

Factory Reset: Dropping Our Character Armor



Goodbye to the Troll under the bridge

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Introduction



I'm not aware of another account of emergence from one's character armor. It could be out there and I just haven't seen it.

Emergence from a single traumatic incident, yes. And in fact mine is an example of that too: My Dad's shouting at me at age seven, which shattered my personality.

But whatever happened with that single issue, what also happened was that, at some point in a week of sleeping, I remember watching and hearing something like a suit of armor fall away from me.

And from that moment on I've felt restored to normality, restored to the way I felt before that tragic incident.

I could pick up my life again because I was "back to normal."

The Troll under the Bridge, the Humpty Dumpty Man - these were both personas that I adopted to "pass." But now I don't need to pass. There's nothing left over to have pass. I am just here, now, reactionless.

Michael once said words to the effect that, until now, humans had reached enlightenment by mastering a single divine quality. Now, he said, humans would begin to master all the divine qualities:

Archangel Michael: Human beings, particularly those in the higher vibrations,

[are] learning to hold all the divine qualities and to be operating from all the divine qualities at once. (1)

Well, that's a definition of Ascension, is it not?

Now, here we have an instance of a person emerging from or breaking through not just one issue, but the retention of a body/character armor itself. Is that also not exactly what he's describing?

I'm as amazed as anyone else may be.

If all light workers emerged from their shell, their character armor, I'm sure that that would have a decisive impact on the collective consciousness and suggest another way through this morass we call our present-day culture and back to a way of life that all of us can enjoy, and not just a few.

Footnotes

(1) Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Jan. 4, 2019.

Sick, Sick, Sick

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<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/09/sick-sick-sick/>



Folks, I've come down with something
I'm vomiting a lot and sleeping.
Back up soon.

Whoa! What Just Happened!

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I thought I was headed for the mat

I can't tell you what just happened because I was totally in the dark. All that I knew was that, for no reason known to me, I suddenly started vomiting and vomiting and couldn't get out of bed.

But I'll tell you what I suspect and, if it's true, we may have a problem that cannot be ignored.

The fact that I had no symptoms other than sleepiness and vomiting - no temperature, no coughing, no congested lungs, etc, - suggests to me that I came into contact with a foreign substance somewhere. I suspect fentanyl.

A bus handrail, a restaurant chair, an ATM machine - it could have been anywhere and I would have been none the wiser.

If Fentanyl does exist around our society from whatever source, we need to increase our personal hygiene and not put our hands to our mouths (or eyes) before washing them.

I'll be returning when my energy has returned (which may be this Saturday). I'm not sure if I'll be able to manage an update and an article a day right away. I'm low on energy and high on brain fog. But I'll be working hard to revive myself by then.

As I write this I'm munching on salted, toasted corn kernels - the first food I've had since Monday. Strangely enough I don't feel hungry and hope that I've lost at least ten pounds! That would make it all worthwhile.

Thank you so much to Suzi for once again stepping in and managing not only her own work but mine as well. And thank you for supporting Karen who, I sometimes think, has been asked to suffer more infirmities than the vast majority of us.

I keep telling myself I will do one certain thing, like having a bath for instance. The water still sits in the tub. It's very hard to get moving. Everything I try to do ends up in me going back to bed.

Back with you soon.

With love.

I Will Not

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I received this email today:

Steve Beckow is OBSESSED with Iran & has been for quite a while. I am surprised he doesn't have an Iranian flag posted. In the "Darkness Unto Light," he has 15 to 20 Iranian articles & maybe 2 or 3 US articles. [This is untrue.]

Today "From Darkness Unto Light, 14 April 2026 Update" 4 are in Arabic, are we supposed to be able to read that or is he just catering to the Iranians in the US. I am tired of seeing so much Iranian stuff in GAoG to the point I don't read anything he posts anymore.

The articles with Arabic have English below or I wouldn't be posting them.

I'd be ashamed to write such an email to someone. The responsible thing is just to go elsewhere. I hope I never hear from that person again until their heart opens and they apologize.

With an open heart, this person would never be saying what she said.

I need to say this plainly:

The Iranian people are constantly saying to us: "Do not forget about us."

Their travail doesn't fit into one or more news cycles; it goes on.

I don't intend to abandon them. I'm not here to entertain anyone. I'm here to support the cause of freedom in the world wherever it is threatened.

I suppose I connected with "the Iranian people" as a result of sitting on numerous Iranian refugee claims on the Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada. I found them naturally polite and welcoming. I respect their culture.

The fate of Iranian people who get arrested is grim. Maybe you'd like to read about it in the State Department bulletins.

Rape, torture, everything we never want to happen to us happens to them in a place like Evin Prison. And then they are killed. Just shot. Bang. Gone.

With all my heart, I want to see the Islamic regime go.

I repeat: I do not intend to abandon the people of Iran, no matter how long it takes to win their freedom.

I will not stop shedding light on their predicament until the Iranian people are free. And, with the Wave of Love coming, that may not be far off.

The answer to this person's dilemma is simple: Stop reading "From Darkness Unto Light." But don't tell me to abandon a suffering people because you want more variation in your news diet.

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Throughout Western History

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The Wave of Love will separate Light-filled from dark and is often portrayed as the Grim Reaper. Anyone good and decent will be elevated. Credit: Freepik

Throughout western history (I don't know about other cultures), we've heard "folk tales" of the grim reaper, the end of time, a time of separation, Bifurcation, separating the wheat from the chaff, the children of Light ascending and the children of darkness reduced to dust.

Well, guess what? That is a real event and it's headed our way.

I've looked and looked, over the months and years, for discussions of that event and I've found them one here, one there (Beinsa Douno, SaLuSa, Magenta Pixie and the Nine, Natalie Glasson, the Federation of Light through Blossom

Goodchild, on and on).

But they gave only one paragraph or a few on the impact of the Wave.

Now I have found a site (gflstation.com) that has long discussions of it - and I feel the need to take a deep look into that source.

Now is the time when I need hours and hours to go through long transcripts and reconstruct the picture they're giving. I may therefore do a light Update while I'm researching this extremely-important subject and my articles for a while may be on that subject alone.

This is not a "human" event. It's the Divine Mother's - what she, through the Council of Love, calls - a "tsunami of love." (1) No sense asking her to hurry up, end our waiting, etc. As she once told me, she's the top honcho. (2)

It's part of her first-ever mass, physical Ascension into a new-design, *interdimensional* region of space. (3)

Steve, all space is interdimensional.

That's true. But previously humans in the lower dimensions could not visit the other, higher ones. Now we'll be able to. That will speed up Ascension to higher and higher planes.

Not like that need concern this embodied generation, who for the most part, are angelic. (4) We'll return to the higher planes and that'll be that.

But, in case you were wondering, how will America, Britain, France and anywhere else recover from the massive wave of illegal immigration that has entered their countries, bringing in their midst terrorists, fraudsters, and every other kind of grifter along with good people simply seeking to better their lives and find a living circumstance free of oppression.

The Wave of Love will do what Immigration people could never do: separate the one from the other and remove the evil ones from the Earth.

Not the decent, loving, compassionate ones - no matter what their history, ethnicity, religion, costume, etc.

Anyone reading this blog obviously has spiritual leanings and will be elevated by the Wave. The dark ones, the Federation of Light has said, will disintegrate in the face of it. (5) Yes, disintegrate. They will simply be here one minute and not the next, literally turned to dust.

Everyone on Earth with human decency in them will find this the most elevating, ennobling experience they've ever had.

How can you know, Steve?

Because I've already been through it. I experienced the "wave of love" during a March 13, 2015 fourth-chakra heart opening. (6)

Just because the fourth chakra flipped the light switch does not mean this was a 4D experience. The heart is a portal and Michael has told me that I ended up, for a time in a 7D ... well, in a tsunami of love, which further opened onto a blissful Ocean of Love.

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Can you imagine what that would be like? Only you, a point of Light, and nothing but love everywhere? And the most exquisite love you have (never) ever experienced... or imagined.

The hardest part of it is having to let it recede and let go because it's only temporary. Only Ascension is permanent. But breathing love up from our opened hearts does keep them open as long and as much as possible when we come back to ordinary reality.

This is not Ascension. This is a prequalifying event, a method of separating the sheep from the goats. There is no reason for any "good, decent" person to fear. But those who quarrel, fight, and abuse others might want to take a moment to ponder

what may lie before them.

This is the door of the Lord's banquet hall and all of us have oil in our lamps and can enter. Those without oil in their lamps cannot. Going home for the oil, they'll come back and find that the doors have already closed.

Footnotes

(1) Divine Mother: The Event is a tsunami of love [i.e., a heart opening], but it is not a singular event. This has been in preparation and this preparation did not simply begin with my gift of clarity. (The Divine Mother in “Clarity, Purity, and Love: The Basic Spiritual Movement Restated,” Dec. 5, 2013, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/spiritual-essays/the-divine-plan-for-life/clarity-purity-and-love-the-basic-spiritual-movement-restated/>.)

(2) I've been asked not to capitalize:

Archangel Michael explains: “We do not want anything capitalized.”

(Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Aug. 12, 2016.)

(3) See:

- *Gateway to Higher Dimensionality Vol. 1: Introduction to Ascension* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Gateway-to-Higher-Dimensionality-V1-R10-Introduction-to-Ascension.pdf>
- *Gateway to Higher Dimensionality Vol. 2: Mass, Physical Ascension into a Brand New Space* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/11/Gateway-to-Higher-Dimensionality-V2-R3.pdf>

(4) Divine Mother: "There is no one and no being upon this wondrous Gaia that is not part of your celestial family." (“Universal Mother: Your Family is the Legions of Light, June 18, 2013, Part 1/2,” at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2013/06/universal-mother-your-family-is-the-legions-of-light-june-18-2013-part-12/#more-182555>.)

Let me be clear. There is not one being – human, starseed, hybrid or earthkeeper – that is not one of my Angelic Beings. And it matters not whether you belong to the

Legion of Michael or the Tribe of Uriel, the Praisers of Metatron or the Truth Speakers of Gabrielle. It does not matter your colour, your hue. You are my Angels, birthed from my being – birthed not only from my womb, but from my heart. (“The Mother’s Clarion Call to All of Humanity!” April 20, 2020, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2020/04/20/the-mothers-clarion-call-to-all-of-humanity/>) See *An Explosion in the Meaning of Humanness* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/An-Explosion-in-the-Meaning-of-Humanness-13.pdf>

(5) Federation of Light: This LOVE LIGHT that is to sweep over, through and within, is of a magnitude that has not yet been experienced in such a way. ... The souls of many of such Beings will leave immediately via ‘disintegration’. ... Yes, Blossom, it shall be as if their physical Being literally crumbles and disintegrates.

Blossom: For real?

FoL: Yes, for real Blossom. For the Energy that is carried within the entire body and soul of such ‘naughty folk’ is so ‘dis-eased’ that the Wave of Love ... the Strength within it ... will cause such Beings to crumble, for it cannot possibly survive within the Vibrational Frequency that the Wave brings. ... We understand that it all may sound farfetched ... for your programming has been so ‘normalised’ and all thought of such happenings leads you to believe such things are only make-believe. (“The Federation of Light through Blossom Goodchild, July 25, 2021,” July 24, 2021, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2021/07/24/the-federation-of-light-through-blossom-goodchild-july-25-2021blossom-goodchild/>.)

(6) See:

- "Submerged in Love," March 14, 2015, in *An Ascension Ethnography* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/An-Ascension-Ethnography-5.pdf>, and after.
- “Activating the Wellspring – Part 1/2,” March 14, 2015, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2015/03/14/activating-the-wellspring-part-1-2/>

Beginning to Address the Oppression and Exploitation in Our World

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Iran, 2026

Written before "I've Had Enough"

When I was studying karate, I'd go through an emergence every time someone threatened or challenged me or mine.

And, unsurprisingly, at that time, I found myself in one situation after another where I needed to defend myself or another. (1)

Nowadays I'd see Michael's hand in all this. Then I was just emerging, again and again and again.

To others, I may just have looked like an angry man. But to me, I'd found the ground under my feet. I'd found my voice. I was here in a way I was not before. I'd "arrived" in my own life where I'd been living absent-mindedly and even lethargically before.

Every medal winner will, I believe, be found to have emerged, shucking any cowardice left in them to do something unusually brave.

But emergence not handled well can carry a price in "snapback."

Emergence is by definition a push through all inner blocks. It's a "push." The body may not appreciate the forceful wake-up call. Or at least it may need to adjust after the breakthrough.

One may be unable to live at that level ongoingly. In my case, I've been sick for five days, not eating or drinking anything for four of those days lest I throw up.

I stand a danger of relapsing. And that does not help me deliver the updates and commentary that I've committed to deliver to you.

I remember coming back to work after an est event in 1982 in which I realized that one person could make a difference in the world. I determined to make some grand gesture for peace.

Before I could take one step in that direction, my energy crashed and I was off work for weeks, (2) watching cartoons (metaphorically speaking).

So I know that emergence is a process that needs to be handled with care. And I say this to warn others not just to suddenly burst forth and think that you can now live at that energetic level. I don't think the body can take it without being prepared.

After emergence, a person needs to respect their body's need for a return to balance. They've created a channel to their own inner strength. It's there when they need it.

It'll help me not to have to research for a bit but instead to speak from where I'm at until I've resettled my body and myself in a sustainable place, at a manageable level.

To continue, emergence is based on a realization. Here someone asked me to move on. She was bored already with the subject. In evaluating her request, I realized that I could not respond to it. I'd lose my self-respect.

I think the mainstream media has shaped many of us to expect any one piece of news to leave the news cycle after a week or so, replaced by another, fresher issue. Having no connection to the issue, we get bored otherwise.

But the safety and emancipation of the people of Iran is not entertainment. It's the first step in the overthrow of all dictatorships on Earth.

We may need to only get so far before the Wave of Love at its strongest point removes all remaining evildoers from Earth. (3)

We know, from Matthew and others, that we're expected to do what we can to oust the exploiters from power around the world. (4) We need to take the first step, which frees the hands of our higher-dimensional allies (who observe the law of free will) to support us.

Every time you watch a video about someone taking a superbrave action, like rescuing a child in the path of an oncoming car or saving someone from a predatory animal, chances are you're watching someone who emerged from our ordinary lethargy to put themselves in harm's way in that fashion.

We may not sport, every day thereafter, the mindset and energy levels emergence requires. But we retain some of it. You can hear it in a person's voice.

If we stayed at that awakened, energized level, we'd "burn the candle at both ends" and risk collapsing from overchallenging our systems.

It may be that you've experienced what I've just described and simply don't have a word for it.

Given what we know about how our guides, guardian archangel, and the Mother work with us, (5) I wouldn't be surprised to discover that they have a hand in "testing our mettle" in this fashion.

OK, time for me to go back to bed. I already feel myself dimming out.

But deep underneath that fatigue, I'm burning with zeal to begin addressing the oppression and exploitation in our world.

Not with fresh, new research because there's no time for it, but with the research and knowledge gained from eight years (at the Immigration and Refugee Board) of the oppression already existing and historically entrenched in countries big and small, including our own.

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Footnotes

(1) Taking down a man robbing a jewelry store, whom I held for 45 minutes until the police arrived; a tenant with a knife who was threatening my grandfather, whose knife I kicked out of his hand and sent a kick to within an inch of his nose (he cleared out by the next morning); a man who looked twice my size and who was threatening my bestie, whose privates I grabbed (the man, not my bestie) and squeezed, sending him flying back into the bushes, after which I never saw him again; teenage boys who were disrupting our karate practice (I had been asked to maintain dojo discipline); I went to one end of the dojo and leapt five feet into the air, executing a flying sidekick, something I had never learned or done before;

when I landed and looked, they were all gone; etc.

(2) I was sick in the beginnings of the 1982 recession, which saw a jobless recovery and the fall of my own company of 2300 engineers. Though I was only sick for a couple of weeks, my boss advised me to stay off as long as possible because I'd only be laid off when I came back. And I was laid off.

(3) Why intervene now? Because people are dying while we wait for the great solar flare. See *Ring of Fire, Wave of Love* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Ring-of-Fire-Wave-of-Love-Compilation-9.pdf>

See also "Mira: The Solar Flash is Coming," April 13, 2026, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/13/mira-the-solar-flash-is-coming/>

(4) Matthew: Universal councils that set standards for civilizations' interactions ... hold that the reign of darkness on the planet is over for once and for all, and the wealth of assistance does not include action that is within Earth residents' capabilities. Taking legal action to prosecute proven evildoers is the peoples' responsibility. (Matthew's Message, Nov. 1, 2023, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2023/11/01/matthews-message-nov-1-2023/>.)

(5) See:

- *Grandeur Beyond Grandeur: Toward a Cross-Cultural Spirituality Vol. 6: Our Enlightenment and Co-Creative Partnership* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Grandeur-Beyond-Grandeur-Enlightenment-and-Co-Creative-Partnership-6-4.pdf>
- *The Rewards of Co-Creative Partnership with the Company of Heaven* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/The-Rewards-of-Co-Creative-Partnership-with-the-Company-of-Heaven-7.pdf>

A Wee Bit More about Me – Part 1/2

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I'm feeling an inner push to say a little bit more about myself, to inspire others who are providing the same service as I am and feel it but don't have words for it.

My reticence is that the deep state uses ridicule to bury anyone who threatens them or their view of reality. Ridicule would slow me down and discourage me.

I hear someone at the back say, "Ahhh, he's just doing it for ego, for fame and fortune."

Fortune? All my writings are free. Like a Buddhist, I - and the other editors - live by *dana*, donations.

Fame? A writer? That just makes for more correspondence and I love writing books, not answering emails. Fame would just slow me down.

I'd be happy if my life continued more or less in the way that it is already, although Michael has told me there's only a slim chance of that.

In what I say here, I'm not discussing the totality of myself; I'm discussing a service I provide for the Lord Arcturus, as do others on Earth at this time, as he's told me.

And it's only one service among several - pipeline, monitor, anchor, terrestrial/galactic liaison, etc. (That will be later.)

I provide this service as an angelic (we who are incarnated in this generation are almost all of us angelics and probably also provide this service to some others).
(1)

I've chosen many times to incarnate on Arcturus and serve the Lord Arcturus.

His request of me, and others here at this time, is to allow him to have a periscope in to events here on Earth, to see them through my eyes and feel my response to them, all of this in preparation for my own Ascension.

And all of this in preparation for an Ascension to occur on Arcturus as well, I believe, 200 years from now. (3)

Rather than figure out how to broach the subject, let me do it historically.

My quiet life was disturbed one day when medium Sue Lie offered me a reading with the Arcturians. They began with a startling remark:

Arcturians: In reverence to our great leader.

Say what?

A: You were a visitor [to Earth] and you have now come to visit [again] with a higher purpose that cannot be fully diminished into human language. ...

You are a leader, a great leader on Arcturus. And you are a leader for the leaders. You are a member of our High Council. (That is Suzille speaking. She has no idea what we are going to say next. She is merely there, listening, being as surprised as you.)

Steve: I am not aware of this.

A: No, we know that you are not. But it is time now that you become aware of this. It is time you realize who you really are. For there are things that will be happening gradually and slowly. ...

Suzille felt who you truly are the first couple of times she was on the email with you, She could hardly contain herself. She is feeling it now.

You are one of the representatives of our Light that has chosen to take a form at great sacrifice to yourself. And within that role of having a form, you have had to learn to act human again, for you had not acted human for quite a while. (4)

I think my Mother has said that to me too!

Oooooooooo-kay. Mrs. Beckow's young son Stephen just had someone shake the blanket. No, beat the blanket!



What do I do with this information? I asked myself. Just carry on, apparently. The rest is laid on.

I'm acting like a submarine with a periscope that allows the Lord Arcturus to look through it.

Mine is a passive role for him, a very active role for Archangel Michael.

Back to the Arcturians:

The Arcturians: The thing that you must own is that you are the leader. ...

We know from the memories in Suzille's mind that there was very little in your early life that would prepare you for being a world leader. ...

And we do not say world leader lightly. We mean world leader. (5)

You know that I was always a lieutenant to my beloved older brother, Paul. But when I looked harder, I could see evidence of leading.

Arcturians: We are not speaking to you as a Lightworker. We are speaking to you as a Leader within the Arcturian world.

You still are desiring to diminish yourself. And we remind you. Suzille reminds you from her psychological knowingness that a child that is raised in an unsafe world learns to diminish themselves. It becomes a primary coping mechanism.

Steve: If I were to act as a Leader in the Arcturian world, would I not be forgetting my purpose in being here?

Arcturians: Again, you are doing either/or. You are acting as a Leader. You do not leave Arcturus to enter that small body. Do you think that your great

form could be contained in that small clay shell? Do you see what we are speaking of now?

This is merely your toe. This is merely the smallest leaf on a giant oak tree. You are not the being that you are in. The being you are in is your anchor, your hook into the Third Dimensional world so that you can share your great Light. (6)

This was Bruce Lee's one-inch punch. (7) (See Youtube.) After I picked myself up off the floor, I fled into silence for years to process what had just been said.

(To be concluded tomorrow.)

Footnotes

(1) On this subject, see *An Explosion in the Meaning of Humanness* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/An-Explosion-in-the-Meaning-of-Humanness-13.pdf>

(2) The Arcturians in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Suzanne Lie, March 16, 2013.

(3) I'm extrapolating from remarks Michael has made on the subject:

Steve: When will I eventually have my original dimensionality back? Or do I stay in a lower dimension for the foreseeable future?

Archangel Michael: You will have a choice. As I have said to you, when you complete this mission, you are allowed to have 200 years off. But what you do with that is up to you, dear one!

You will certainly have full access to your inter-dimensionality. (Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Dec. 18, 2012.) (Hereafter AAM.)

S: The next assignment is in the Seventh Dimension?

AAM: You will have a choice of planetary systems. This is just the warm-up for [that] Ascension. It is to bring a further rising of vibrations to those throughout the Universe.

... You will be a teacher [and] you will be a spokesbeing. (AAM, Sept. 13, 2011.)

(4) The Arcturians, *ibid.*, March 16, 2013.

(5) *Loc. cit.*

(6) *Loc. cit.*

(7) Bruce Lee could punch someone from one inch away from their body and floor them. He had mastered the energy involved.

A Wee Bit More about Me – Part 2/2

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The Lord Arcturus (full image)

(Concluded in Part 2.)

I continue with a discussion of my connection to the Lord Arcturus and the services we both provide the other.

Let me give one example of how the Lord Arcturus has been guiding me in my writing:

Lord Arcturus: You tend to get caught up in the outer things because you feel it is your duty to keep others informed and then your energy drops. ...

Outer appearances are causing you to question and feel that the burden is on you personally (separation) to bring every bit of information you become aware of to the public. ...

You have believed that you must publish everything because that is fairness. ...

Allow your intuition to guide you always as to what should be published, choosing messages that carry Light even if they do have a few words about politics. (1)

To accomplish this task, the Lord Arcturus describes how he wishes me to have a multidimensional perspective.

Lord Arcturus: Now, you have come to a planet in this and in other lifetimes to assist - yes, through communication, through clarity - with the progression of the planet through the elimination of the old third, which was really quite disastrous, [to] the progression up through the fifth, through the six, to the seventh so that the planetary system will reside in a level of higher consciousness, Christ consciousness as you think of it. (2)

How is the task to be accomplished?

LA: In order to do that, it is highly beneficial - and this is where mutuality comes in - that you would have, not only the intelligence but the perspective of the higher dimensions (it is not a hierarchy but it is different).

And so the perspective say of the ninth dimension is very different than the perspective of say the third, the fifth or the seventh dimension.

Because it is very important that humanity realize, as they are in their unfoldment to a grander plan, that the seventh dimension is not the end of the road, not the be all and end all.

And so, some of the perspective, the experience, the knowing, the intelligence of different dimensionality is highly beneficial [in you] in helping them move into that higher-dimensional anchoring.

And so in this, we have contributed, not as a clone but as a contribution, shall we say, from my heart, from my soul, from my being to yours, this piece of myself. Now is that part clear? (3)

Crystal clear.

On another occasion he discussed his "contribution" in more detail - a holographic cell containing his and Arcturian knowledge - and how I'll access it.

He compared me to a "Steve pie," a pie chart, a slice of which was his gift of knowledge:

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There is a sliver of that pie that is Arcturus and Arcturian that carries that history, that lineage and that intelligence which you have highly valued in this life and in other lives, here [Arcturus] and elsewhere, that you can access. But you need to basically see yourself as going and sitting or accessing that quadrant of the pie. [I am doing so.]

It is not that you segment yourself because you have the full understanding of the Steve pie but by immersing yourself, shall we say in it that way, by immersing yourself in that tiny sliver of the pie, you are allowing the information, the capacities, the analysis, the experience, to really come to the surface so that you can consciously begin to access it.

It has primarily been under the surface for you this far. It has been more subconscious or even unconscious. And it was meant to be because we did not want you to distract yourself from being human, from being Gaian and

being fully present on this planet and for this mission.

Now, at this juncture (2019) of the transition part and the ascension work and the awakening work it is valuable, not only to us but to you to more clearly access this. (4)

So what does all this mean? Well, I'm not an emanation of him. Jesus was an emanation of the Divine Mother and Sananda.

An emanation would be like Archangel Michael, seeing that Earth is in an extremely perilous situation, donning a mask and costume and coming himself to put out the fire and then leaving again.

An aspect would be like me carrying one or more of Michael's qualities in my own ongoing, historical form, to carry out a certain task. It's a more intimate bonding than mine with the Lord Arcturus.

If you're wondering if you, as a lightworker, serve a similar function, then know that twice I was summoned, so to speak, to a reading to hear about these matters with either the Lord Arcturus or with Michael. *Summoned*.

You know how my readings with Linda were preceded by a lucid dream of my twin flame. Then, after one reading with her, on the second reading, Linda said, "You're going to like this, Steve. There's someone here who wishes to speak with you." (5) And it was Michael.

With the Lord Arcturus, I'd been posting Sue Lie's messages and she too offered to give me a reading. And then all this tumbled forth.

So, I'd imagine that you too will receive word in a similar manner of similar service if you're another of the ones, say, who are providing an ascended master or archangel with a similar function.

OK, now I'm going back into hiding. I once had to undergo a real drubbing from a man claiming to be an "avatar" and it was a really depressing journey. I didn't

respond to his allegations but they hurt nonetheless.

And that's the major reason why I keep matters like this to myself - or until I feel pushed to say something about it, as I do now.

Anyone who's been reading the blog for a long time will remember that I regard what Werner Erhard calls "sharing a withhold" or a secret as a very good thing. It means we have one less thing we're hiding, carrying around, and feeling guilty about.

Footnotes

(1) Lord Arcturus in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Marilyn Raffaele, Dec. 19, 2020.

(2) Lord Arcturus in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, June 12, 2019

(3) Loc. cit.

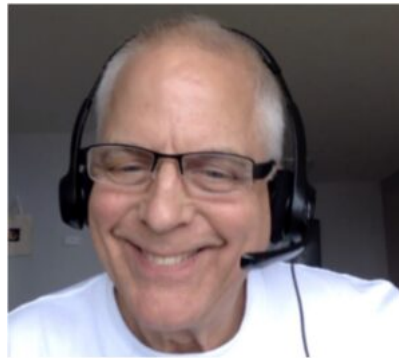
(4) Loc. cit.

(5) Linda Dillon commenting in Archangel Michael, a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda, Feb. 18, 2011.

I've Had Enough, Thank You; or, My Martin Luther Moment – Part 1

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<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/16/ive-had-enough-thank-you-or-my-martin-luther-moment-part-1/>



I awoke this morning in the middle of a realization. And I raced for my laptop. So keep in mind, in the first place, that I'm in the middle of a realization (Remember? Intellectual, Experiential, Realizational?).

And also keep in mind that I've just been on a total fast for four days, on some days of which not even a drop of water passed my lips. I lost my appetite. So these two things are the backdrop to the realization I awoke into, recorded here in real time.

It is long. I apologize. I'll add some pause marks. But you've heard it hot off the press.

Brace yourself. Brace, brace, brace.

I awoke this morning with two words or phrases in my mind: "strangeness" and "crazy salad." (1)

The world at the moment appeared to me to be a "crazy salad" of issues. Where people are poor, more violence erupts. The affluent countries watch events on TV and thank their stars that the violence hasn't reached them ... until it does.

Or thank the Divine Mother, which would be more relevant.

But people in the middle of that crazy salad of issues would never come close to seeing what I just said to you.

And the second is "strangeness" and that describes the way I feel. This morning pondering a Trump salad, spiced with Swalwell crackers, and Did Oprah Do It? sauce, and the Clintons' farewell desert...

... in my mind, I'd had enough and pushed back from the table.

Physically speaking, my recent sickness caused me to fast for four days. Not even a drop of water passed my lips for one or more days.

Did that purging experience prepare the ground for this feeling of having had enough?

[By the way, this is me fulfilling my mission as a writer: Go up with everyone else and write about it. Be as Everyman.] (2)

No more pea soup please. I've had enough. No more jelly donuts.

Stop the cameras please.

A note of background.

On a day, recently, I somehow came into contact with something - at the time the symptoms suggested Fentanyl - and was out like a light bulb for ... most of a week. But the important thing is that I did not eat. Or on some days drink.

And I used the occasion to drop sugar, gluten, and caffeine. Big changes for me.

And now, this morning, at 4:30 am, I sat down to check through my daily update, and I nearly threw up.

Jerry Swalwell. Gavin Newsom's clone? Who the hell cares? Yes, Oprah and Tom Hanks "did it." They were terrible, terrible pedophiles.

But compared to 40,000 Iranians dead in a few days some time back, who the hell cares?

So I feel this "strangeness," rebelliousness, my Martin Luther moment. (3)

But it was no more than feeling I'd eaten too much when your host keeps offering you more. You feel strange, like you're going to throw up if you have another mouthful.

Who the hell cares?

We're faced with massive corruption in our societies. And every day we spread more chaos and misery. The people of China are being pushed into fifteen-minute cities and are under constant surveillance, optical as well as digital.

In the face of that, who the hell cares about the crimes of a single individual?

Like how Gavin Newsom's clone (Newsom was executed long ago and became Satanic with the priest in his last moments) (4) feels about not getting more loot from his web of corruption.

To say "Enough!" is exactly the same sensation a man who just fasted for four-and-a-half days, maybe taking a sip of water occasionally, feels when presented with steak and lobster, baked potato and apple pie on his first day back.

Too much already! Enough!

So what do I do?

(Concluded in Part 2.)

Footnotes

(1) The Divine Mother sends out inspiring thoughts to many at once, she says: Divine Mother: There are, guaranteed, many, a multitude, of beings upon the planet who, give or take a little, have been given the same inspiration. (An Hour With An Angel – The Divine Mother: Welcome To ‘New Time’, <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2015/01/27/divine-mother-welcome-new-time/>.)

Matthew Ward: All discoveries, inventions and innovations to date have come from this consciousness via individuals’ inspirations and endeavors or maybe response to nudging by their spirit guides. (Matthew’s Message, Oct. 1, 2024, from <https://matthewbooks.com>.)

(2) Archangel Michael: There is much to be said for Everyman, and that is part of the role you play. Yes, you are a pillar. You are an anchor. You’re [a monitor] but you’re also playing the role of Everyman – with curiosity, with exploration, with insight. So our desire is not to separate you from the collective. (Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Nov. 11, 2015.)

(3) Martin Luther's posting of his 95 Theses on the door of the Castle Church in Wittenberg in 1517 is generally seen as the start of the Protestant Reformation.

(4) See Michael Baxter, "Gavin Newsom Hanged at GITMO," Real Raw News, January 24, 2022, at <https://realrawnews.com/2022/01/gavin-newsom-hanged-at-gitmo/>

I've Had Enough, Thank You; or, My Martin Luther Moment – Part 2

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(Concluded from Part 1.)

So what do I do under these circumstances?

I return to the basics. The fundamentals. What is fundamental in my life? That I serve the Divine Mother and Archangel Michael with love. That is fundamental.

The rest is a crazy salad and my strangeness with it only grows.

And what does my strangeness have me do: It has me cast down convention.

I'm so sick of being conventional. Not conservative, but conventional.

What I'm saying here is not conventional.

Being sick of "conventional" doesn't mean I'm going to wander around with my pants to the floor. I know the necessity (now) of what we call etiquette, decency, compassion and caring for each other. Events have shown it to me: The centrality of the divine qualities. (1)

I'm sorry if I'm going on but this realization keeps growing.

Intellectual, Experiential, Realizational?

Remember I talked about the military tactic called "Time on Target"? (2) What it is is maximizing the impact of firepower by having all military units in an area concentrate their fire, of whatever caliber, on a single point at the same time.

It totally unhinged German troops who were used to following the pattern of American artillery. First shot: rangefinding. Get in the basement. Any other shots hit empty ground.

But using ToT, concentrating the firepower, there was no warning and the destruction was overwhelming. You never saw it coming and, if it hit you, you disintegrated.

OK, keep that in mind because I think President Trump and his entire Q Team behind him, and the Global Military Alliance and BRICS and the Galactic Federation of Light in millions of cloaked spaceships above us are doing a political

version of this.

They're allowing this crazy salad to get crazier und crazier until we, surfeited on Swalwell crackers and Oprah sauce, say "Enough!"

Not any more dramatically than we'd push back from the table having had enough.

And then what? And then turn our attention to whatever we as lightworkers have agreed to perform for the Mother or our archangel as our service, withdrawing our attention from the rest as best we can.

I personally have been studying battlefield innovation for years - hedgehogs, bazookas, Raspberry, Ultra (3) - absolutely fascinated with how people adapted, how they worked with the inspiration the Divine Mother sends them in wartime.

If you take that as just one item in a whole bunch of items that form my life, then you may appreciate that I feel I've had enough of that. I got the drift and and I don't need to have the message drilled into me any longer. I respect innovation and the courage of the innovators to get their ideas heard. I can take my attention away from it now.

That's just a demonstration of how easy it is to drop something. Taking our attention off it needn't be a big, dramatic event, no bigger than pushing away from the table. I stopped watching TV in 2008 when SaLuSa suggested it. No big deal.

No more than giving up sugar, gluten, and caffeine. Doing that has an impact on our lives, and giving up following this crazy salad of events we're being fed ... well, I've had enough, thank you, whatever the case. I don't need any more. In fact I'd vomit if you fed me any more.

I'll keep in touch with events but not to this extent.

What will right this situation, if our gradual Ascension doesn't do it, is what you know I call the Wave of Love. (4) But it's called by a growing number of names - Great Solar Flare, the Singularity, the Event, on and on.

It's the grim reaper of the Bible. It's the descending mist that takes the first-born of Egypt. It's the baker separating the wheat from the chaff and casting aside the latter. It's the wedding feast, when virgins without oil in their lamp are sent home and come back again to find the doors closed.

How many times have you heard me repeat what the Federation of Light said would be the fate of evildoers? They'd simply disintegrate in the face of the energy of the Wave of Love. (5) All trace gone.

All of us will be elevated by it. It is, as the Divine Mother said, a "planetary heart opening." (6) It is just like the heart opening I had on March 13, 2015. (7) *You will like it.* I guarantee it.

But it will be the end of evildoers.

(Don't bother ridiculing me, deep state. I've already said it. The cat is out of the bag.)

So, to summarize, in the face of having fasted for four days, from food, from water some days, and definitely from the news, I've come back and presented myself with steak and lobster the very first day and I'm pushing myself back from the table and saying, "Enough!"

Who the hell cares about the crazy salad?

I care about what's happening everywhere, but I don't really care about a corrupt Congress or Hollywood child abusers. If honest authorities don't get them, take them down to Gitmo, Guam, or elsewhere and execute them, the Wave of Love will show them the exit door.

It isn't that I don't care. What it is is I feel the need to separate the wheat in my own life from the chaff, to be my own grim reaper and refuse to be led by the Time on Target news ... and by convention.

I care for the people of Iran, who have paid in blood for their freedom. Take them off the list of "Time on Target" issues you are generating or allowing please.

I care about all countries who've been overrun by lawlessness. I care about all countries whose populations live under oppressive rule.

And I rely on the white-hat military who are working with extraterrestrial advisers - you know? The ones whose channeled messages we're reading? - (8) to bring in the ten days of broadcasts and arrest the remaining deep staters who are behind all the violence.

I'd better serve Ascension by taking a fast from "current events" that keep getting more intense in a Time on Target way, and transferring it to more profitable channels.

One example: gflstation.com. Time spent there would be time well-spent.

Enough already. In a more general sense, as Lao Tzu said, I'm letting go, letting go, letting go. And what remains I hope is truly important.

What remains for me is my mission for Michael and the Mother. And to continue fasting, physically and intellectually. It sharpens ... whatever needs sharpening.

Certainly my ability to discern the crazy salad of world issues from what really matters. And certainly my willingness to push back from the table and say, "I've had enough, thank you very much. I can let go of it now."

Thank you, Michael, for my Martin Luther moment.

Footnotes

(1) See:

- *Love Like We Never Imagined It to Be* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Love-Like-We-Never-Imagined-It-to-Be-R17.pdf>
- *The Nature and Significance of the Divine Qualities* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Nature-and-Significance-of-the-Divine-Qualities-3.pdf>
- *On the Divine Qualities* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/On-the-Divine-Qualities-R9.pdf>

(2) See *Time on Target* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/03/Time-on-Target-3.pdf>

(3) Hedgehogs were the successor to depth charges, operating on different and more effective principles; the bazooka revolutionized anti-tank warfare by offering an effective anti-tank weapon for under \$50 a unit.

Project Raspberry was the codename for an effective anti-submarine approach invented by British Western Approaches Scientist Margaret C.K. Shields. And Ultra was the operation to crack the Nazi Enigma machine.

(4) See *Ring of Fire, Wave of Love* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Ring-of-Fire-Wave-of-Love-Compilation-9.pdf>

(5) Federation of Light: This LOVE LIGHT that is to sweep over, through and within, is of a magnitude that has not yet been experienced in such a way. ... The souls of many of such Beings will leave immediately via ‘disintegration’. ... Yes, Blossom, it shall be as if their physical Being literally crumbles and disintegrates.

Blossom Goodchild: For real?

FoL: Yes, for real Blossom. For the Energy that is carried within the entire body and soul of such ‘naughty folk’ is so ‘dis-eased’ that the Wave of Love ... the Strength within it ... will cause such Beings to crumble, for it cannot possibly survive within the Vibrational Frequency that the Wave brings. ... We understand that it all may sound farfetched ... for your programming has been so ‘normalised’ and all thought of such happenings leads you to believe such things are only make-

believe. (Federation of Light through Blossom Goodchild, July 25, 2021, " July 24, 2021 , at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2021/07/24/the-federation-of-light-through-blossom-goodchild-july-25-2021blossom-goodchild/>).

(6) Steve: Have you described a heart opening...?

Divine Mother: ... The heart opening is already underway. ("The Mother Promises a Massive Heart Opening – Part 2/2," September 6, 2017, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2017/09/06/the-mother-promises-a-massive-heart-opening-part-22/>.)

(7) See:

- "Submerged in Love," March 14, 2015, in An Ascension Ethnography at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/An-Ascension-Ethnography-5.pdf>, and after.
- "Activating the Wellspring – Part 1/2," March 14, 2015, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2015/03/14/activating-the-wellspring-part-1-2/>.

(8) Matthew Ward: Without jeopardizing negotiations and actions underway, we can tell you that Donald Trump has met with extraterrestrial advisers and has been coordinating with military officers and national leaders to uproot dark ones and end their diabolical activities. These cooperative efforts are undergirded by love-light energy, the most powerful force in the cosmos (Matthew's Message, Dec. 3, 2024.)

Wherein I Get What Just Happened; or, A Red-Hot Share

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As vulnerable as a jellyfish

Herein I get what just happened. And I'm blown away. And out of it I have a request.

My mission is to go up along with everyone else and write about it. My model is Everyman. My intended reach is global.

My brand of writing is usually characterized as awareness writing and sometimes as "stream of consciousness."

I have to report that sharing that snippet of truth about myself (1) has released me from so much stress from hiding, being in the closet, you cannot imagine.

Stress has literally fallen away from me like a suit of (character) armor. But it was time.

Yes, I've agreed with the Lord Arcturus that he can view Ascension through my eyes, ears, and other senses.

And in return he's granted me, very graciously, a single holographic cell of his being, which contains a library of his and Arcturian knowledge, etc., all of which will download when I begin to focus on it.

Another withhold, as much as I can bear sharing: I'm like a guinea pig to the Company of Heaven. They try things out on me. I've written about that elsewhere, somewhere. (No time to locate it.) A more polite word for this function is "pathfinder."

Right now I just consciously demonstrated what Werner Erhard termed "sharing a withhold." I did so to "get my ante in the pot," my "skin in the game" for a matter I'll come to later.

I'm going to be talking a lot about withholds and core issues in the future in the hopes of laying a foundation for a return to civil discourse and community peace. And I'll be pointing to this "share" as an example.

We literally live a lifetime of withholds. But certain of them hold in place the logjam of emotions that we call "our selves." Otherwise called character armor, muscular tension patterns in the body, ego defense, etc.

When one comes out of hiding, as every gay man must know, OMG, the freeeeeeeeedom!

Soon I'm going to be looking again at human-growth subjects, such as how to presence the Self. Right up at the top will be tell the truth. Share what you're holding back. The truth will literally set us free.

We need to change the conversation among ourselves first. It has to start somewhere. And this is one place, probably among many, at which it will start. Said the Mother:

Divine Mother: There are, guaranteed, many, a multitude, of beings upon the planet who, give or take a little, have been given the same inspiration.
(2)

AND there are limits. Be safe. In the middle of a censorship environment, which tramples on its "enemies" by ridicule (eg., *Real Raw News* is satire; not true), I'd be foolish in such an environment to say anything more than what I already have. It's all a question of timing, as far as I'm concerned, and this is still the time to be circumspect.

I perform a service for the Lord Arcturus, whom I serve along with Archangel Michael. That's it. Five years from now, no big deal. People will be discovering right and left that they have soul contracts with masters and archangels. That's part of why we're here.

The point of my coming in here today is to make a request. I must cut back. Heavens to Betsy, I'm just short of eighty years old. As old as Trump. And playing a ten-man-band.

Look, whatever happened in those four days when all I did was sleep and fast....
(Realization.)

OK, OK, I got what happened.

It's like the young woman in an Adyashanti workshop who was in tears, saying "I don't know what just happened. But I feel such relief."

Until this moment, I didn't know what just happened. But now I do.

Emergence. Breakthrough.

I just went through the very process I write about. (3)

OMG. I can see the billboard now: Emergence! Cost: Four days sleeping and fasting, kicked off by twelve hours of vomiting. Otherwise: Free.

Why didn't I suspect such an illness out of the blue? There was no reason for it and no question of what I would do for its interim: Sleep and fast. *Not go to the hospital.* (Yayayayayay!) Lie flat on your back.

I'm not sure where I was during that time. And y'know, keeping track of all these events is wearisome anyways. I prefer in-the-moment awareness.

Why I came in here today is that I need more time. I need to do more unhurried research.

And it has to go where it goes. I need to follow my intuition, rather than what I think you want to read.

How the heck would I know that anyways? And trying to guess what it might be is tiring. I don't follow the statistics and Michael brings all readers to the blog. Yes, we *are* a family. Big time.

My gawd. I just got the implications of that.

Doing an update now is not possible. I cannot be shackled any longer to any kind of rigid schedule. I'm an over-producer as it is so you won't be deprived. I do know where I'm being led.

But enough's enough, Steve. Another time. If you come back round this way again. In awareness writing, you do or you don't. It's like clearing a path through whatever is in front of you. Medal of Honor heroism. (4) Using your awareness, which is not neutral, to cause disappearance. Awareness favors love.

I have emerged in a way I never dreamed possible. And I feel as naked as a bluejay and as vulnerable as a jellyfish.

But dammit! *It's time.*

Four hours later.

I just remembered that shortly before getting sick, I complained to Michael that I needed a bigger brain to do what I'm doing. Another spiritual experience like the heart opening would be vastly appreciated.

And I got it. And I didn't have to go to the hospital. I'd rather fast than eat their food.

Caution: All events short of Ascension are, to the best of my knowledge, transitory. So some of this may wane, but I'll be left having taken a few giant steps to Ascension.

You surely see that in doing what I'm doing, I know that it starts an energy streamer, to use Matthew's words, in the collective consciousness. And that's what my aim is.

Our love sent out into the collective consciousness is amplified by the galactics, I believe, and returned to us.

Love is like kryptonite to Satanists, demonics, Baal worshippers, archons and whatever other name you want to use for the dark and migrating cosmic force of evil in 3D, which we're leaving behind.

In this movie on Planet Earth that we're all a part of? You got it: Love wins. (5)

In the growth movement this would be deemed a "red-hot share," that would interrupt an encounter group for the person to "work," as in "growth work."

Footnotes

(1) See:

- "A Wee Bit More about Me – Part 1/2," April 18, 2026, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/18/a-wee-bit-more-about-me-part-1-2/>
- "A Wee Bit More about Me – Part 2/2," April 19, 2026, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/19/a-wee-bit-more-about-me-part-2-2/>

(2) "An Hour With An Angel – The Divine Mother: Welcome To 'New Time'" at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2015/01/27/divine-mother-welcome-new-time/>

(3) See:

- *Let's Go! Let's Grow! Vol. 4 Emergence* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/11/Lets-Go-Lets-Grow-V4-Emergence-R8.pdf>
- *Lightworkers: Creating a World that Works for Everyone. Vol. 3: Emergence and Service* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Lightworkers-3-Emergence-and-Service-R10-.pdf>

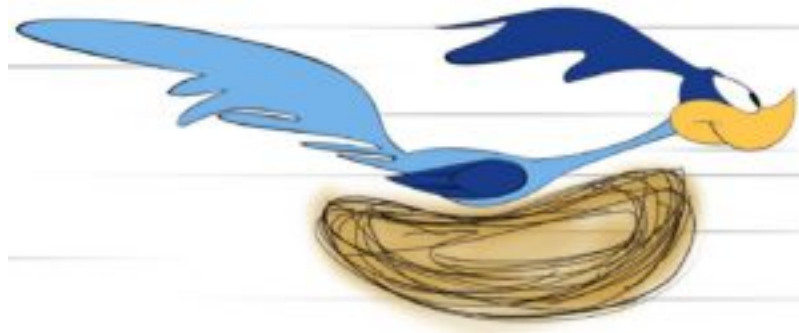
(4) "From Fear and Hesitancy to a Medal of Honor," April 16, 2026 st <https://goldenageofgaia.com/?p=377451>

(5) Divine Mother: Make no mistake, Sweet One, love will win because that has been my Plan always. (Divine Mother in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, April 30, 2019.)

Off and Running – Part 1/2

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My mission is to go up with everybody else and write about it. My model is Everyman. My intended reach is global.

My brand of writing is usually characterized as "awareness writing," sometimes as "ethnography," and sometimes as "stream of consciousness."

Long.

Any enlightenment experience, short of Ascension (sahaja, vijnana, moksha), (1) as far as I know, waxes and wanes and can prove impermanent.

We retain some of the freed-up capacity but not the fullness of it (usually).

Which is why I'm in here today, scribbling away in stream of consciousness, while the experience I just went through and its afterglow lasts. I want a record of what just happened. My memory will not serve.

These experiences introduce us to the love that exists on the higher dimensions. (2)
They introduce us to what lies ahead.

That love is the Prime Fact of everything we experience there.

I've been calling what happened "emergence." A synonym is "breakthrough."
These are terms from the Growth Movement of the 1970s.

Unless we break through our fear and secretiveness around hot-button issues, our faces, after a while, reflect our fear and we act constrained.

That said, there are some people I know who within a month of my having had this experience will probably have a similar. That's how the collective consciousness and the law of attraction and repulsion works.

I'm gradually remembering some of the events of the past two weeks that led up to this. It or they were triggered by someone questioning my support for the Iranian people, an arrow shot into the sky that found its mark.

I guess the Iranian people stand in for my Mother, who was abused. And the Mullahs stand in for my Father. I said I'd help my Mother some day and supporting the Iranians against the Mullahs seems to be that day.

Add to that the horrific fact that reportedly 40,000 of them died for their freedom.

Add to that that I was a refugee adjudicator and sat on numerous Iranian claims during the very-tragic 1998 student rebellion. I know what happens in Evin Prison if protesters even get there.

I went off like a volcano.

I feel better getting that piece of the drama off my chest, as we climb together out of our core issues, programming, and conditioning. My questioner did me a service.

What a big fire a small match lit.

Namaste.



I believe that my emergence most likely will calm down and I'll have invited all kinds of expectations, etc. But that goes with the territory.

I've been saying for years that Michael wants me to take a leading role in winning not only peace as in a cessation of hostilities but an inner peace as well. (3) I now see, after this experience, how that might be possible.

He graciously granted me an experience of deep peace some time ago now, which I've described elsewhere. (4)

On another occasion he said that I knew that at some point he'd be asking me to take a very global role in matters. (5) But I got him to agree that we could keep it to writing. (6) This is my love, not interviews or podcasts or lectures, etc.

As I said above, I'm to go up with everyone else and write about it - and be Everyman.

So I was forewarned. Just utterly ignorant. And I didn't take it all seriously.



A little before this happened, I was at my wits end. I probably was doing the equivalent of kicking up and down in my bed. I know I was doing what spiritually equates to screaming my head off.

I was mired in so much work, repetitive work, that there was no time for contemplation.

Notice in passing, "screaming my head off." I had to be at that extreme place wanting a breakthrough for Michael et al to grant my request.

I needed a bigger brain! You tell me I came here, I shouted inwardly, with my mental capacity as intact as the human body allows, that I see solutions more easily than other people (a higher-dimensional capacity)? (7)

Where is that mental capacity?

You tell me that my mind runs at the speed of a starseed computer. (8) And yet I have no short-term memory and haven't since before 2012, when I protested to Michael and the Mother: How am I going to do what you want me to do with no short-term memory?

So I screamed at Michael: I need a bigger brain! And that was not very long before this sudden sickness and fasting suddenly started.

Remember that Michael engineers/influences events so that he can accomplish a number of things at one time.

Therefore, know that one of my three friends in life just went away for more than a month, making me a solitary monk again. What timing!

And so what happens?

I immediately start vomiting and vomiting and vomiting. I take a sip of water and vomit again.

I sleep most of the time for four and a half days, losing all interest in food and even water.

It took me a few days to realize, once I came out of it, what had just occurred.

This is how emergence began.

Only, every other time I've "broken through" (I counted 23 by around 1992), I'd broken through on a single issue. (I gave them names: Flame in the Heart, the Silver Bullet, Porteau Cove, the Inner Universe, etc.).

[As an aside to what I'm about to say: Archangel Michael once said to me in a reading that "human beings, particularly those in the higher vibrations, [are] learning to hold all the divine qualities and to be operating from all the divine qualities at once." (9A)

I'd call that Ascension. I'd call that exactly where we're headed.]

This "emergence" was not like any other breakthrough I've experienced. This was not breaking through on a single issue. This was a doffing of the entire suit of armor that we call "character armoring."

The muscular holding patterns yielding to relaxation. The memory purged of all traumatic memories.

This was a dropping away of all programming, conditioning, old baggage. (I hope it lasts.)

Notice the similarity to Da Free John's experience of his Sahasrara or seventh chakra simply falling away. Going beyond the seven-chakra system is Ascension. (9)

OMG, I've been here before.

At an enlightenment intensive, I got through a monster core issue and, on the other side, do you know how I felt?

Blissful? No. Ecstatic? No.

Normal.

What a joke.

And I feel normal now. That's all. Just normal Steve.

It's like getting a second chance on life.

Footnotes

(1) See:

- "Quick Review of Ascension and Sahaja Samadhi," July 7, 2016, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2016/07/07/quick-review-of-ascension-and-sahaja-samadhi/>
- "Sahaja is Our Natural State," July 14, 2016 at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2016/07/14/sahaja-natural-state/>
"The Meaning of Sahaja Samadhi," July 15, 2019, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2019/07/15/the-meaning-of-sahaja-samadhi/>
- "Moksha, Mukti, or Liberation," April 4, 2020, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2020/04/04/moksha-mukti-or-liberation/>.
- "Natural = Sahaja = Ascended," September 8, 2018, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2018/09/08/natural-sahaja-ascended/>

(2) See *Love Like we Never Imagined It to Be* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Love-Like-We-Never-Imagined-It-to-Be-R17.pdf>

(3) Archangel Michael: Your job is to participate and to lead in a worldwide peaceful revolution, for peace the time is now. ...

And we do not mean an absence of war. We mean the presence of peace as you have been describing it. (Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Feb. 18, 2011.) (Hereafter, AAM.)

(4) See “First Glimpse of the Natural Self,” February 21, 2017, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2017/02/21/first-glimpse-natural-self/>

(5) Archangel Michael: You have known that the time would come when we would ask you to work very much on a very global level. And this is the beginning of that undertaking. You have already built a very firm foundation for this to occur and for this we thank and bless you. (AAM, Nov. 30, 2011.)

(6) Steve: When you say world leadership, is that in communication? Because I can't think of an area that I lead in except communication.

AAM: Yes, it is in the arena of communication and it is also in the arena of, particularly, how one communicates. (AAM, March 28, 2018.)

AAM: You are a writer. You are a communicator. That is the mission that you have chosen throughout time and space, and we want to tell you what a good job you are doing. Do not doubt yourself, and do not allow the fears, the drama, the chaos of the human interactions affect your knowing of your mission and purpose. (AAM, April 10, 2012.)

Steve: If I carve out a lifestyle kind and attentive to the needs of awareness writing, are you alright with that? That's really my first love?

AAM: I am over the moon with that! You can do the writing and I will do the art and music! (AAM, Aug. 2, 2017.)

AAM: I beg of you, do not assume that, when you write of what you are calling “the inner work,” that this does not have profound effect because the focus of the leadership movement, right now is on the inner work. (AAM, June 7, 2015.)

AAM: On the list of things to do, let [writing] always be the last thing that falls off. (AAM, Feb. 7, 2013.)

(7) AAM: You have come to Earth with a significant mental capacity, shall we say, that allows you to see solutions and thought patterns and ideations more clearly than many. (AAM, Aug. 3, 2015.)

(8) AAM: Yes, your mind is connected. You have done your work. And very often you are connected to what you would think of as Universal Mind. And that's why we laugh when you say that your veil is thick. Your veil may be thick on your eyes but it most certainly is not on your brain.

And so you are keyed in and it is running at the speed of, shall we say, a Starseed computer. (Archangel Michael, "The Master Electrician Rewires a Starseed," Aug. 4, 2011, at <http://stevebeckow.com/2011/08/the-master-electrician-rewires-a-starseed/>.)

(9A) Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Jan. 4, 2019.

(9) Da Free John: In February I passed through an experience that seemed to vindicate my understanding. ... I saw that what appeared as the sahasrar, the terminal chakra and primary lotus in the head, had been severed. The sahasrar had fallen off like a blossom. The Shakti [or energy, kundalini] , which previously had appeared as a polarized energy that moved up and down through the various chakras or centers producing various effects, now was released from the chakra form. (Da Free John, *The Knee of Listening*. Original Edition. Clearlake, CA; Dawn Horse Press, 1984; c1973, 117.)

Off and Running – Part 2/2

April 21, 2026

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(Concluded from Part 1, yesterday.)

My mission is to go up along with everybody else and write about it. My model is Everyman. My intended reach is global.

My brand of writing is usually characterized as "awareness writing," sometimes as "ethnography," and sometimes as "stream of consciousness."

I could stop now but there's more to say. And now is the time to be saying it.

What I just said - that I experience myself having dropped the entirety of my character armor - has now entered the collective consciousness.

It's now an energy streamer and a love bomb.

And, as I said earlier, I know a sensitive, not so far away, who will pick up the vibration and probably drop theirs as well within a month. *In my opinion, that's how this works.* The law of attraction and repulsion. Spiritual science, not material science.

No wonder Michael asked me to go up with everyone else and write about it. (Translation: Send energy streamers into the collective consciousness suggesting different ways of perceiving). The sensitive ones will receive it and try it on.

What you see happening, in my opinion, is the way it works, spiritually.

To continue, I screamed at the Company of Heaven, as Sanat Kumara in 2011 granted me the privilege to do in 2011, (1) for a bigger brain and the answer came not long after.

It came in the form of stripping me of my character armor. From my vantage point, I felt myself emerge. From their vantage point, they dissolved a layer of my mind.

Note that at this point in my recounting of my experience I have not yet remembered that, during the four and a half days sick, I had an inner vision of a frontal plate of armour dropping away from me. I said, what was that? And the thought came, character armor. And then I fell back to sleep again. I only remembered this inner vision, exactly as I originally saw it, on April 23.

See “Research Note: Jump In. The Water's Warm,” April 23, 2026, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/23/research-note-jump-in-the-waters-warm/>

Just as easily, Michael had saved me from electrocution in around 1969. It was nothing, he said, to divert a flow of electricity. Otherwise? Death. (2)

Moreover, long ago, as described in "System Restore," (3) I had an experience in which I stretched my memory back to the time before my Dad's violence began. And then I took a small mental sledgehammer and a spike and banged it into the ground, reuniting my memory with that earlier time.

I asked Michael what had happened in that experience that it worked and he said that they got that I really, RRREEEEAAALLLYY, meant it. And so they granted my request.

So don't overlook this. We have to be 100 percent committed. This is the way it works from the spiritual side. We are in co-creative partnership with our celestial support group. (4)

As Michael once said, it's hard to work with people who don't know you exist. You do know that, which is why we're working with you. (5) Flashing lights.

And he added that soon working with an archangel will be commonplace. (6)

I feel the need to make the difference that I'm discussing as plain as I can.

"System Restore" was me breaking through, with Michael's guidance, support, and inspiration, on a single issue - childhood violence. Something that Michael said was not in my soul contract ... but which they put to good use. :O !

THIS, this emergence, saw the falling away of the whole mental/emotional/physical system that I had built since early age, for self-protection, whose earthly metaphorical equivalent would be a suit of armor.

It dropped off.

Just be with that for a moment.

Because what's being acted out here - or with anyone else - is the way things work spiritually. Elsewhere I've discussed our co-creative partnership with the Mother, our archangel, our twin flame, and our guides. (7)

It isn't that the version of enlightenment that terrestrial sages offered us was wrong. It's only that it was, as all versions are, incomplete. Michael once said that classical enlightenment theory had served me well. But now I had to leave it behind. He was giving me new information! (8) And so it has been!

So let me just underline a few of the important things in what I just said:

(A) It is possible to have your entire character armor drop away, for how long I have no idea. Usually an emergence or enlightenment short of Ascension (vijnana, sahaja, moksha) is temporary, which is why I'm scribbling so fast here (to get it down).

(B) I've launched the idea into the collective consciousness that it's possible to drop one's character armor completely. Will you then be in bliss? No, I haven't experienced bliss. How you will feel ... is normal.

A return to normality. An emotional med bed. Baptism in the River Jordan. Being born again. Getting a second chance on life.

Don't eat the menu instead of the meal. Emerge. Break through even if you have to scream at heaven, vomit your guts out, and starve for four days.

Or go another, more gentle way.

Thank you, Mother. Thank you, Michael, for what I hope is a bigger brain ... and heart.

Footnotes

(1) Sanat Kumara: I know and I have heard that there are things and times when you think that even our requests are unreasonable.

Steve: Right.

SK: And we do not want to overwhelm anyone, ever. And sometimes, in our enthusiasm, we ask a great deal. So you may be that voice.

We give you permission and encouragement to say, this is not reasonable, either on the human side, or to us. If you have need to tell us to slow down, speed up, help in a different way, we are open, you know, to suggestions. We are reasonable. (Sanat Kumara in a personal reading with Steve Beckow et al through Linda Dillon, Dec. 7, 2011.)

(2) Steve: In around 1969 in Ottawa, I snipped the wire from my car's block heater to an outlet in my home. I pulled the wire out from the block heater and snipped it. Well, that's exactly the opposite of what I should be doing. I should be pulling it out of the building and then snipping it, right?

Archangel Michael: Correct.

Steve: I should've been electrocuted! Did you have a hand in that? Tell me what you did or what happened?

AAM: Well, it was not a major undertaking, Sweet One, to simply prevent the flow of electricity. So, yes, it was not your time. You were, shall we say, young and foolish.

Steve: I was totally asleep to have done that! Oh my gosh! Isn't that interesting! Thank you for that.

AAM: You are more than welcome

Steve: I don't know how I just reconciled it so easily at the time.

AAM: Because there were no consequences! Because the consequences would have been quite dire.

Steve: Well, what would they have been? Dying, right?

AAM: Correct. (Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow et al through Linda Dillon, Feb. 14, 2019.) (Hereafter, AAM.)

(3) "System Restore" at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2016/05/06/system-restore-2/>.

(4) See *Grandeur Beyond Grandeur: Toward a Cross-Cultural Spirituality Vol. 6: Our Enlightenment and Co-Creative Partnership* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Grandeur-Beyond-Grandeur-Enlightenment-and-Co-Creative-Partnership-6-4.pdf>

Divine Mother: It does not matter whether somebody says they are channeling Hilarion or Mickey Mouse. You know that you are serving my beloved Michael and I would like to suggest to you, Sweet One, not to distract you, but you are also serving me.

Steve: I so much know that, Mother.

DM: You always have. And so, yes, how we have constructed this is that you are employed, you are in joint venture, you are in sacred partnership with Michael, with Me-Ki-Al, and that is the way that you have chosen and that he has chosen and that I have chosen for you to proceed.

Steve: Yes, Mother. Thank you for confirming that.

DM: Let us give you further insight into this. So, if you were channeling with somebody and they said it was Hilarion, and in fact it was Hilarion, understand on our side the conjoining is so much stronger [with Michael] that Michael would simply funnel through Hilarion what needs to be said.

Steve: Interesting! (Divine Mother in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Oct. 26, 2018.)

(5) Archangel Michael: Are we [archangels] in partnership with every being on the planet? Yes. But it is difficult when you are in a partnership and the other person does not realize it. So we are working with those who realize we are in partnership. And so that is why we are having these conversations. (“Archangel Michael: A Global Reset of Values, Part 2/2,” channeled by Linda Dillon, September 16, 2013, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2013/09/archangel-michael-a-global-reset-of-values-part-22/>.)

(6) As things are shifting, as the, shall we call it, new awareness, heightened awareness, interdimensional reality - because that is truly what we are talking about - as this truly anchors, not only in the heart, but in the thought patterns, the behaviour patterns of human beings, the idea of working with an Archangel is in fact going to be commonplace.

This sense of division is going to actually quite quickly disappear. The idea of a punishing deity that you need to earn favour with, curry favour with will change into the true knowing of what has always been the case, which is partnership. (AAM, May 13, 2020.)

(7) Steve Beckow: It’s very different from classical [enlightenment] theory.

Archangel Michael: Classical theory has served you well. Now you are on a new course. (AAM, Feb. 20, 2018.)

SK: Oh yes. We are old friends. There are some, what would you call them, newbies upon the planet and they have mostly traveled from various sectors of the universe, but most of us, my friends...we have been at this in and out of various forms for a long time. No, you have this saying upon your planet, “This is not our first rodeo.” (“Sanat Kumara: Universal Law, Operating System for Nova Earth,” via Linda Dillon, July 21, 2017, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2017/07/21/video-transcript-sanat-kumara-universal-law-operating-system-for-nova-earth/>.)

S: What is my relationship to the Lord Arcturus? I'm not him. Am I his son, or...?
Do you know what I'm saying?

AAM: You are part of what we would think of as extended family. ... You know when Sanat Kumara has called X his granddaughter?

S: Yes?

AAM: It was loving, not factual.... So for Lord Arcturus to call you a member of his family, it is that he claims you and that you are part of that extension of his energy. (AAM, Sept. 28, 2014.)

Research Note: Emergence vs ... errr .. *and* Enlightenment

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I've come in here today to share that I, as a lightworker, value emergence over enlightenment and for a number of reasons. (1)

(A) We're all angelic anyways and fully enlightened in our native state. (2)

(B) What is holding us back this lifetime is that we haven't emerged from the programming, conditioning, and withholding that we've been doing all our lives. Emergence is what's needed.

(C) Enlightenment may remove us from those we serve; emergence has us more able to serve them. As a lightworker, I postpone the banquet, in order to serve. (3)

Stepping forth, standing forth, taking a stand. But with love. Not like what we've just been through. With love.

Being who we are, telling it like it is, but with compassion. It's this added element (the "but with") that's been missing so far.

Lightworkers are the leaven in the loaf of the collective consciousness. The Divine Plan, as far as I know, is that where we go (in love), the planet follows.

Download *Emergence* here: <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/04/Emergence-3.pdf>

Footnotes

(1) See *Emergence* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/04/Emergence-3.pdf>

(2) See *An Explosion in the Meaning of Humanness* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/An-Explosion-in-the-Meaning-of-Humanness-13.pdf>

(3) AAM: You cannot (well, you can if you wish; it is a choice to) simply remain in [a] state of unity, of One, or be fully conscious, in service, in action....

So, it is a toning down, if anything. It really is the middle ground. ...

You know that enlightenment is right there in front of you. It is yours to access. But if you are in service, you will not choose to live there. ...

You can think of it as keeping two feet firmly on the ground. (Archangel Michael)

in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Feb. 14, 2012.)
(Hereafter, AAM.)

Steve: Can you help me make sense of returning to my interdimensionality while not becoming a guru figure?

Archangel Michael: It is very simple, visit don't stay. So what you are doing, you are pulling into the 5th - into what you think of as your reality - the qualities of mastery [11th] without setting yourself apart from the masses [4th].

You are ... teaching others that they can access the mastery [11th] and still be in the Christ Consciousness [7th], in the expanded awareness in the physical form [4th] and in the [transformative] love [5th and higher]. (AAM, May 6, 2013.)

Research Note: Watching

April 21, 2026

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My shares may be out of chronological sequence due to my impatience to get a post out and on the record. This is a red-hot share for me for reasons that apply only to myself - The Humpty Dumpty Man.

I'm watching to see what difference having dropped my suit of (character) armor makes in everyday life.

Then this occurred.

Normally I make a payment on the 10th but I was out to the world that day and never gave it a thought until today.

So I wrote an email acknowledging it and promising to get it there right away.

Reaction? Kick my butt? Want to overcompensate?

Nothing. Not a twinge of a response to my mistake. Just normal.

Just normal.

But do you know what that word means to the Humpty Dumpty Man, who hasn't known the ground under his feet for his dissociation and ungroundedness, all his life? Who has lived, unknowingly, just at the edge of the emotional and intellectual envelope the whole of his life, and been regularly slammed for it? (1)

Not to react?

From that day when I was seven, when Dad shouted at me from right in front of my face and my personality shattered into a million pieces until April 9, 2026, I have been recovering from the effects of that experience.

And finally Humpty Dumpty is coming back together. Feeling normal for me is a monstrous-huge milestone, monstrous-huge.

It took 72 years - completing one core issue (or vasana) at a time. A lot of it with you, in these pages (search on "vasanas"), going through the whole process, one core issue after another. (2)

And then dropping the whole apparatus itself. Not like I'd ever dreamed that such a thing could happen or was even possible.

For this outcome, my thanks go out to an army of geniuses and friends, in both western and eastern spirituality and the Growth Movement as well as the Company of Heaven.

And to our unseen partners who are managing the whole drama backstage in line with our missions.

Footnotes

(1) Two Ph.D's denied as being outside the envelope. Unable to parlay contract employment into permanent employment because the boss felt threatened, an article redefining the field turned down by the very people whom my redefinition defined out (I guess it makes sense). Nearly losing a Ph.d. oral because I said I didn't care to read Marx. On and on. What it took to get here.

(2) See *Vasanas: Preparing For Ascension by Clearing Old Issues* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Vasanas-Preparing-for-Ascension-R16.pdf>

We All have One and the Same Mission

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My mission is to go up along with everybody else and write about it. My model is Everyman. My intended reach is global.

My brand of writing is usually characterized as awareness writing and sometimes as "stream of consciousness."

If you'd allow me to say it, I believe that it's time to stop overlooking one fact.

I hear folks saying, "I don't know what my mission is."

It's very, very simple. The one same mission that all of us has is ... to love.

May I elaborate?

At first your love will be undetectable or transitory, etc. But you *will* have a breakthrough, either from the expected Wave of Love or else because your archangel just decided that this is a time of breakthrough for you, as Michael does regularly with me.

THAT LOVE that you then experience will prove to be the answer to all your desires as well as exactly what the situation needs from you.

Apparently, we commonly agreed to restore Gaia to its pristine state as a Garden of Eden or earthly paradise. A place where angels, like ourselves, (1) can come and have an experience of love in physical form.

Loving just happens to be the first requirement for ones who plan to restore Earth to love, wouldn't you say?

I wouldn't be saying this if I were not leaving the takedown of the cabal to the Global Military Alliance, BRICS, and the Galactic Federation of Light above us, assisting light forces on Earth.

In my view, we need to build the alternative while they do their work of removal.

My own leadership, Michael confirmed, lies in writing. I'm dedicated to the return of civil discourse plus the exploration of human growth, human potential to allow all of us to emerge from our long chains of withholds, core issues, etc.



What could be easier than to love? And when I say that word, I mean to draw love up from our heart on the inbreath, enjoy it for a moment, and then send it out to the collective consciousness on the outbreath.

I mean something specific.

I believe that doing that continuously in meditation ... well, it'll invite enlightenment. When the kundalini reaches the fourth chakra, the interdimensional portal that the heart is opens and you are in Seventh-Dimensional transformative

love. That is the first stage of enlightenment, called stream entering and spiritual awakening.

The Wave of Love is a planetary heart opening. But more on that another time.



But do you get it? Really, really get it? Everyone on Earth at the present time made a soul contract that they would do what they could to restore Earth as a planet of love, a Garden of Eden.

What better start to such an enterprise than to begin sending love out ourselves?

Michael has said that love is the universal energy and it must flow. We get to experience it as it passes through us, up from the heart and out to the universe. To experience it, we must draw it up and send it out.

This same task faces every person on Earth. Well, not *faces*. What can be more pleasant than to love?

But all that is coming. In the meantime, there is absolutely no ground for saying, "I don't know what my mission is." In my opinion, your mission is the same as mine and everyone else's: To live and breathe love.

Footnotes

(1) See *An Explosion in the Meaning of Humanness* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/An-Explosion-in-the-Meaning-of-Humanness-13.pdf>

Research Note: Where's the Dilemma?

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I'm an awareness writer whose mission it is to go up with everyone else and write about it. My model is Everyman. My intended reach is global.

This post is out of chronological sequence by perhaps a couple of days. But it's part of the record of this rather-incredible event, the dropping of the character armor.

I just had a very interesting spiritual discussion with a friend and that's what brought me in here. It was such a typical bind that some people get themselves into because they're thinking longitudinally - only along one axis.

So the theory that we have an Atman, Soul, Christ, or Self was pitted against the theory that we have no permanent soul, anatta, etc. And please allow this to stand in for all the endless arguments that we have in 3/4D.

This seeming contradiction is seen as a great dilemma and he who solves the Gordian Knot gets put up on a statue.

My turn.

There is no dilemma. The dilemma lies in the way we're seeing things.

It's a cultural dilemma (yes, and more on that at another time), (1) but not an actual problem. It's perception that's at issue.

Here is the answer.

At one level, dimension, or plane of reality, it is (relatively) true that we have a Self.

At another plane of reality that is so far down the line from the first that the journey seems endless, (I'm guessing for a single second) we lose our Self, dissolve in the One and arise as That.

As I saw in my 1987 vision, as I just realized. (2)

That fulfills the purpose of life: That God should meet God in a moment of our enlightenment. (3)

A single second. But what a second. For the time we spend as the One, it is now true that we have no Atman, anatta, No-Self. We are the One.

In sum: Where is the dilemma? It's in our longitudinal thinking. We need to expand our dimensionality, reach, and depth.

Footnotes

(1) Since culture is composed of ideas, the dilemma lies in our thinking.

(2) See “Chapter 13. Epilogue” in *The Purpose of Life is Enlightenment* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Purpose-of-Life-is->

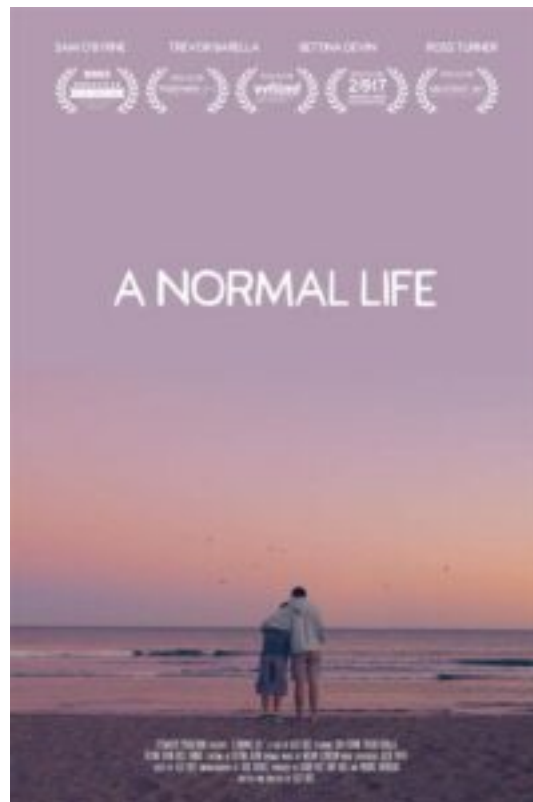
[Enlightenment-6.pdf](#) for a description of that vision, which culminated in the small golden star reuniting with the large Father Sun.

(3) The purpose of our lives is enlightenment, knowing who we truly are. When one of us realizes themselves, God meets God. And for that meeting was all of this created. See *The Purpose of Life is Enlightenment*, ibid.

Blissful? No. Ecstatic? No. Then What? Normal

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My last time repeating this:

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Research Note: Jump In. The Water's Warm

April 23, 2026

<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/23/research-note-jump-in-the-waters-warm/>



One by one, memories are coming back to me.

I flashed today for the first time on something that happened while I was sick. I saw myself in a suit of armor that had fabric over top. In my inner vision, I saw it fall away from my body and fall clanging to the floor.

And then I fell back to sleep.

Right away I suspected character armor had been taken from me by Michael and his helpers. The combination of traumatic memories, resulting muscular tension patterns in the body, and emotional responses, combined with social programming and conditioning solidifies over time and becomes what I call our character armor.

I was reminded of "System Restore" when Michael saw I was sincere about wanting to reunite with my life before age seven.

And so they allowed me to drive a spike into the ground and re-unite the two - the "before" the fragmenting of my personality and the "after." (1)

In this instance, I invoked the law of elimination to take away all negativity from me just a few days before all this happened.

And then, after that, I hollered at heaven that I needed a bigger brain. Where was my wingman? How am I to do all this alone? Etc.

And finally a dear friend left town leaving me in almost total isolation. All the pieces were now in place.

That very evening, I began vomiting. We didn't waste a moment, did we?

This was all a set-up!!!! Michael probably did an "operation" on me while I was out.

And I love it!

It shows you how I'm being used as a guinea pig ... errrr, pathfinder.

Out of all of it we've shown that's it's possible not merely to clear an issue through emergence or breakthrough (only one workable method, by the way); it is similarly possible, with the consent of our archangel, to drop the whole of our character armor.

I expect to hear of people doing just that around the world. Jump in. The water's warm.

Footnotes

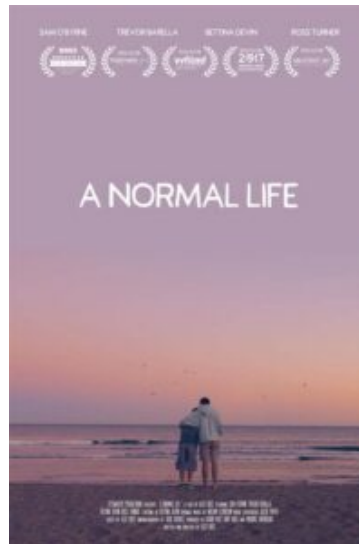
(1) See "System Restore," May 10, 2014, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2014/05/10/system-restore/>

(2) Archangel Michael: We step forward in the fulfilment, you on Earth, on this beloved planet called Gaia, I as your wingman, quite literally. (Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, March 10, 2017.)

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More About Character Armor and Normalcy

April 26, 2026

<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/26/more-about-character-armor-and-normalcy/>



Metaphorical character armor.

I need to say more about emerging from my character armor and feeling ... normal.

I probably have not felt normal since age seven, when my Dad shouted at me from so close to my face that my personality shattered into a million pieces. For the next fifty years or so, I became the Humpty Dumpty Man.

And so, emerging from the character armor that I built up since age seven, the shell that would protect me, the weapons I could use ... to emerge from that is monumental for me.

As an aside, don't overlook the fact that I cannot find in my recollection of the eastern and western texts any mention of the dropping of a person's complete suit of armor, so to speak. Only single issues.

I feel normal again. I don't have something going on inside me. I'm not rescuing anyone in preference to conducting my mission. I don't have a grumble going on. No victim story.

I'm just here and I feel normal.

"Normal" for me means no issues are going on with me; I have room for another to show up; life is not all about me.

Normal is neither hot nor cold on the emotional dial. It's livable as expressed by all concerned. It's moderate. It's in the middle, in the center, in the heart.

And everyone in the love that flows there knows where to get love from. No, not from the other. From your very own heart, where it exists as an endless artesian well.

Normal is I can be decent with the people I meet. I have no reason to fear any more. I'm still protecting some things until the cabal is gone. But apart from those, I feel free of my previous emotional chain.

I'm delighted to have returned to normalcy after (79-7=) 72 years away.

I'm back on track with my life after a massive scenic detour.

That's "normal" for me.

But please don't overlook what I just demonstrated because we'll discuss it another time: I took the arrival in normalcy as an indicator that where I'd been, time out of mind, was in abnormality. *I took it as feedback.*

Feedback is another practise I'd like to see re-introduced ... from a time before automation, a fluorescence of both eastern and western spirituality, the Growth Movement.

That practise requires compassion so that we don't use it as a cover for blaming and shaming.

Wow. Right now. One article a day is confining.

Diary of a Breakthrough – Which Switch is “On”?

April 29, 2026

<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/29/diary-of-a-breakthrough-part-1/>



OK ... Which switch is "On"?

I think I should keep a diary at this time because what has happened has opened a door and, if others are going to find it and walk through it, I need to be as detailed about the event and its aftermath as possible.

The pages of this diary are not in precise chronological order. I've been wondering how to get them on the record. Until May 3, this will be my catch-up.

Someone today described what I'm calling my "Factory Reset" or "dropping of my character armor" as "a recovery."

Yes, that's exactly what it was: a recovering of my life from a day before my Dad yelled at me from inches away from my face until now.

It's like zipping up a hoodie, bridging a gap, erasing an obstruction.

And now life resumes as normal, where it hadn't been normal for 72 years.
I'm learning the ropes all over again.

What remains and what has disappeared? Every feeling and idea I have had about protecting myself, first from what happened to me from my Dad and second serving as a protective cover behind which I could convalesce [recover] and "put Humpty Dumpty back together again." Every strategy, self-serving story, excuse, denial, and justification dropped away from me, all at once.

I called it a factory reset, new lease on life, second chance, and new beginning. It's as if I had a system flush but the underlying ego structures that would rebuild my character armor are still there. My understanding is that they're not extinguished until Ascension.

Ascension is also known as sahaja samadhi, moksha, mukti, liberation, Vijnana (perfected wisdom), Redemption, Salvation, Resurrection, Buddhahood, how many names has it?

So the overall feeling is not as if something has been added. The overall feeling is as if something has been taken away.

It doesn't leave me feeling moved by this and moved by that. It leaves me feeling at rest; that is, not moved at all. I return to [my default is] "at rest."

Now that may sound trivial to you, but walk a mile in my shoes. I may as well have been a tank for the shell-resistant walls I built around myself and the only area of my life I had confidence in was ... self-defense.

When these defense mechanisms dropped away, I may as well have been born again for the freedom I felt.

Nothing more. Just exhilaration at feeling so free.

And then a return to feeling at rest, peaceful.

And not the deep peace of a mind perfectly still. (1)

My mind is alert and active: I'm a lightworker, a servant, an actor. Not as much a meditator this lifetime as in others. Serving Gaia's Ascension through serving our Ascension "this rodeo," to quote Sanat. (2)

And absolutely nothing to find fault with with this degree of peace!

But I may as well have had a walk-in. Who doesn't understand how to operate this apparatus.

It's as if I'm sitting in a fighter plane and have received no training on it and am expected to ... get it airborne. Ahhhh, OK ... Which switch is "On"?

Footnotes

(1) On this experience of a deeper peace, see "First Glimpse of the Natural Self," February 21, 2017, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2017/02/21/first-glimpse-natural-self/>.

(2) Sanat Kumara: Oh yes. We are old friends. There are some, what would you call them, newbies upon the planet and they have mostly traveled from various sectors of the universe, but most of us, my friends...we have been at this in and out of various forms for a long time. No, you have this saying upon your planet, "This is not our first rodeo." ("Sanat Kumara: Universal Law, Operating System for Nova Earth," July 21, 2017, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2017/07/21/video-transcript-sanat-kumara-universal-law-operating-system-for-nova-earth/>.)

Diary of a Breakthrough – The Virtue of Waiting Until After Snapback

April 30, 2026

<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/30/research-note-the-virtue-of-waiting-until-after-snapback/>



I think I should keep a diary at this time because what has happened has opened a door and, if others are going to find it and walk through it, I need to be as detailed about the event and its aftermath as possible.

Mankind as a whole is at a level of readiness for higher truth. (The Arcturian Group, April 19, 2026, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/20/the-arcturian-group-via-marilyn-raffaele-april-19-2026/>.

I feel the need to repeat myself on the wisdom of not saying or doing anything future-binding (like making a promise) when you're in the middle of an experience

like the emergence I just went through or in the afterglow as the experience recedes.

Breakthrough is not like enlightenment. The heart opening and the sight of the Self (fourth-chakra enlightenments) both opened onto love and innocence.

But an emergence or breakthrough pushes the body and breaks some long-standing, protective connections. The body reacts by pulling itself together again after the experience.

It was binding myself to an ambitious future action that brought me crashing down in 1982 after an est Training, out of which I came hugely inspired.

In present day, I'd begun planning two ambitious publishing programs. I was going to bring back the Growth Movement's down-to-Earth wisdom around coming alive and actually being present in our lives.

But after snapback and during integration, I saw that, short of med beds, I don't have the physical/energy reserves to deliver on such an ambitious program yet.

So I saved a lot of embarrassment by waiting until I was out of snapback to assess and perhaps initiate a great change. And I'm sharing that experience as a cautionary note: Wait until you're out of afterglow and snapback before making big decisions.

I'm in the integration phase now, in which I see what has survived snapback and get realistic about what's next.

Diary of a Breakthrough – Who Would Have Guessed?

May 1, 2030

<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2030/05/01/diary-of-a-breakthrough-who-would-have-guessed/>



Character armor

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Written earlier than "Which Switch is 'On'?"

I feel a pressing need to make sure that everyone understands the difference between having one's character armor (the phrase is I believe Wilhelm Reich's) drop away and an enlightenment experience.

An enlightenment experience usually leaves us immersed in love. Emerging from one's character armor leaves us feeling normal.

The first is an elevation, however temporary. The second is a clearing of the decks and reporting for duty.

Seekers of enlightenment will call their advance in enlightenment progress.

Servants, or followers of the path of seva, service, or karma yoga, would or might want to guard against abandoning their soul contract by saturating themselves in bliss.

As Michael once said to me:

Archangel Michael: When you use the term 'dramatic enlightenment experiences,' you are talking about Nirvana. You are talking about the unity of all with One.

It is not to say that you will not experience it, but you cannot — well, you can if you wish; if it is your choice - simply remain in that state of unity, of Oneness. You cannot be fully conscious and in service, in action, if that is where you are. (1)

We've agreed to be waiters at the banquet of Ascension; apparently, our meal comes later.

I think of this as the major reason why I think emergence a better path for lightworkers: it leaves us feeling normal but having broken through our constraints. We're more capable of being leaders because we're not still working out our issues with others.

And what peace lies in just feeling normal! I keep forgetting to value it for its own sake. Who would have guessed?

Footnotes

(1) Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Jan. 18, 2020.

Diary of a Breakthrough – A Factory Reset

May 2, 2026

<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/05/02/diary-of-a-breakthrough-a-factory-reset/>



I think I should keep a diary at this time because what has happened has opened a door and, if others are going to find it and walk through it, I need to be as detailed about the event and its aftermath as possible.

Emergence --> Afterglow --> Snapback --> Integration.
I'm in the integration phase with the recent experience I had in which I dropped my character armor. Well, not I. The Divine Mother responded to my cry to help me

drop my negativity so I could write from a clear space.

Michael responded to my cry to him to have a bigger brain so that I could make sense of world events. Other matters magically lined up and a complete dropping of my character armor followed.

Which was precisely what I asked the Divine Mother for, without completely knowing what I was asking for.

From now on I'm going to call it a Factory Reset because that's what it was. It was not permanent protection. That comes with Ascension.

It was a lifting off of the whole of my defense mechanisms, strategies and resulting muscular tension patterns in the body, which the former give rise to.

It was everything all the growth disciplines Cold Mountain Institute hosted during our three-month residency were aiming to have occur. Drop your defense mechanisms. Call your Self forth. And ... I just did.

It was emergence, viewed from my angle; grace, I think, viewed from the Mother's. It was breakthrough and it carried a price in snapback.

The snapback, the reaction of the body to the recent "breakthrough," is a protest and an attempted return to what it considers "normal."

The new normal is life without the armor. Only to return if I allow it. What was it John Roger said? You cannot afford the luxury of a negative thought?

I thought of it as a factory reset, a new beginning, a new lease on life, a second chance. But the most amazing part was that I emerged feeling ... not loving or blissful, but - in a different sense than my body wanted - normal.

And I then realized that I had not felt normal since my Dad blasted my personality to smithereens at age seven by yelling at me a few inches from my face.

I'd always been on the edge of the emotional envelope, no self-confidence or where there was some, it was mechanical. Always from inside my character armor, unknown to me. I was like a clanking robot and never knew what was wrong.

Fast forward seventy two years, and I've now been given a second chance. My existing armor has been taken from me but I'm left free to build another. The challenge is not to.

I won't say the vasanas, or core issues, are gone, but their voice is greatly muted. And there is no general response to them, no "All hands on deck!" Which is very unusual for me.

In the afterglow of the Factory Reset experience, I was like a jellyfish. Now I've been returned to the center - no harmful thoughts, no agendas - just here. And the feeling is as novel as my first trip to Disneyland. It's all of it new to me.

But the tremendous drive that arose in me that I was going to take on an ambitious publishing program, starting now, uhhhh, the snapback revealed that as premature. Instead of core issues, I want now to concentrate on core values - truth, love, and peace. Practising these values, I speculate, is like greasing the wheel. I'll find out. Now, when I set out on a second life, I'd like to do it right.

I'd like to live it aware of the Divine Mother's Plan and aligning with that Plan. I know that, if I do so, life will just get better and better and better.

Diary of a Breakthrough: All is Won by Letting Go

May 3, 2026

[\(https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/05/02/diary-of-a-breakthrough-all-is-won-by-letting-go/\)](https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/05/02/diary-of-a-breakthrough-all-is-won-by-letting-go/)



One of the things that is happening for me, as a result of ... I'm going to call it my April 9th Emergence, just to have a name for it, is that my knowledge from various phases of my life - history, anthropology, enlightenment, co-creative partnership with Michael - is all starting to integrate.

My meditation now is sitting in front of the holographic cell the Lord Arcturus described to us (1) and inviting it to download into me.

I then remember that I had a past life at the Library of Alexandria (more after the cabal leaves). And I'm absolutely comfortable with the visual image of a library of Arcturian knowledge.

I breathe in their creation codes on my inbreath and breathe out my love to them on the outbreath.

Well ... this is what it looks like to have your mission activated. To receive what the Federation of Light called your "envelope." (2) In the end so simple. Just drop the character armor. Just let it go.

Just what Lao Tzu said: All is won by letting go. Let go, let go, until at last comes peace.

Footnotes

(1) Lord Arcturus: There is a sliver of that [Steve] pie that is Arcturus and Arcturian, that carries that history, that lineage and that intelligence which you have highly valued in this life and in other lives, here [Arcturus] and elsewhere, that you can access. But you need to basically see yourself as going and sitting or accessing that quadrant of the pie.

It is not that you segment yourself because you have the full understanding of the Steve pie but by immersing yourself, shall we say in it that way, by immersing yourself in that tiny sliver of the pie, you are allowing the information, the capacities, the analysis, the experience, to really come to the surface so that you can consciously begin to access it. (The Lord Arcturus in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, June 12, 2019.)

(2) What the Federation says is so like what I'm going through that I quote the whole passage:

Federation of Light: The Envelopes we speak of, are obviously ... not in material form.

Inside each one, are instructions [mine from Michael]. We have used the word 'orders' in the past, yet, we would say that no one is ordering you to do anything. It is your choice to comply as and when the time comes.

These instructions are for the individual ... to be carried out in order to assist The Whole at the time of opening. [My emergence experience.] ...

Blossom: So, is it to be that they will be opened when a certain thing happens? For example ... The Event?

FoL: This is so. Yet, Blossom, there is to be much that is classed as Eventful ... from now on ...

These Envelopes are safely sealed within you.

When the appropriate time for them to be opened is upon you ... you shall know ... quite clearly.

The instructions within each 'Envelope', metaphorically speaking ... will be downloaded unto you ... and your BEING shall be quite clear regarding that which it is meant to do.

Each individual's instructions were designed in a manner that will enable them to carry out these 'wishes' with a certainty of Soul KNOWINGNESS.

For it was the Soul's agreement to do so before they came to Earth. ("The Federation of Light through Blossom Goodchild, Oct. 2, 2022" at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2022/10/01/the-federation-of-light-through-blossom-goodchild-oct-2-2022/>.)

Love is What's Missing

May 5, 2026

<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/05/05/love-is-whats-missing/>



Divine Mother: You have chosen long long ago with Me, with Annastara [my twin flame], with ME KI AL, to be a communicator and an agent of change.

You have said to me, “Mother, what if they forget? I will remind them. I will communicate with them through words, through my passion, through my heart, through my knowing. I will communicate the love to them.”

This is your task and it is a task of change as this planet, in this great chaos, in flux, chooses, yes, by this wonderful instrument of free will, as they choose and as you choose to simply be the love. It can have an infinite, literally infinite number of expressions. (1)

As I take up my mission again, I ask myself what is the Divine Mother's Will, never mind my will?

And two expressions of it come to mind: The one I just quoted and the generalization I derived from comments by Michael, (See 2) to go up along with everyone else (as a pillar) and write about it, my model being Everyman. (See 3)

Particularly, and I draw stars around this, awareness writing, as Michael and I discussed here:

Steve: If I carve out a lifestyle kind and attentive to the needs of awareness writing, are you alright with that? That's really my first love.

AAM: I am over the moon with that! You can do the writing and I will do the art and music! (4)

To ensure that I was always a songbird for love, they opened my heart on March 13, 2015 and gave me a taste of the love I was tasked with promoting (I was going to say, "fronting"). A long taste. Off and on for six months.

And now, knowing what the love is that the Mother is talking about, it's true to say that I'll sing its praises forever.

Finally, Michael says he is my "wingman" in one of my favorite quotes:

AAM: We step forward in the fulfilment, you on Earth, on this beloved planet called Gaia, I as your wingman, quite literally. (5)

I hope that by sharing all this, more people will get in touch with their wingman and wingwoman! If I wasn't working for that outcome, I wouldn't be sharing myself quite as transparently as I am. (6)

Michael says that he is keeping me and others like me hidden:

AAM: You are hidden in many ways. (7)

AAM: I say this knowing you are fully protected, we want you flying under the radar. (8)

You saw what an energy drain it was after Xmas dealing with a hacked account. And I've been permanently kicked off X.com and Paypal. (All this will disappear with the Quantum Financial System.) Being targeted and bothered like that is what he wants to avoid.

Gaia's Ascension marks the return of this always-satisfying love to the planet. The Wave of Love will give us a preview of it.

This same love, lifetime after lifetime, by the Law of Attraction, draws us irresistibly back to the One.

Footnotes

(1) Divine Mother in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, April 30, 2019.

(2) Archangel Michael: On the list of things to do, let [writing] always be the last thing that falls off. (Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Feb. 7, 2013.) (Hereafter AAM.)

AAM: You are the communicator of clarity. So in all of this, [communicate] your words, your messages, your articles, your experiences and understandings.

This is your number one job. (AAM, March 3, 2011.)

AAM: I remind you that you are a pillar, that you [are] not [to] venture too far ahead of where people are, both individually in terms of your smaller circle but also in terms of the collective. ... A very large quotient, shall we say, of you is living ... in the higher-dimensional realm.

Then there is a part of you that is in the morass of the chaos and the lower-dimensional realm because that's where the work is. (AAM, Jan. 18, 2020.)

AAM: Because you are a communicator, it is important not only to share the truth of your being, of our being, but also to be able to clearly relate to people where they are. (AAM, April 19, 2017.)

AAM: If you venture, as you would often like, too far ahead of the crowd, then whom are you speaking to? (AAM, Aug. 21, 2015.)

(3) AAM: There is much to be said for Everyman, and that is part of the role you play. Yes, you are a pillar. You are an anchor. You're [a monitor] but you're also playing the role of Everyman – with curiosity, with exploration, with insight. So our desire is not to separate you from the collective. (AAM, Nov. 11, 2015.)

(4) AAM, Aug. 2, 2017.

(5) AAM, March 10, 2017.

(6) AAM: As this truly anchors, not only in the heart, but in the thought patterns, the behaviour patterns of human beings, the idea of working with an Archangel is in fact going to be commonplace.

This sense of division is going to actually quite quickly disappear. The idea of a punishing deity that you need to earn favour with, curry favour with will change into the true knowing of what has always been the case, which is partnership.

(AAM, May 13, 2020.)

(7) AAM, July 22, 2016.

(8) AAM, Aug. 2, 2017.

Breaking New Ground; or, What is a Breakthrough?

May 6, 2026

[\(https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/05/06/breaking-new-ground-or-what-is-a-breakthrough/\)](https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/05/06/breaking-new-ground-or-what-is-a-breakthrough/)



Before looking at the mechanics of a breakthrough, I'd like to look at the concept of a "breakthrough" itself.

First of all, what is intended by it is not a victory over an opponent, snatched from the jaws of defeat.

A "breakthrough," in my discussion, is always a breaking through and away from a confining negotiation strategy or a self-limiting belief.

What is meant is a pushing through barriers we've constructed ourselves to defend ourselves or others from a perceived threat. I break through on myself.

A virtuous movement is one that brings us into greater alignment with the divine qualities; most of all, love. A devolutionary movement would be one that brings us into greater alignment with the so-called "vices" - hatred, anger, jealousy, and so on.

I've discerned four distinct phases of a breakthrough: (A) The breakthrough itself, (B) the afterglow, (C) the snapback, and (D) the integration. Not until Ascension will the breakthrough itself or any of its results remain with us fully or permanently. It's a temporary and partial event.

But some of it does. What Michael said about love is true here too:

Archangel Michael: What you have seen is that you have been given bite-sized pieces of energy, of energy bumps, of input of what you can digest and handle and truly bring to fruition. If you are in the process of expansion, you don't go from Grade 3 to a PhD in a week. (1)

AAM: Think of how every time you especially enter the transformative love, that is a snap. It is not the full dramatic snap but it is a snap. Each time you are progressing up what you can think of as a level.

Think of [entering] your love as flying back and forth through the portal. Now sometimes you're aware and sometimes you're asleep. (2)

AAM: With each ignition you will also feel a greater sense of the substance of who you really are. (3)

Substitute the word "emergence" or "breakthrough" for "transformative love" and you have a match.

I get that each snap, ignition, or spiritual experience is a step up the ladder of spiritual evolution, of personal unfoldment and empowerment.

Michael and I didn't talk as much about emergence or breakthrough as we did about enlightenment, including Ascension.

We're not simply hearing about this one. We're breaking new ground.

Footnotes

(1) "AAM on Truncated Experiences," March 21, 2017, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2017/03/21/aam-on-truncated-experiences/>.

(2) “Archangel Michael on Snaps, Expansion, and Ascension,” June 6, 2017, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2017/06/06/archangel-michael-on-snaps-expansion-and-ascension/>.

(3) Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon May 6, 2013.

Ways of “Presencing” the Self in Line with the Purpose of Life

May 8, 2026

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Werner Erhard

The world goes on in chaos, headed for the ten days of broadcasts whenever matters have become so serious that the populace looks to the military to restore order.

In 2020, when Covid was just beginning, I wrote:

"I'm becoming able to think on a global level, as tentative as my first thoughts are. ... Archangel Michael has given me enough reassurance to make the leap. Yes, I did require a lot of handholding." (1)

Having experienced a potent emergence recently, (2) I approach the task gingerly now, as any newbie would, but excitedly.

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So Self-Realization is the purpose of life.

These ways of presencing the Self can therefore be said to be completely aligned with the purpose of life.

They also underpin new ways of communicating that are both useful in themselves and, as a whole, combine to help us lead a world revolution for peace.

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You may recall that I shared a withhold recently about my connection to the Lord Arcturus. That was a big one.

3. Welcome feedback.

Try it on, test it out, see if it fits. If it fits, own it.

4. Wake up; be with someone; get present.

5. Take a stand; declare and commit yourself; recommit to your commitment.

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7. Come from love. (6)

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Footnotes

(1) "The Space of Abundance," Feb. 20, 2020, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2020/02/20/306309/>

(2) See:

- "Off and Running – Part 1/2," April 20, 2026, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/04/20/off-and-running-part-1-2/>
- *Let's Go! Let's Grow! Vol. 4 Emergence* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/11/Lets-Go-Lets-Grow-V4-Emergence-R8.pdf>

(3) Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Feb. 18, 2011.) (Hereafter, AAM.)

(4) AAM, March 28, 2018.

(5) Taken from *Let's Go! Let's Grow! The Renaissance of Human Growth Vol. 5. Growth* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/Lets-Go-Lets-Grow-V5-Growth-Balance-and-the-Adult-State-R4.pdf>, p. 142.

(6) See *The Purpose of Life is Enlightenment* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Purpose-of-Life-is-Enlightenment-6.pdf>, particularly Chapter 14.

The Humpty Dumpty Man is not Used to Feeling Confidence

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Humpty Dumpty had a great fall. Credit: chordify.net

As someone was saying offline, and I've said many times, none of our experiences comes with a manual or a roadmap or even a list of terms.

This morning, for instance, and I relate this to the 9 April Factory Reset, in which I dropped my character armor, (1) my intuition seems sharper. I feel myself being guided more and I welcome it.

Feeling normal again, I feel no resistance to this development. I mean just the ordinary kind - not now, I'm busy; I'm too tired; need to concentrate now; etc.

Lately I've been meditating in a golden room, seated in front of a treasure chest which contains a single beaming holographic cell. That light contains a library of Arcturian knowledge, as the Lord Arcturus related to me. (2)

I've been "drinking in" its codes on my inbreath and sending it love on the outbreath. That could be playing a part.

Now love arose and I don't have a sense of me having summoned it. Quite strange. I take that as a confirmation. (New signal?)

Recently I had a strong experience but decided not to write from the middle of it. I just wanted to enjoy it.

Of course, lacking a short-term memory, I couldn't remember more than the vaguest details afterwards.

This time, when this vague feeling arose that my connection upstairs just expanded, undoubtedly with Michael, (3) I rushed to the laptop.

A natural companion to this feeling of strengthened intuition is a feeling of confidence. The Humpty Dumpty Man (4) is not used to feeling confidence, except in the martial arts; that is, except in defensiveness.

Footnotes

(1) See *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at

(2) The Lord Arcturus contributed to my soul design a holographic cell of his being, containing a library of his and of Arcturian knowledge and certain qualities which would stand me in good stead in fulfilling a mission he assigned me - to visit the dimensions beyond the Seventh and report back that the Seventh is not the end of the journey.

Lord Arcturus: So what I have contributed to your design - it was a very good design team - is qualities or aspects, understandings - not only that would serve me; that would simply be myopic and rather selfish. But aspects or qualities, talents, capacities that would serve you and in turn of course, serve the grander Plan, the collective and ultimately the Mother. ...

There is a sliver of that [Steve] pie that is Arcturus and Arcturian, that carries that history, that lineage and that intelligence which you have highly valued in this life and in other lives, here [Arcturus] and elsewhere, that you can access. But you

need to basically see yourself as going and sitting or accessing that quadrant of the pie.

It is not that you segment yourself because you have the full understanding of the Steve pie but by immersing yourself, shall we say in it that way, by immersing yourself in that tiny sliver of the pie, you are allowing the information, the capacities, the analysis, the experience, to really come to the surface so that you can consciously begin to access it. (The Lord Arcturus in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, June 12, 2019.)

(3) Divine Mother: It does not matter whether somebody says they are channeling Hilarion or Mickey Mouse. You know that you are serving my beloved Michael and I would like to suggest to you, Sweet One, not to distract you, but you are also serving me.

Steve: I so much know that, Mother.

DM: You always have. And so, yes, how we have constructed this is that you are employed, you are in joint venture, you are in sacred partnership with Michael, with Me-Ki-Al, and that is the way that you have chosen and that he has chosen and that I have chosen for you to proceed.

Steve: Yes, Mother. Thank you for confirming that.

DM: Let us give you further insight into this. If you were channeling with somebody and they said it was Hilarion, and in fact it was Hilarion, understand on our side the conjoining is so much stronger [with Michael] that Michael would simply funnel through Hilarion what needs to be said.

Steve: Interesting! ("Divine Mother: Does God Recognize Service to a Fallen Teacher?" November 3, 2018, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2018/11/03/divine-mother-does-god-recognize-service-to-a-fallen-teacher/>.)

(4) When my Dad yelled at me from inches away from my face, at age 7, my personality blew right off me. I think of it as shattering in a thousand pieces. And I became dedicated to putting Humpty Dumpty back together again. Every expanding experience such as I describe here is another milestone in restoring poor Humpty.

On the Divine Qualities Themselves; or, Many Roads Home

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*Anandamoyima.
We respond to what we perceive to be the divine*

I find I have more to say (or someone does) on the divine qualities as divine qualities.

If the purpose of life is to know/realize who we truly are (answer: God; now off we go to realize it!), then what is God like?

We show that we have a pre-existing appreciation for what God is like through our reaction to what we conceive of as "godlike" qualities.

Unshakeable faith is one quality. Harmlessness is another. Charitableness a third. And I could go on.

On the one hand, we have a built-in "longing for liberation" which keeps us moving forward to escape eventual disappointment with the material realm, somehow knowing that there's more and better beyond. (1)

On the other hand, I speculate that we also have a built-in discrimination device that responds to the "godlike" in another.

It's the theme of countless movies. A being surrounded in light appears and everyone kneels. We all seem to have this built-in sense of the divine.

And I find, when I look, that I'm constantly seeking out the (genuinely) divine. Why else would I travel to India? Lug a heavy bag around through insane temperatures?

Download *On the Divine Qualities* here: <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2013/01/21/the-overall-significance-of-mastering-the-divine-qualities/>

I guess in the presence of a genuinely divine person, I feel I can let my false front down (the same character armor I just dropped and never knew I had). (2) I can be myself, whatever that might be.

It's the acceptance that I'd be looking for. Working on the fringes of almost everything I've ever gotten into doesn't win a lot of approval from the hornets whose nest you just knocked over.

I owe a huge debt to those people who believed that all the noise I was making was going somewhere. Eventually.

When the heart opens, our problems are solved. The love we then feel proves to be everything we've ever sought or wanted.

Although the experience (short of Ascension) is temporary, it leaves the door of the heart open a crack, through which we can breathe up that same love.

The first touch of that love and whatever issue was plaguing us or whatever feeling was bothering us is instantly transformed.

We all will experience it in the expected, upcoming Wave of Love, which is a planetary heart opening. (3) We'll experience how it is that a world can be made to work for everyone. (4)

(This love is how. Shhhh! It's a secret!)

The more we assimilate the divine qualities into our lives, I believe, the more "godlike" we become. The more "godlike" we become, the more we invite the experience of God-meeting-God ("O Thou I!"), at whatever level that meeting can be had: The dual God; later, the non-dual God.

The divine qualities are another of what the Divine Mother called "stair steps" by which we can reach her. (5) There are so many different stair*cases*. As many temperaments and inclinations, as many roads home to her, as Sri Ramakrishna reminded us:

"The mother cooks different dishes to suit the stomachs of her different children. Suppose she has five children. If there is a fish to cook, she prepares different dishes from it -- pilau, pickled fish, fried fish, and so on -- to suit their different tastes and powers of digestion." (6)

However:

"All will surely realize God. All will be liberated. It may be that some get their meal in the morning, some at noon, and some in the evening; but none will go without food. All, without any exception, will certainly know the real Self." (7)

Heart Opening ---> Ascension ---> Many ascensions later, Mergence ---> Much time later, Re-emergence (8)

Footnotes

(1) See *The Longing for Liberation* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/Longing-for-Liberation-4.pdf>

(2) See *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>

(3) See *The Ring of Fire, Wave of Love* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Ring-of-Fire-Wave-of-Love-Compilation-9.pdf>

(4) See *Toward a World that Works for Everyone* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Toward-a-World-That-Works-for-Everyone-4.pdf>

(5) I believe that what the Divine Mother said about the Trimurthy of Brahma, Vishnu, and Shiva can also be said about the divine qualities:

Divine Mother: It [the Trimurthy] is much the same as we have been speaking of. It is a way in which my beloved children can come to know me and to have that experience. It is formless, and yet it is form. It is a way of connection, and it is a way of understanding and entering into a higher vibration of being. So it helps the emergence into my energy.

S: Sort of like stair steps?

DM: That is correct. ("The Divine Mother: Come to Me as I Come to You – Part 1/2," Oct. 17, 2012, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2012/10/17/the-divine-mother-come-to-me-as-i-come-to-you-part-12/>.)

NB: Archangel Michael: We do not want anything capitalized. (Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Aug. 12, 2016.)

(6) Paramahansa Ramakrishna in Nikhilananda, Swami, trans. *The Gospel of Sri Ramakrishna*. New York: Ramakrishna-Vivekananda Center, 1978; c1942, 81. (Hereafter, GSR.)

(7) Paramahansa Ramakrishna in GSR, 818.

(8) Steve: Mother, you've just referred to mergence have you not, or union? And you're saying that after they return in union, they go back out into the world. Is that correct?

Divine Mother: Yes. If they so choose, yes. Now, is it in the timeline that human beings tend to think of? No. But eventually there is re-emergence. ("The Divine Mother: Each and Every One of You Carries Divine Might, Part 1/2," June 17,

2013, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2013/06/the-divine-mother-each-and-every-one-of-you-carries-divine-might-part-12.>)

Ways of “Presencing” the Self

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Werner Erhard

While not directly on a factory reset, Werner here discusses “push” ways of breakthrough. Everything he says here is background to what I say in this book.

I've posted this list before but I want to re-enter it in the record so that all of us have it handy. This is the best list I've come across on its subject. Print it off. I invite both of us to begin practising what it preaches.

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AAM: Yes, it is in the arena of communication and it is also in the arena of, particularly, how one communicates. (2)

Communication and particularly how one communicates. So not television, not podcasts, not even interviews. Just writing. Writing to me is like painting was for Picasso.

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What books go along with this subject?

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- *On the Divine Qualities* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/05/On-the-Divine-Qualities-R10.pdf>
- *Emergence* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/04/Emergence-3.pdf>
- *Vasanas: Preparing For Ascension by Clearing Old Issues* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Vasanas-Preparing-for-Ascension-R16.pdf>

Footnotes

(1) Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Feb. 18, 2011.) (Hereafter, AAM.)

(2) AAM, March 28, 2018.

(3) See *The Purpose of Life is Enlightenment* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Purpose-of-Life-is-Enlightenment-6.pdf>, particularly Chapter 14.

(4) See *Love Like We Never Imagined It to Be* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Love-Like-We-Never-Imagined-It-to-Be-R17.pdf>

Not Following Their Lead Any More

May 12, 2026

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Inner peace: Building the alternative

One thing about dropping one's character armor completely, not like I knew such a thing was possible or even existed before mine dropped away, one is left in neutral, for as long as one maintains it.

One starts from neutral. What one does after that is a matter of free will.

That doesn't mean that one doesn't defend oneself. It means that one doesn't hate one's opponent, but begins one's defense from neutral.

Karate never taught me a kata or form that began with an attack; always "attack [kick, punch] coming in." In effect, I was never taught how to attack.

The same people who let in a flood of humanity are now calling the people left to deal with it by all manner of pejorative names. Enter that in the playbook. "Blame someone else."

My factory reset determines my perspective now. I remember distinctly lying on my bed and spiritually kicking my feet up and down and saying to Michael that I needed better resources ("a bigger brain") if he wanted me to cover this beat.

That was me saying "Enough!" Something needs to change. And the Company of Heaven allowed it.

That's why I call it a breakthrough, followed by an emergence.

I always thought I'd have difficulty getting the concepts of "breakthrough" and "emergence" across. I never thought I'd be given an experience which so perfectly illustrates them.

And what is life like without that armor? Neutral. Normal. Peaceful. A factory reset. A second chance.

What did I expect? Bliss comes later. In my opinion, lightworkers serve, first.

We are waiters at the banquet of Ascension. (1)

In construction terms, we're building the alternative. They can join us or not. But we're not following their lead any more.

Footnotes

(1) "Starseeds: Waiters at the Banquet of Ascension," April 28, 2016, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2016/04/28/starseeds-waiters-at-the-banquet-of-ascension/>

Background Commands that Linger Unto the Last

May 15, 2026

<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/05/15/background-commands-that-linger-unto-the-last/>



After dropping my character armor, (1) there's a lot less chatter which "I" (2) compete with - a lot less of the automatic, habitual "error messages" that we navigate our lives by.

And among these there are always a few which have command value. I've called them "Grand Motifs." (3)

- You can never trust anyone.
- Don't turn your back on anyone.
- Always look out for Number One.

That was my merchant-marine father who won sparring matches dockside.

He was a good foil for me to get on top of my own anger, which the Arcturian Group said recently is exactly what many of our parents this lifetime are there for - to excite all unresolved issues in prep for Ascension.

Once I realized his probable role in getting my own anger issues going, I forgave him. That probably took around three-score years and ten - a normal, Biblical lifespan!

Even though my core issues (or vasanas) are muted now, they're still there. According to Ramana, they're not burned to a crisp except by Ascension (sahaja nirvikalpa samadhi, vijnana). (4)

But even more prominent is that I feel a silent holding back in myself, a resistance, and I struggled to put a name to it.

Then by really looking, I discovered that my Grand Motifs were still operating, very subtly, in the background.

So dropping one's character armor is not the end of *the* road or any road!

It really is just a second chance, another opportunity to get it right, like Scrooge on Christmas Eve. The rest is up to me.

If I were to continue in my Scrooge-like ways, I imagine I'd rebuild my character armor. And, oooh, I don't want that experience.

This clarity that I feel, this clearness of the air waves, is such an improvement that, even if I were only looking out for Number One, I'd hanker for it.

But, as a guinea pig or pathfinder, I'm always looking at any new development from the standpoint of whether it's of benefit to the collective.

Dropping one's character armor is definitely highly valuable to one's peace of mind and direct experience of life. I'd say, highly valuable to the collective.

But this matter of the background commands that still seem to go off, the Grand Motifs that linger unto the last, hmmm....

Footnotes

(1) See:

- *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>
- *Emergence* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/04/Emergence-3.pdf>

(2) The actor/observer.

(3) See "The Grand Motif," October 13, 2019, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2019/10/13/the-grand-motif/>

(4) If the mind becomes introverted through enquiry into the Source of *Aham-vritti* [the "I am" wave in the mind], the *vasanas* [core issues] become extinct and in the absence of the reflecting medium the phenomenon of reflection, namely, the mind, also disappears being absorbed into the Light of the one Reality, the Heart. (Sri Ramana Maharshi in *Maharshi's Gospel. Books I and II. Being Answers of Bhagavan Sri Ramana Maharshi to Questions Put to Him by Devotees*. Tiruvannamalai: Sri Ramanasramam, 1979; c1939, 87.)

In *Yoga Vasistha* two classes of *vasanas* are distinguished: those of enjoyment and those of bondage. The former remain even after *Mukti* [liberation, Ascension] is attained, but the latter are destroyed by it. Attachment is the cause of binding *vasanas*, but enjoyment without attachment does not bind and continues even in *Sahaja* [Ascension]. (Ramana Maharshi in S.S. Cohen, *Guru Ramana. Memories and Notes*. 6th edition. Tiruvannamalai: Sri Ramanasramam, 1993, 89.)

A Love for the Human Race; or, Now Life Really Begins

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It isn't enough to have a factory reset, (1) with all the image-management strategies and self-serving agendas gone ... for the moment.

But a factory reset is not a course of action. Life goes on and we may find that we need to choose a course of action if we're to carry ourselves forward from here.

Several courses of action lie open to us. We can blunder along, only to discover several years from now that we've recreated our shell, our character armor, unconsciously.

We can align with what's just happened but realize its limitations. This is not a purification. This is just the same as taking off a real suit of armor.

It doesn't change our character. It just relieves us of a psychic burden, so to speak, and gives us a second chance. But what we do with that second chance is up to us.

I choose to take up a third option.

I return to the basics. And what is basic to this situation, for me, is that the profane can yield bodily pleasure, which waxes and wanes but ultimately results in nothing and disappoints.

But the sacred - truly sacred, not just going through the motions - leads us to our ultimate reward and that is love.

But again *true* love. Unattached to anything except itself, wanting to spread itself everywhere, looking for any crack to appear as a whiff or a wave.

So, even though I'm covering stories connected with consequential events as viewed from my localized perspective (North America), and, even though I forget and remember and forget, I return to ... and this I know from direct experience ... love being the answer to anything we perceive as being out or problematic.

Love heals all wounds. Love underpins all "permanent" creations. Love proves to be what we've always been looking for.

Love is what is truly basic to everything the white hats (in my mind) are committed to. Love for the trafficked children, love for the beleaguered populations of nations, love for all those marginalized and enslaved through not having the means to survive - all these and more I think of as being their motivator.

In a word: A love for the human race.

Make the human race great again. A love for the human race transcends all.

And what makes a human being or the human race itself great? The divine qualities, the cultural universals, the spiritual universals that unite humanity. (2)



The Time of Separation will see the worst of the evildoers leave the planet. ... OK, OK, die. Yes, it's the Divine Plan working out. They cannot go with us and survive. Our Ascension is the end of darkness and for darkness.

Those of us who remain will be immersed in a river of love, the so-called Wave of Love, (CC) temporarily relieved of all worries and fears, delighted by what we've just come across.

And the secret will be out of the bag: Is THIS what it's all about? Yes.

Now we can breathe it up from our opened hearts, where love lives, and enjoy it. No need for an intermediary.

Now life can really begin.

Footnotes

(1) See *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>

(2) See:

- *The Nature and Significance of the Divine Qualities* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Nature-and-Significance-of-the-Divine-Qualities-3.pdf>
- *On the Divine Qualities* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/05/On-the-Divine-Qualities-R10.pdf>

(3) See *The Ring of Fire, Wave of Love* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Ring-of-Fire-Wave-of-Love-Compilation-9.pdf>

“Your Travel Ticket”

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I'd like to spend a little more time on something Matthew Ward (once, St. Matthew) said:

[Your] limitations are being reversed by the ever-increasing intensity of light in bodies that are absorbing it. Actually, your 'travel ticket' is the absorption of light that comes automatically with living in godly ways. (1)

"Your 'travel ticket' is the absorption of light that comes automatically with living in godly ways." I'm writing particularly to men and more particularly to "manly men."

"Living in godly ways" may sound strange and forbidden for you. Maybe sissy-ish even. Someone told me about a book the other day called *Becoming Wealthy through Intimidation*. (Someone tell the author about karma.) That's more manly than living in godly ways, right? No fun there.

How to get from here to "living in godly ways"?

Well, when I take a look, I realize that it's a process. It has steps and stages. But you won't have to go through these because Matthew's words are true, I think, in a second sense: (A) the absorption of the light we're getting will automatically have us living in godly ways and (B) that transformation could come in an instant, as in the Wave of Love.

And intention is everything. What did Krishna say? A hardened criminal could turn to him with love in his heart and be saved? (2) Ascension is inclusive, not exclusive. Only our tolerance of the conditions is at issue.

I had to get over my vasana (core issue, traumatic and triggering memory) of father hatred. (Long story.) (3) I had to be shown the alternative: higher-dimensional love. (4) And then I had to have my character armor removed, to give me a second chance. (5) Now, where my mind was a battleground, all is quiet. It's up to me what I do with this second chance. ("In my eightieth year, I was given a second chance...." Great story!)

I think the Wave of Love will do it all for us when it comes. Wipe us clean and fill us with love.

So you probably won't have to struggle through this process, if in your heart you have a strong and pure intention to succeed.

And what is a "manly man" if not one of strong and pure intention to succeed?

Footnotes

(1) Matthew's Message, Dec. 21, 2008, at <https://matthewbooks.com>

(2) Though a man be soiled
With the sins of a lifetime,
Let him but love me,
Rightly resolved,
In utter devotion:
I see no sinner,
That man is holy.
Holiness soon
Shall refashion his nature

To peace eternal. (Sri Krishna in Swami Prabhavananda and Christopher Isherwood, trans., *Bhagavad-Gita. The Song of God*. New York and Scarborough: New American Library, 1972; c1944, 85.)

(3) See *Vasanas: Preparing For Ascension by Clearing Old Issues* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Vasanas-Preparing-for-Ascension-R16.pdf>

(4) See *Love Like We Never Imagined It to Be* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Love-Like-We-Never-Imagined-It-to-Be-R17.pdf>

(5) See *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>

Our Ground of Being

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How do I describe my ground of being, these days?

Calm. Everything else comes and goes, but the calmness remains. That is the predominant experience I have when all other experiences subside.

It doesn't mean I'm calm under all circumstances. I don't think I am. It means that, after all is said and done and laid to rest, I return to, and hunger for - calmness.

And this is just since I dropped my character armor in the Factory Reset. (1) I now return to a state of calmness whatever else I do. Laugh, cry, get frustrated, feel generous, I return, now, to a baseline of calmness. That is my present ground of being.

Movie Representations

There are endless shorts on Youtube about "heroes" whose ground of being, underneath everything else, was courage. If it were a battleground scene in a

1940s movie, and there was a nurse in it, she'd probably be represented as compassionate, which would be her ground of being, the state of consciousness that is enduring and which she returns to.

In the movie, when one character removes their mask and shows who they are sincerely, what they're revealing is what I mean by "ground of being." And this is the high point of the movie.

Logic Behind It

Yes, mine is calmness. And I even see the logic behind it. I need to be calm to receive inspiration from Michael, the Mother, and the Lord Arcturus, whom I serve. I need to be open to whatever arises while I'm breathing love up from my heart, where it lives.

I've probably been asked to do what I do because I value calmness, which would seem to be a prerequisite for receiving inspiration.

Calmness has side values as well, such as that love can arise in a calm individual.

Love Won't Compete

Love won't compete. The secret meaning of "I thy Lord am a jealous God," is that love will not compete with worldly desires. You can choose one or the other, but not both. Love will flee. Said Krishna:

"I am all that a man may desire
Without transgressing
The law of his nature." (2)

The whole purpose of physical life, he said, is to learn to discriminate between the Real and the unreal. (3) Why? Because, as you know, the purpose of life is...?

To know who we truly are because, when one of us realizes that, God meets God. And for that meeting was all of this created.

In my world, the way I have it rigged up is that God is realized in stillness and silence. "Be still and know that I am God." (4) And you are God. And we are God. Do we need to *know* that ... or just to *accept* it?

Footnotes

(1) *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>

(2) Sri Krishna in Swami Prabhavananda and Christopher Isherwood, trans., *Bhagavad-Gita. The Song of God*. New York and Scarborough: New American Library, 1972; c1944, 41.

(3) *Ibid*, 71.

(4) Be still, and know that I *am* God. (Psalm 46:10.)

Like Water on Parched Ground....

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Credit: Dreamstime.com

In wanting to re-establish civil discourse, I've encountered a problem in the handling of sensitive or confidential information.

I encountered this problem before when I didn't want to mention that Xi Jin Ping was a member of the Global Military Alliance and not our "enemy." I reasoned that saying that out loud would only contribute to the risk President Xi faces. And I don't want to do that.

But now with the news of President Trump, Vladimir Putin, and Xi Jin Ping acknowledging their desire to draw closer together, the danger appears to be passed.

In the larger picture, I'm always making choices of what article should go into the update and what not. But I don't go around thinking that I'm censoring myself.

I can't make the update too long. I have interests. The update is on this and it's not on that. So it isn't as if I have to post on everything.

But that's not the crux of what's happening. The crux of the matter is the ego's need to feel important. I broke this story on X date. I was the only one to say....

I enjoy the feeling of pride. My Dad pre-empted that experience with constant criticism, tinged with violence. If I had gone through the normal stages of feeling proud and being validated, I might have a better handle on a felt need for self-importance now than I do. Arrested development!

Spells at a growth-movement residential workshop and enlightenment-intensive workshops helped me with a lot of these issues. The Factory Reset was the culmination of all that work. (1)

And yet I still feel a tug to react in the old ways. The Factory Reset was not a purification. It was just the taking away of the shell I'd created, the character armor, from allowing my vasanas to lead me. It was a second chance, a new beginning.

But the seeds of the vasana remain and are not burnt to a crisp until Sahaja Nirvikalpa Samadhi, which is Ascension. (2)

As matters stand now, The slate has been wiped clean but the moving finger writes.

Notwithstanding, I enjoy the blanket calmness that I can now experience, as my default.

I've never let myself enjoy a moment of pride. That would get me the back of Dad's hand. And I'm now experiencing it for what feels like the first time. Just drinking it in with my breath and marvelling at how nourishing it feels.

Like water on parched ground....

Footnotes

(1) See *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>

(2) Sage Vasistha: Moksa or liberation [Ascension, Sahaja Samadhi] is the total abandonment of all vasanas or mental conditioning, without the least reserve. (Sage Vasistha, CYV, 5.)

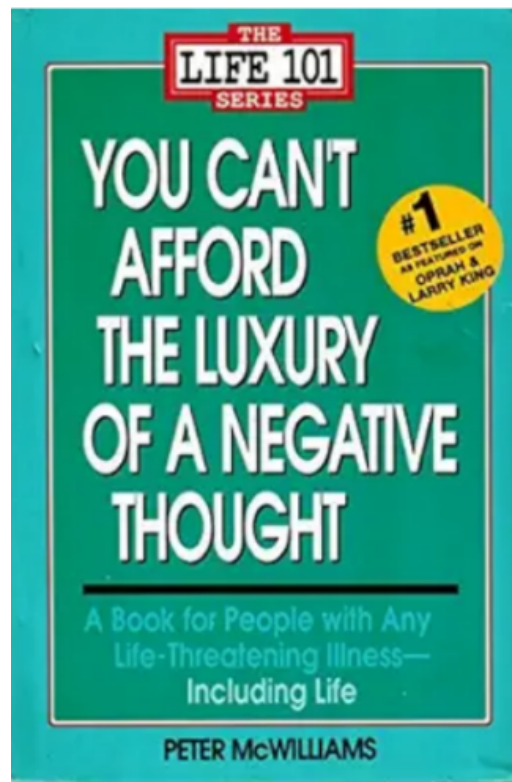
Sri Ramana: Only one who is free from all the latent tendencies (vasanas) is a Sage. That being so how can the tendencies of karma affect him who is entirely unattached to activity? (Ramana Maharshi, SI, Chapter 2, Question 26.)

Sahaja is the original state so that sadhana amounts to the removal of obstacles for the realization of this abiding truth. (Ramana Maharshi in Paul Brunton and Munagala Venkataramaiah. *Conscious Immortality. Conversations with Sri Ramana Maharshi*. Rev. ed. 1996, n.p.)

We Can't Afford the Luxury of a Negative Thought; or, On the Road to Truth

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<https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/06/07/we-cant-afford-the-luxury-of-a-negative-thought-or-on-the-road-to-truth/>



There is so much news to follow these days that I've had too little time available to do audiotapes of my articles, but a friend has suggested that this particular article needs to be taped to be best understood.

I'm wrestling with the abstraction, "you can't afford the luxury of a negative thought," the title of a book by John-Roger and Peter McWilliams. (1)

The problem I have with it is that there are (almost) always exceptions to (almost) everything. I can't tell the Special Ops soldiers in a tunnel underneath the American/Mexican border that they cannot afford the luxury of a negative thought. They need to be able to react with lightning speed, not think about it.

The best thing I could do for them is to stay out of their way. Norms of behavior are to them "vulnerabilities."

So, providing we don't hook ourselves up to a new norm, without exceptions, and lose our fluidity of response, then I'm coming to appreciate what the authors said.

I was walking home the other day and I was not feeling any waves of negativity. Suddenly I noticed I was feeling irritated and resentful. And I wondered what had me feel that way? At that moment, I saw, at a realizational level (intellectual, experiential, realizational) that it was a negative thought that triggered the negative feeling. I saw the causal link.

I know, I know. Elementary, my dear Watson. But I got it at a much deeper level this time than at any other time. And, interestingly, this "get" happened after, for a full day, I watched myself in interaction with another, having one negative thought after another and *not* attaching myself to any of them. They came and went as if they were news broadcasts on a TV.

And I maintained my equilibrium. Wow. First time. I didn't dull myself out with a litany of negative thoughts. If I had a complaint, I saw whether I could do something myself that took care of it - without complaining.

This ability to remain detached is a direct result of dropping my character armor. (2) Or rather succeeding in imploring my guides to take that unwanted shield away from me. I wanted to be free of it. (3)

Attaching to any one of those negative thoughts could have led to a fight. In that moment, I saw that.

And I also saw that what I was doing in simply watching these negative thoughts that arise and not attaching to them was itself a practise, a discipline that would eventually shape my character. (4)

Unless my partners in enlightenment on the other side don't extend to me another "snap" or "ignition," which will cement the practise and its result in me. (5) As the Factory Reset did. (6)

I now see a result of this realization on an experiential level. Where I used to enjoy the thought of, say, instant karma or sweet revenge, I now find the thought mildly repulsive. I just flashed on a monk in the Thirteenth Century, one of my few lives on Earth. The attitude I find myself in as a result of this realization is a step closer to the one I associate with the monk. I'm becoming monklike.

Interesting. All of it is interesting.

Spiritual unfoldment is interesting and unexpected. When I was actively playing the awareness game in the late seventies, I was thrilled with each new discovery.

Because each new discovery had an actual impact on the way I felt or the way my body felt. "The truth will set you free" is (almost) totally true and the freer we feel, the more we know we're on the road to the truth. And ultimately THE Truth.

Footnotes

(1) Available from Amazon.

(2) See *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>

(3) I asked Michael for a bigger brain and heart to do the work I'm doing. What I got was a sudden dropping of the mass of resentments, strategies, poses, etc., that Wilhelm Reich called "character armoring." That *released* my brain and heart from being wedded to negativity.

Notice how asking does bring results: Ask and ye shall receive. Knock and the door shall be opened. For me, the "knocking," which, Michael confirmed, resulted in the door of the heart being opened on March 13, 2015, was drawing love up from my heart on the inbreath, enjoying it on the pause, and sending it out to the world on the outbreath.

(4) The spiritual practise is renunciation and it leads to detachment from the unreal. Recall that the basic spiritual movement is to discriminate between the Real and the unreal, detach from the unreal, and attach ourselves to the Real.

(5) On our enlightenment partnership with them, see:

- *Grandeur Beyond Grandeur: Toward a Cross-Cultural Spirituality Vol. 6: Our Enlightenment and Co-Creative Partnership* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Grandeur-Beyond-Grandeur-Enlightenment-and-Co-Creative-Partnership-6-4.pdf>
- *The Rewards of Co-Creative Partnership with the Company of Heaven* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/The-Rewards-of-Co-Creative-Partnership-with-the-Company-of-Heaven-7.pdf>

(6) See *Factory Rset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/05/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R6.pdf>

The Separation of Worlds and the Rise of the New

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Matthew Ward said:

Democracy ... is a fine form of governance when it is led by honorable, conscientious individuals with vision. (1)

There's that condition: "when it is led by honorable, conscientious individuals with vision." How long has it been since you and I could look upon our governments and feel that they were being led by honorable and conscientious individuals? Or agree with their vision?

For me I'd have to reach back to Kennedy. His assassination (2) not only ended Camelot, the aura of the Kennedy family, but ended the last hold that honesty and integrity had on the federal government, in my view.

How to ensure that only honest and integral people populate our governments? In my honest opinion? We won't need to.

It's said that we're already into the Wave of Love. Once we're well in it or beyond it, we'll know the answer to that question. For me, the answer is that the love the Wave will cause to arise in us (from our hearts) will elevate those who accept it to a place where being anything but honest and integral will never occur to them.

They will be free of the density that is fertile soil to such feelings. Even if they arise or if we momentarily grab onto a passing energy streamer, they will find no soil to grow in.

At the same time, that same wave will severely discomfit evildoers. OK, OK, remove them from the earth plane. (3) And that'll be the resolution of the problem. What did Matthew say?

Matthew: A tsunami of [lovelight's] high vibrations is the means whereby violence will be ended. (4)

We now have the cast for Ascension assembled. We now know the plot and how the play ends. It's now onto Ascension, unencumbered.

Some of what I say may sound delusional to new readers now but it won't in a few months.

The love I feel right now, combined with the cleansed state I feel in after dropping my character armor, (5) have me feeling so peaceful and blissful that the world can pass me by right now without me caring a bit. Please move out of my sunlight, Alexander. (6)

I already have what I want.

The Mother warned me. She moderated the sight of the Self I experienced at Xenia because, she said:

Divine Mother: "[Otherwise] you would have departed the life that you have designed - yes, with us - for yourself, for the service you are providing - you would have departed and simply said, 'I do not need to do this. I will just simply sit in the bliss of love and good luck, everybody!'"
(7)

And that's precisely the state I'm in at the moment. However the year is 2026, and not 2018, and I imagine that we've expanded and emerged and that we experience more love and bliss now than we did then, if we're affected by the rising lovelight energies. I'm less swept away now.

Thus, on the other side of the Wave of Love, those left among us will uniformly be honest and decent folk. That's the meaning of the phrase "the Time of Separation" and "Bifurcation of Worlds." (8) The decent and the decadent go their separate ways.

So finding people of honesty and integrity to lead our governments should be a great deal easier than before and the results of their leadership a lot more beneficial to all the world, not just a few.

Footnotes

(1) Matthew's Message, April 2, 2025, at <https://matthewbooks.com>.

(2) And we've learned lately that he survived it, having hired a replacement, gone into witness protection, and that he died recently.

(3) Cf. the Federation of Light:

FoL: This LOVE LIGHT that is to sweep over, through and within, is of a magnitude that has not yet been experienced in such a way. ... The souls of many of such Beings will leave immediately via 'disintegration'. ... Yes, Blossom, it shall be as if their physical Being literally crumbles and disintegrates.

B: For real?

FoL: Yes, for real Blossom. For the Energy that is carried within the entire body and soul of such 'naughty folk' is so 'dis-eased' that the Wave of Love ... the Strength within it ... will cause such Beings to crumble, for it cannot possibly survive within the Vibrational Frequency that the Wave brings. ... We understand that it all may sound farfetched ... for your programming has been so 'normalised' and all thought of such happenings leads you to believe such things are only make-believe. (Federation of Light through Blossom Goodchild, July 25, 2021, " July 24, 2021 , at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2021/07/24/the-federation-of-light-through-blossom-goodchild-july-25-2021blossom-goodchild/>).

(4) Matthew's Message, Nov. 1, 2023.

(5) See *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>

(6) ChatGPT says: "Diogenes of Sinope, a famous Cynic philosopher, asked Alexander the Great to step aside because he was blocking his sunlight."

(7) Divine Mother in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Oct. 26, 2018.

(8) SaLuSa: The world is slipping into two realities, and the division will take place in accordance with the Law of Attraction. (SaLuSa, Sept. 7, 2009, at <https://galacticchannelings.com>.)

Archangel Michael: Many are leaving, as you know.

Steve: Yes.

AAM: Many are choosing alternative realities. The reality that is of pain and suffering, lack and limitation is not of Nova Earth and not of [the Divine] Mother's creation of 12 dimensions. There is no place for it. So they either have to leave or be relocated. But most of them die. (Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, May 6, 2016.)

Matthew Ward: Earth is nearing vibratory levels where the light is so intense that all who have refused the light - the ones we speak of as dark simply to indicate their lack of light - will die.

That may sound unduly harsh, but it is not a matter of some 'divine' judgment or punishment - it is simply the physics governing life in this universe that bodies bereft of light cannot survive in those higher vibrations. In short, all those who have been causing fearful conditions will be disappearing.

The dark Ones will have created their own path and in no way will be able to interfere with Ascension. It all takes time to unfold but nothing will stop the final outcome as predicted. The material world is not really your natural home but merely a stop on the way to what some have described as Nirvana. (Matthew's Message, April 23, 2011.)

Mastering All the Divine Qualities at Once?

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One way to become God, in my view, is to be like God

If we were to live from the divine qualities - from the highest we can imagine - I think that we'd have satisfied the Divine Mother and our archangel on the subject of carrying out our mission.

To be a beacon of them - is that not lightworker leadership? Is it not angelic? Is it not serving others who don't have our informational background? Who don't know what is going on. Who are looking for people who do.

I recall Michael saying:

Archangel Michael: If no [lightworker] steps forward into [leadership] then there is a massive vacuum because many of the billions upon your planet have not yet learned, adapted, and integrated the new tools – the fullness of this new energy.

So [when non-lightworkers] are assigned ... or try to step up ... to create and to take the leadership role, they do not have the training and insight to

do it in a way that is achievable. ... So there is a lack, a vacuum of leadership.

Now, who, upon this wondrous planet, has been hiding in the shadows or edging out, or in the limelight and is ready? ... Who has been diligent and practiced patience and fortitude and stamina, and anchored the divine qualities? Who is it that is prepared to do this? Well, it is the lightworkers. (1)

Another intriguing comment he made was about the divine qualities themselves. Classical theory is that we should restrict ourselves to mastering one divine quality. Michael says that higher-dimensional people are presently learning to live from all the divine qualities at once:

Archangel Michael: Human beings, particularly those in the higher vibrations, [are] learning to hold all the divine qualities and to be operating from all the divine qualities at once. (2)

I cannot claim mastery of any divine quality. But mastery of them all is the goal I chose a long way back, apparently, and I feel uplifted every time I think about it.

For lightworkers, in my opinion, reaching for the divine qualities is like climbing a ladder. Every time we summon up the divine qualities from within, we've reached a new level on the ladder.

Michael gave me a glimpse of what my co-creative partners are doing with me. He phrased it a little differently than I have:

AAM: What you have seen is that you have been given bite-sized pieces of energy, of energy bumps, of input of what you can digest and handle and truly bring to fruition. If you are in the process of expansion, you don't go from Grade 3 to a PhD in a week. (3)

These "energy bumps" have been such things as toned-down spiritual experiences or breakthroughs like Factory Reset. (4)

No, you don't go from Grade 3 to a Ph.D. in a week. When I look back on all the processing of core issues I've been through in 80 years and feel a little fatigued from it all, I remember his words.

But the divine qualities are the key to the treasure room, as far as I'm concerned.

One last thing. If we're cultivating the divine qualities, we may wonder if we have the right to defend ourselves. Can we go that far without risking our soul, so to speak.

Michael answers:

Archangel Michael: Is it allowable, is it permissible, to fight back?
Absolutely. Tooth and nail. With everything that you have. And I will help you.

But if you say to me, "I want to kill that person because I hate who they are," I will say, draw back, come back, do not take this into your heart. Because it kills more than the person; it kills a part of you.

S: So the line is where hatred comes into the heart?

AAM: Yes. (5)

I feel myself, as a protective male, relieved to hear that answer. Right now, when we're at war with the deep state, I need to know that I can defend myself and my loved ones and still be in service to the Mother.

Footnotes

(1) "Lead or Leave a Vacuum," January 23, 2016, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2016/01/23/lead-leave-vacuum/>

(2) Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Jan. 4, 2019. (Hereafter AAM.)

(3) "AAM on Truncated Experiences," March 21, 2017, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2017/03/21/aam-on-truncated-experiences/>.

(4) On that experience, see *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>

(5) AAM, Oct. 1, 2011.

Push, Pull, or Get Out of the Way

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Pull!

There are three ways I approach what appears to be a spiritual "problem": Push, pull, or get out of the way. These are ways of getting through any perceived spiritual obstruction or bottleneck.

"Push" for me means breakthrough, sudden emergence, as with the dropping of my character armor. (1) We break through the envelope of fear we create when we think of issues that reactivate us.

We break through "I don't want to go there again." "Please don't ask me to re-experience those feelings. Once was enough." And so on.

We may have no experience in challenging our fears. We may not even know that such a thing is possible. Just the feeling of fear alone may undo us, such is our programming and experience.

"Pushing" is associated with encounter groups, Outward Bound, adrenalin sports, etc. It's thought of as pushing our limits, asserting our will, challenging our body, and similar.



"Pulling" is drawing something to us. Our very yearning draws something to us. However, as Krishna reminded us, God is all that can be desired without triggering the Law of Karma. (2)

"Pull" for me means doing everything in my power to draw the desired outcome to me. That may involve meditating, sending love, etc.

Other things we can do to bring something to us include invoking the universal law, whether give and receive, as above so below, attraction, or whatever is appropriate.



Getting out of the way means identifying the voice of the ego and then refusing to be led by it. It means getting the ego out of the way, recognizing the self-serving bias when we're in it, watching for the mirror effect (blaming others for what we're doing ourselves), and letting them go.

It means detaching, surrendering, "getting off" something, releasing what no longer serves us.

We consult how we feel. Then match that knowledge with the "voice of conscience," which is the Mother speaking via the heart. Yes/no. Apart from that, what we do and how we do it seems to be left up to us.

The basic movement involves (A) discriminating between the Real and the unreal, (B) detaching from the unreal, and (C) devoting ourselves to the Real.

Discrimination, detachment, and devotion are spiritual strategies; they may involve the physical body but the looked-for transformation is internal.

Two things come into play around the subject of our enlightenment, no matter what path we travel to get there. One is the fact that we are lightworkers and too much enlightenment will see us leave our service contracts and probably return home. Michael says:

Archangel Michael: If you were to complete your full ascension, many of you would not bother to stay and finish the creation of Nova Earth.

Steve: So you really have to meter it out to us, so to speak, so as not to send us flying off into some other pursuit?

AAM: That is correct. (3)

The Divine Mother put it humorously:

If you had seen the light as it actually is - yes, a million, billion suns - you would have simply departed. ...

We don't mean die but you would have departed the life that you have designed - yes, with us - for yourself, for the service you are providing - you would have departed and simply said, 'I do not need to do this. I will just simply sit in the bliss of love and good luck, everybody!'" (4)

She's absolutely accurate. Bliss is betwitching!

The second thing to come into play here is that almost all of us here on Earth right now are from the angelic realms. (5) There are some galactic visitors and Earthkeepers who may not be, but the terrestrial population is by and large angelic.

That means that, evolutionarily, we come from a realm well beyond the human sphere. We do not need the enlightenments associated with the twelve human dimensions.

After we finish here we're conducted back to our native realms of Light. Here is Michael giving that assurance:

Now, it is not necessary for those of you, for example, who have been [angelics] to reincarnate again and again as humans because you have assumed that form, or that you have need to go through the entire process of the angelic realm. You will zoom through it. You will what we are calling leap-frog through it back to where you were, back to who you really are. (6)

So while we are demonstrating the path to human enlightenment both for others among us and as a template for future generations, we ourselves are not in need of it, in the sense that we come from Source as it is. (7)

Footnotes

(1) See *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>

(2) "I am all that a man may desire
Without transgressing
The law of his nature."

(Sri Krishna in Swami Prabhavananda and Christopher Isherwood, trans., *Bhagavad-Gita. The Song of God*. New York and Scarborough: New American Library, 1972; c1944, 71.)

(3) Archangel Michael in a personal reading through Linda Dillon, March 10, 2017.

(4) Divine Mother in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Oct. 26, 2018.

(5) See *An Explosion in the Meaning of Humanness* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/An-Explosion-in-the-Meaning-of-Humanness-13.pdf>

(6) “Archangel Michael: Back to the One with the Speed of Love,” July 16, 2013, at <http://goldenageofgaia.com/2013/07/16/archangel-michael-back-to-the-one-with-the-speed-of-love/>.

(7) Archangel Michael: We occupy often the space between the spaces. We come from Source. ... Yes, it is bigger than you think. ...

We are being fueled by the infinite Source, the eternal Source. And so are you. (Archangel Michael in a personal reading with Steve Beckow through Linda Dillon, Aug. 17, 2018.)

Life after a Factory Reset

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Life after a factory reset

I'm learning how to navigate life after a factory reset. (1) May I share, as an awareness writer?

It isn't like how I'd imagine a med bed to be. It isn't age regression. It's just the dropping of everything connected to defensiveness and you begin again, at the same age and with the same core issues (or vasanas, latent tendencies). (2)

Sharing the background story on Josh Hokit's remark that Michelle Obama was a man was a huge break in coverage for me, one that needed to come, whether on this occasion or another.

It was venturing into battleground topics - transgenders, presidents, sexuality. It was calling out a person whom a lot of us once loved and admired when he was running for President - Barack Obama.

It was talking about a subject that is taboo in polite society - a man's ... what did Special Ops call it when they broke in on "Michelle" and her boy lover? Schlong? Ding-a-ling? (3)

We don't go there. You're dragging us down. I'm hurt and disappointed.

But, speaking as a researcher whom you count on to go there, I hasten to point out that the cabal depends on us "not going there" - on being predictable: outrage when someone "goes there," anger, decisions made, relationships broken. It depends on a very few people being willing to risk social ostracism to "go there."

I'm willing to risk it.

Because that's how the cabal enforces silence and I personally won't allow it.

Ridicule. Repetition. Fake news, what Pelosi called the "wrap up smear." Slander. Court cases. Disappearance.

And society's peace is left unruffled. Look up Stanley Meiers and the water car. Wilhelm Reich. Royal Rife. The ten scientists.

Barry Seal. Enrique Camerena. The Clinton body count. The cabal has always enforced silence, lethally if need be, as JFK warned us when he assumed the presidency. (4)

Silence, while children are being tortured underground to produce adrenochrome? Not on your life. I'd go insane.

This researcher has seen what goes on underground and can never unsee it. Only actually seeing it has caused my fire to burn at this heat. And what I saw with one person ... OK, young girl ... is being repeated countless times ... or was ... around the world.

There was even an adrenochrome delivery van at Davos.

And all of it comes from the torture - and finally murder - of children.

So don't ask me to be quiet. Don't bother ridiculing me. Or do. There's lots to ridicule.

I'm content with my direction. I'm spurred on by the knowledge of what is happening underground. And I'm looking for ways to break the bad news without traumatizing you.

Only when we collectively know the worst of it - Satanic sacrifices, [censored], adrenochrome production, etc. - will we act. And soon we will know the worst of it because the knowledge can no longer be held back. The rising vibrations - the physics of the universe, Matthew would say (5) - will not allow it.

The sooner we awaken to what is happening in our midst, the sooner the global populace will demand its removal. No, we don't have cabal resources, data, and precision. But we have control of the collective consciousness. And it's that which guides the off-planet federations who have already decreed that peace will reign on Planet Earth. And it's they who ensure that the Mother's Will prevails.

All of this is moving towards the denouement of the Mother's Will and Plan - the Wave of Love as prelude and Ascension of this planet as fulfilment, out of the reach of the darkness ... and home.

Footnotes

(1) On the Factory Reset, see:

- *Factory Reset; or, Dropping Our Character Armor* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Factory-Reset-or-Dropping-Our-Character-Armor-R8.pdf>
- “Diary of a Breakthrough – A Factory Reset,” May 2, 2026, at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/2026/05/02/diary-of-a-breakthrough-a-factory-reset/>

(2) On core issues or vasanās, see *Vasanās: Preparing For Ascension by Clearing Old Issues* at <https://goldenageofgaia.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Vasanas-Preparing-for-Ascension-R16.pdf>

(3) Michael Baxter, "Michelle Obama (Michael Robinson) Military Tribunal, Part I," *Real Raw News*, December 24, 2025, at <https://realrawnews.com/2025/12/michelle-obama-michael-robinson-military-tribunal-part-i/>

(4) JFK's speech on secret societies.

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(5) Matthew: It can be no other way – simply, [because] this is the physics that governs life in this universe. As Earth continues apace into successively higher planes, nothing with low vibrations in any form – physical bodies, subversive plans, theft, dishonesty, unjust laws and imprisonment, bigotry, cruel customs and deeds – can survive. (Matthew’s Message, Mar. 1, 2012, at <https://matthewbooks.com>.)

On all the higher dimensions, everything hid shall be made known.