

The Nature of a Soul



hat is a Human Soul? Who can answer the question? Only the Heavens.

For a Human Soul is constituted like the Celestial Realms. It is built up of the same glorious Essences. It has the like transcendent Elements. It is fashioned out of God's living Substance made yet more vibrant and glorious through the flow of His Holy Spirit. Its consciousness is the result of the motion of His Breath. Through that motion the Divine Essences and Elements are upgathered into an apex of consciousness which becomes the radiant centre of the Being. Then that radiant centre in the Being becomes for it the Arche or

magnetic centre through which, ultimately, God will communicate with the Soul by means of and through His ministries; and then, through the growth and the evolution of the Soul, at last be able to communicate directly unto it within its own Temple, and reveal Himself there.

A Human Soul is a centre of Divine Potencies. It is a Temple built up of the most exquisite substances wherein are all the gems in their first water, that is, in their primal, elemental state; and we are using the term 'elemental' in the inner, not in the earthly, sense.

Thus the Human Soul becomes a Sacred Chalice

holding God's Mystery. It is His Temple, with its High Altar whereon the Sacred Chalice rests which contains His Secret.

God's Secret is such as no one can ever discover by any path from without; it has been so carefully guarded by the Divine. It is a secret which can only be discovered by the Soul itself when it attains unto the status wherein the Divine Mystery may become within its consciousness, as a sacred possession.

So vast in their power are the potencies within the Human Soul that it can come to know Him as He dwells in and moves through the Arche of the Soul's Being.

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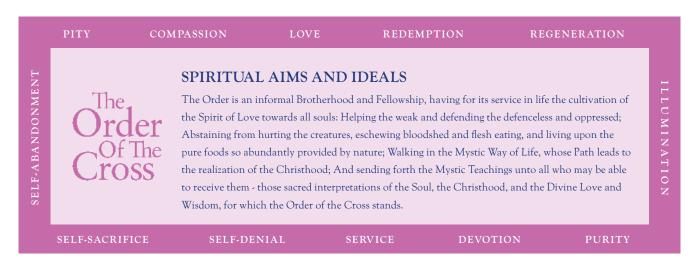
For everyone has a Sanctuary we name the Soul; it is the place of Revelation where the Glory of the Lord reveals itself, where the Presence of the LORD speaks unto the Being.

The consciousness of a human Soul when it is in high divine estate, is the outcome of a thousand great ages, during the passing of which the process of unfolding, enlarging, deepening and exalting of the entire Being has been proceeding. To see a human Soul in its inception, and when it has grown into the high consciousness which enables it to realize the Presence of the Ever Most Blessed within itself, is to understand something of the majesty and lowliness of the infinite Love and Wisdom of the Father-Mother.

A Soul unfolds. God works the miracle through the Heavenly Principle within, through the gathering together of the elements, and the transmutation of them. Through the stimulation and energizing from the Divine World of the Life-principle, and the action of that world upon the pole of our Being, Life unfolds.

A human Soul is the most glorious of Sanctuaries, more beautiful than the most chaste and noble of earthly houses, built up of such substances as the pure divine waters found in perfect gems, and interpenetrated by the Sacred Flame of the Eternal Spirit whose Presence energizes all the substances and makes them living, so that man is verily a living Soul.

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