StillPoint E-Magazine

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WELCOME TO OUR FIRST EDITION OF STILLPOINT E-MAGAZINE!

As part of the annual membership dues, we will now be sharing a periodic publication available in PDF for our members. Each publication will be unique with content such as excerpts from recent retreats, timely commentaries about current affairs, inspirational quotes, and even some of Jerry's best one-liners. We hope you will join us in celebrating this new form of fellowship and all that StillPoint stands for.

StillPoint Mission is The to teach "Silence" and the "Pure Knowledge" that supports the experience of the God within and brings the Grace of God to all beings around us. This Silence is the basis of all peace, inner and outer. The StillPoint program is about providing a personal experience of the Living Presence within, which is the only true and sure method for transforming the self and creating a world in harmony with God's Will, at peace with itself, and filled with Love - both human and Divine.



Feast Day of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Thursday, July 16th is the Feast Day of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. This day, we remember to celebrate the appearance of the Blessed Virgin Mary to the Carmelite Saint Simon Stock in the year 1251.

"With Zeal We Are Zealous for the Lord God of Hosts"

COME FOLLOW ME!

(A New Pure Knowledge Project)

Look for an email with OPC course link to arrive on Feast Day, July 16th

"Come Follow Me" is the call of the soul. It is spoken by the Living Christ to all who are prepared to share in the very life of God. Every journey requires a leader and a guide. In Silence the Leader directs us. In Pure Knowledge the journey is revealed, we are guided.

We have produced an ambitious two-year Pure Knowledge project which is a continuation of Universal Christ. We have named it appropriately "Come Follow Me – Sharing in the Very Life of God." It is written as a fugue.

fugue | fyoog | noun a contrapuntal composition in which a short subject is introduced by one part and successively taken up by others and developed by interweaving the parts. This is not linear sequential but an exposition of the pieces that make the whole which is intuitively revealed as the fugue progresses.

It is very much like the phrase Tom Hanks used in the 1994 film Forest Gump:

"My mom always said life was like a **box of chocolates**. You never know what you're gonna get." Each piece different and each piece covered with the same chocolate - wisdom of the Christ.

Each chapter will end with a question for you to contemplate. Questions are important because it is the quality of our questions that dictate the quality of our life.

User's Manual: This is not to be read like a novel. Take your time. Contemplate what is "attractive" to you because those pieces that stand out are what is being spoken to you directly, and for you specifically. This work is not constrained by the number of words or the presence of footnotes. This is not for "snowflake" standards of truth condensed to a bumper sticker. No! You will have to work your way through the content. Chapters will be published every 4 to 6 weeks which will give you time to really absorb the knowledge. Grace will have them on the website for you. Each chapter will be available in text and voice.

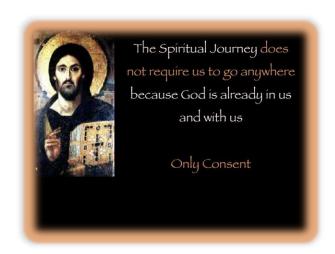
Carry On! Only Love, Jerry

STILLPOINT HOSTS A DIFFERENT:

Ongoing One Hour Retreat - Every Wednesday www.stillpointretreats.com/in-home-group-meditation

At any time, you can view and participate in the current retreat and any one of 12 that we have in our archives. On Wednesday of each week we present a new One Hour Retreat. We will send you a notice with the topic and a link to the StillPoint webpage which has the new retreat audio/visual recording posted as well as a library list of the last 12.

Please join us at any time you wish.



STILLPOINT COLLECTION:

(Introduction from June 2020 Retreat)

The Universal Christ – The Root of All Spiritualities: Part I

Hello and welcome to our very first audiovisual retreat of the summer. This is our first summer audio-visual retreat. There are many of you who are new. In fact, we believe we have 107 people going to be attending this retreat at home. Over the internet. So, this is a very new experience for us.

For those of you who are new, many new ideas. New concepts. I turn the world upside down by presenting you with the Divine Feminine paradigm. Which says that the great progress in spirituality is to relax into what's already there. The God that dwells within. And this is not a new religion. What we teach here is the basis of all religions. The ground of being from which every spirituality and every religion that takes you to God has sprung.

So, here you learn some Pure Knowledge and you also give yourself the experience to feel some of the peace. Some of the Presence of God within. So that, the mystical paradigm is characterized by - not just theological thinking and scientific wizardry - but also that experience that, sometimes you're told in the outside world, you just can't experience.

So, enjoy. Capture what you can. We designed it as a fugue. Which means there are many pieces. But it's not a logical sequential sort of a thing like that. Because this is so uniquely intuitive. That I could present A - and you get it. And you get B. And you get C. And I go to D and you get stuck on D trying to figure it out. And what happens is you miss E, F, G and the rest.

So, there are pieces. You'll see the pieces. And it all comes together in the end. In the summary, you'll see how it all really, really comes together. But really, mysticism is such a joy. It's relaxed. And it's so loving and compassionate and kind. Because this is all God's world. And when we look out, we only see Him. And love is seeing Him in the other. And when we do, we stir His love in their hearts.

SAVE THE DATE RETREAT SCHEDULE 2020:

September 19

The Mystery of the Mind

December 5

The Christmas Miracle - A Celebration!





SYNOPSIS FROM GOD'S WILL AS A WAY OF LIFE:

We are so blessed to live in a country founded on our relationship with God, where our rights to Life, Liberty and the pursuit of our Individual Fulfillment are the foundation of governance.



Although today our freedom of speech and thought, as well as our freedom to worship and our foundational Judeo-Christian culture, are under a "dark challenge" - remember that we are Children of the Light and there is great Hope. In John 1 we are told that it is common for the Light to be challenged and darkened from time to time, but the Light will never be overcome. I am reminded that there have been four profound visitations in the 20th century of the Divine Mother to mankind at Fatima, Lourdes, Medjugorje Garabandal who revealed, as did Eastern saints such as Paramahansa Yogananda, and western metaphysicians such as Edgar Cayce and George Washington - hey, they all had revelatory visions and all warned of these times. We are told that all manner of trouble can be averted if we pray (attune ourselves to the Divine) and realign ourselves to the message of Freedom, Love and Respect for the Laws of God and Nature (live a life of goodness). I encourage you all to pray the "Lord's Prayer" daily for the United States of America that we may remain a free society, "One Nation Under God."

DAILY PRAYER THAT WE MAY CONTINUE TO BE ONE NATION UNDER GOD:

Our Father, Who are in Heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our wrongdoings, as we forgive others their wrongs to us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Power and Kingdom and Glory - and we reaffirm these Unites States of America as Your Country - in Your Love and Protection forever!



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