

Thoughts to Ponder

Choose Freedom

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Let Freedom Fly

Do you hear freedom shout as our flag passes by?
Have you noted how proudly she waves?
But the price that we've paid for our liberty's cry
can be seen in the thousands of graves.

Fifty states are portrayed by a cluster of stars.
Yet each one is a part of the all.
And their strength is the doctrine: *United We Stand*,
and the knowledge: *Divided we Fall*.

Thirteen stripes signify all the colonies that
first united, proclaiming their plan
which would guarantee justice and freedom for all
and protect all the rights of each man.

For the power of our nation lies in the belief
every state is a pillar of strength.
And together the many combined into one
form its breadth and its depth and its length.

It took many years to set all of us free.
and acknowledge the value of each.
We are richer because of the mixture we are
and the knowledge each person can teach.

Still our flag is the banner of each man's desire,
and the symbol of pride in our nation.
Let us vow to rekindle our liberty's fire
as we honor our country's creation.

July ushers in the celebration of freedom for those living in the United States. Our recognition of Independence Day still stirs the spirit with deep-set memories of a time when we were cut loose from the shackles of rules and laws which we felt were for the benefit of only a dominant few. Yet many of the memories stirring within our blood were of another place and time in a long series of lives. For always mankind has fought for independence, as century after century many of the world populations have been enslaved by one set of rulers or another. The memories may not emerge from our modern day, nor from this lifetime, nor in this country. Not for most of us anyway. But during eons of time all of us have experienced the relief of individual liberties being restored. Yet 37,000,000 of us throughout the world are still enslaved today.



Yet in this moment of time the hope for individual liberty throughout the world is heading for permanent realization. We have been given the choice of continuing to live in a world of duality---fighting off those who wish to control us; fighting for our freedom; fighting for position, for authority; fighting, fighting, fighting—or to choose God’s will for us. But through the grace of God, we are awakening. We are opening our eyes to what we have done to ourselves. The flag of liberty is waving before us, a flag that has been ours all along, but one that we chose not to follow.

In our ignorance, we chose to fly the flag of separation. We saw ourselves as separate from, not a part of, the life around us. And in that isolation we allowed ourselves to conflict with those we considered different from us. Therefore, conflict between all peoples raised its angry head and left us feeling alone and isolated. Freedom does not support conflict. And conflict certainly does not support freedom. As we begin to realize that we are all aspects of the God Source, individual representations of the whole, we can begin to see that those strange beings of another culture are not different from us, they are a part of us, and we are a part of them. Our freedom lies in our realization of our oneness. The God energy lives within each of us, and therein lies our freedom.

By shifting our pattern of thinking from our self will to God’s will, we will find the realization that we have finally found the path to peace, harmony, and happiness. God’s will for us has always been for our highest good. When we look back through time at what pitfalls we have stumbled into by trying to impose our will instead of the benevolent will of our Source, we can but breathe in a great aha!

This realization is dawning on more and more individuals as a new age of love and gratitude presents itself before us. The resolution has not come merely through our own discovery. We have had much help. Millions of light beings from the higher realms have been whispering in our ears the promise that was foreseen by the ancients. Angels, Archangels, Ascended Masters, as well as the Fairies, Elves, and Elementals have been tutoring us, telling us the time is now. Even the whales and dolphins, who are also beings from the higher realms and are vastly more intelligent than any of us have realized, have been holding the Light for us and sending us words of wisdom which only our hearts can hear. They are saying your freedom is at hand. The entire cosmos has been sending us rays of energy to raise our consciousness.

So let the celebrations begin. We are about to be set free of the dark trap we have put upon ourselves. But do not think the tribulations we have endured during the past thousands of years were in vain. We have grown through each difficult trial, and with every challenge we have conquered, we have enlarged our potential for love, laughter, and joy in the world ahead.

This is not because the Great Spirit who created us suddenly decided to take us back under his wing. His/her great gift to us has always been free will. We were allowed to make our own choices without interference and to live with the consequences of those choices whether we deemed them good or bad. Actually they were all good, for they were learning experiences, the benefits of which will always serve us.

It may be difficult to see the effects of this awakening of mankind when we look around us and see conflict, manipulation, and deceit. However, consider the fact that these characteristics are being looked at with newly awakened eyes. These traits are being brought to light and exposed



for what they are. The public in countries all over the world are rising up in protest against acts of oppression that once were meekly submitted to.

The awakening is real. Look around you. The forces of darkness grow weaker every day. Many of the dark ones are turning to the Light. Many others are hanging on in desperation to their lust for power and control. Know that everyone on the planet has been allowed to make his own choice between following God's will or his own. Some foolishly believe that their will can bring them the satisfaction they are looking for, whereas God's will is always for their greatest good. The gift of free will, nevertheless, will be adhered to.

For those who choose to stay in a world of duality, their choices will be honored. They will always have another opportunity to change their decision. But it may take many, many years for them to raise their vibratory rate to the point that they could survive in a realm of higher frequency. They must first open their hearts to love, for it is the love frequency that will allow them to advance spiritually.

Like attracts like, and those of a certain frequency will not be compatible with those who are vibrating at a higher rate. They will be attracted to beings and situations that resonate with their frequency. Loved ones who choose to go into the Light may become their teachers to bring them back into the fold. So do not be concerned about their choices. It is not for us to judge. All will eventually find their way back to the God Source. In the meantime, they will be greatly loved. For the God Energy is simply love energy. That energy will never desert them, and they will be shown the way in accordance with their highest good.