

## DISCOURSE XII

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### MINUTE MEN

Beloved Students of Chicago and those who are visiting here today, in the Fulness of that which has been prepared—and I may only say this much today—one of the Greatest Achievements known in the history of the Messengers' Ministry was accomplished yesterday. (*Applause—audience rising*)

I am here today to try to take you with Me, and while I talk to you, will you be seated and be just as quiet and still as you can; and please, no matter what I say, just keep your seats and Hold This which We wish to do.

Since the Dispensation has been given and so many of the Student Body of America and other lands will take advantage of It, and as the Messenger called your attention in the beginning of the service today, to begin to prepare yourselves as definitely, at least, as if you were going to journey to Europe—it is a far more important journey I assure you, especially now.

Ladies and gentlemen, since I am an Englishman, or used to be, I know considerable about our

people. I know considerable of Europe, and far more in the last three years than I could have ever gained in the physical body. Since We see the cause and effect of all conditions of each Nation, then We are in a position to determine what is the thing to do.

Now since this Dispensation has been given, will you understand that It is given for you. Why do you suppose those Great Ones went to the Great Central Source of all Wisdom, Power and Knowledge to this Earth and gained a Dispensation for the people of Earth? My Dear People, do you understand; won't you try to charge your being with the Full Comprehension of what that means? Why am I endeavoring to carry you into a certain Consciousness, into a certain Feeling today? While My time is very short, yet I shall endeavor to do it.

When you have actually experienced something, you are in the position first hand to know the cause and the result; and since I am the One who recently had this Experience, then I am an authority to you to lift you into That, if you care to be lifted.

When in India, the Great Master came to Me—not an Ascended Master—and told Me and set before Me that vision of My Goal, I stand in amazement—if We could be amazed in the Freedom of the Ascended Masters' Octave, I would still be amazed—how it was followed out.

You have a magnificent faculty, your physical eye sight, which you could use with a power that is indescribable, if you knew it, if you would believe it, if you would use it. I am amazed how the Messengers have pled and shown mankind what they could do with their physical eye sight—one of those three faculties—but they hear it and go on. My Dear Students, if you are just going to hear a thing, then go on serenely in your old way, what good does it do!

Do not construe anything I say as anything critical; you will defeat your purpose if you do. I never criticize anything or anybody, never in the world; but I am trying to get at you in a way that will cause you to see definitely your limitless ability, Dear People. Oh, I love America just as much as I love England, for I belong to all Nations now.

Remember, when He held that magnificent worded picture before Me, without knowing it outwardly, I accepted and set into action in My feeling world that vision; and then as I briefly follow this, you will understand how definite it was. When He said to Me: "On a great mountain in North America you will find the Man who will enable you to have the Ascension," can you believe it, I never questioned it a second. I did not even question how I was going to get there, how I was going to have the money supplied. Not one thought ever entered My mind, except I accepted it.

Now this is what the Power of Complete Acceptance means. The Light within Me, as I know it now, enabled Me to accept the Fulness of that without question; and you, Dear Children of the Light, could you accept the things that Saint Germain says to you without question, what a transformation would take place in the Student Body throughout America in thirty days. But to hear a thing and go right on as you did before, is of no consequence.

Now then, after He was gone, He and My father went away by themselves and visited for hours. When My father returned I said—notice—"Father, what did He say to you?" He said: "My son, that I may not repeat." How little did I know how He was preparing My father for that which was so quickly to follow. Then He went away; we knew not where. Then, shortly after—suddenly—my father was shot, and the natives brought him home. Understanding what that Great Presence in our home meant, when My father was brought back, I looked at him, but I only thought—My Blessed father, you are Free! There was not the slightest sorrow. I did not know why then, but it just wasn't there.

Then this Glorious One appeared again, and this time He came from South Africa, with the information that a large fortune had been left to My father, and in case of his passing, to Me. Oh,

My Dear Ones, observe closely how the Great Light and Its Power was preparing the way through individuals for all that was required for Me.

Now notice, I made no effort up to that time. I was just like other lads, very happy and harmonious in our home, because there was no inharmony ever in our home; but My mother felt quite different. Her sorrow was very deep and very great, even though what the Master said to her, still she did not quite free herself from that. Then she too, made the change, and I was left a lad alone in the World, as I thought; but how mistaken I was.

The Master had said that this wealth had been deposited in the Bank of England; and on going there, I found it was there. Then transferring to a bank in New York, I began My search. Talk about patience and determination; I had it, but I did not know it. I just went on and on and on, sometimes I did grow very weary, but never was there a moment or thought of failure or discouragement, as you know it in the outer world. While I grew weary, as soon as I laid My body down and it rested, then the same great calm strength and courage was there.

When finally, in arriving and observing the beauties of Mount Shasta, think of all the thousands of miles I traveled, and think of the hundreds of miles I hiked, then that memorable day, when coming suddenly upon this good Brother sitting

on a log, little did I know who He was, what He was, or why He was there. Remember the Glory of that Inner Directing Intelligence, which is guarded and directed by your Higher Mental Body. I knew nothing about My Higher Mental Body—but the accuracy with which the Final Goal came and the speed of It, was something that cannot be described, for as you near the Goal, everything in your life simply speeds up.

Remember now will you, take that cue. Do you quite get that! May I repeat it! When you come nearer the Goal everything in your Life Stream speeds up. So don't mind if you find yourself in a position to do ten days' work in one day, what you did in days previous. You know, I smile sometimes at the Staff—of course, they are not listening, so I can talk to you about it; and when I see them serving with such great speed and intensity, I wonder if they will take this cue!

Then, when I went up to Him sitting there on the log, and He looked around and stood up, and may I use your slang expression: for a moment we looked each other over, neither one dreaming—now observe Dear People, up to that moment, just observing each other—not either one dreaming what was so quickly to follow. Do you see that? Then I think We both must have begun to feel something, for I am sure We suddenly felt that great peace and

harmony to each other. When He reached to offer Me a drink, in His hand came that Crystal Cup; and seeing That, everything in My Being leaped into action and I thought: "GREAT GOD! MY SEARCH IS ENDED!" He did not know it, but when I saw that Cup, I knew My search was ended.

Then He stood there looking at It in amazement, watching It fill with the Liquid, and Myself doing the same. As soon as I saw It was filled, I seized It with both hands and drank It as fast as I could. I could not tell you just all that took place within a few moments. It was like fire through My entire body, yet not anything unpleasant, but just like a fire; and I know today It was a Fire of Life sweeping out of My physical body and releasing the purifying substance into action within those few glowing moments.

Then, when I stood there watching Him, and He in such great amazement, after hearing My story, said: "What am I supposed to do?" Of course, He felt It, but this is the first time I have ever said to anyone or to Him, when I spoke those Words: "Ask the God in you who does know," every Force of My Being went into action, and the proof was that His human self went out of action. It just dissolved and receded out of this human form, and the Light from His "Presence" came down until here—below the Heart—and His head, and these arms and shoulders

were such a Blazing Light, I could not look into them at first. Then His hands came out and My Hands took His, and My Feet left the Earth.

Dear People, follow Me in That Feeling. As I continued to ascend as far as His hands would reach, and, letting go, continued until My Feet were some distance—perhaps twenty feet or more—above His head, then I found Myself standing there in the atmosphere looking back at Him, watching Him; then I felt this great Change. I felt this substance released from My Body and disappear. That was that part of the substance which could not go with Me; but it just left the body, just like a substance all around it, and disappeared. Then, this Change.

I found Myself looking at My body, and It had taken on the fulness of youth, and My garments had changed into those beautiful Garments of Light. Then, feeling this Current, I looked up and there I was looking into this Glorious Stream of Light and Energy. After a few moments, I saw within That the Great Presence of all Life, My own “Mighty I AM.”

You will never know, no words could tell you My Feeling when I found that I was leaving Him behind. Then as I disappeared into the “Great Presence” and went to the Ascended Masters’ Octave of Light, I could not take My mind off of Him, and it was weeks and weeks. Finally Saint Germain came to Me and said:



"David, you must change your attention. Your friend still in the physical body has much to do there. You must take your attention off of Him, otherwise you will draw Him away from the body. That you must not do." To My amazement I could instantly change My thought back from Him to that Octave of Light.

Do you understand, My Dear Ones—I know you cannot fully comprehend, but to the best of your ability try—what that means—My Feeling to Him for My Freedom forever from Earth and its limitations!

This is Real, My Dear People. Then, after months I came, and I have remained most of the time, near, to guard and to bless and to thank Him for that Service.

You today are being offered the most Glorious Thing in Eternity, your Freedom! Oh, Beloved Students! In the Name of your "Presence," let childish foolishness be gone. When your Goal is offered, after thousands of embodiments in human limitations, who should want to continue longer!

In your Call to the "Presence," in your preparation for the Goal, be at peace and rest. Make your Calls that the "Presence" see you do all that is required in the preparation, that you give all obedience required; then go on about your business quite unconcerned. You would not help it a particle by shutting yourselves up somewhere and concentrating on It. Your Goal is according to your Decree for It. It

can be in this embodiment with a great great number of these Beloved Students.

Please understand, the matter of the number of years over your head has not anything to do with it, not a thing to do with it. You perhaps have made as many mistakes as others who are not as old as you are, but all human mistakes must be forgiven. Do you understand the beneficence of Life that has made it possible for all human mistakes to be forgiven? How in Kingdom Come would mankind ever be free if Life had not thus provided? Don't you see, it would be an endless wheel that would never cease?

Now when mankind is willing, with all their being, to call on the Law of Forgiveness for all their mistakes and for all mankind, then Life says: "We are ready to begin the correcting." If you will continue to accept human opinions—silly gossip of the outside world, of those conditions that hold you bound in these things—don't blame anything but yourselves.

Freedom is here for you; and remember, the majority of you Beloved Students, are people who will not go to war if war came to your America, since you are past the human age limit. But your opportunity to place before the young people—whether they accept it or not, is not your province—but to put it before the young people, call their attention to it! They are the ones who would be there.

Since the condition that has grown in your

schools, that has tried to take away from your blessed young people of America, the Ideals of Life, God, it has placed them in the position where they are in the gravest danger in the World. But your Calls to their Higher Mental Body, to their "Presence of Life," and your Call for Divine Order, Divine Justice and Divine Perfection to take command of those minds and bodies, and free them from all false concepts and opinions, would do wonders to your young people of America.

That is why today, I urge you with all My Heart! You don't have to force things upon people, but to kindly call their attention to this Great Light. Oh, My Dear Ones, when you have heard My Experience, do you think there is anything in this World that could ridicule Me or this good Brother as to how that Service was rendered! Why, all the silly imbecility of human nonsense that denies these Great Laws, is so babyish and childish, that any human being on the face of the Earth ought to be ashamed to try to assert it.

The kindness of this Blessed One that has poured out His Life to humanity—then imbeciles come back and say it cannot be true! My Dear Ones, He has given more proof to mankind than any human being that ever lived on this Earth; and then puny human beings that are not fit to lace His shoes, come back and say these things

cannot be true. It is time that people stop such silly nonsense.

Two of the greatest obstructions to your progress, Beloved Students of Chicago, have been removed. So will you please accept that and go forward in the Victory of your Light, of the Light that is established here and held sustained, and supports you in Its Courage, Strength and Power and Its Wisdom to send you forth Victorious in the Light. Why, you have Us, your Friends, the most Powerful in the World, if you will only believe it; if you will only accept it; and if you will only Call to your “Presence” and Us for any condition, it will not remain long.

Since you have lived for centuries in all these limitations and distress and privation, why be disappointed if you have to make a little effort now; and don’t sit down or lay down on the job. You know there is more than one kind of sit-down-strike. Mankind, in a sort of lethargy, is about the worst kind of sit-down-strike; but it hasn’t anything to do with the outer strikes. That means that you have struck within yourselves.

So I say to you, My Beloved Ones, take advantage of your opportunity. What a struggle you Blessed Ones of Chicago have had, because you listened to silly foolish tales. Are you going to do it anymore, or are you going to clean it out of your

world and go forward to Freedom and Victory? I think I see you cleaning it out and going forward to Victory! (*Applause*)

Therefore, We stand ready to give you every Assistance. Will you accept It? Now remember, if you allow any gossip to start among yourselves or in your city about each other, or about the Messengers, or about This Work, then you will alone be responsible for what happens. The greatest opportunity in your Lives is here, but only as you shut that out, will you find release and relief complete.

Therefore, as we have journeyed together today, how many of you in this room can tell Me how soon We shall meet in the Octave of Light! Can you do as well as I can? I could tell every one of you, whom I am going to meet there, and approximately the time—and I am not a prophet either; but that is the Power of Light in Its clearness, that shows the way free of human limitations.

I want you to know how great Our Love is for you, how We stand by waiting every opportunity to serve you. We cannot do more than that. We can only assure you of Our Presence, of Our Readiness to serve; and then you must make it possible.

I close by saying that in this Class, the Greatest Achievement for America thus far has been accomplished, and the Greatest Achievement for

the Student Body. Not only you here, but those who are focusing their attention upon this Class and have come to know Its Magnificence.

My Dear Ones, what a pity Chicago does not realize that almost a million people's attention is focused upon you here in this Classroom twice a day, calling for your Perfection. It is the Greatest Class that ever has been held; and how could it be otherwise with the consciousness of a million individuals and their love pouring out in one Mighty Focus upon you, to lift you and sweep out of your world every limiting thing. That is what they are calling for—those who love you from every part of America, those Mighty Groups that are focusing upon you for your Blessing, Perfection, Freedom, Supply and your Health. Never was such a thing known on Earth, Beloved Ones. Not only just what is magnificently arranged for you here and the Mighty Light Rays here, but their Calls to Life for you, for your Freedom in every conceivable way, for the Expansion, Blessing, Protection and Freedom of America.

You don't need Me to tell you that such a thing in the World never was and never will be, except for these Messengers! I want you to see that. I wonder if the Student Body has forgotten what the Great Divine Director said to them: that these Beloved Ones would remain the Messengers of the

Ascended Masters and the Power of Light. Yet so many have been disappointed because they could not receive as the Messenger does. The unfortunate lady in Evanston who turned aside because she could not call forth Saint Germain’s Flash of the Words of Light, turned aside and has failed on the Pathway of Light. Is it not pitiful when such opportunity is before you.

Please remember, when you fail to love these Messengers and pour forth gratitude, you have failed Life, the Light that brings your Freedom. People have said: “Well, I do not need the Messengers; I can go to my ‘Presence.’ I do not need the Ascended Masters; I have my ‘Presence.’” “True, you do; but We have failed to find any human being in physical embodiment so far, who could raise themselves into Freedom without the Ascended Masters’ Assistance; and don’t forget that, Beloved Students.

The arrogance of the human who says, that they will go on independent of the Light that has lifted them, brought them to Freedom; they have made a mistake! When people have entered this Stream of Light and turned aside from It, they have closed the door to their Light. Don’t misunderstand that; don’t forget that, Dear Students. Your belief—whatever it may be that turned you aside—that does not alter the Truth.

You blessed people of Chicago, who have had

such an opportunity with these Messengers—that is the reason why I gave you My Experience Myself today, in My Great Love and Devotion. These two Blessed Ones are setting you Free, just the same as He set Me Free—a little slower process, that is all; but if you don't see, know and appreciate that, then the fault is yours. Do not make any mistake about it.

These Messengers ask nothing for Themselves; but Your Life and all Life demands—since They have had the Strength to stand for the Light—the respect and love of mankind. It is not any affair of Theirs; but it is your Life, it is all Life that demands this. This Explanation has never been given to any Student Body before, but Their Love is so great for you here, that I am offering this Explanation; because I am One who has received His Eternal Freedom through this, your Beloved Messenger, and know how magnificent is your opportunity. Yet, you can close the door any time you determine to do it. Life is not going to force you to do anything. We are not going to force you to do anything; but you, as the Decree of your own Life and Energy, must determine.

Feel Our Great Almighty Intense Love for you, Our Call with Almighty Power for your Freedom; and then remember Us, your very loving Friends. I thank you.