April 18, 2005

I need do nothing, for to plan to do anything is to play the game. If I plan to return meanness with kindness, I am seeing myself as a body in the game and I am playing. If I plan to resist temptation to be short-tempered myself, I am seeing myself as a body in the game and I am playing.

I need do nothing is a commitment not to play. It is a commitment not to be a body in the game. It is a commitment not to be a playing piece with a strategy for winning. It is a commitment not to play. It is the means for stepping outside the ring of illusion in to the real world.

I need do nothing. I need not play.

April 19, 2005

To my brothers:

Our will is one. We will for Love, Happiness, Peace and Security, but in the ignorance of our belief in separate kingdoms, we believe that what we seek must be ours alone. And so we seek what we desire in defenses, not realizing that our own self-erected defenses keep us from the awareness that our will Is.

Our will Is. Let us lay down our senseless defenses today and see the Truth. It is here awaiting nothing more than our willing recognition of It as Fact.

To my Father:

There is no will but Yours. And I am glad that nothing I imagine contradicts what You would have me be. It is Your Will that I be wholly safe, eternally at peace. And happily I share that Will which You, my Father, gave as part of me.

I choose the second place to gain the first.

I choose the second voice because it is the first.

I choose only that which is truly first, and I let anything that seems to be before it go.

Amen.

April 21, 2005

I will not hurt myself today by clinging to a limited perspective. I will open to the divine perspective and let it show me a world without limits, without attack, without fear or the need for defenses. In faith, I am willing to let these things go. I

thought they protected me, but I was wrong. They are the barriers that hide me from my Self, and therefore from my peace, my joy and from my security.

I choose today to let go of all I thought was true, so I can embrace once and for All that which is forever True. The time is today. The day is now. I put aside delay and accept our Truth in faith now.

There shall be no exception to this acceptance, for acceptance of Truth is Total and Complete.

I am moving beyond the body's eyes. Spirit shall be my only guide now.

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Question: I am sick today, and I am afraid. I am afraid that God is not real and that suffering, sickness and death are real. But, I am willing to be wrong. I have faith that I am wrong, and I am willing to put my faith before my doubts. I am willing to put my doubts aside and hold onto my faith. I choose faith over doubts.

Answer: Your sickness is not real. It is a manifestation of your doubt. Hold onto your faith. Your sickness will pass, as will your doubts. Your faith is a rock and will stay with you. Your faith is strong. Your faith is your strength.

"My faith is a rock. My doubts are mere dust. The dust seems to be in the air now, and I am having trouble seeing, but I can hold onto my rock and it will hold me firm.

The dust storm will pass. The sun is shining and the sky is blue. I will see my joy as complete with my hand laid gently upon my rock."

Look beyond the time of dust. The dust cannot last and the rock cannot pass away.

April 23, 2005

What I fear the most is loss of self. When a brother seems to attack me and I jump to my defense with a grievance, I am defending my limited self, for I have seen my brother and I as separate and our salvation as being in conflict. Is this the self I would defend? Is this the state I would have saved in my mind?

There is another Self, which is still me. It is the Self which includes my brother and knows no conflict. It is the Self that requires no defense because it simply Is. It is the Self that embraces All in peace and joy.

This Self is also in my mind, and this Self needs no defense. This Self will arise to take its place in my mind as I let it by letting the limited,

separate self go. It is as easy as letting a balloon go. I simply need to decide that I want to let it go, and then open my hand.

To open my hand is to be set free. To release is to Realize.

It is just a decision . . .