

“THE DAILY LESSON”

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and inspired comments,
to take into meditation and live with throughout your day.

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These words are used as if it were a synonym for, or as an activity of God.
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The subject for our current study is the complete book

“THE INFINITE WAY”

By Joel S Goldsmith

THE DAILY LESSON – August 15, 2014

Chapter - The New Horizon

“The sense which presents pictures of discord and inharmony, disease and death, is the universal mesmerism which produces the entire dream of human existence. It must be understood that there is no more reality to harmonious human existence than to discordant world conditions. It must be realized that the entire human scene is mesmeric suggestion, and we must rise above the desire for even good human conditions. Understand fully that suggestion, belief, or hypnotism is the substance, or fabric, of the whole mortal universe and that human conditions of both good and evil are dream pictures having no reality or permanence. Be willing for the harmonious as well as the inharmonious conditions of mortal existence to disappear from your experience in order that reality may be known and enjoyed and lived.” ~Joel

Zech 4:6 Not

6 ...Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord of hosts.

(All reasoning power, all ego and all human understanding must be surrendered ---before--- you stand and knock at the door of the Kingdom. Standing with you. ~Al)

THE DAILY LESSON – August 16, 2014

“Above this sense-life, there is a universe of Spirit governed by Love, peopled with children of God living in the household or temple of Truth. This world is real and permanent: Its substance is eternal Consciousness. In it there is no awareness of discords or even of temporary and material good.” ~Joel

II Cor 5:1

1 For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

(Our Spiritual Temple is already complete. It is not of this world and cannot be beheld with the mind or the physical senses. It is Spiritually discerned in our Soul Within and it is only Aware of Itself. ~Al)

THE DAILY LESSON – August 17, 2014

“The first glimpse of Reality -- of the Soul-realm -- comes with the recognition and realization of the fact that all temporal conditions and experiences are products of self-hypnotism. With the realization that the entire human scene -- its good as well as its evil -- is illusion, come the first glimpse and taste of the world of God's creation and of the sons of God who inhabit the spiritual kingdom.

Now in this moment of uplifted consciousness, we are able, even though faintly, to see ourselves free of material, mortal, human, and legal laws. We behold ourselves separate and apart from the bondage of sense, and in a measure we glimpse the unlimited boundaries of eternal Life and of infinite Consciousness. The fetters of finite existence begin to fall away; the price tags begin to disappear.” ~Joel

I Cor 2:9-10

9 But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him.

10 But God hath revealed them unto us by his Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God.

(When Dwelling in the secret place of the most high, God Reveals our inheritance – in a way that we can hear it. ~Al)

THE DAILY LESSON – August 18, 2014

“We no longer dwell in thought on human happiness or prosperity, nor is there any longer concern about health or home. The ‘wider, grander view’ is coming into focus. The freedom of divine being is becoming apparent.”
~Joel

I Cor 2:11,12

11 For what man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God.

12 Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God; that we might know [feel] the things that are freely given to us of God.

(Let us now retire into the center of our being and there wait patiently until we feel an Assurance of My Presence... ~Al)

THE DAILY LESSON – August 19, 2014

“The experience at first is like watching the world disappear over a horizon and drop down from before us. There is no attachment to this world, no desire to hold onto it -- probably because to a great extent the experience does not come until a great measure of our desire for the things of "this world" has been overcome. At first we cannot speak of it. There is a sense of 'Touch me not; for I am not yet ascended' -- I am still between the two worlds; do not touch me or make me speak of it because it may drag me back. Let me be free to rise; then, when I am completely free of mesmerism and its pictures, I will tell you of many things which eyes have not seen nor ears heard.” ~Joel

I Cor 2:12,13

12 Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God.

13 Which things also we speak, not in the words which man's wisdom teacheth, but which the Holy Ghost teacheth; comparing spiritual things with spiritual.

(Words don't convey Spirit. My Kingdom must be felt... ~Al)

THE DAILY LESSON – August 20, 2014

“A universal illusion binds us to earth -- to temporal conditions. Realize this, understand this, because only through this understanding can we begin to lessen its hold upon us. The more fascinated we are with conditions of human good and the greater our desire for even the good things of the flesh, the more intense is the illusion. In proportion as our thought dwells on God, on things of the Spirit, the greater the freedom from limitation we are gaining. Think neither on the discords nor on the harmonies of this world. Let us not fear the evil nor love the good of human existence. In proportion as we accomplish this, is the mesmeric influence lessening in our experience. Earth ties begin to disappear; shackles of limitation fall away; erroneous conditions give place to spiritual harmony; death gives way to eternal life.” ~Joel

Matt 6:31-33

31 Therefore take no thought, saying, What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Wherewithal shall we be clothed?

32 (For after all these things do the Gentiles seek:) for your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things.

33 But seek ye first [and always] the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

(Practice not reacting to the things of this world today. At any point you find yourself sensing a separation from God, feeling limited, or thinking or reasoning for yourself - STOP right there in your tracks and ask God what He sees? ~Al)

THE DAILY LESSON – August 21, 2014

“The first glimpse into the heaven of here and now is the beginning of the ascension for us. This ascension is understood now as a rising above the conditions and experiences of ‘this world,’ and we behold the ‘many mansions’ prepared for us in spiritual Consciousness -- in the awareness of Reality.” ~Joel

Isa 40:31

31 But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.

(In every Glimpse there is an Assurance – a lifting Up. For example: God is Omnipotent and He assures me that I am included in that. Thy will be done [Realized], in earth as it is in Heaven [Reality]. ~Al)

THE DAILY LESSON – August 22, 2014

“We are not bound by the evidence of the physical senses; we are not limited to the visible supply; we are not circumscribed by visible bonds or bounds; we are not tied by visible concepts of time or space. Our good is flowing from the infinite invisible realm of Spirit, Soul, to our immediate apprehension. Let us not judge of our good by any so-called sensible evidence. Out of the tremendous resources of our Soul comes the instant awareness of all that we can utilize for abundant living. No good thing is withheld from us as we look above the physical evidence to the great Invisible. Look up, look up! The kingdom of heaven is at hand!” ~Joel

John 7:24

24 Judge not according to the appearance, but judge righteous judgment.

(When we look up with the eyes of Christ Consciousness [Righteous judgment] we see what God sees. ~Al)

THE DAILY LESSON – August 23, 2014

“I am breaking the sense of limitation for you as an evidence of MY presence and of MY influence in your experience. I -- the I of you -- am in the midst of you revealing the harmony and infinity of spiritual existence. I -- the I of you -- never a personal sense of ‘I’ -- never a person -- but the I of you -- am ever with you. Look up.” ~Joel

Luke 17:21

21 Neither shall they say, Lo here! or, lo there! for, behold, the kingdom of God is within you.

(Trust God. ~Al)