



# Triangles

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## **A SPIRITUAL PATTERN OF GLOBAL STABILITY**

The events of September 11 made impact not only on human lives and institutions; they dealt a powerful blow to human consciousness. In many parts of the world, among widely diverse peoples, the perception has been registered that a blow was struck at humanity's collective heart. A new and widespread recognition that humanity is one, that its suffering is shared, and that the responsibility for the ending of human suffering rests with all people of goodwill, has dawned in human consciousness. As so many people have noted since the horrific events of September, "everything has changed". We are all being challenged to think about our world in an entirely new way. How can the work of Triangles serve questioning, suffering humanity?

In a time of global transition such as now, Triangles offers a superlative means for stabilising, unifying and clarifying human consciousness. "The kaleidoscope has been shaken", as British Prime Minister Tony Blair said. "The pieces are in flux; soon they will settle again". This points to the potential now to influence the public consciousness. And the Great Invocation, when rightly used by hundreds of thousands of people, is our major tool for the transformation of consciousness, for it facilitates the inflow of spiritual energies to lift and clarify the climate of the mental and emotional planes. The steady radiation of light and love, channelled throughout the etheric network that "substands" human consciousness, is based not on a sentimental hope but on the invocation of divine Love. This Love is dynamic in its effect and even sometimes disruptive. Such is its power that it may in fact "disturb the peace" of material comfort and ideological certainty as it courses throughout human consciousness and makes impact in the realms of glamour and illusion.

The goal of the Plan is the creation of a subjective synthesis, and the peace that humanity desires must be a just and universal peace based upon the establishment of right human relations. This starts with the transformation of human hearts and minds. The energies radiated throughout the Triangles network are impersonal and universal, so that no receptive mind or heart is bypassed; no responsive consciousness is overlooked.

Such is the growth of human evolution that today great disasters, whether natural or man-made, evoke a compassionate response and regenerate humanity's commitment to unity. Through the experience of great suffering, and also through shared joy such as the fall of the Berlin Wall, we are brought to a deeper recognition that, as the poet Walt Whitman wrote, "every atom belonging to me as good belongs to you". This growing realisation—that each human being lives not as an isolated, independent unit but within a network of interlaced and overlapping relationships of family, community, nation and, most important, of soul bonds—will transform the world.

## THE OUTER NETWORK

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At the recent Triangles Forum in London, there came a thought-provoking question from the audience: “What evidence is there that Triangles works?” Because Triangles is such a subjective activity, perhaps we don’t consider what impact it has on outer levels. Yet the Triangles network is a spiritual power source for service, a vast reservoir of light and goodwill waiting to be tapped in creative ways by all who envision a better world. If we look around us, we can begin to detect the signs that this process is taking place.

Maybe one of the most significant signs of the effectiveness of Triangles work is the emergence into human thinking of the meaning and importance of inter-connecting networks. This is now a key concept in fields as diverse as economics, communications and ecology. We live in a networked age, where even the act of forming new relationships is spoken of as ‘networking’. This metaphor is an apt one, and particularly when it describes the linking of two or more individuals or groups for the purpose of serving others, as this is a more faithful reflection of the purpose of the inner network. In the books of Alice Bailey, this connection between the Triangles and the Goodwill work is underlined.

Indeed, co-ordinated networks of serving groups are increasingly meeting needs on all levels. There are groups, such as units of service\*, that are sensitive to the new spiritual ideas currently seeking to emerge, and which can aid this process through their meditation and educational outreach; there are UN Agencies and major international non-governmental organisations that are embodying the main conditioning ideas – such as human rights and sustainable development – which humanity is currently seeking to implement; and there are national and local civil society organisations that are working out these ideas in detail ‘on the ground’.

As an example, one idea that the light and goodwill in the network have clarified is peace. It is now recognised that its highest meaning is not a passive absence of conflict, but an actively maintained dynamic equilibrium among diverse peoples. In this sense, it really means right human relations. Governments, and the major intergovernmental and non-governmental agencies, seek to implement this idea through mediation in areas of cultural, economic or religious tension. Armies, previously seen as instruments of national security, may now be used as peacemakers, peacebuilders, and peacekeepers. And national and local groups play a vital role, by actively maintaining lines of communication between opposing parties.

In this work of receiving new ideas and working them out, the Triangles network acts as a kind of spiritual antenna, picking up signals from higher sources and transmitting them into human consciousness. Any idea that is radiant with light and magnetised by goodwill will automatically be attracted by the network. The magic of this process is that we need not be fully conscious of this process, and of the content of the attracted ideas, for it to work. What we must seek to maintain at the forefront of our minds and hearts are the simple yet crucial properties of the network – light and goodwill. By intensifying our purpose to serve the whole of humanity, and by deepening our love for all people everywhere, we co-creatively strengthen the network, making it an ever more valuable tool for building a better world on every level, from the realms of thought to the realms of action.

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\* A term often used to denote groups co-operating with the work of Triangles and World Goodwill, but which could be used to describe any group of people of goodwill whose aim is to serve humanity.

# THE PLANETARY NETWORK

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**On this page we feature two spiritual initiatives that are working with the power of the mind to help anchor the new higher ideas and values in society.**

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## Intuition in Service

Intuition in Service was founded in 1999. Its aims are:

- to help in the awakening of the intuition, and to highlight its role in the process of creating a better world;
- to promote human unity and right relationships by encouraging individuals and groups to support United Nations Days and Years through meditation and prayer.

The intuition has been described as 'pure reason' and it provides a deeper level of understanding than mere intellect alone. For the intuition is concerned with the inner conditioning causes or energies that lie behind the outer effects. And the more people that can train themselves through the light of their own souls to understand the world scene through the inclusive vision that the intuition allows, the sooner will we arrive at a world more at peace with itself and with the other kingdoms in nature. With these ideas in mind, Intuition in Service sees its role as providing a platform for cultivating the intuition in human and world affairs.

Its website ([www.intuition-in-service.org](http://www.intuition-in-service.org)) disseminates information on the intuition, such as:

- articles on the intuition, and on intuitive perception in different areas of endeavour;
- quotations;
- statements of vision affirming the principles and values that are the foundations of unity and peace;
- news that highlights intuitive perception;
- links with a selection of sites.

Intuition in Service also promotes human unity by encouraging men and women of goodwill to support the 'United Nations Days and Years Meditation Initiative'. Intuition in Service explains:

**"The UN Calendar** of Days, Weeks, Years and Decades forms a well-established global rhythm of service. It directs attention to the key issues of our

times with such Days as World Health Day, and year long themes such as in the International Year of Volunteers. While there is obviously need for more outer work to be done on the issues highlighted, there is equally need for additional work in meditation to inspire, uplift and nourish that outer effort.

"It is our hope that large numbers of individuals and groups who practise meditation and prayer will increasingly choose to include this service in their rhythm of inner work."

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## Soul in Education Conference

During the period 21-28 October of last year, the first 'Soul in Education' Conference was held at the Findhorn Foundation in Scotland. The Conference was the culmination of many years planning by 'Triangles in Education', an international, spiritually motivated mental networking of educators. The aim of the Conference was "to anchor the energy and presence of Soul in education worldwide".

About two hundred people were drawn to the Conference from all over the world. One of the focalisers commented: "It was a unique opportunity to meet face to face with inspiring educators who have not forgotten the importance of life-long spiritual learning. Through presentations by invited speakers and workshop leaders there was the opportunity to hear and experience some of the many ways in which attention to the Soul is impacting on the field of education."

During the week a workshop explored the use of the Great Invocation as "an instrument of Soul Education".

Further Conferences are planned in five different locations over a five-year period: Kauai, Hawaii (October 2001); Hungary (2002); Australia (2003); Greece (2004); and the USA (2005).

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## SHARING GROUP THOUGHT

Passing by a flower hedge I saw a neatly knitted network of “spider’s web around a dwarf flower plant”. It was so neatly done that the dwarf flower plant was inside the web.

The thought of the lighted Triangles network flashed through my mind. I imagined that the network of light and love created by Triangles workers has formed a wonderful web over the globe of earth in the ether. I also strongly believe that the energies of light and love invoked by Triangles workers are pulsating through the network to all daily physical plane activities. Therefore all co-workers must not relent in their daily efforts to energise the network of Triangles in the etheric web of the earth plane.

**Nigeria**

Through the Triangles network we build, strengthen, and fortify the etheric body of God. This etheric body carries the Light and Love (the life blood) needed to allow the Kingdom of God to bloom forth, from the firm foundation of the network and the energies we feed into it. The triangles are the foundation, the energies circulated are the nutrients and from these spring the beauty and wonder of God's kingdom on Earth. Each individual is an important point of light for the transmission and circulation of the light and love needed in the work of God. **USA**

After linking with the members of the triangle and visualising the network of light on the planet, I unexpectedly saw a sea of people of different nationalities, language groups and time zones all

saying the Great Invocation together. As we did this, the network of Triangles became a blaze of light. We may not always think that this work is having any effect, but this certainly points to an immense potency in united effort.

**South Africa**

I see the triangle my group is creating beautifully balanced apex to apex, that serene point of light piercing the darkness, extending itself beyond the void and there on the other side of light within light we find each other, perfectly poised, trinity within trinity – ‘one light’ though the lamps be many!

**UK**

Triangles of many colours come together in the Light. Yellow, red, blue, purple, orange, silver and gold – they light and reflect all things great and small. Each has a uniqueness and multicolored hue. They form a rainbow of pure divine light and shine upon the earth, a sight to delight. These rays of three combine and become one large triangle of multicolored hue that covers the entire earth and radiantly enfolds it with pure, spiritual love and light.

**USA**

Triangles embraces so many different needs of people worldwide, from those with simple needs (like myself) to those with that greater inner knowledge and vision, who have probably already made their mark publicly. Some of us feel the need for a less formal approach. We get a personal touch of all pervading love from our individual triangles, and would like to feel this spreading to all areas, from all areas. We are not all learned students, but we are learning. **UK**

Triangles is a world service activity in which people link in thought in groups of three to create a planetary network of triangles of light and goodwill. Using a world prayer, the Great Invocation, they invoke light and love as a service to humanity. Further information is available on request from Triangles.

The Triangles Bulletin is for men and women of goodwill and is published four times a year in Danish, Dutch, English, French, German, Greek, Italian, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish and Swedish. Triangles is an activity of the Lucis Trust, a non-profit educational charity which exists to promote right human relations.

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