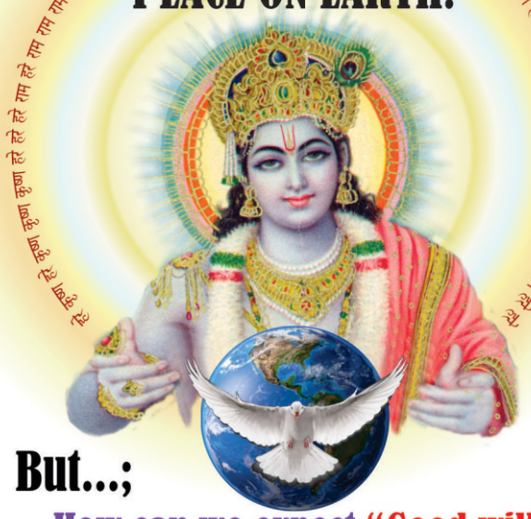


But...;

How can we expect "Good will toward all men"* if we firmly declare "My way is the Only way ?"

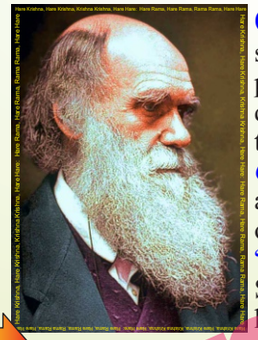
*Luke 2:14

A Higher Understanding Required

For thousands of years faith meant: Join us! "Either you are with us or against us! Accept this or you are doomed!" That has led to fear, hatred, imperialization and endless conflicts. How can there be harmony with other nations, races, species, and faiths if you consider them damned if they don't worship like you?

Or do you believe all religions are the same? Is your mood: "*Be SPIRITUAL now...religion is the opiate of the people. Pick one, or none, it does not make any difference!*" But, does a degree from a local junior college command the same respect of a Yale student? Do you preach: *"Chill out! Don't be judgmental. Everything is good!"* Then why is there so much suffering, poverty, quarrel, hypocrisy, racial hatred, greed and misery? Is this the best we can do?

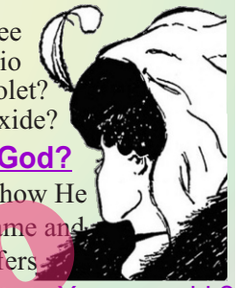
Or are you a rugged philosophical individualist just "***Living What IS***". Is your method counting breaths, meditation, merging into the oneness of it all and believing only what you can observe. Have you concluded that peace requires giving up desires, ego and the illusionary concept of your self? Yet, isn't *that* a desire that your sense of self is aspiring to obtain?



Or do you believe rational science can resolve our shared problems and answer ontological questions? Charles Darwin's theory was: *"Life evolved from Chemicals!"* but where is such an example? There are millions of examples of the opposite: "Chemicals coming from Life!" So how reasonable is Darwin's highly promoted theory?

The Search For Peace... is a quest for meaning, purpose, appreciation and love. We all want that, but when left to our own devices, we have consistently failed to achieve it. That is because we are all handicapped by our inherent human flaws:

1. Illusionary perceptions: Thinking a mirage has water or salt is sugar. Being fooled by a magician.
2. Propensity to cheat: Posturing. Looking Good. Teaching with no credentials. Pretending to know. Cutting corners. Embezlement. Doing your taxes?
3. Human err/mistakes: How often do you make a mistake and will you admit it when it happens?
4. Limited senses: Can you see radiation? Can you hear radio waves? Can you feel ultraviolet? Can you smell carbon monoxide?



How Well Do YOU Know God?

Do you know what He eats, how He dresses, what He does or His name and address? Do you believe He offers the apex of beauty, peace and love, Young or old ? or He has a territorial, angry, and jealous nature? About 80% of the population has realized good council must come from a flawless source like God because without his perfect guidance we are all doomed. But is your knowledge of God sentimental or philosophical? From whom did you get that impression and who taught your teacher?

Are You A Spiritual Bigot?

The Judeo, Christian, Islamic traditions are presented as mutually exclusive and competitive. Is your God really that small and insecure? A mature disciple knows God is unlimited and will appreciate whatever tradition or name one calls Him even if it is Elliot. To demean something you fear or have not properly understood is what the word prejudice means.

Can You Explain?

If God is the only way to grasp the absolute truth and all religions are NOT the same, then the one which has attracted you at this time is the one that is right for you. But can you explain:

1. What offence is so severe a merciful God who claims to love us would punish us eternally?
2. Why are some born wealthy and spoiled while others are born in tremendous despair?
3. How just is it to a serial killer's victims if God immediately forgives him on request?
4. What is a fair destiny for those who love God deeply but worship him differently?

ALL religious traditions are intended to restore the conditioned soul's lost relationship with the Supreme Lord. God is so kind that He has provided *many paths* to meet us where we are to start our trek home, Back to Godhead. All we need to do is stay in the association of those seeking to love God and that will continue to enrich your soul.

THE BEATLES ...got it right when they sang *"All You Need Is Love!"*

The four legitimate yoga systems are meant to progressively lift our consciousness from the mundane to the transcendental. Yoga culminates in the path of bhakti, (Bg. 6.47) which is the highest personal expression of love between God and each one of us. The more effort we make towards that loving exchange, the more He removes His illusionary covering and rushes forward to reveal Himself to His devotee.

"All of them, as they surrender unto Me, I reward them accordingly. Everyone follows My path in all respects, O son of Prtha." – Bhagavada Gita As It Is Chapter 4."Transcendental Knowledge", Text 11.

When to Graduate?

When your level of devotional inquiry expands beyond what your faith can reasonably explain, it may be a sign that it's time to graduate to the next stage in your theological evolution. If you follow this policy, you will eventually achieve the highest degree of transcendence known as *"Sanatan Dharma."* That means *your eternal constitutional position* which transcends the limits of religion.

"Abandon all varieties of religion and just surrender unto Me. I shall deliver you from all sinful reactions. Do not fear." –Bhagavada Gita As It Is, Chapter 18. "The Perfection of Renunciation", Text 66.

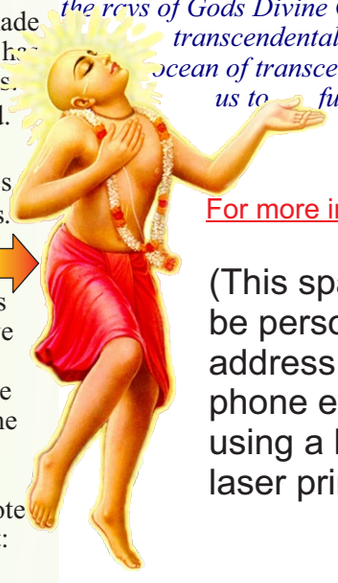
Made In The Image of God (Genesis 1:27)

The ancient Sanskrit Vedas concur we are all made in the image of God, and they also inform us He has four extraordinary characteristics: He embodies:

1. **Sat**:...eternality. God has no beginning or end.
2. **Cit**:...comprehensive absolute knowledge.
3. **Ananda**:...the zenith of all transcendent bliss
4. **Vigraha**:...a divine form possessing all potencies.

Restoring Your Full Potential?

Because we originate from God, we share His nature, so these qualities will be restored when we revive our relationship with Him. The process is not difficult to start. For the people of this age, the Vedas recommend we call out to God in any of the many names He is known by. It does not matter which name you chant as long as you do so with humble loving affection. To this end a great devote of God who lived in Bengal 500 years ago taught:



"All glory to the holy name of the Lord which cleanses the heart of all the dust accumulated for years and extinguishes the fire of conditional life, of birth and repeated misery. This process is the prime benediction for humanity at large because it spreads the rays of Gods Divine Grace. It is the life of all transcendental knowledge. It increases the ocean of transcendental bliss, and it enables us to fully taste the nectar for which we are always anxious."
- Sri Caitanya Mahaprabhu

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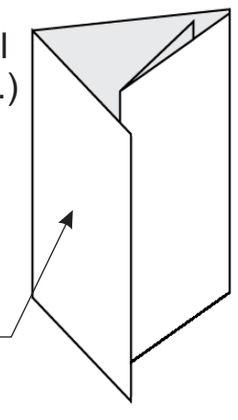

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