

“Claiming My ‘Peace’ of Heaven in 2011”

Today's Lesson

Getting There From Here

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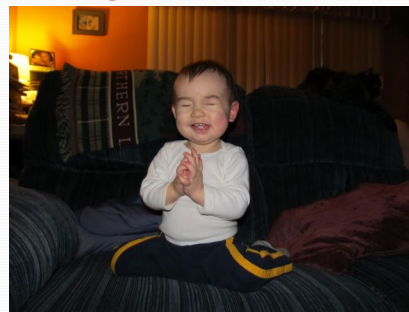
It has been said that we are spiritual beings having a human experience. The same is said of Jesus:

Jesus is at dinner with his disciples, the scene looks just like the painting. Jesus looks to his left and sees Judas who will betray him in a half hour. He looks to his right and sees Paul who will deny him three times when the cock crows.

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Then he looks across the table and sees Thomas who will be doubting things in the not too distant future. Jesus decides there is only one thing to do. He calls the waiter over and says, "Separate checks please."

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Within the beating heart of every child there is an adventurous desire to learn, to discover, to try new things, to boldly go where their parents don't want them to. Thus begins our quest of self-discovery. A quest that creates for us a journey through life seeking the desires of our heart. However...

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Last week we took a look at the meaning of truth for each of us. Truth based upon, created from our own reality.

One of my favorite quotes is from Charles Fillmore, cofounder of Unity:

“I reserve the right to change my mind.”

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As children we are not taught to look within ourselves for the insight, the answers, the knowledge that would help us through life. We are told to look to the physical world with our five senses. We are not taught to go within ourselves to listen to the still small voice of Spirit.

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“But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all that I have taught you.” -Jesus

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As Donna D’Ingillo writes in her book, Teach Us To Love: Your life on this planet is so largely material, and so much time and effort is vested in the tangible pursuits of maintaining your physical existence, that you may not see or understand there is another dimension of reality. A reality that is...

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...composed of three types of matter and energy: material, mind, and spiritual. Your access to the level of spiritual reality lives within your mind as the inner spirit...this spirit is waiting to make contact with you and to lead you into the beautiful world of spiritual reality.

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Where do you see yourself in a year from now, five years, ten years?
 What desires (your “bucket list”) are still lingering to be brought into manifestation?
 What are you doing now to get there from here?

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Someone once asked me: Rev. Chuck, *Why is it taking me so long to get what I want?*
 The answer for the most part is because, on some level, we don’t believe we deserve it. We look to the physical world for our validation and when we don’t get it. We create a beliefs about why we didn’t get it.

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The Five Beliefs of “I didn’t get what I wanted because.”

It’s not mine to have.

I’m not intelligent enough.

I’m not worthy enough.

Fate is against me.

Someone else beat me to my prize.

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To get where you want to be from where you are now takes a commitment on your part to do what needs to be done in order for the necessary changes in consciousness to take place. You begin by understanding and applying these steps:

Your beliefs shape your world.

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Behind every belief there is an emotional trigger attached to it.

Whatever you give your focus (energy to) will materialize in your life.

You and only you create your world through your thoughts and feelings.