



“ On Faith “ by Shyam



“Where there is hatred, let me sow love,” said St. Francis of Assisi some 900 yrs ago. His prayer is used all over the world for healing, for peace, and for enlightenment. From time immemorial, human beings have used several words to achieve salvation. Even in the age of machines and science, we are accustomed to pause and ponder over certain words of positive meaning and application such as love, faith, peace, honor, harmony, and prayer. Out of all these words, I think the word “faith” is of paramount importance. The entire creation, I think, is faith inspired. Everything useful, helpful and righteously powerful is delineated by faith.

*Where there is faith, there is love;
Where there is love, there is harmony;
Where there is harmony, there is peace;
Where there is peace, there is happiness;
Where there is happiness, there is joy;
Where there is joy, there is creation.*

Every created “thing”, and the uncreated “no-thing” stem from faith. It is a wonderful experience to realize that faith is one step beyond God. It is therefore, God inspiration. The divine vision is the vision of

faith. If you take one step in the right direction in faith, all our steps and leaps in life will be of faith. There is no prejudice in faith. Love comes from faith. If God is love, then faith is God. Naturally, faith is the dynamic action of benevolence in reality.

Only with faith, prayer becomes effective. It can heal, and it can make one whole.

Where there is faith, there is the rainbow of life touching all the ends and beginnings in the eternal dimensions.

Where there is faith, there is energy of fulfillment.

Where there is faith, there is prayer, its chosen medium.

Life exists because of faith and prayer prospers because of faith.

In the created world, prayer becomes the worthy medium or channel of faith which transforms the cry of the human soul into divine music set to the tune of the rhythmic creation.

*If you have faith, you have love.
If you have love, you have peace.
If you have peace, you have plenty.
If you have plenty, you have joy
If you have joy, you have health.
If you have health, you have happiness.*

If you have happiness, you have the supreme ability and insight to delight eternally with each and every divine mystery.

*Blessed are those who have faith
and are not separate from faith.*



May your faith prevail in the strife ridden world and bring understanding, peace and prosperity to those who are not intoxicated with the power of the ego or those who are not faithful to their own words and promises.

May faith itself bless you with faith, the eternal inspiration of God the creator.

Love, *Shyam*

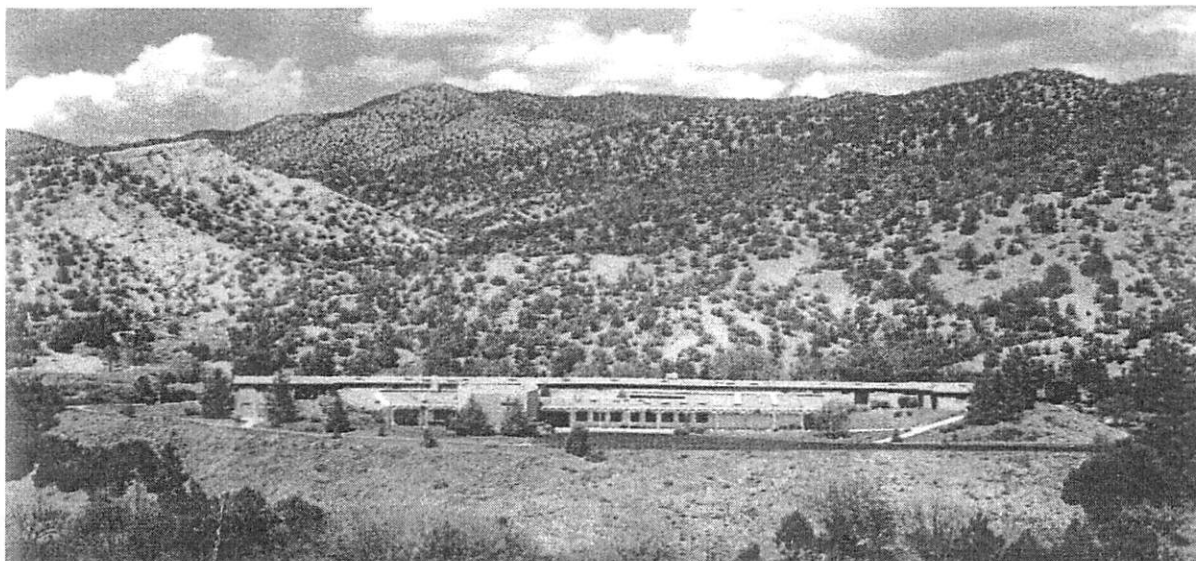
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EXCERPT FROM THE LITTLE BOOK OF THE SELF (See page 4 for details):

"In the face of a judgmental and pejorative attitude, the psyche hides like a fugitive. Unless the circumstance is extreme, police tactics with the psyche or with others lead us farther from the truth. Essential for understanding are the life-sustaining attitudes of love, acceptance, kindness, tenderness and simplicity. Without these, true insight cannot occur. It takes great courage to live without complacency or bereavement about the past, or uneasiness and grasping expectations about the future. In the fullness of the present moment is the pure awareness of the Self. Once we appreciate all experience without getting trapped in reactions, then understanding yields a peaceful transition from egocentricity and separation to humility and self-knowledge."

Shrikrishna Kashyap & Gayatri

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After recently moving into a new home, she will be starting a biweekly meditation group. Her new address and satsang space to an expanding group of spiritual aspirants is 6634 Acacia Court, South Miami, Florida 33143

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POETRY CORNER:

*Only what proves itself to every man and woman is so.
Only what nobody denies is so. (p. 52)*

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