

### **April 11, 2005**

I always follow. I never lead.

The only question is this: Which voice am I following now?

Is that the voice I choose to follow?

Is that where I place my willingness and my faith?

I can choose again and let old habits be replaced.

My only choice is to follow. I cannot lead.

When I surrender to this thought, my choice is clear.

### **April 15, 2005**

I am not alone. All of Heaven is by my side working with me, cheering for me, providing me with the means. There is no cause for worry or concern. There is only time for joy and enjoyment, love and gratitude. It is a happy world when I relax into God's arms and let Him carry me where He would have me go. I am like a child and He is my loving Father. He knows where my joy and safety lie. I need only trust him and anticipate in happy excitement the joyous gifts He will share with me. My joy is His joy, so my joy is Guaranteed.

### **April 17, 2005**

*Recently, I realized that there are several special relationships I need to let go of, including my special relationship with "being on time" and with "other people as separate entities." This morning I asked Spirit for help letting go of these relationships. The answer I heard is posted below:*

You think it is time. It is not. You think it is separate people and their unreasonable thoughts and behaviors. It is not. It is you. It is your mind that harbors the guilt, unworthiness and fear that you would rather project than claim, get rid of than let go of.

To seem to toss guilt, unworthiness and fear away from you may bring a moment of release, but nothing more. You may not experience even a moment of release, since the guilt of projection can be immediate. The self-hate seems to set in, and it seems real and justified for what you have done. Know this is never true. None of this is true. You are not guilty. You cannot hurt aspects of mind. There is a delay in awareness of Truth, but nothing more. Truth is Truth and it cannot be changed or divided by you

To stop the delay and speed up your awareness of Love's Presence, say this whenever you are tempted to see anything differently:

"I am Love and I am the presence of Love now. I am tempted because I have decided to see myself differently, but my imaginary perception cannot change

who I am. Right now, I have a choice. I can continue to play this game I have made. It is my turn, and if I choose to, I can play now. Or I can decide that I have tired of this game and choose to step outside the ring of illusion. I can open my mind to Reality, and it will return to me. Then I can watch the game from outside the ring, and I will see it is only a game.

"Nothing in Reality is changed by the games children play. As the game leads to weeping, I can comfort my brothers. As the game leads to anger and fear, I can overlook what isn't real. I can hold out my hand to any who believe they may be tiring of the game, and I can help them to leave the ring of illusion if they choose to stand up and follow me.

"I am the hand of Jesus and the Voice of the Holy Spirit. I am the Memory of our Father and a symbol of Truth. I am the path my brothers seek, but I must choose to stop playing the game, to step outside the ring and into the Light.

"This is the opportunity that is offered to me now. It is my turn to play. Will I play or let go of my part in the game?"