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Space of The Spirit



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C REATIVE WORK IS
THE LANGUAGE
OF TALENT HIDDEN IN EACH PERSON.
I BELIEVE THAT IT IS
IMPORTANT TO DISCERN
THE BEAUTY AND HARMONY OF THE WORLD
IMPLEMENTED BY GOD.
IF WE ARE CAPABLE OF
DOING THAT, WE CAN
MULPLY THIS TREASURE.

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The wholeness comes when love
becomes stronger than desire
to be happy

Metanoia change of mind



When we stop measuring life by time,
we will know the mystery of timelessness,
immortality and the beauty of existence

Time is the ladder between the visible and
invisible worlds, with steps both visible and in-
visible, accessible and inaccessible,
comprehensible and incomprehensible,
steps for both ascending and descending.

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T ime is the golden cup in which
the water of life is kept.
It dies, drop by drop, if we spill it with careless hands.

O ur life is like a watch with two
hands – earthly and heavenly.
We live our life on the edges of these hands.

L ife, grounded in ideals, is beautiful.
Tragedy and failure come when
these ideals start being injured.

S elf-admiration cuts a man in two and
robs him of all naturalness.
Love makes him whole since there is nothing
more natural than love.

H eavenly love settles in the heart
where it warms, reconciles and raises us up.
Earthly love lives on the tip of the tongue:
first it tempts with sweet songs,
and then it poisons with a cold indifference.

T he fatherland begins with motherhood,
the mother begins with the family,
and the family begins with the father.

*I*n two there's opposition.
In three – wholeness.

*T*o find is not as important as to save. ...

*M*ind cognizes, ...
soul contains, Spirit fills.

*B*eginning the female there is continuation;
with the male, confirmation. ...

*G*enius turns up where man exceeds his human nature,
and in God's nature finds himself. ...

*I*n search of harmony, we are compelled
by an imperfection and emptiness that demands filling.
Upon finding harmony, freedom is found. ...

*L*ove can save a man from the mad-
ness of the whole world. ...

*W*e can only fight against fraudulence
with natural innocence. ...

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T he more bitter the tears, the
sweeter the consolation.

W omen's mysteries arise as men try to solve them.

S ometimes it seems that we have avenged our lives,
but in reality, it's on our very selves
that we have taken vengeance.

T he surrounding world is a cup filled
with the living water of life.
The taste depends on the lips tasting it.

F irst become what you can,
then what you want.

T he rich man is not the one who possesses most
but the one who values most what he possesses.

T ruth comes from the earth.
Harmony from the Heavens;
when these two essences come together,
earthly beauty is sanctified by heavenly love.

H e loved himself so much that he never even
came out of himself.

The best job is like a cup. ...
The more you drink from it the more you want its water.
The worst job is like the sea.
The farther you swim, the faster you want to reach the land.

Love unites a family for its enrichment, ...
sinful desires confuse for its devastation.
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Silence hears all



*T*he talent of interlocutor is in the art of silence.

*T*he deeper the silence, the clearer
the voices of contradiction.

*T*he stolen differs from the given: while
the former burns, the latter warms.

*W*ealth can be reward, ruin, or salvation.

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To hear is to learn to keep and feel the silence.
To speak is to learn to think and listen to the others.

The more we aspire the more likely
we are to reach the target.

The eyes are not given to be blind,
nor the ears to be deaf.
But the tongue is to be kept behind ones teeth.

To know the will,
is to cognize and overcome the fear
and nature of your slavery.

If something is stolen from you, it is only
worth of consideration for two reasons:
that you are not so poor, and that you
have something in excess.

The ability to forgive debts is pro-
portional to our wealth.

The more a man speaks, the less he is able to say.

Better lose what you have in excess than
find something beyond your strength.

Silence reveals, and quiet hears everything. ...

To not be angry does not mean to be kind. ...

One's will is not found through independence,
but only through natural purity, ...

Tradition is a spirit, ...
habit is a reflex.

What is found is saved, ...
and what is saved can always be found.

The higher you rise in the light, ...
the brighter becomes your soul,
and more distinct the voices of kindness and evil.

Lying is an attempt to compensate for ...
the absence of sincerity.

The sun shines in daytime to let us ...
know which way to go at night.

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Hunger teaches,
satiety stupefies.

The sweetest voice of Truth is silence.

The one who listens to the quiet hears himself, the one who hears himself will learn to recognize the voice of Truth.

Isolation devastates, solitude heals.

Lying has one distinctive feature –
it won't let us live peacefully.

The more man sees and knows,
the less he admires himself,
and heads further on the way to enlightenment.

Nothing takes a man further to the Truth,
as a perfect example and personal life experience.

They speak too much who do not hear themselves.

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The most difficult things in our life are the easiest to solve. We must simply overcome our fears and rid ourselves of laziness.

Wisdom turns wealth into glory, while greed, from glory, aims to get wealth.

Physical laws are the signs of that we live not only in the physical environment.

Know that by sadness, you pay for superfluous joy.

The man becomes strong only when he is revealed weak against the background of God's omnipotence.

Only when laughter is deprived of malice does it bring joy and consolation. Wonder proves our blindness.

Whenever you want quiet, forget about it and devote yourself to your calling. Then, the quiet will come to you gradually.

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The funniest things in life come from being excessively earnest.

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To become yourself, stop playing somebody else's role.

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The way discovers in us what routine hides.

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Each of us has his own normal abnormalities.

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Money makes us free until we start to serve it.

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Things become terrible when we lose our sense of humour.

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Laughter saves us from bitter tears, as tears save us from malicious laughter.

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Nothing is as true as pain.

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The mysterious attracts, the unknown repels.

Degradation comes when carelessness is established
by self-admiration.

The quieter you speak, the better you are heard.
For the quiet word never plugs the ears.

The heart will see clearly if mind
does not cross its way:
for the heart is to lead and the
mind is to contain the way.

All emptiness and vanity turn against
a background of quietness,
and all belligerence – against the back-
ground of the world.

We pay off debts for our illusions
which steal the most valuable time in our lives.

Sometimes the power of thought becomes
an awful implement. If it is wielded by an impure soul.

Our capabilities are in our knowledge
for in knowledge we discover our capabilities.

*S*tars fall from the sky to make the Earth lighter.

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*a*s your eyes are, so you will see.

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Two banks of the river



*I*dols are imitated, ideals inherited.

*T*he culture of our ancestors re-
veals their great love of life. ...

*T*he beauty of nature is perfection,
and the beauty of perfection is naturalness. ...

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In wisdom is the apprehension of the Truth
and in art, It's recreation.

Do not taste the fruit until you are sure it is ripe
for hunger spoils your taste.

In dread of God, we recover our sight,
in dread of people, we are blinded.

The apprehension of Truth comes
not to the one who desires it,
but to the one who is capable of containing it.

Man is as God created him.
He lives according to his depth of understanding
of the One who created him.

Knowledge confirms the Truth
and the Truth is only cognized by the spirit.

Flesh and soul are image,
spirit is imitation.

The clearness of thought depends on the depth of faith.

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Laws remind the slaves of their duties, but those free also find there their rights and freedom.

We are able to love as we are able to enjoy.

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If the soul sleeps, the heart cries.

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Fasting reveals, prayer fills.

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Our life is a school.
Temptations and bliss are lessons.
Death is an exam.

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The lack of mind makes our life limited and the lack of spirit makes it primitive.

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Our sense of space is proportional to the depth of our mind.
Our knowledge is reflected in our actions, and reflected in our actions is our will dressed in the wreath of conscience.

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When waiting for a holiday, know that it will come
after a workaday routine.

Never swear as it is the boundary which
we are most willing to cross.

Run away from yourself to love people.
Run away from people to love God.

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