

Liberty from a neophyte point of view

We are born alone and we will die alone. When we are born we inhale the world and this perception is singular and unique. Even when there are a lot of people present during the moment of our birth, that experience is particular to each of us. When leaving the jacket that has served us as lodging, we will exhale for the last and concluding time with a breath of relief and eternal rest. This experience is single, too.

During the hiatus between being born and dying we experience the gift of life in a continuous process of birth and death, that is, inhaling and exhaling. We are free to choose the attitude and the way but solely responsible for our choices. Our liberty is influenced by genetic inheritance, social values, and psychic determinism. It is fundamental that we detach ourselves from obsolete principals, ephemeral truths, and from archaic concepts so that the sense of liberty extrapolates our bodies and be predominantly a spiritual gift.

There is no liberty without responsibility; there is no liberty without respect. It is not comprehensible to be free if our heart is still home to the hatred it imprisons.

Beloved brother, enjoy the liberty granted by the Great Architect of the Universe and realize it in all your relationships. Remember that liberty does not originate in the body but in the soul. Only free souls know love, the finest representation of liberty. And comprehend that no form of tyranny can incarcerate liberty of thinking.

I conclude by leaving a sentence from the Omniscient for your contemplation:

“You shall know the truth and truth shall make you free” John 8:32

Equality from a neophyte point of view

I am not better, I am not worse; I am the same as you. This sentence induces us to poetry that I am neither the giant of my dreams nor the dwarf of my fears; I am only a being in search of light and improvement. The relationships in the modern society, take us, many times, to the distortion of focus and myopia of observation. Too many times we find ourselves as superior or inferior to our kin. So I ask you: Who are we for such judgment?

We are equal as human beings. However, wisdom shows that the journey is singular in individual routes which aim at our interior refinement and polishing of our goals.

Let us try to disconnect ourselves from titles and surnames. Let us be ourselves, conquering spaces with dignity in our acts, love in our words, and transparency in our eyes. When I look up to talk to someone, I mythify him. When I look down, I humiliate him. However, if I look at the same height, I level him as a brother and I respect him as a divine creature.

We know that the worst pain is the pain you feel for not having tried. For this, it is up to you to exercise the attitude of leveling yourself transforming pain in happiness, tears in smiles and indifference in compassion.

I hope, beloved brother, you understand with your heart what I thought and wrote with my soul.

Fraternity, from a neophyte point of view

How pleasant it is to count on an honest smile, an open hand, and a cheering look!

How superb it is that after walking in a desert of indifference, you can count on the energy of a hug! In a competitive society, when the other is an opponent and a competitor, and loneliness surrounds us on all sides, when we can count on a fraternal caress, manifested through words, touch or only through thoughts, this is extremely valuable.

What a sublime feeling is fraternity, especially when it is shown indiscriminately, without waiting of recognition, when it comes only from the pleasure and the noblest desires!

The one who searches for fraternal laces does not leave space for loneliness. The one, who understands fraternity as a purpose of existence, transforms sickness in health. The one who vibrates fraternity in his family plants a seed of love and citizenship in a society that is deprived and thirsty for it. I remember, in the Bible, where the master of the masters defines clearly the best sense of the word fraternity: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself" Mathew 22:39. How deep are these few words! When we read them we feel so small in the presence of such perfection!

If you are not fraternal, at least try to be! For we receive only what we donate. Change the frequency of your heart and a miracle will happen. Do it, try! Remember that "A journey with a thousand miles begins with a single step." Chinese proverb

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