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A long time ago, a person was sitting in a room full of people. This person was listening to all the other people that were speaking. As this person listened, it became very clear that all the people were looking for answers that could only come from within themselves. So this person thought that perhaps by opening their own self, that it would open some doors for others. This was a long time ago and yet it seems like yesterday.

So this person opened up themselves to other people, sharing in Experiences, as well as thoughts from the heart, that were full of light instead of fears, and all that go with having fears. This person, felt good for the sharing experience, but it also opened many doors to other people that had not ever been opened before.

Through the open doorway, came many things that had not been in the door before. There were experiences of other's pain, suffering and fear, as well as other's views of life and living that was born out of the living experience that they were living. Through the doorway came teachings from others and also many different types of relations to others. So, the doorway that was opened to share from the heart, became a flood of humanity and all its worldly dreams, ambitions, goals, and of course changes. The doorway that was opened to share from the heart became a doorway for every other person to walk through instead of the listening person to reach out from.

It became a flood of others pushing their beliefs, their teachings, their experiences, and their very life essence; pushed past the heart that was opened to share. So the listening person knew deep in the heart, that this was not an experience that was going to be of any purpose to any of the other people. The listening person knew that the heart that was opened to share had much more to offer than the beliefs, teachings, experiences, and life essence that were thrown into the doorway. The listening person decided to stop listening and speak.

So with the speaking, came many other disturbing factors. All of the others that had reached the doorway of the heart were still intent upon their beliefs, teachings, and their experiences. The other people did not want their life essence to blend in harmony and balance with all their relations; even though, perhaps, that this was the core of the essence of all that they had. No, it became another test of will - the human will.

So the listening person had to stop listening to all the others. The listening person had to abide by the doorway of the heart that had been opened - even though this doorway had been torn wider and wider every day. The listening person had to choose what was in the heart in the original intent and try to strengthen that in harmony and balance with all relations. The speaking person had to stop speaking to others, in order for the doorway of all other's hearts to open according to the heart's wishes.

The speaking person had to stop speaking in order to keep harmony and balance in all relations. So, the speaking person stopped speaking, stopped

listening; what the person did not do, was close the doorway of the heart to all others.

You might find that this is a very different approach than others have taken in their living experience. That could be true; but this person is a very different person in many respects. In this person's heart, there are no social barriers, cultural barriers, economic barriers, or even racial barriers. Each person that is met is seen as a human being that has a living experience and through living will touch many others in many ways. Each person that is met is accepted for who they are at the moment, even though the person may see so much more inside of the people that are met. Each person that is met is accepted even though the person may be disappointed by what is taught or believed, because the basis of the human heart has been lost somewhere in the teachings and beliefs. Each person that is met is not only accepted for who they are; but is also loved for the human being they are as well as the spiritual being that is within. This love is born out of the heart and a connection in spirit, not a connection in humanity.

This person is not perfect, nor is this person trying to be perfect. This person is just a person who has opened the heart to all others that may be met upon the journey of life. Opened the heart in awareness and an unconditional love for the fellow traveller; who may be weary on that given day or may be full of life on that given day.

So this person, writes these words, and hopes that whoever shall read them, shall understand that this person lives by the heart and the teachings of the spiritual being within - not the teachings that reside outside of this person. This person also hopes that when the journey creates a moment in time to be shared in listening, speaking, or silence; that the moment may work towards harmony with all relations. This person also hopes that these few words shall bring a blessing of harmony in all your relations and a blessing of light to touch your heart.

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