

A Brief Essay on the Practice of Ending Wars on Earth Forever and of Eliminating Corruption in Governments

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Note: This essay expands on a previous piece called, *A Prayer for Dictators*. See the appendix.

Prayer rises from the heart and acts with good intentions. It relies on trust. By contrast, this essay is more hands on. You take responsibility for a government by participating in a method that solves problems.

Question: *When shall war be no more?*

When there shall appear on earth four or five in whom there is no fear; and whose souls are so clear that when malice, evil, or ill will draws near, these things dissolve as if they were never there. When four or five shall remain in each generation, then your race shall awaken. The beauty of the stars and the seas and the mysteries shall appear within your dreams. These treasures of soul shall overflow, filling your world with light and healing.

---The Mermaid Queen Isaphil

They will beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks. National shall not take up sword against nation, nor shall they learn war anymore.

--Isaiah

Justice and only justice shall you pursue.

--Deuteronomy 16.20

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God.

--Jesus

Without agents of justice, justice will never fill the earth.

--Malchjdael

Whenever righteousness becomes lax and injustice arises, then I send myself forth to protect the good and bring evildoers to destruction. I was born to destroy the destroyers.

All the great battles of life are first fought within the heart.

--Krishna

Defend the weak and the fatherless; uphold the cause of the poor and the oppressed. Rescue the weak and needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked.

— Psalm 82:3-4

There is a state of awareness in which evil and the negative principle cannot exist. Become that awareness. Embody it. Strengthen it. Make it a part of your soul. Then share it with others so that its light fills the world.

--the Venus spirit Guru

Emptiness (the void) is the mother of all enlightened beings.

--Prajnaparamita

Justice requires a judicial process—a system of oversight that holds people accountable for their actions.

--Entub

We hold these Truths to be self-evident, that all Men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness—That to secure these Rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just Powers from the Consent of the Governed, that whenever any form of Government becomes destructive of these Ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its Foundation on such Principles, and organizing its Powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness.

--The Declaration of Independence

Let justice fill the earth as water covers the seas.

--Divine Providence

In a democracy, everyone is equally responsible for the government.

In a global community, everyone is responsible for creating peace between nations.

Note: One form of meditation is to take each of the above or similar quotes and meditate on them one by one. You get a feeling for each set of ideas inside yourself. Each arises in a different historical, cultural, and spiritual context.

Then you take two or three and eventually all of them and meditate as you search for one feeling vibration that underlies and unites them. This is not an intellectual endeavor, though obviously I am trying to express through words what I perceive and experience. This is a matter of experiencing an idea so that it is alive within you.

All I ask of world leaders is that they do not lie, deceive, or steal. That they do not act in a selfish manner and that they be free of corruption. That they be fair and just. That they solve a problem on its own terms without perpetuating the interests of specific groups or political organizations. And that they build things of great value that endure.

It is my personal preference that they act according to the above.

“Let justice fill the earth as water covers the seas” is a divine ideal. As an ideal, it represents a state of peace and elevated consciousness to be strived for.

But what means are available to bring this about? If you leave it to religious people, they do next to nothing. If you leave it to reformers, here and there they make some progress, but the weapons and tools in the hands of evil doers increases exponentially. If you leave it to the UN Security Council, you encounter diplomats who love strife and hatred far more than they love harmony or peace. And in our age a few individuals can either destroy the world or set human history back hundreds if not thousands of years.

It appears to me that we need highly trained individuals who can act on behalf of the planet to serve as a kind of conscience and check on massive abuses of power. The creation and maintenance of such individuals is perhaps a greater mystery than the persistence of evil. There will always be individuals trying to take over the world until a few people arise who insist that the leaders of nations pursue justice.

From my perspective, just as we are on the edge of inventing effective fusion reactors that offer nearly free electricity, we also possess right now the “spiritual” technology to end wars and to eliminate corruption in governments. But, as with nuclear fusion, a lot of on-going research and experimentation is required to work out the details and applications.

Brief Summary

The method I describe may seem rather complicated. But it can be summarized in a few sentences. You imagine a very big, empty space with nothing in it and that you are this space. Then you visualize a negative person in front of you such that nothing else exists in your consciousness.

This produces an effect because the tools of negativity are not effective in this mental vibration. There is nothing to take hold of or to possess and there is nothing to attack or to injure. When the aura of a negative individual or world leader is saturated with this vibration, his influence on others is greatly reduced.

The Cosmic Letter U: the Void/Emptiness Meditation on Four Planes

In his book, *The Key to the True Kabbalah*, Franz Bardon describes what he calls cosmic letters. These are energy fields created through concentrating on three senses—a color, a musical note, and a physical sensation. There are twenty-seven cosmic letters.

The letter U refers to akasha, the fifth element that originates, supervises, and dissolves the other four elements—earth, air, fire, and water. Franz Bardon refers to akasha as actually being colorless. It is outside of the visible spectrum of light. Bardon attributes to the letter U the color of black as in shiny or ivory black.

Akasha has the sensation of your consciousness penetrating through space and time. In the case of the letter U, this physical sensation is an awareness of there being no space or time or simply “an open, empty space” with nothing present. Bardon sometimes says as he presents his exercises, imagine an element filling a space as vast as the universe. Creating and dissolving each element in this way imitates the power of akasha.

The void meditation or the cosmic letter U exists on four planes—the akashic plane, the mental plane, the astral plane, and the physical plane.

Following the principle that anyone anywhere is free to join in mind, heart, and spirit with anyone else we can meditate on the cosmic letter U while our consciousness is inside of another person.

There is the problem that if someone is removed from government, someone else equally bad or worse can replace them. But by meditating on all four planes in an individual's aura, we seek to create a spiritual vibration for a country that imagines the best things beginning to happen.

Akasha Plane

This is the "Be still." It is the Psalm 90 state of awareness of "Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the sky"

It is the Heart Sutra, "Form does not differ from emptiness and emptiness does not differ from form."

It is "to listen so well that Divine Providence considers you part of itself." To be receptive/open to the deepest purposes of divinity and Divine Providence you need that perfect emptiness/stillness kind of listening.

Analogous to quantum reality, the void contains all possibilities. It recalls the origins of all things as well as their highest paths and final ends.

We might express this as,

Because all things arise from the void, from out of nothingness, because the void originates and guarantees the fulfillment of all purposes providing the light and the energy required to accomplish any mission, overseeing, inspiring, and guiding all transitions and transformations, the void embodies perfect will, omnipotent power, and absolute sovereignty.

The open, empty space of the void on the akashic plane has a sensation/feeling. It is of vast creative power.

It is the nature of Divine Providence, which the letter U reflects, to be able to take anything and restore it to its original nature, to reveal its highest purposes, and to oversee its paths of transformation.

There is, then, a degree of self-confidence and certainty with such power and purpose. We might express this all-power and all possibilities in a brief poem:

The Voice of the Cosmic Letter U

There is no vice
I cannot twist or bend
And turn again
Into its opposite virtue.
There is no compulsion or obsession
I cannot so fill with light
It becomes kind and bright.
There is no ill will or malice
I cannot convert into chivalry or true nobility.
There is no crunch or karmic bind,
No evil intent or design
I cannot refine within my mind
Into contentment and absolute satisfaction.
There is no suffering
I cannot so enfold within my palms
Spit on, blow upon,
And recreate as beauty hidden in the heart of life.
Such is my power and might.
Such are the depths and the heights
Where my wings fly.

Or, on the lighter side, we might take an excerpt from a story:

And the Creator asks, “Did I not create the sky by night filled with countless stars?”

And the angel replies, “Yes.”

And the Creator asks, “Why?”

And the angel replies, “So that in one single glance at the night sky men might perceive that the mind is infinite.”

The Creator says, “And?”

The angel goes on, “And if they persist in contemplation, perceiving without thoughts intervening, they shall sense a great stillness embracing the universe. Here the beginnings and ends of all things are united in peace and harmony. Anything lost is again found and restored to its highest path of evolution.”

Mental Plane

The mental plane works with ideas, concepts, philosophies, ideologies, metaphysics, doctrines, paradigms, etc. It is where we formulate and execute a plan of action. It is where we evaluate our resources and define and solve problems. It involves research, investigation, and judging as we draw conclusions.

Its difficulties involve mental confusion, ambiguity, having to act when we have only limited knowledge, and excessive attachment to obsolete and false ideas.

To solve problems effectively, we need to “see” what is actually before us. (“To see the world as it is” is one definition of the enlightened mind).

However, there is an “existential insecurity” that is present in all human interactions. At times, there is an overwhelming desire to be validated. This is seen in the ease with which people cling to ideas and, in so doing, deceive themselves, rationalize, and, unknowingly, seek reassurance through confirmation bias.

To overcome such mental confusion requires a perfectly open, empty mind like a mirror. For something to appear clearly there can be no blur or distortion from using ideas derived from an ideology, political organization, metaphysics, theory, or religion, etc.

A clear mind dissolves false attachments to ideologies, isms, theologies, philosophies, economic theories, and historical interpretations.

We might summarize the void on the mental plane as

Because in the void there is no attachment, nothing to hold onto and nothing to lose, and because no one is attacking and no one is being attacked, no attack is occurring, and there is nothing to attack with, there is no greed and there is no fear, and so there is perfect clarity and absolute freedom.

The sensation/feeling is of an open expanse in which everything is seen and understood with perfect clarity.

Again, the awareness of emptiness automatically dissolves negativity, for the negative principle requires something to grasp, possess, control, or to flee from.

As a Meditation

Relax. Take a breath. Allow your consciousness to become a vast, empty space of pure nothingness. In this state of awareness there is no form, no center, no body, no mind, nothing but pure awareness that has no need to refer to anything in order to sustain or define itself.

There is another unusual quality that belongs to this state of mind. Since there are no boundaries and no definitions of any kind, there is no separation. Anything that appears here is one with anything else. In this space of awareness, only oneness exists.

You can still recall or enter memories from your personal history. You can relive all the experiences of your own or someone else's individual identity. And yet, in this state of mind, anything that separates one from another dissolves.

We might conclude, "Blessed are those whose minds are as open and clear as the sky, for their peace shall be as a sea that has no shores and as a stream that flows from the dawn of time to the ends of eternity.

Astral Plane

The astral plane is thick with emotional reactions, attractions, and repulsions shaped by situations and personalities. And yet the astral plane in itself is so giving, receptive, and impressionable it supports every soul after an individual has died. Without such support, after death, a soul could not remain alive.

The empty space meditation on the astral plane is a feeling so pure and receptive it is an all-embracing love guiding, supporting, inspiring, and fulfilling every being. Like the astral plane itself, the empty open space accepts and supports all dreams, all dreamtimes, and all paths of life.

In this astral receptivity, there is no selfishness. Selfishness is gone since here there is nothing for an individual to cling to. There is nothing that someone can possess or control. The very desire to harm or to injure another cannot appear in this space.

In meditating on the astral void, we create a vibration that dissolves hatred, greed, revenge, corruption, jealous, envy, malice, revenge, vengeance, etc. We get inside negative dreams and dissolve them from within. The goals and ideals based on negativity (on destroying and controlling) then lose their attraction.

We can summarize the void on the astral plane as

“Because within the void there are no barriers or boundaries and nothing separating one thing from another, there is only oneness and so perfect love.”

There is a sensation/feeling of oneness with another and the oneness of all things that defines the void meditation on the astral plane.

Physical Plane

And so on physical plane the empty, open space meditation is the sacred space in which the best possibilities and courses of action for the future can manifest.

For justice, you create a vibration that dissolves arrogance, greed, corruption, envy, malice, etc. In *A Prayer for Dictators*, this is the “May all corruption, malfeasance, and greed now dissolve.”

In this sense, we visualize or, better yet, become one with a politician in this empty space so that the negativity can become purged, purified, dissolved, and banished. We enter and meditate on divine purpose, truth, clarity, integrity, and justice within a politician’s mind.

We might summarize the void on the physical plane as,

Because it is the nature of the void to unite as one love, power, and wisdom, (the water, fire, and air elements), the void produces works that endure, enriching life in every conceivable way.

Ever surrounding us in deep silence, the void, in its boundless opportunities and endless possibilities, reveals all that can be accomplished in any age of the world.

The sensation/feeling of the void on the physical plane creates a sacred space free of contamination and impure motives through which the best possibilities of the future can appear and works of great value be accomplished.

You are doing what you love but you are also exercising great vigilance and power in eliminating, annihilating, and banishing corruption and injustice from the earth.

All four planes at once.

We can take the feeling/sensation of each of the four planes and add them to each other so we have in effect four planes vibrating within ourselves in harmony and mutual reinforcement. One result is an overall feeling of an absolute contentment in which the inner self is at peace with the universe.

Another result is a sense of a great harmony and stillness from out of which we are overseeing all paths of growth and development to insure that life is fulfilled in every conceivable way.

Summary

The basic idea in this essay is that we are all connected and have a capacity to suggest, to encourage, to inspire, to guide, and to influence each other.

This “spiritual technology” is in part set forth in Franz Bardon’s book, *Initiation into Hermetics*. Already in chapters 3 and 4, he gives detailed instructions on how to transfer one’s consciousness outside of oneself into any thing or person. In chapter 6, he introduces a practice involving akasha. And in chapter 9 and in greater detail in his third book, *The Key to the True Kabbalah*, he introduces a great variety of approaches to akasha including the one in this essay dealing with the cosmic letter U.

In addition, in his second book, *The Practice of Magical Evocation*, Bardon refers the student to several spirits who oversee and specialize in geopolitical evolution. For example, Peresch in the sign of Virgo follows everything going in in global politics. And Ybario in the sign of Capricorn provides balance when things get out of hand. The intent of these spirits along with others is to assist political development as well as reduce suffering on earth.

Appendix

A Prayer for Dictators

May your spirit perfectly embody the highest ideals—power creating a just society and justice between the nations.

May you seek to meet human needs—protecting the weak, sheltering the homeless, healing the sick, and creating opportunities to enrich others' lives.

May you embody wisdom—enabling every true purpose to be accomplished creating harmony as you resolve conflicts and set in motion plans of action.

May you establish on earth enduring institutions of great value that empower others to find their own happiness, satisfaction, and fulfillment.

Let all other things about you that are not of the highest ideals be now dissolved. They are no more. They are gone. It is as if they never existed.

May your mind be enlightened so that you see the world as it really is.

May you be free of attachment to ideologies, isms, theologies, philosophies, economic theories, and historical interpretations.

May you solve problems on their own terms rather than perpetuating the interests of specific groups or political organizations.

May you seize opportunities as they arise to make this world a better place than the one you entered.

May you unite rather than divide.

May all power that you hold, may all organizations that you control be utilized to serve the people of your nation and of the world.

May all false attachments, every idea in your mind that does not serve the purposes of love and justice, be now dissolved. They are no more. They are gone. It is as if they never existed.

May you live life to the fullest. May every happiness be yours. May you know every satisfaction. May you be an instrument of divine grace offering peace, contentment, satisfaction, happiness, and fulfillment to others.

Let the desire to harm, hurt, haze, degrade, or to control be now dissolved. All that is selfish within you is gone. It is no more. It is as if it never existed.

May the words you speak, your actions and the things you accomplish be as bright and dazzling as the sun.

May all corruption, malfeasance, and greed now dissolve. They are gone. They are no more. It is as if they never existed.

May you accomplish on earth the deepest purposes of life.

Hereby I dissolve every other vibration, energy, thought, feeling, and sensation within you that does not serve life's deepest purposes.

They are gone. They are no more. It is as if they never existed.

May justice fill the earth, for Divine Providence has ordered the human race to accomplish this.