

Article 50: Forever Living –part 5

And what is your finest self and life? That is your vision of God. That is your highest and greatest image. And as God is a mysteriously creative and empowering force in the universe, you **are the emergently creative and active force in your own universe**, for, without you, your world does not exist; ...and everything you are ...you've created within you ...and in your world. As your God-image is judgmental, so are you. By making all beliefs/thoughts/attitudes/emotions/words/actions to serve yourself, and having those choices simultaneously and emergently fulfilled--regardless of any beliefs, seeming appearances, or presumed consequences to the contrary--nothing is ever denied you, ...and, in that, you are unconditionally loving, ...as is God in your world. To be such a lovingly fulfilled and fulfilling individual ...and live an enriching life of happiness and wellbeing, Forever Living asks that you create every belief/thought/attitude/emotion/word/action to live your godself image without making judgments.

Is God in your world everlasting? Of course! No matter what you may believe about your personal mortality or immortality, your God is forever. By living the beliefs, thoughts, attitudes, words, and actions you genuinely desire ...and are willing to be and live forever, in that, you are, and are fully living, your godself image; ...and by no longer living the unwholesome, judgmental fruits of good and evil, you can enjoy the goodness of your everlasting life of happiness and wellbeing; ...or would you rather continue your "life as usual"?

To live this greater self and life of happiness and wellbeing, make every belief, thought, attitude, emotion, word, and action as you truly desire, ...then confirm that choice by asking, "Am I willing to believe, think, speak, act, and have this be the environment of my self and life forever?" If your answer is "no, I wouldn't want to be and express this forever," ...then make another choice and ask again, ...and again if necessary, until your choice **IS** what you are willing to be and express forever. **Do not** make the choice by asking, "What am I willing to be and express forever?" ...because this question will trap you in judging ...and struggling to discover the "right" choice. Choose what you genuinely desire and **then** confirm your decision.

Though this process may seem complicated and involved, ...it really isn't! Remember when you were learning to ride a two-wheel bicycle? In the beginning, everything seemed complex and difficult, and you oversteered to one side then to the other, attempting to keep your balance ...and continue pedaling; but, after a few tries, you got on the bicycle and rode quickly and effortlessly. And wasn't it freeing and exhilarating? Forever Living is the same, ...so let's continue.

Since you might not be completely honest about what you are willing to be and express forever, or you might be mistaken, the next step is to confirm whether what you've decided to be and do is your true desire. Since you are and possess everything you give or express to others, it is important to ask, about your choice, "Am I willing to have others do this to me forever?" If the answer is, "yes," continue with your choice, ...express that; but, if your answer is, "no," make another choice and begin the confirming process again. Soon, with practice, like riding a bicycle, you will ride this way of life smoothly, ...and with wondrous feelings of freedom and exhilaration.

The purpose of the Forever Living Way of Life is to enable you, right now, to live your desired life of happiness and wellbeing ...in accordance with your greatest and finest self-image, ...for anything less than that will keep you forever struggling and judging ...and in "conflict" with your desires, and trap you in a life of sadness and sorrow. But, since you are what you express, by believing in your finest self-image and thinking of yourself in that way, by speaking of and acting from that image, and by living in that environment, you **are and live** that godself image; ...and Forever Living constantly and steadily, without judgment or delay, fully guides and supports you.

If, for example, your image of God is "one (or a force) who unconditionally supports my desires and actions without judging me or my choices," then ask your Forever Living Question about your choice in this form: "Being one who is unconditionally supportive and non-judgmental, am I willing to believe, think, speak, act, and have this be the environment of my self and life forever?" and, "Being one who is unconditionally supportive and non-judgmental, am I willing to have others do this to me forever?" Through these questions, you not only confirm your decisions, you constantly and actively affirm your godself image. In this example, if your original decision is judgmental and not as you truly desire, that alone indicates that you are living your judgmental self and life as usual, ...and your constant struggle, disappointment, and sorrow will continue. Make a finer choice!

The active image you have created of God is your Forever Purpose; it is not a goal or condition to fulfill or attain to, it is the attitude and environment of your beliefs, thoughts, and expressions; it is the unique way you do whatever you choose to do; it is your personal way of life, which expresses and embodies your greatest and finest vision of your self and life. As **a way of life**, your Forever Purpose never limits or restricts you; and as everyone has an individual vision of God, everyone has a

Forever Purpose, ...such as living the magic of the universe, inspiring others, revealing and unfolding a greater life, judging in goodness, or showing people to their fineness. These purpose-inspired ways of life are endless, ...all of which are equally enriching and fulfilling for each person who is willing to stop living by the fruits of good and evil ...and fully live the goodness and benevolence of the universe, which emergently and simultaneously fulfills beliefs, thoughts, attitudes, words, and actions without question or judgment, ...so **you can truly have the self and life you desire right now.**

Your life, no matter what that is, begins within you. When you close your mind to greater beliefs and awarenesses; when you stop seeing and reaching out for new ideas and extraordinary opportunities; when you become "fixed" in your beliefs, thoughts, attitudes, words, and actions; that's not because anyone, or any event or circumstance, forced you, ...those actions, and the decline and loss of strength and vitality in your life, were by your own choosing, ...by the choices you made to languish in your usual beliefs and ways and life. **Forever Living is not a happiness-pill** to make you feel good, while you continue your old beliefs and ways. If you want your life to change ...you must live a different self and life with every belief, thought, attitude, word, and action.

Then through Forever Living, and being and living your Forever Purpose--your godself image--you will gain an unwavering realization of being an extraordinary immortal being. Everything will take on a new truth and wholeness; and your sense and understanding of yourself and all things will intensify and become clear, such that the goodness and benevolence of all life will be awakened to consciousness and joyfully experienced. Quickly or slowly, significant events, individuals, and understandings will begin unfolding, completely transforming you and your life; ...and these changes will become apparent to you and others. You will gain a true sense of a wondrous life beyond your present beliefs and circumstances; yet many old matters and individuals will remain around you waiting your acknowledgment and completion, ...which can be easily accomplished.

Your fundamental desires and choices will change; beliefs will become knowings and assurances; and a newer and greater compassion for people and all of life will be awakened, ...as will your true desire to be of service. You will be less irritated by the seeming burdens and difficulties of life ...and become more open and accepting. Your interests will shift away from transitory concerns ...and you will awaken to a spiritually physical view and understanding of life, ...all of which will offer newer and

greater meaning and fulfillment. You will live a purpose-inspired life and shed your confined vision of yourself and life ...and develop a broader view and comprehension of individuals and situations.

Your new awarenesses and ideas, and your greater wisdom, will contradict conventional beliefs, judgments, and practices ...and free you from their sorrow, ...and their soul-threatening grip upon you and your life. The power of true belief and faith will be demonstrated and come alive as you realize the interconnectedness of all things. Your life will become a spiritually physical phenomenon, and you will become thankful and live more meaningfully

**You will never be
the same!**