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This Being Our Monthly Letter & Chat for February 2021

My Dear Friend and Fellow Member,

February was a bit harsh in the Mid-West this year, way to many days with the wind chill giving us minus 20 to minus 34 degrees below zero. Burrrrr ... it was definitely VERY cold and plenty of snow too. One day during the most bitterest of days, I looked out at the 6 ft of snow and blowing cold and said to myself, "I will not be wintering in Illinois next winter!" Not 10 days later - out of the blue - I was offered to use a rental, already fully paid for through March in Florida. I'm making my plans now.

I realized just this week that the Letter I was preparing for this month, about the immortal classic "*The Count of Monte Cristo,*" a classic by Alexander Dumas had been used only a year ago. Ooops, guess I had a *freeze* myself and didn't realize it right away.

So the new February Chat is ready to release now. I do believe you will enjoy it. It is a discussion on "The Evolution of Life". I skimmed through it today and believe you will find it *Interesting* as well as excellent, as usually.

I am preparing March Lessons and Chat prior to my trip so the majority of our Lessons will be emailed from a warmer climate. I'm discovering that much of what I do these days can be done remotely. One of the *blessings* of COVID.

Wishing you a warm and sunny month

With my love and best wishes to all,

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From the STUDY OF Hugh G. Carruthers

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My beloved Chela:

Let me begin by saying I am grateful to you for this visit we are about to have together; I am happy to be with you. Let us be comfortably seated, at ease and relaxed, and try to enjoy a pleasant discussion of "The Evolution of Life."

I should like to call to your attention the fact that what we call Nature is forever compelling an equilibrium, and in accordance with this Law, we find constant action and reaction. The concentration of Matter implies the dissipation of Motion - conversely - the absorption of Motion implies the diffusion of Matter.

This accounts for the entire cycle of changes passed through by every existence - and all forms, things and beings in and of existence. Moreover, it applies to the entire cycle of each existence, as well as to each detail of its history. Both processes are going on at every instant; but always there is a differential result in favour of one or the other. And every change, even though it be only a transposition of parts, inevitably advances one of the factors.

The Law of Attraction eventually results in an equilibrium, the quantity of motion implied by dispersion must be as great as the quantity of motion implied by aggregation, or rather must be the same motion, taking now the molar form and now the molecular form; and from this result there arises the conception not only of local evolutions and dissolutions throughout our Sidereal System but of general evolutions and dissolutions alternating indefinitely.

History shows that Giordano Bruno was burned alive by Roman Catholic "Church Fathers" in Rome in 1600 A.D., for giving expression, among other thoughts, to the following thought: "That which was seed at first, becomes grass, then the ear, then bread, nutritive juice, blood, animal, seed, embryo, man, corpse, then again earth, stone, or other mineral, and so forth. Herein we recognize therefore a thing which changes into all these things and essentially remains ever one and the same."

This eternal and ceaseless ebb and flow of minute particles, changeless in themselves, has been called the food cycle. It is enough to remark of the changes and cycles through which

matter passes in the Universe, and which man has partly followed by balance and measuring-rod, that they are without end and limit.

Dissolution and generation, destruction and reformation clasp hands everywhere in an endless circle. In the bread that we eat, in the air that we breathe, we draw in the matter that once built up the bodies of our forefathers; nay, we ourselves give every day a portion of the matter forming our bodies to the outside world and shortly after we retake this substance or matter similarly given off by our neighbours.

All energy on this earth, organic or inorganic, is directly or indirectly derived from the sun. The flowing water, the driving wind, the passing clouds, the rolling thunder and the flashing lightning, the falling rain, snow, dew, frost, or hail, the growth of plants, the warmth and motion of animal and human bodies, the combustion of wood, of coal, etc., is the result of solar energy.

Through the process of combustion the total amount of the vanished sunshine laid up in wood or coal may again be evolved. The force which urges forward the locomotive is simply sunshine converted into power. A published biography of the famous English engineer, Mr. George Stephenson - I think about 1857 or 1858 - shows an interesting description of the light and heat cycle; I quote from very old notes: "On Sunday, just when the company had returned from church and were standing on the terrace overlooking the railway station, a train rushed by, leaving a long line of white steam behind."

"Now," said Stephenson to Buckland, the well-known geologist, "can you tell me what power moves that train?" "Why," replied the other, "I suppose it is one of your big engines."

"But what moves the engine?"

"Oh, probably one of your stout Newcastle engine-drivers."

"What do you say to the light of the sun?"

"What do you mean?"

"Nothing else moves the engine," said the great engineer; "it is light which for thousands of years has accumulated in the earth - light which was inhales by plants, that these during the time of their growth might fix the carbon, and which now, after having for thousands of years been buried in the coal beds of the earth, is again brought forth and set free to serve the great purposes of mankind, as here in this engine."

The same energy of the sun takes up the water from the ocean in the form of vapour. Water would ever remain in perfect equilibrium if it were not for the action of the sun. The rays of the sun cast upon the ocean convert the water into vapour, and this vapour is taken up into the atmosphere in the form of mist. The wind gathers it together in the form of clouds and takes it across the continent. Here through changes of temperature it is again converted into rain or snow. Let anyone study the wonderful and beautiful forms of snowflakes or snow-stars falling to the ground on a cold winter's day, and he can convince himself that one day the forms are quite different from those of the day before or the day after, although the conditions may differ but in the very smallest degree.

Nevertheless this minute difference has sufficed to evolve the every different forms; it shows that each of these fugitive forms is the exact expression of a special complex relation between the moisture, motion, pressure, temperature, rarity, electrical tension and chemical composition of the air that prevailed during their formation. With a many-sideness of ideas, which anyone engaged in the drawing of patterns and designs for fabrics might envy, the intrinsic faculties on the simplest and most indifferent compounds we know of show themselves thus in opposition to the moulding influences of the outer world.

The action of the sun again converts the snow into water and through the Law of Gravitation it descends from the mountains to the various rivers by which it eventually reaches the parent ocean from which it came.

These cycles are all governed by a Law of Periodicity. Everything has periods of birth, growth, fruitage and decline. These periods are governed by the Septimal Law. If you will read the Book of Ecclesiastes you will be aware of how thoroughly the wise King Solomon knew and understood the Law of The Cycle of Periodicity in his time - and he learned of The Law from his Masters of The Lodge Who, in turn, had learned it from Their Masters before Them - and so on, far back into antiquity, long before the priestcraft who have so horribly misinterpreted the Truth were thought of.

The Law of Sevens governs the days of the weeks, the phases of the moon, the harmonies of sound, light, heat, electricity, magnetism, atomic structure - and you will note that the individual's physical nature is also governed by the Septimal Law. Any condition of the body is subject to correction within seven seconds, seven minutes, seven hours, seven days, seven weeks, or seven years. You are not now occupying the same body in which You lived but seven years ago; in other words, your body is not yet seven years old. Within every seven years period the entire physical structure undergoes a complete change. You <u>Can</u> make your body over and be in perfect health, within seven years, if you will, by simply feeding your body the foods it requires in correct combinations, as you are learning to do; by keeping your nervous system and spinal column in proper adjustment, and by the use of electronic and light therapy. Your body is a wonderful structure. It deserves attention. The change which is known as metabolism, and is defined, biologically and physiologically as the sum of the processes concerned in the building up (anabolism) of protoplasm, and its destruction (catabolism) incidental to life; the chemical changes in living cells, by which the energy is provided for the vital processes and activities, and new material is assimilated to repair the waste.

This Septimal Law (of Sevens) governs the life of individuals and of nations, and it dominates the activities of the commercial world, strange as that statement may appear to many. Statisticians know that every period of financial prosperity is followed by a period of depression, and they consequently have no difficulty in foretelling general conditions in the commercial

world. We can apply the same Law to our own lives and thereby come into an understanding of many experiences which would otherwise appear inexplicable. The wise person will seek to know and understand the Cycle of Life, and he will divide off each year into a chart showing the seven periods, of approximately fifty-two and a fraction days (allowing for from one to three days just before and following each period, to allow for psychological and physiological conditions) and ADHERE STRICTLY TO THE GUIDANCE OUTLINED IN THE ANNUAL CYCLE CHART.

The individual who lives from day to day carelessly, and without controlling his Thought processed, in ignorance of The Law of Cause and Effect, the creative nature of Thought, and his own spiritual and mental at-one-ment with The Infinite Omnipresence, cannot expect to be in control of the everyday condition of his life and affairs. He is, therefore, subject to circumstances, effects, and experiences beyond his control. He is slave to whoever may do his thinking for him - and he usually lives like a slave - often engaged in producing, and providing for whoever may be dictating the condition of his life.

Life is growth, and growth is change. Each seven years period takes us into a new cycle. And, as has been said, each year is divided into seven distinct cycles of approximately fifty-two and a fraction days, and when we understand the periodical phases of each year of our existence, we may appreciate the Wisdom of conforming to the Law which governs each of the different phases.

The first seven years of life (1st to 7th year) is the period of infancy. The next seven (8th to 14th year) is the period of childhood, representing the beginning of individual responsibility. It is during these seven formative years that the child should be carefully guarded and guided, educated and trained for a knowledge and understanding of the Laws of Nature and Self Knowledge - and less about church dogma, the tenets of "hell" and "heaven," and threatened "damnation for sin," and the so-called "fear of God."

If the child were started on a training for personal development, adult life as we know it would undoubtedly be changed and overcome for the better within two generations. Whereas the vast majority of humanity everywhere on the earth are, for the most part, blind believers of doctrines about which neither they nor their teachers have and factual knowledge whatever; subject to the false teaching and propaganda of the well-organized Minority who do the thinking for the masses; experiencing varied phases of fear, worry, lack, loss, limitation, illness, suffering, misery discord, poverty and failure to the grave, you may have noticed that the Few Thinkers who usually control the mass thought live in luxury, ease and grandeur without the expenditure of much effort. Nor do they give, or add, anything much to the world.

Religious dogma with its enforced blind belief without reasoning, threats of "damnation and hell" in a hereafter unknown, promises of a "heavenly bliss" in another hereafter, equally unknown, ritualism and pageantry attractive to the conscious senses, and the many other nonsensical, unprovable tenets of orthodoxy, have long been the opiate of the masses. Moreover, this enforced ignorance of the masses has kept the average individual in fear and subjection to The Will of those who have been doing his thinking for him; the while the false teachers have been maintained in ease and luxury without the necessity for honest labour.

On the other hand, Self Knowledge, occultism, the knowledge of the creative nature of thought and the individual's at-one-ment with The Infinite Omnipresence has not only freed all those who have earnestly sought The Truth of Being, but has produced the scholars, the doers, the producers, the fearless, in every Age. It is during the period of childhood that the fascinating study of ancient history, the Occult, the principal religions, and the allegorical interpretation of the Bible should be begun, for the benefit of the man in later life. Freed for the bondage of nonsensical blind dogmatic belief, this century should have produced the greatest intellects the world has ever known; but where is an equal to Osiris? to Moses? to Buddha? to Ptolemy? toVidyapati? to Kuthumi? to The Christ?

I think it may be said without fear of successful contradiction that the religious leaders are actually responsible for nearly all of the distress to which humanity is subject, because of their false teaching regarding the Truth of Being, the Science of Life and living courageously, and true character development based upon a developed ability to THINK and logically Reason. In truth, it may be that most of the so-called men of religion have not the faculty of knowing enough to come in out of the rain - and worst of these are those who scream out condemnation of all who have not been "washed in the blood of The Christ," or all who have not as yet "accepted Jesus as a personal Saviour," (when true salvation lies in what He taught; not in how He is supposed to have died), and assure us of salvation through their prayers for us - if we will "respond prayerfully" to their broadcasts - which means "send in some money."

The third cycle (15 to 21 years of age) represents the period of adolescence, from puberty to maturity - during which time the blood undergoes a series of changes and the young body is developing to manhood or womanhood - and when the physical nature is compelling awareness of the differences, as well as the attractiveness, of the sexual expression - and when we brand our youngsters as "incorrigibles," "flaming youth," "delinquents," because they often refuse to be in sympathy with "old fogey" parental chastisement and direction - when they rebel against the old worn out, unreasonable and unprovable doctrines of long dead religious restrictions - in full knowledge that their parents were no better and no worse in their behaviour when young.

When parents deliberately neglect the education of their offspring - willingly handing them over, in childhood and adolescence, to so-called school and religious teachers - who are for the most part unfit for so great responsibility - what can be expected? I cannot believe that there is anything much wrong with our youngsters. It is my belief that whatever of delinquency may be, can be laid at the door of ignorance, for which parents and teachers are wholly responsible. Few mothers undertake the duty (which is theirs alone) of carefully instructing a daughter for admirable, beautiful womanhood and motherhood. Few fathers, likewise, undertake to instruct their sons - when it is the direct responsibility of a father to teach and guide his sons for courageous, stalwart manhood and fatherhood.

Most parents have confessed to me that they have been too "bashful," or "timid," or unwilling, to undertake the responsibility of personally instructing their children. They prefer to allow some clergyman, or some school teacher, or some so-called psychologist, or psychiatrist, to do, what they call, "the dirty work," and be it known that the average clergyman thinks - if he can think - in a rut - a one-track mental pathway of "sin." Most school teachers have very little, if any knowledge, of physiology, the sex impulse, sexual relationships for health, or even Character development. And I quickly dismiss the so-called psychologists and psychiatrists as half-wits - fattening on a gullible public who inanely recognize these "professional nincompoops" as guides, correctionists, or therapists, who, for the most part, are filling the institutions for the mentally deranged and, thereby, preventing their final and complete recovery. Be careful to avoid them.

The fourth cycle, or period (22 to 28 years of age), marks the attainment of full growth, when the young woman is seeking either a satisfactory mate, or a career in life; and when the young man is, or should be, preparing himself for his future career, and courting the young woman of his choice. And this is a period when they both urgently need, and should have, the sympathy of parents, understanding friends, relatives, or intelligent advisers. They should both study for marriage, for parenthood, and such subjects which are concerned with marriage as the "Safe Period," the Prostate Gland, the Reproductive organs, Sterility, Frigidity, and even prevention of conception (when the health of the wife may be otherwise impaired, as well as the truth of Being, the scientific control of creative Thought, Self- Knowledge, and the allegorical interpretation of the Golden Rule and the Sermon on the Mount, for grand living in noble Thought.

The fifth period (29 to 35 years of age) is the progressive, constructive period, when men should be preparing to acquire possessions, property, a home and a family; and laying a foundation for a future of independence and service; strengthening, or repairing, or rebuilding, the body with a sensible regimen of correct eating, correct exercising, developing the ability to relax and rest and sleep intelligently, practicing the control of the thought processes, and so controlling actions and decisions - so that the future will be a successful service to others, in excellent health. I think that when one needs assistance, he will find help and improvement from chiropractic, osteopathy, Electronic and Light therapy, and the development of a "Happiness Consciousness."

The sixth period (from 35 to 42 years of age) is usually a period of reactions and changes, based largely on experiences, and showing results of previous education, training, and thinking.

And this is followed by the seventh period (43 to 49 years of age) of reconstruction, adjustment and recuperation, so as to be ready for a new cycle of sevens, beginning with the fiftieth year of age; for it is before the man is forty-nine years of age that he should have developed his career, acquired possessions, stabilized his life and affairs, so that his previous business or professional work shall have developed results which will then allow him to still serve well, accomplish a great deal in his work, and yet afford more rest, slower activities, care of his health, and the pleasure of travel, and the enjoyment of companionship with his wife and family and friends.

If any man has come to the beginning of his eighth cycle (50 years of age) without having accomplished all he might have desired, he may be sure that it is due primarily to ignorance of the Laws of Life and, therefore, failure to have accomplished in the ONLY way achievement may be realized for permanent success, i.e., through mental-spiritual development in creative thinking. Most men who find themselves victims of earlier errors - usually committed in ignorance - and after fifty living in lack and limitation - are apt to give way to silent meditation, regret, sorrow, and many times self-pity, and thus they submit to thoughts of "old age," incompetence, and get in that nonsensical attitude of resignation to "what might have been," and "cannot be helped now - it is too late" imagining.

That attitude is, of course, sheer folly. If such a man would but pause to realize just a few truths, he would know that very few men have acquired wealth, independence and perfect health by the fiftieth year of age. The late Mr. Henry Ford spent many of the years of his life trying to perfect the automobile he had long dreamed of and visualized. He was quite aged when he became wealthy. Benjamin Franklin was well on in years before he really acquired independence. So was the late Charles M. Schwab, Major Edward Bowes, Walter Ferrier, and a host of others too numerous to mention.

Would I be judged insane to tell you that any man or any woman CAN very easily begin to change the condition of his or her life and affairs at ANY MOMENT? All that is necessary to your own great achievement, eventual independence and security, is a changed mental attitude and the WILL to undertake your own PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT. What if some fifty, or sixty years have gone by? What if the present seems to be a futile struggle for survival? Is is only so because YOU THINK IT IS! Your life is the sum of your thoughts - and the result of your past habitual and predominant mental attitude. You CAN CHANGE ALL THAT NOW, by simply determining to become more useful, in some way, to others, and to yourself.

A new, more vigorous attitude toward your job. A new business venture. A new determination. BUT, above all, the determination to BECOME A NEW PERSON. You can begin by getting rid of "old thinking habits." Stop thinking of age; of lack, of limitation. THINK of Who and What You really ARE - a definite part, or degree, of The Spirituality of The Infinite Omnipresence. You carry your God about with you. Why, then, shall you fell abased, lost, incapable? Most of the wealthiest, ablest, most admired individuals succeeded only after the fiftieth year of age, and many of them after they were sixty. WHY NOT YOU? Trust God and go ahead! God love you!

I should like to tell you that the world, as we know it, is just in process of passing out of the Sixth Period; and it will soon enter into the Seventh Period; the period of readjustment, reconstruction, and harmony; the period which is frequently referred to as the "Millennium." What few know is that this period is not a one-day, or one-year, affair. Beginning during 1945 its steady growth will continue into the year 2001 - 2007 - "when the Grand Man shall be reflected in earth;" "And righteousness shall be the girdle of his loins, and faithfulness the girdle of his reins.(6) And the wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down

with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and a little child shall lead them," as Isaiah taught of the prophecies, 11:5,6.

In that time - after men have come to realize that learning to hate, and envy, and despise, and kill each other has been not only fruitless, but insanity - and when a large percentage of the population of the earth (which has been reincarnated from the earlier tribes of killers, lustful nations, when the peoples were subject to the "iron heel" of contemptible leaders and rulers in many lands of the old nations) have been spent off and have departed on The Path in karma - the present generation and its predecessor - those who were born since the year 1867 (the 22-year) shall have been rising "to the kingdom," more interested in Self Knowledge, Personal Development, and Spiritual Growth - and these are they who *"shall inherit the earth and be as children of God."*

The time is not far distant when the world leaders who have been so confused with their thoughts of war and gain, shall have been succeeded by men and women who are NOW preparing, in Personal Development, for the greatest of all leadership - Spiritual Power on earth. *"lo! 'I' Will come again in the flesh! Prepare to receive me; for where ye are, there Am 'I' also."* Many individuals have already learned the simple Truth that " 'I' AM that I." That "I" IS already Here! "It" has always been Here (Now), but blind men (ignorant believers - followers of the False teachers, of whom The Master bade this generation to "Beware") have not "seen" nor known The Truth - only because in their mass belief that their false teachers and leaders had been God-appointed (as they declared) they feared to offend the God about which they have known nothing, and their false teachers less.

The time is not far distant when Youth, everywhere, will "throw out" the professional politicians, the professional clergy, the unsuccessful medical profession, and literally pack them all on scows, pole them far out into the ocean, open the hatches and let them go, saying "There goes nothing!" This is the Time of The Seventh Cycle, and whether you like it or not, and whether you believe it or not, This is The Age of Youth; and Youth MUST be served. If you are not youthful, get ready to die. If you are advanced in age, begin to get a youthful attitude of Mind. March with Youth. Only Youth can and will save the world from those who have been steadily destroying God's handiwork. If you cannot believe that, look about you - everywhere is WAR - Deceit - hatred! And yet, everywhere is The Christ Consciousness; we only need to acquire It by "Getting in tune with The Infinite," Which is WITHIN you.

Stop "seeing" the distress in the objective world! Stop thinking in tune with the world's errors. No leader is mighty enough to oppose The Christ! None are great enough to win any victories not in tune with the gospel of The Master. If you think so, you'd better change your mental attitude. The Christ gave the mightiest gospel for Salvation, as a Plan for Better Living the world ever knew about. For nearly two thousand years men of all walks of life - the priestcraft, medicines, politics, business, ammunition manufacturers, plotters, and so-called diplomats -have all tried to rule in their spheres WITHOUT REGARD TO HIS GOSPEL - and as a result we now live in a world which MUST BE CHANGED FOR THE BETTER. It CAN be changed ONLY by Youth!

The "old fogeys" won't change it. They have become ensconced, are in power, and are ruling. And they alone are able to appoint an oversized employee personnel in government positions - some of whom have been loyal to the Soviets, some of whom have been known to be traitors, and most of whom you wouldn't hire to work for you - so terribly incompetent are they - but all the time YOU "foot that bill" for salaries to those parasites who can do nothing but "get out the vote" for the Party in Power - your Rulers.

Do you believe that your sons and daughters are going to go along with that nonsense much longer? If you do, you're silly. Youth is on The March. Wake up! Read and practice your Theological Science - the science of logically reasoning on God and "I". The Land of the Free and the Home of the Brave has slowly and steadily become the Land of the Dope, for plunder and power for the professional politician and the clergy and the medical society. How long will it take before the American Public will awaken to the "bag" they are holding? And yet, through it all, the Cycle of Periodicity has been active. But for that we might have gone down long since.

Numbers are symbols only. They indicate the quantity and quality of energy, and their symbols apply to everything in the universe. It takes seven periods to perfect the physical manifestation of any created thing, even an idea. There are seven great cycles in the development of mankind upon the earth; each of which produce a Great Race; and each Great Race, in turn, is sub-divided into Seven Sub-races. Among the various nations these Seven Creative Forces of the Cosmos have been identified with the Rulers of the Seven Sacred Planets - Sun, Moon, Mercury, Mars, Venus, Jupiter and Saturn.

The Moon Changes its appearance every seven days. It is a well-known fact that the phases of the moon not only rule the tides and vegetation, but in the higher forms of life regulate the periodic functions of generation as well. The number seven stands for the recognition of the oneness of the physical, mental and spiritual being. It penetrates to the uttermost depths to reveal the mysteries of life. Seven is the Key Number to Nature's Law of Cause and Effect.

In many ways there is an actual, tangible, demonstrable relationship between numbers, letters, and ideas; and all are acted upon, and act upon the vibrations thus induced. These vibrations are both mental and physical. Nature makes no mistakes! Her every manifestation presents some divine idea, and unwittingly our actions are made to conform to Her Laws. This eliminates the element of change, or Caprice, and all that we are and do is the result of the action of definite unchanging Laws, and their reaction in our lives and affairs.

All is in accordance with the One fundamental Principle of Life, which is motion, or vibration, and which is forever seeking equilibrium. The Universe is a circle whose center is everywhere and whose circumference is nowhere. As matter is endless in time, or eternal, so it is no less without beginning or end in what is commonly called space. In its real existence it withdraws itself from the limitations imposed on our finite mind by the conceptions of time and space - conceptions from which it cannot free itself in thought.

Whether we inquire about or investigate the extension of matter in the minutest or the greatest, we no-where find an end or a final form, whether we call to our aid experiment or reflection. When the discovery of the microscope, or the juxtaposition of the magnifying glasses, opened up worlds unknown before, and revealed to the gaze of the investigator a fineness and minuteness of organic life and organic for-elements undreamed of until then, man cherished the audacious hope of coming on the track of the final organic element, perhaps the very basis of existence.

This hope disappeared in proportion to the improvement of our instruments. In the hundredth part of a drop of water was found a world of organic life, which, by their movements, left no doubt that they were not without the two chef marks of animal life - sensation and will. The smallest of these under the highest magnifying power are barely recognizable as to their outlines, their internal organization remains wholly unknown thus far to us. It is also unknown to us, what yet smaller forms of living things can or may exist. Shall we, with yet improved instruments, see the Monads as giants in a dwarf-world of still smaller organisms?

As the microscope guides us in the worlds of the minute, so does the telescope direct us in the world of the vast and unlimited. Here also astrometers audaciously dreamed of penetrating to the very limits of the universe, but the more they perfected their instruments, the more immeasurably did the world expand before their astonished gaze. The light white mists seen by the naked eye in the vault of the heavens were resolved by the telescope into myriads of stars, of worlds, of suns, of planetary systems; and the earth with its inhabitants, so fondly and proudly deemed the very crown and center of existence, fell from its fancied exaltation to a mere atom moving in immeasurable space. All our experiments yield us not the slightest trace of a limit; each increased power of the telescope only opens to our gaze new realms of stars and nebulae which if not consisting of galaxies of stars, are self-illuminating matter. THINK OF THAT.

Think of it and then ask yourself: "What am I worried about?"

In an universe without age - without beginning and without ending, insofar as may be known to me - which is Cosmos - in which there is not the slightest evidence of chaos - and in the maintenance of which I have no part - evidently created and evolved from and sustained by what man can only think of as The Infinite Omnipresence - A Supreme Presence-Power-Omniscience - a degree, or part of Which MUST be also omnipresent within me - why do I experience distress of any kind? Since I AM One with The Infinite Omnipresence and All that is in existence, how can I experience even the slightest disorder in my life and affairs?

The answer will be obvious: "Because I AM conscious of error, distress, and chaos, and make my conscious error sub-conscious in my thinking, thus active erroneous rates of vibration, as influence in my life and affairs. The Remedy? To change my habit of thinking! Thought is "Mind-in-motion." Mind is The Creative Center of The Spiritual Realm within me. Therefore, Thought, as the energy of Mind-in-motion, must be a form of creative energy. I AM a creator; no matter who says otherwise. I am responsible for the distressing experiences I incur, because I create the Cause thereof in my mentiations. I CAN create the Cause of Health, Courage, Prosperity, Success, conscious Happiness, or any other desirable condition, merely by changing m conscious attitude and habit of thinking. There is The Secret of Personal Power!

This is the Truth to which an ever-growing number of men and women are constantly turning, and because a large number of people, in many parts of the world, are becoming conscious of the Conscious Power Which is their own to direct and use, all the distress which we observe in the objective world of humanity MUST finally pass away. With this Knowledge, what is impossible for you to achieve? What limitations can be set on your potentialities? You CAN BE, or DO, or HAVE whatsoever you desire, IF, in knowing HOW, you WILL.

The Master said: "Cast thy bread upon the waters, and it shall be returned to you after many days, a hundred-fold." When you help a neighbour - some other person - to acquire the Knowledge of Theological Science, for his or her Personal development, or self-betterment, through elf Knowledge, you become at once a great servant and, as He said: "He (or she) who would become chiefest among you, let him (or her) be servant of all." Why not send me the names and addresses of persons you know who might benefit by Fellowship in and with The Theological Science Society? Love thy neighbour and at the same time help in bringing the kingdom of God on earth, through the ever-growing Brotherhood of Man in the Fatherhood of God.

Together we are a mighty force for Good! My good wishes and love go to you now.

Your servant and friend,

Hugh Greer Carruthers