Don'i Think ... Listen!



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Call In the Angels

There is nothing more important in life than "how" we treat each other! (It says how we feel about our selves.)

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When you've become so emotionally and mentally drained that you can't even feel sorry for your ego-<u>s</u>elf, you've "surrendered" enough ... to <u>begin</u> to arrive!

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"Uncertainty" about doing anything is the <u>same</u> as a decision "not" to do it . . . otherwise, you would without hesitating.

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When you "think," you're trying to figure things out. Nothing is solved that way. All you have to do is relax and "listen"... and you will <u>know</u> the answer!

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If you listen "internally" to your Self, you will be "given" every answer to every question. (No answer is an indication to temporarily do nothing.)

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"Real" people don't make excuses or defend themselves in <u>any</u> way.

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True happiness comes only when you do <u>not</u> "need" anyone or anything and can "accept" everyone and everything <u>as is</u>.

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"I nner-direction" may sometimes seem slow in coming . . . but, it <u>lasts</u>!

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There is no need to be surprised by anything here because <u>everything</u> . . . is "possible" in a dream!

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When people try to tell you what "life" is all about, they are (unintentionally) lying. (Nobody understands a "dream.") We can only learn what it is <u>not</u>.

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You may have to work at "<u>not</u> helping" people . . . in order for them to learn their lessons and to develop inner-confidence and "real" self-worth.

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Whether you have nothing in life, or everything, we "all" end up at the <u>same</u> place, which is not a place, but . . . a "state of mind"!

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When a parent <u>needs</u> "more" love than its child, the child becomes deprived of love and will seek it, lifelong, from others.

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<u>No one</u> will ever know you, but your Self! (Others only <u>depend</u> on their "image" of you.)

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The "older" we get the <u>more</u> we replicate our parents and their past . . . until we see them in ourselves and learn to forgive them.

– 15 –

We come into each others' lives to touch our hearts, and then . . . to set us "free" (which might entail our separation from each other to break our "attachment").

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<u>Only</u>... friends, lovers, family, and co-workers will tell you the unkindest things about your ego... so, "listen"! (It will help you to grow beyond it.)

– 17 –

"All" forms of nervousness —whether it be anxiety, high energy, or high activity —stem from <u>fearfulness</u> (coming from a sense of separation from God/Love).

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If you didn't have to "struggle," at most everything, you'd be bored to death!

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Being "angry" is the <u>same</u> as feeling sorry for your self! Both are attempts to "blame" someonelse for not getting <u>your</u> way.

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Self-pity and anger are nothing more than passive and active, selfish efforts to "control" others into doing your <u>personal</u> bidding.

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Expressing or focusing on "anger" or rage is nothing more than a <u>bad habit</u>. (But, recognition, not denial, of it is very important!)

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As long as you desire materiality (i.e., <u>any</u> thing or person), you will walk "behind" those who <u>don't</u>!

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"Loneliness" is an <u>attitude</u>. (Stop focusing on and feeling sorry for your self and . . . it will go away!)

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<u>Any</u> opinion or judgment pollutes the consciousness of the physical universe. (So don't "think" . . . about them!)

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When you get angry with your <u>s</u>elf for being upset, your ego wins, on "both" counts.

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<u>No one</u> can appreciate you as much as your Self. (So . . . do a "good" job!)

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Having wonderful insight and knowledge does not matter if you don't "act" like a wonderful person.

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Fact is . . . this is just a "dream." Everything and everyone you want or need perpetuates <u>the</u> fantasy without exception.

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All intimate relationships are like "breaking horses." Once your ego has been "broken," you can begin to have <u>real</u> relationships with others.

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We <u>all</u> have "multiple" personalities, which depend upon what our ego's mood is.

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<u>Everyone</u> has a "dark," or fearful, side. You <u>must</u> acknowledge "yours" to be free of it!

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The deeper and longer you look at your <u>ego's</u> past and characteristics the more "free," invulnerable, and fearless you become. (I t's a <u>lifetime</u> job!)

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"True" teachers have <u>no</u> students! (They demonstrate The Truth by "living" it in their <u>consciousness</u>, which emanates through their actions.)

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"Hopes" and "dreams" keep the fantasy-world from ending!

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"Whole" people do not have <u>intimate</u> relationships because they have no dependencies to work out!

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When you no longer enjoy the journey, it's time to leave ... provided you have done all your homework and have no remaining fears or anger and are at peace.

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<u>Children</u> raise children! (Period)

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Why do you think they call "work" work? (Because it isn't <u>fun</u>!)

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If you were God, would <u>you</u> make a world like this?

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If this "crazy" world is <u>living</u>, imagine what death must be?!

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It's "easy" to <u>love</u> people. But, <u>liking</u> them can be "difficult," sometimes!

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Most people <u>never</u> grow "up." They just grow "old."

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<u>Whatever</u> brings you the feeling of "reverence" is all that's important.

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The road is "long" . . . but, the journey is <u>very short</u>!

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Only the daily re-commitment of <u>both</u> parties in a relationship to living the Truth can keep it peaceful and together, physically, on the earth.

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In the end . . . the <u>best</u> luxury is "peace of mind."

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