asked to think of himself as Radha, devoted to the Krishna.

Nandan's whole attitude towards life is now irrevocably changed.

There was another boy, Kumar (say), who was called for interview the first time. He was so elated. That afternoon a bunch of us went up to him (he was our junior) and asked him what happened. He had a blissful look on his face as he spoke: "Swami asked me if I had stomach ache. I said, 'By Swami's grace I don't.'" Swami laughed and said, "Why do you have to hide it from me? Tell me, do you have stomach ache?"

"I don't know why, but I said yes. Swami then said he will cure it and produced sandalwood oil from thin air and rubbed it on my stomach and below. I will never forget the experience."

We did not need such proofs, however. It was always obvious. Jokes with double meanings, pattings on the cheek, pinching students. He had the horrible habit of putting his hand inside the shirt pocket and pinching the chest.

Students who entered this quicksand of destruction, whether willingly or otherwise, lead an unspeakable life. Devoted students held them in awe, and the students who knew either despised them or pitied them. And they had no recourse.

There were students who went dangerously close to such a fate and escaped. My friend Ramana (say) was high on the hit list when he smartly realised this and moved out of sight by not attending bhajans or hiding in the back rows. That was the time I was on the hit list too, but our guardian angels intervened in the form of a summer vacation.

Towards the end of my stay in the place, the disease was only spreading. I was in Bangalore. In Puttaparthi (where we used to go some five times a year) things were far worse in numbers. I heard that many students there are gay, either directly by the big man or transitively. The atmosphere—an all-boys place with zero outer-world exposure for a prolonged period during adolescence—is only conducive to such a thing.

This, in my opinion is the ugliest part of Swami. We used to divulge the information about Swami to our juniors, whether advisable or not. I always said it should be done if only to make them realise about this ugly part.

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From: India

Source: "Delta - 108" April 1999 (ex-ashram security)

Subject: It's time for action!

I know a great deal about what is happening in Puttaparthi. I personally know an ex-student who spent eleven months in Sai Baba's room a few years back. He was sent out of college by Sai Baba when, into the first year of his master's degree, he got too close and knew too much, and because then he didn't go along with what Sai Baba wanted.

He told me that the students in Sai Baba's inner chamber are in charge of all the preparatory activities before darshan and interviews, and have access to all his personal things.

They are asked to open all mail addressed to Sai Baba, and most times he allows them to keep the money that is sometimes enclosed, if it is less than Rs5000. It is such common practice.

These students hardly go to classes, and the great Chancellor doesn't mind at all! Even staff of the college and other officials of the ashram are very deferential to them. They play Western music on their stereo systems, that

only they are allowed to have. Usually there are three or four students living with him at any given time.

The officials of the Trust know something of this nature is going on. They are making hay while the Sun shines, and most of them have eaten enough money after coming to know Sai Baba is hardly divine. The way these close people talk about him is enough to figure out that they are in no way worried about his "divinity", and have scant regard or respect for him, which would not be the case if they had knowledge of any divine power.

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From: Iran/USA

Source: Afshin Khorramshahgol

(correspondence to David and Faye Bailey)

Subject: My account regarding Sai Baba

Here is a brief account of my experiences with Sai Baba. I apologize for the graphic language of this message, but it is the only way to share my experiences.

I travelled to India three times, from 1991 to 1993. On my first visit to India I was already a devotee of Sai Baba and believed he was God. I had a total of seven private interviews in the first two trips. In the first private interview Sai Baba asked me to undo my pants and drop my underwear. Since I believed he was God, I did as he asked. He had already "materialized" oil and he applied it in the area between my penis and anus.

I was told after the interview, by some devotees, that this act is done by gurus to their disciples to open a chakra, or source of spiritual energy in the body of the disciple. However I am not sure if this is what, in fact, Sai Baba had done. My research since has not found this initiation ceremony in any Hindu books or scriptures, or among Hindu followers of other gurus.

In every private interview after the "initiation" private interview, Sai Baba asked me to drop my pants and underwear, and he would rub my penis. Once he was rubbing it so hard it was obvious to me that he wanted me to get an erection.

I was busy talking to him about my problems, the problems of my country Iran, and my family's problems, and I was asking him for his blessing for all of them.

I was not interested in sex or anything, especially with a guy, and so my penis did not grow, no matter how hard Sai Baba tried. Finally he gave up and threw my penis up and turned away with a very angry face and mumbled something. When he turned back to me, he told me to put my pants on again and the private interview was over.

You may ask why I didn't stop Sai Baba doing what he was doing, if it was so obvious to me that he wanted me to get an erection? Due to my being brainwashed, I thought I had

to throw out this thought, as it was another obstacle on my way to reaching God. According to Sai Baba, all bad thoughts have to be thrown out immediately and replaced with good, pure thoughts. And so I threw out the idea of Sai Baba trying to give me an erection, even though I knew he was.

In another interview, Sai Baba asked me to kneel in front of him while he was standing. He took my head with his right hand and pushed it hard into his stomach. He then took my other hand with his left hand and tried to rub it against his penis.

I did not grab his penis. I just let him direct my hand to his penis, using the outside of my hand, not the palm of my hand. While he was rubbing my hand on his penis, he was moaning sexually.

In the middle of this act, I tried to look up to see his face, as I wanted to see his emotions; he didn't let me. He pushed my head into his stomach harder, and this made me stop my desire to see his face altogether. He finally gave up, realising that I was not interested in grabbing his penis, since I wasn't willing to use my palm to touch him.

Even this incident didn't shake my faith in him. That's how strong is the brainwashing in Sai Baba's organization.

In all the private interviews that I had with Sai Baba, he would also hug or kiss me, or ask me to kiss him. I had come to reason with myself that he was touching my penis because he was probably healing me of some disease or handicap. I reasoned to myself that Sai Baba asked me to kiss him, or kissed me, because he loved me, and kissing on the cheeks is all right; kissing on the cheeks between men is okay in my country.

It was not until I saw a movie, that showed Sai Baba cheating, that my faith in him started to crumble. It was only after I left Sai Baba (six months after seeing that movie) that I realized his real intentions in those private interviews.

I am willing to testify in any court of law or in any gathering about the above experiences.

I have been very active on the Internet for the past six years and I have saved numerous people from falling into Sai Baba's evil trap.

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From: Munich, Germany

Source: Jens Sethu

Subject: Experiences of an ex-Sai Baba devotee

Hello David Bailey,

I am giving you a thorough account of my traumatic experiences with Sathya Sai Baba and hope that this will help people understand what he is all about. All the details are the truth and can be seen as testimony. I could and would testify to the following in an open court.

I am thirty-five years old and have been

interested in spiritual matters since my childhood. For a long time I worshipped Jesus and Padre Pio; then, after reading Yogananda's *Autobiography Of A Yogi*, I turned towards the yogi path.

In October 1988 I became an ardent follower of Sathya Sai Baba, and came to Puttaparthi for the first time in September 1989. Since then I visited Puttaparthi regularly every year and was totally absorbed in the "aura" of Sai Baba. I was fully convinced of his avatarhood and became so devoted that I was thinking and contemplating all the time about him alone.

In 1989 I read *Lord Of The Air*, by Tal Brooks (a young male USA ex-devotee who wrote of Sai Baba's sexual abuse of him), but I did not believe, thinking "Tal only wants to decry Baba". I was just ignoring the facts.

Over the years I had hundreds of darshans but never an interview. In 1993 I became a little suspicious about Sai Baba's lifestyle and the activities in the ashram. Every year I could see costly new buildings and felt an increasing commercialization was going on. In 1996 I saw Sai Baba leaving the ashram in an expensive Jaguar and other costly cars like Mercedes and BMW of the big class. But I still believed him to be the Kali avatar of the age.

On 17 January 1996 I got my first interview and he was very kind, telling me nice things like "I will give you everything" as he touched and stroked my head. He said "I know you're not sure about your life and future and so on. Also unhappiness from women. I know, don't worry. Also you have some bad thoughts, not good."

Then he said: "I give you everything according to health, spirituality, and life. Everything. I give you infinite love. You and me will become one." I touched his robe and he put his hand on the top of my head, saying "I give you separate interview."

On 20 January 1996 I got the second interview. Already days before, he had established a strange eye-contact with me indicating the coming interview. My wife and I went to the interview, and he acted very disappointed at seeing me together with my wife. He took me alone into the interview room and said: "She is diseased and much older than you. Please separate from her." I was really shocked and replied: "She is attached to me."

I asked him to give her some spiritual instruction, which he readily agreed to do, but he had something else on his mind. Without asking permission, he started kissing me on my lips for some time, and later asked me to open my trousers and "materialized" some oil which he rubbed on the skin above my genitals. I felt very bad about all of this, but accepted, as I fully trusted Sai Baba.

Then he took my wife into the private

interview room alone, and told her: "Either you separate from the boy, or I throw you out of Puttaparthi!" He appeared wild and furious (my wife told me afterwards) and she shivered all over. When she reappeared in a very short time, looking red-faced and very scared, nobody dared ask her what happened in there.

He saw me again some days later in darshan and asked whether I had separated or not. I said "Not yet." He turned away and shouted so all people could hear: "Bad, bad boy!" He was so aggressive and seemed to radiate such an aura of evil that I was really shocked. We immediately left and went to north India for some pilgrimage.

This was a turning point, but after a time I decided to go once more to Sai Baba to clarify the matter. At the end of 1996 I returned to India and got an interview on 4 December. In the interview he said: "Where are you from?" When I told him I was from Germany, he responded: "You are also a Hitler!" Shocked, I thought to myself "He is not very kind, is he?" Nevertheless, in the private room the greedy old man kissed me again, direct and continuously on my lips, for about twenty seconds, and gently stroked my back. By now I was certain that something was very wrong.

On 28 December I was again called for an interview, and he produced a golden ring which didn't fit well on my finger in spite of his blowing on it.

In the private chamber he said "come" and again kissed me on the lips for some time as before. This time I resisted, and he gurgled "Have no fear." I said "I have no fear." Then he said: "This is a good opportunity, so many waiting for months and will not get." This baffled me. I'm sure people don't wait for mouth kisses in Puttaparthi.

Then his mood totally changed and I did have some fear. He commanded me to remove my trousers, unzipped my fly, and went with his right hand into my underpants. Sathya Sai Baba, the "divine", touched and massaged my genitals unasked. He expected some erection, but this didn't happen, for I didn't feel any sexual excitement, no lust in the presence of a seventy-year-old man. I was really disgusted.

Then he had the impudence to say: "It is very weak, don't waste energy." When I looked at him, I realised the truth about him and was shocked indeed. Soon afterwards, without another word, he sent me out of the room.

Back in Germany I did intense research on the Internet and came across an article from Jed Geyerhahn and was very happy to have found somebody with similar experiences.

As I still had some luggage in Puttaparthi, I returned in November 1999 to collect it, taking with me two Internet pages to discuss with some friends there. Unfortunately a lady came into possession of the material and took it to the Puttaparthi police station. Then I went

through several interrogations with the police there.

A Mr. Reddy repeatedly asked from whom I got the material, and what would be the password. I told him India is still a democracy and I can carry whatever material I have with me, but he took no heed of my words. I told him that no password was needed to enter the net and everyone has free access to the material there. He sent me to an e-mail shop, accompanied by a policeman who waited, but the computers connected with Hyderabad are very slow, and therefore I could not enter the website.

Finally the inspector, Mr. Reddy, took my passport away and said: "Unless you give me the password and name of the person, I declare you guilty and will not allow you to leave Puttaparthi." He treated me very badly, like a criminal, especially during the last interrogation, and I had several witnesses to this incident. All of this because I had been in possession of two pages which I had not even written myself.

He then walked me, my wife, and an American friend into the ashram, and once inside the gate, he again asked me the stupid question about the password. At the time I couldn't understand why he should do so, but today I know he was showing us to some people or trustees whom we could not see or recognise.

I had another appointment on 1 November with the police, which was the day I intended to go to Delhi, but without my passport it would not be possible. On 30 October, late in the evening, two people whom I know and an unknown person, came to our unit and one of them warned me that my life was in danger and I should leave immediately.

My wife and I left very early the next morning for Delhi. At Dharmavaram rail station the police were searching for us, but we entered the train at Anantapur. There is a police station near the platform which we had to pass to enter the train, and the very moment I saw that, I told my wife to go into the train separately. My wife heard a group of policemen talking about searching for somebody and caught the words "passport, Delhi and telegram". We were in serious danger, but fortunately I was dressed like an Indian, and escaped identification.

So we escaped and reached Delhi, and went immediately to the German Embassy. I got a travel document after telling them of my experience, and the Embassy official said a protest note would be sent to the Indian Government. He told me such an act is illegal and they knew of similar cases.

I want to inform you that, at the police station in Puttaparthi, the policeman had a bunch of both foreign and Indian passports in a drawer under a table, and once I saw them in his hand. This is just an observation; I don't know to whom they belonged.

During this frightening time at Puttaparthi, I met an Italian couple we knew there and tried to tell them what had happened to me in interview with Sai Baba. They just closed their eyes and the lady shouted: "Be quiet! Shut up! Sai Baba is our God, and all the bad stories are not true!" Then they turned away.

These same people had told me, many years before, that they could never find any peace at the ashram, and couldn't understand it. But they would not listen to those who know it better. Nobody can possibly imagine how I felt while all of this was happening. I suffered a lot.

I met one ex-soldier from Ruanda who is very tall and handsome. This person has also been sexually molested by Sai Baba and he told me his story. He is married and his Japanese wife is a fanatical Sai Baba supporter. They have one child. He totally depends on her and can see no way to get free from Sai Baba. He has been given many gifts from Sai Baba, like rings, bracelets, a gold watch. Sai Baba touched his testicles and massaged his genitals at least twice. The gifts look like payment for prostitution, but a prostitute and her customer have a mutual agreement, whereas the male devotees are molested against their will, and they come for a completely different purpose.

Our strong faith in Sai Baba has been misused by the same Baba, through his pedophile behavior, and this is the most disgraceful thing he could do.

However there are many other irregularities waiting to be clarified. I also want to let you know that Baba was willing to leave Puttaparthi on 28 November 1999 for Bangalore for a heart treatment, but he didn't because of the Internet story about it. This is known to me from the police inspector who blamed me for having brought the Internet pages to Puttaparthi. I have a good friend in Puttaparthi who is a shopkeeper, and he had already told me that, in November 1999, Baba had two heart attacks and went for treatment to Bangalore. He also said that most of the people who know about it don't believe that Sai Baba will survive the next two years.

The Trustees are very concerned and alarmed about the Internet.

Further, I want to let you know (in case you do not) that Sathya Sai Baba was not born in Puttaparthi, but in Karnatakka-Nagepalle village near Puttaparthi. Baba's mother came from this place and, according to tradition, she has to deliver the child where she comes from. I know this from a person who was born in Puttaparthi and lives there for over forty years. The villager said it is an open secret, everyone knows it but is fearful to say it. You see, from the very beginning Baba and his followers were lying.

Please study the statement that Krishna, a friend of Sai Baba's youth, made to Erlendur Haraldsson. Never was a devotee so close to

Sai Baba for such a long time as Krishna. He spent twenty-four hours a day with Sai Baba for some time. This was almost sixty years ago. Eventually Krishna left Sai Baba and went to Hyderabad. In an interview with Haraldsson, Krishna said that even in those days Sai Baba was more like a politician or chieftain of a feudal system. Krishna also said: "Whatever Baba may have, one thing he has not, and this is compassion."

I hope that this nightmare comes to an end and I hope that, by the Grace of the Almighty, all people round the globe may know about the misdeeds of Sai Baba, a mighty demon who came in the guise of a spurious saint, only interested in self-glorification, name, and fame.

He is a master—of deception.

Yours sincerely, Jens and Gurprit Sethi

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From: Sweden

Source: Magazine *Sokaren (The Seeker)*, 10 January 2000

Subject: (Feature article with full front-page photograph of Sai Baba:) FOR THE SAKE OF TRUTH—CONNOR LARSSON'S STORY, THE SWAMI WHO DECEIVED A WHOLE WORLD

Conny Larsson (a Swedish film star) has been very close to Sai Baba. Today Conny runs a home for young abusers and criminals near Valdemarsvik, a small town on the coast of the Baltic Sea in Sweden.

Conny says:

"I went to his ashram in Puttaparthi. There Sai Baba walked up to me and said: 'So you have arrived now.' Later I was invited to Sai Baba for talks almost every day. He kissed my cheek and was physically very close to me. That didn't worry me; even in Sweden we sometimes do like that.

"But then he touched my trousers between my legs and started to massage my penis. 'Don't be afraid' he said, 'This is a divine touch.' He took out my penis and touched it, and I touched his penis. He explained that my kundalini was to be changed.

"Because he was God, I let it happen. I became a kind of favorite to him. I had frequent private talks with Sai Baba.

"We were always very close physically. He never came that close to women. He is interested in boys and men from the age of eight up to thirty. When you become thirty, you are no longer interesting."

Conny Larsson became one of the movement's spiritual leaders in Sweden. In 1983 there were rumors that Sai Baba was cheating with his materializations and that he had sexual relations with young boys. Conny couldn't believe that this was true.

"But in 1986 I finally understood that he was doing the same things to other boys that he had done to me many years ago. I got to know

the boys and asked them questions. They all told me the same story. The swami had oral sex with them, of whom many were heterosexual (sexually attracted to members of the opposite sex). The explanation was always that he was going to change their kundalini. You wonder whether women don't have the kundalini power."

Conny also became witness to Sai Baba's cheating with materializations.

"I decided never to tell anybody about this. I thought he tested my faith in him."

Conny felt worse and worse about what he had found out. Sai Baba had been the center of his whole life for so long.

"In January 1999 I got in touch with a Swedish boy, who had six interviews with the swami. I noticed that the boy was shaken. He told me about the same things that had happened to me. It was about masturbation; the swami opened the boy's trousers and started to masturbate him.

"The boy withdrew, but the swami insisted. Afterwards the boy turned to a medical doctor for help, but because of his age, the doctor had never been exposed to the swami's improper advances, so he told the boy he must have misunderstood the situation.

"During the last interview the boy had with the swami, the boy's mother was present. She had come to take her two sons home with her. She said: 'I saw how Sai Baba took things out from behind the cushion and then 'manifested' them 'miraculously'. Then everything crashed for me.'

"The boy left the ashram completely broken-hearted.

"According to the latest information from India, the shop is found where Sai Baba buys the things he 'materializes'. It's a shop in Hyderabad.

"Some of us who have received gold things and 'diamonds' from Sai Baba have had them examined by experts, and been told they are all junk pieces and not gold; the 'diamonds' are zircons and stained glass."

In Sweden, the Gimle school, which was grounded in Sai Baba's philosophy, has been closed because of Baba's sexual actions. And Conny Larsson has stopped a movie about his life, in which Sai Baba's importance to him was the core.

Conny points out that there are leaders in the movement who have known for a long time what the swami does with boys and young men.

"They say it is 'divine'. There are also leaders who know about the cheating with miracles, and protect him. There are strong interests behind Sai Baba and his reputation to be an avatar."

What effects have these unveilings had on Conny? He says he's had to change his concept of God.

"Now I believe in God inside me, and in all

human beings.

"I feel tired, and have compassion for all who have believed in Sai Baba and been duped. But at the same time I wish to thank all the Sai friends for our moments together at satsangs, camps, and courses, where we generated love and truth in spite of the illusion we, in good faith, all lived in."

Conny Larsson is currently touring many countries at his own expense, presenting his truth about Sai Baba. He is prepared to travel, and speak wherever and whenever he is invited to do so.

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From: Sweden

Source: A Regional Meeting

Subject: Letter to members about winding up the Sai organization in Sweden

As you know, some of our young boys have testified that Sai Baba has molested them sexually. It is a matter of serious sexual abuse; among other things, oral sex.

Furthermore, it has turned out that the materialization of vibhuti, rings, etc., is a bluff. It is only usual magic, built on sleight-of-hand.

Large-scale economical frauds and misuse of donated means exist in Prashanthi Nilayam. There are bad conditions in the hospital and the water project is uncompleted and full of problems.

Statements are supported by serious investigations and personal testimonies, which can be read on the Internet.

Scotland Yard and other police organizations are making investigations of other crimes. The information about what is going on is of that kind.

We cannot hide behind the statement "we did not know". All in the Swedish organization know.

These are hard words that hurt us all who have Baba in our hearts. But since in the organization there have been attempts to cover up, tone down, and lessen what has happened and still happens, we consider it necessary to be very clear and unambiguous in the formulation.

Naturally everyone is free to keep having Baba as his/her spiritual guide and personal image of God, in spite of what has come out. But is it possible for the Sai organization in Sweden to remain? Our answer is: For decency's sake, no.

What can we say to the person who comes to the organization to get information about Baba? What kind of message will the organization give on its homesite on Internet? Can one continue to sell books, which we know describe false facts? What can one tell the person who has perhaps put his savings on a journey to Baba, and then comes home telling that Baba has molested his son, and they have seen things that make them doubt the

authenticity of the materializations, and they have heard rumors of economic irregularities? **Do we answer with: "Well, we already knew. It has been known for years." ???** He, who through "advertising" Baba, entices others into going there or donating money, might have made himself guilty of the crime of encouraging criminality.

So what will the leaders of the organization say on the day when the press or police ring the door bell and want to know? Do they say "Of course we knew, but since we have not personally had anything but good experiences with Baba, we did not feel that we needed to bother." ??? No, dear friends, let us instead, through a forceful disassociation, send the message through the Sai hierarchy to Sai Baba himself:

This is what we have learned and we cannot accept it! Stop the sexual violations immediately; give up the bluff materializations; and get competent and honest persons to run the activities.

If the unsatisfactory state of things stops through voluntary action, it may be possible to save the good parts. Otherwise the activity will sooner or later be broken down more violently through other measures from international police, press, international service organizations, etc. Then all the good which exists will disappear, along with the evil. And, in such a scandal, India as a nation could be damaged.

Through winding up the Sai organization in Sweden and spreading information about that through a statement to all central coordinators and to other appropriate key persons, we take our responsibility for the persons who have been abused and cheated, and for those who run the risk to be abused and cheated.

This action will likely result in other people in other countries starting to act, and taking their responsibility.

We the undersigned, and many more of us, hereby demand that the president of the Sathya Sai Organization in Sweden call an extra annual meeting at once, where the decision to discontinue the association can be made in a correct way.

If the meeting comes to the decision that the association should not be discontinued, a restructuring and complementary elections to the coordinating committee has to be made, since some of the members will leave the organization, and whole centers will discontinue. Likewise a new treasurer and a new auditor has to be elected.

This is a tragic process for everybody. But the work on our spiritual growth does not stop with Baba, and some of us have already discussed the forms for continued meetings for ex-devotees, where meditation and study circles, retreats and summer celebrations, can be held.

So, with or without Baba, together or in different groups, life goes on. 

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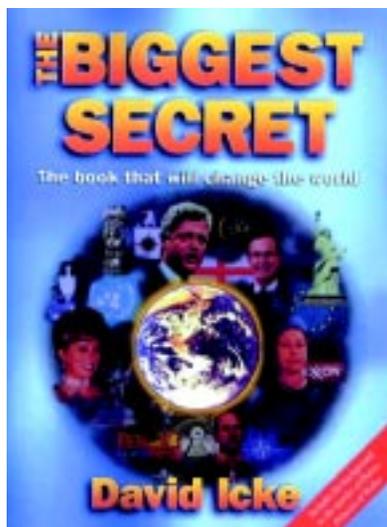
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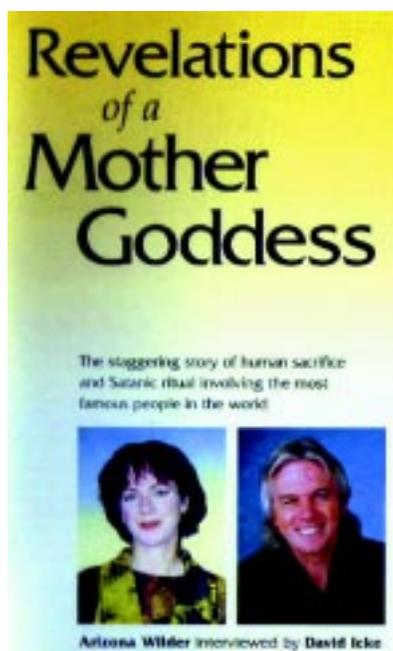
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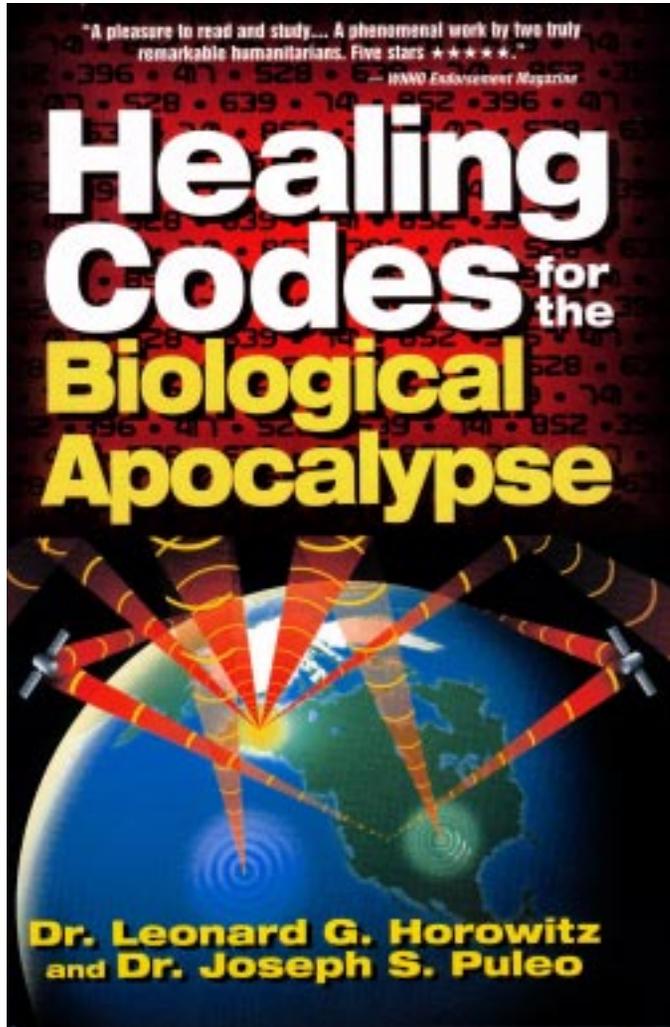
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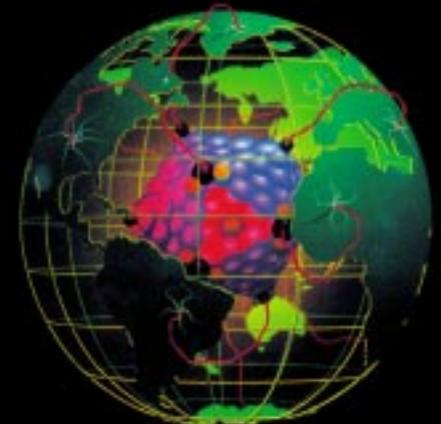
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