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A most vibrant gathering of energies for this session. We were most pleased to see the combination. We are here in this session to discuss a particular topic, as you would refer to it, honesty. Honesty is rather a peculiar concept as manifested on the earth plane. It is, of course, related quite directly to truth. However, what is interesting is that honesty is a ~ actually, only a lesson that is a part of the earth plane. It is what you might call an offshoot of the Universal Truth. In no other training ground in The Universe is this issue as it is defined on the plane dealt with ~ honesty.

It is rather an amusing issue to observe, for so many of you confuse honesty with truth. You see, to be truthful means that you are honest, as you would define it on the plane. However, if you are honest, as it is defined on the plane, you are not necessarily truthful. Now, in order to understand this difference, understand that truth, as we have discussed in other times, is as an entity defines truth for themselves and that there is a Universal Truth and that as you gain in your own awarenesses and advancements you seek the higher truth and you eventually discover the Universal Truth.

Now, if you, therefore, are working toward the achievement of Universal Truth and defining finally what that Universal Truth is, then you would define honesty in different ways, you see, for your honesty relates directly to the way in which you see truth. Now, we come back to that same old issue called judgement where an entity looks at another and says, "You are not honest, for you have gone against what I believe to be the truth."

Now, understand that on the plane it is very, very important to have what you call standards established that set up a parameter of what honesty is defined as, for one must then work within those parameters in order to establish their own truth, and therefore, to project then what they feel to be honest, and that many of you are in what we might refer to as clusters of awareness.

And thus it is that you would look at groups of entities who would define honesty in a certain way and others who would define honesty in another way. And thus it is that large gatherings of entities are at approximately the same point in their awarenesses of the Universal Truth, and therefore, they seek the earth plane guidance for growth, for when there is a border or a parameter for the definition it is only in the stretching, in the pushing of that parameter further and further away, that one develops a greater understanding and a greater strengthening and growth, for as you push that parameter further and further away, you see, you are then moving closer and closer to The Universal Consciousness ~ you gain. Some entities may gain only a very infinitesimal amount in a particular incarnation, and on the earth plane this particular obsession ~ and this is as it is meant to be, understand ~ with the self-imposed concept of honesty is very critical for what the earth plane is set up to accomplish for lessons to be learned.

One of the difficulties that many entities find themselves in is that they become so obsessed, bogged down, if you will, if this is a nice slang word, colloquialism, with honesty that they lose sight of truth, you see. But this is as it is needed, for it is only in the forcing of judgement against another that one begins to release themselves from the judgement, for as you are judging you will be judged by another, and it is only in the emotion that you would feel as a result of being judged that you would then be able to not judge another and to recognize that all truth is truth. At that moment it is what the entity believes.

In other training grounds the way in which truth is dealt with is different. There is, on one particular training ground, instead of it being as you would define it as honesty, or a standard by which you would measure behavior, physical behavior ~ this is what honesty is on the earth plane. You do this, or you do not do this ~ Universal Truth is used in attitude toward, in what you would call, as best defined, Self-development. This is a difficult concept to present to you while on the plane, you see. Many of you will be able to understand in your meditations, and many already have the awareness of the greater dimension of truth and its manifestations on the various planes ~ honesty on the earth plane, attitude on other planes, on other training grounds.

Without honesty, as you would call it on the plane, there would be chaos, for in the Universal sense it is quite appropriate, you see, to say that each of you has your own truth and, therefore, your own view of honesty, and that you will behave in a certain way, and if no one else agrees with that or likes it, then that is their problem. Well, this is fine as the precept, but in the working through of the lesson, you see, it is very necessary to have what you call laws, very important that these be established as standards by which you then begin to question, for this has been throughout the earth plane and throughout this particular illusion that the laws have changed as the attitudes and behaviors have changed, and what was once considered honest is no longer considered honest, and what was considered dishonest in the past is now considered honest, you see.

And you must understand that you deal with major segments of culture and that you find yourself within a particular grouping of entities who believe in a certain way, and your particular mission or role may be to simply learn discipline and a greater understanding of honesty and truth within that group, or it may be that you are there to help change, to help evolve, if you will, the idea of HONEST as it becomes Universal Truth, for, you see, once you have understood and gained the Universal Truth, and there are therefore no judgements, there is no reason to place laws upon behavior, for all would act in the same way, and all would have the same truth, and there would be no need to protect one from another, for you would truly understand the interconnectedness of all, and that what you do affects all other energy forms, and until that is understood, there is a need for laws. There is a need for standards.

You see, this will never be achieved on the earth plane. You see, this is the reason for the earth plane. It is for you to work through all of this. It is only at the spirit level as you approach Oneness that it all suddenly will become quite clear. You will look back on your time spent on the earth plane and you will say, "Yes, that is how I gained in my awareness. That is how I learned the Universal Truth," you see. And thus, truth being one of those issues that is taken on by all entities who leave The Oneness. Depending upon your own Menu of Lessons to be learned will determine how much you will take on in this learning of honesty on the plane, you see.

We will, at another time, go into greater detail on the area that we presented a short time ago regarding percentages of lessons to be learned on the plane. Some of you may take on honesty as, oh, ten percent of the way in which you will learn the Universal Truth. Another may decide to take on honesty as fifty percent, and therefore, you will see varying degrees among entities as to the way in which they deal with this whole issue of honesty. For some, it is a very difficult issue. For others, it is quite clear and there is no problem, if you will, in the way in which they behave, you see. It is all rather interesting to observe as each of you take on various percentages of learning, as well as seeing where each of you are currently in the learning of that, and that part of the clashing that occurs is very necessary for the learning of lessons, for it is in the seeing of others' ideas of honesty that you then can question your own honesty. It is quite, quite a beautiful thing actually to observe, you see.

Now, we have presented this as a topic that will go along with the topic of truth. For the dear ones involved in the editing of the material, this will assist you in knowing that when we discuss honesty it is to be grouped along with truth. We help you out just a bit here. We will attempt to do that as we go along now. We would take questions now based upon the topic area that we have presented.

Do We Help Ourselves Grow If We Are Honest With Ourselves And Follow Our Own Truth?

This is, my love, the only way in which an entity can ultimately grow, is by going within Self, as we have said so very often. And the answers that are within Self are your own truth as you understand it at that particular time, you see. You must not attempt to go by someone else's truth. You must seek your own answers and find your own truth and respond in that way, even if it means that the next day on the plane you have a different truth. This is fine, you see. This is as it needs to be. It is that you follow your truth, for you grow only in that way.

A Question About Expressing Honesty And Truth When It Comes To Your Children

When you are dealing with someone else's, like with your children ~ when they are not able to express their needs or their truth, you want to trust what you feel is the truth for them but you do not know if it is your truth. You do not know if you are being honest for them.

Yes, and this is where we said the clashing can occur, for it becomes very complex, you see, as to whether or not ~ in this case the children have come in through you to learn from you, to help them in establishing a greater understanding of their own truth, or whether they have come in to help you to understand and expand your own truth, or if it is a mutual teaching and learning. And thus it is, again, the emphasis that we place upon meditation, for when there is a question as to what the direction should be, this is once again seeking the answers from Self and seeking guidance from the Higher Self and from the Spirit Guides to assist you in knowing how best to respond, for in some situations you may be imposing upon another, but in other situations you may be asked for assistance from these entities and you must be able to know the difference, and this in itself is opportunity for growth in understanding the difference, in recognizing the difference.

A Question Of Inequity In One's Sense Of Value In What They Feel Is Honest

If a person goes to the store and they spend ten dollars and they find that there is an error and they were only charged nine dollars instead. This person would normally take care of the other dollar. Now, if this same person spends one-thousand dollars and they were charged nine-hundred and ninety-nine dollars, there is a difference of one dollar again, but the size of the purchase is so great, and I am thinking about honesty in that case because the dollar just does not seem as important. Now, how does this fit into a Universal Concept.

Ah, ~ quite simple, my dear one, for an entity has a particular value that they place upon their own sense of ethics, and this is an entirely different aspect of this which we will discuss at another time. However, what occurs here, you see, is that you would say that this one dollar had a greater value to the shopkeeper for a ten-dollar purchase than it did for a one thousand dollar purchase. You are presupposing this and you are setting then a different standard of your own sense of honesty, for, you see, one dollar is one dollar regardless of its relationship to total. And thus, when viewing your own sense of honesty you would view honesty in its increment, in its simplistic form, not in relation to something, so that you would say if a certain amount of money is at hand here, then I will be less honest than if it were a lesser amount, or vice-versa, as you would say, you see.

And this is part of the struggle with honesty and in the defining of truth, for what is really the truth here. What is the issue that you seek? Is it that you would repay an inequity? This is a part of truth, you see, and it shows itself in this form of honesty, for the inequity is that you were charged less than the price regardless of the amount, and you make the decision as to whether or not you make up the inequity, you see. This is perhaps as simple a way in which we could address this at this point in time, given the amount and depth of information we have given regarding this. Remember your question, my love. And at a future time, after we have given more in-depth information regarding this, you might ask it again and refer back to the response we gave you this time and then compare it with the response we would give you once you have gained in your own awarenesses.

Is it harmful to say a nontruth to someone, knowing it is a nontruth, but knowing that it will help make them feel better?

What occurs in this particular issue is that, and we have on many occasions mentioned this, that you as an entity may have a knowledge of another through the development of your own abilities, sensitivities, and that that knowledge is a responsibility and that there may be times when an entity is not ready to hear certain things. Just as we have indicated, there is much more to the answer that we have just given, but the understanding would not be there as of yet for we have not given out the necessary information so that you would assimilate that and then be able to understand a more indepth response. The same holds true in your own situations where you would feel that to say a certain thing to another entity would not be beneficial at this particular time.

Now, once again, there is a very fine line between the responsibility that you have toward injury toward another based on knowledge that you would have and outright deceit or lying for the sake of causing injury, you see. And once again, how does one know the difference? Once again, we would respond that it comes from your meditations. It comes from the seeking of the Higher Self and in the understanding of who you are, what your soul is telling you, and as long as you are seeking to know what is best, then you are fine. It is when you deliberately would cause injury to another or hurt to another deliberately, maliciously, that you would then begin to deal with other issues relating to balancing.

A Question About Honesty And Truthfulness Being Painful

Most people do not like honesty and truthfulness because they cannot handle constructive criticism. They do not want to hear honesty because it hurts a lot.

Yes, indeed it can, and this is a very major portion of the issue of honesty on the plane, for to be honest means that the entity who is being honest, in many cases, will be a mirror, will be a reflection to that individual to whom they are being honest, and that that entity many times will not enjoy seeing that, for they see Self, for the issues of being truthful, being honest, are multiple, and it is part of the lessons set up on the plane that this be the case, for it forces an entity to look at Self. And this is the only way one can grow, for the more that you attempt to be honest, truthful to yourself, and then project that out, those who would not understand this, who would say, "Oh, what is this? Who does this person think they are? They are little goodie-two-shoes." Is that correct? © You see, this in itself is a lesson for all concerned.

And this thing called constructive criticism ~ Oh-h ~ most entities do not understand this, and constructive criticism usually turns out to be criticism rather than something that is being offered for assistance, you see, and but once again this comes into the whole

dimension of the issue of honesty. It makes it all rather interesting for it is quite complex, quite complex.

An Example Of Being Tactful With Someone, To Help Them

I had a young beautiful teenage girl that was helping me at work, and she wore heavy-duty mascara in bright blue. I tried to be tactful. I said, "You are so young and beautiful, and you really do not need all that, because when people look you, all they see is this blue thick mascara." She did eliminate it, and she did look youthful and nice. Should I have said that to her, to be honest?

Indeed, and what occurred was that she had developed a sense of trust with you, for the gentleness of your spirit showed through, you see, and she respected what you said to her. Another entity who would have attempted to do that with this particular entity would not have succeeded. It was because of your connections with this particular entity in other times that the response was positive. This is part of the issue, however, that of being tactful versus being honest. Many times, one is more tactful than honest in order to reach the truth, you see. Honesty is not always the best policy. There are other ways to reach the truth.

A Question Of People Being Open And Honest With One Another

Truth never hurt me. It is the lies, or if someone says something derogatory against me that was not true, that hurts.

Indeed. This is true of many entities, and it is primarily because of an advanced degree of learning where truth is concerned, you see.

I love truth. Tell me what you are feeling. Tell me what you are thinking. I like the openness in people.

Yes. You have done what you would call workshops in the illusion now during the Atlantean time with us in the temple, and this was your expertise, as you would call it now in the illusion, in which you helped others to seek the truth and to not be afraid of the truth. Many are afraid of the truth, you see, many, many.

And the truth shall set you free.

Indeed. That is a truism. © And it is finally in the attainment of the one truth that you are free, you see, and you are One with The Universal Consciousness, you see. Quite well put, my dear.

The Issue Of Telling A Lie Which Eventually Hurt Someone

I had occasion to tell a gargantuan white lie recently, which was meant to make something happen that was supposed to happen, which was leading towards truth ~ my truth, but it hurt the other person. That is the problem I have understanding.

Indeed. We would then begin to address the issue of hurt, and as we said earlier, if you are maliciously and deliberately attempting to hurt, then that is an issue quite different from attempt to reach the truth by projecting your own truth with another. That which was presented with you and this other entity was entirely appropriate.

Because it was my way to be able to project my truth, and my intent was not to hurt.

That is correct.

Okay. A different way to look at things.

Indeed, for if you attempt to never hurt then that means you attempt to always help. If you begin with that basic premise of Being of Service and attempting to help, then you are working in the right direction.