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# Life After Death: Timeless Teachings

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## **Introduction**

The teachings provided in this short informational piece are taken, in part, from the book ["The Seven Victories of the Divine Child: Claiming Your Divine Inheritance"](#) (ISBN: 978-0983778011), as well as our Tele-Classes, Webinars and Workshops. This informational piece is not intended to be a complete discourse on the subject.

Each one of us is on a unique path towards our realization of a higher power, here and now. We call this higher power God. You may use the name or term which has the most meaning to you. All paths lead to One God. All paths invite us to bring our true spiritual natures to the forefront of our daily lives...in thought, in word and in deed.

The teachings you will find here flow forth from the belief and perspective that each one of us, are, at our core...**spiritual beings, having a human experience**. As opposed to the belief that we are merely human beings, seeking an occasional spiritual experience.

Each person, regardless of race, religion, color, gender or beliefs, has, at the core of our being, an indwelling soul. When we quiet the racing, reactive mind, we can become more aware of the indwelling divinity housed within the soul. If you allow it, the soul will act as a compass of sorts, leading you to the truths you seek to understand at each stage in your life.

It is not my role to try to convince you of anything. Instead, I am here as a messenger to provide a perspective for you to consider. I trust that when you approach this information with an open heart and open mind, you too, will find at some level, value in these words.

Everything happens for a reason, weather we fully understand the reason or not. It is not *by chance* that you are reading this. How did you come to this point? Was it by asking questions? Are you seeking something?

Your journey has brought you to this information for a reason! God works wonders in and through our lives in many, many ways. Be open to this wonder!

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#### **Experiencing the Death of a Loved One**

If you have recently experienced the death of a loved one, I truly pray that you may find some comfort in these words!

Many people we've worked with have experienced a recent death of a loved one. Some have experienced a death of a parent, a sibling, a child, or a spouse. Whether those deaths were sudden, or the result of a long-term condition, doesn't change the nature of your situation.

There are so many thoughts and emotions we have when we experience the death of a loved one. I find that the foundation one stands on as it relates to their spiritual understanding of life after death, may be the single variable that makes all the difference.

There is however a natural grieving process which we go through...

This piece is not dedicated to the grieving process, per se. Instead, this piece offers you a perspective to consider. A perspective, not just of one person, but taken from sacred scriptures, years of study and actual personal experiences.

One of the most common questions we receive from those we serve is: "Is my loved one okay?" I assure you, they are back in the spirit world and they are fine. They cannot, not be okay.

We are made in the image and likeness of God, which is Spirit. Their spirit did not die. Their physical body is the only thing that died. They feel no pain associated with the physical body they just shed.

#### **A Perspective to Consider**

Much of the fear of the apparent unknowns of life after death stem from fear-based teachings. The notion of God, sitting apart from us, high up on a throne, looking down in judgment on our every mistake, is, at best, a sorely misguided teaching. These types of teachings have created an environment of a "Fear of God" instead of a "Love of God."

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Humanity is opening our eyes and beginning to see that the teachings of sin and hell have been misunderstood and/or manipulated over time. I do not judge if these changes were made intentionally or out of a lack of clear understanding.

For centuries, beliefs about hell, purgatory, judgment, and fear of God have been taught (and in some misguided cases they're still being taught and accepted today); therefore, are rarely questioned.

Purgatory is the process *purging* all of the negative energy that was acquired during an incarnation. Fire is used as a symbol of this sacred process. Sacred fire burns off the negative energy and renews the soul.

Humanity is now waking up to the teaching that an all-loving, unconditionally loving Father/Mother God placing one of his/her children in hell to burn for eternity is both inconsistent and contradictory.

Can you imagine an earthly mother, with all of her love and compassion for her children, sentencing a child to burn and be tortured in hell for all eternity because of the child's error? All because the child went down the wrong path.

If we have a difficult time imagining that an earthly mother could or would do such a thing, than how can we accept that our Divine Parents, who possess eternal love, compassion, and mercy would do such a thing?

What would be the point of it?

What would it actually accomplish?

Now, we would be wise not to confuse the idea of "punishment" with the natural consequences of the spiritual law of cause and effect.

The Universe is perfect and is always in the process of balancing energy. So please understand, my friend, that when events occur in life that we would label as "bad," they are not punishment from God. Instead, these events are the *effect* of our own thoughts, words, and actions, whether these originated yesterday, three years ago, or in a prior incarnation.

### **Transitioning from Life in the Material World into Life in the Spiritual World**

*"Death is but a doorway transitioning between various states of existence and levels of consciousness."* - The Seven Victories of the Divine Child

One of the greatest fears that people have is the fear of death. Many people are waking up to the misguided teachings that you only have one shot at this thing we call "life."

People are realizing the oddness in the notion that an all-merciful and loving Father/Mother God would provide us with only one chance to obtain a level of spiritual maturity sufficient to reawaken to our oneness with God.

For the most part, this belief of *one lifetime* is founded largely in the West or Westernized religions elsewhere.

The grace of our Father/Mother God *allows* for rebirth of the soul into new bodies (often referred to as reincarnation). And it is through this rebirthing process, which brings the soul from the world of spirit into the physical world for another go-around, that we can correct our past errors when in our past lives we *missed the mark* or sinned, if you will.

It may be helpful to reframe or redefine what we mean when we say "death." In one sense, you could say that we die to the world of spirit when we are reborn (or reincarnate) into the physical world.

And we die to the physical world as we are reborn into the world of spirit. These worlds differ only in degree of their subtle vibration.

We are spiritual beings having a human experience in a material world. We are not merely material or physical beings trying to have an occasional spiritual experience.

Because our true essence is made in the image and likeness of God, which is Spirit, we are spiritual beings.

The spirit does not die when it is clothed with flesh, born into the material world. Nor does the spirit die when our physical lifetime ends and the spirit once again separates from the physical body.

So you see, from this perspective of spiritual beingness, there is no death, only a change in form. Life continues on. The spirit—who you really are—is eternal.

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Transitioning from the physical realm of existence back into the spiritual realm of existence is really nothing more than a change.

It is not an end.

Death can thus appropriately be thought of as *a doorway of transition between various states of existence and levels of consciousness.*

“And Peter asked the master who awakened them, Who are these men who stand beside the Lord? The master said, These men are Moses and Elijah, who are come that you may know that heaven and earth are one; that masters there and masters here are one. The veil that separates the worlds is but an ether veil. For those who purify their hearts by faith the veil is rolled aside, and they can see and know that death is an illusive thing.” The Aquarian Gospel of Jesus the Christ 129:17-19

[similar passages can be found in Matthew 17:1-13 and Luke 9:28-36]

Your soul, held within the oneness of God, continues on after the change that we call death. This fact was one of the greatest gifts given to humanity by the Master Jesus, who showed, through the resurrection (the restoring of life), that life continues after the change of shedding the physical body.

When we truly believe that life continues on, albeit in a different form, after the change we all call “death,” we begin to see through the illusion that our existence ends at the point when we dispose of our bodily garment.

We can come to the full realization that our true essence, consciousness, and awareness, which are housed within the physical body during our lives, live on.

“Those who remember me [God] at the time of death will come to me. Do not doubt this. Whatever occupies the mind at the time of death determines the destination of the dying; always they will tend toward that state of being.”

The Bhagavad Gita 8:5-6

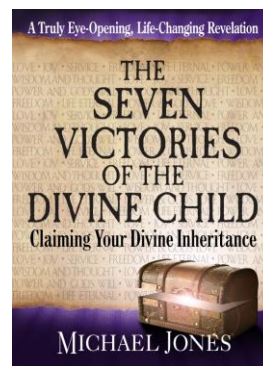
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### **Conclusion**

It is not just in reading and learning about spiritual truths, but in the practical application of them, into our everyday life, which provides the fertile soil for peace to enter into your mind, body and soul.

I pray that this information has been helpful to you in your life at this time and invite you to take a more in-depth spiritual journey through the teachings in the book below.



In Love and In Light,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michael Jones'.

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