



Triangles

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THE PRINCIPLE OF SHARING

Sharing depends upon the right circulation of energies and forces. The health of the individual depends upon a good circulatory system and the same principle applies to the life of a community, a nation, the community of nations, our planetary home, and also the solar system, according to the truism “as above, so below”. Wherever there are blockages or congestion circulation is inhibited and the result is systemic disorder.

Sharing in everyday life is no fanciful ideal – it is in evidence in public services, in the great public art galleries and museums, municipal parks and public spaces, and in many community initiatives such as food banks. It is demonstrated in the Triangles work where groups of three people invoke the energies of light and goodwill and visualise them circulating through the three focal points of each triangle and through the network of triangles surrounding the planet. In an age of intense competition ideas about sharing are coming more into the public domain in response to economic inequality and the unfair distribution of resources. Shared public services that serve the common good have been with us for many years and now the concept of a sharing economy is emerging via electronic networks and marketing, the sharing of information via social networking sites and file sharing on the internet.

The Triangles work is based upon the idea that subtle energies and forces are circulating throughout the etheric web which vitalises the physical form. The power of thought sends these energies on their way and they become a shared resource on the mental plane. All of the many inspiring sharing initiatives in the world are the result of the creative thought of some mind or group of minds whose hearts have no boundaries.

The etheric or energy body which shapes the human form is an integral part of the etheric body of the planet and the solar system. According to the Ageless Wisdom teachings “the field of space is etheric in nature” and is an “entity”. Through this etheric network every human being is related to every other expression of the divine Life. Lines of light circulate through the etheric field throughout the human and sub-human kingdoms of nature; there is a constant circulation with energies passing into, through, and out of the body of manifestation. On this basis everything is inter-related and interdependent and the planetary etheric body holds them together.

Humanity’s destiny is to be the planetary light bearer – restoring the divine circulatory flow to our planetary home throughout all of the kingdoms of nature, including the human. The principle of sharing will help humanity fulfil this destiny.

REFLECTIONS ON SHARING

... there are thousands who have dreamed the same dream, seen the same vision, believed in the divine possibilities which are latent in all human hearts and who know, past all controversy, that selfishness and universal greed have brought the world to its present desperate plight. They know also that selfless sharing and cooperative understanding between all people of goodwill everywhere can rebuild a new world, bring into being a more beautiful life, and restore that which humanity itself has destroyed. The best is yet to be. We can rest back upon the realisation that the history of the human race has been one of a steady moving forward down the ages and towards the light.

Alice Bailey (adapted)

Humanity urgently needs to move beyond the restrictive ideologies of the past and embrace solutions that meet the common needs of people in all nations. . . . this will be impossible to achieve without some degree of economic sharing on local, national and global levels. In an increasingly unequal and unsustainable world in which all governments need to drastically re-order their priorities, a call for economic sharing embodies the need for justice, human rights and sound environmental stewardship to guide policymaking at all levels of society.

Share – The World's Resources

The requirements for our evolution have changed. Survival is no longer sufficient. Our evolution now requires us to develop spiritually – to become emotionally aware and make responsible choices. It requires us to align ourselves with the values of the soul –

harmony, cooperation, sharing, and reverence for life.

Gary Zukav

The task of restoring the world to harmony and order is a stupendous one. The educating of people everywhere in the necessity for new ideals of right living, for the new rhythms and the new “sharing” will not be easy. The work of healing the wounds of humanity, of rebuilding the shattered civilisation, of instituting disarmament, of recognising national, material and psychological needs, and of rescuing and restoring the happiness of the little children of the world and planning their future security will take the best that is in the men and women of goodwill; it will call for the wise guidance of the New Group of World Servers and will engage the attention of intelligent people and understanding minds in every nation.

Alice Bailey

The Roots of Violence:
Wealth without work,
Pleasure without conscience,
Knowledge without character,
Commerce without morality,
Science without humanity,
Worship without sacrifice,
Politics without principles.

Mohandas K. Gandhi

The fact that I can plant a seed and it becomes a flower, share a bit of knowledge and it becomes another's, smile at someone and receive a smile in return, are to me continual spiritual exercises.

Leo Buscaglia

THE PLANETARY NETWORK

The planetary network of light, love and service is transforming the mental climate of the planet, reorientating humanity to spiritual attitudes and values. The groups and activities reported in the Bulletin reflect different aspects of the network.

Share the World's Resources

‘Share the Worlds’s Resource’s’ (STWR) is an independent civil society organisation working for a fairer sharing of wealth, power and resources within and between nations. ‘Share’ explains: “Humanity urgently needs to move beyond the restrictive ideologies of the past and embrace solutions that meet the common needs of people in all nations.”

Some of the issues that STWR focuses on are: ‘Sharing in action’, ‘Reforming the global economy’, ‘Ending poverty’, ‘Environmental stewardship’, ‘Global democracy’, ‘Peaceful international relations’ and ‘The people’s voice’.

A representative from STWR (Rajesh Makwana) spoke at the World Goodwill Seminar in London at the end of last year:
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New Economics Foundation

In 1986, the first international conference known as TOES (The Other Economic Summit), was organised by a group of ‘new’ economists, environmentalists, and development campaigners who decided to challenge the right of the G7 leaders to speak for the economic future of the planet. Shortly after the conference, the New Economics Foundation was created.

The New Economics Foundation is now one of the UK’s leading think tanks working for social, economic and environmental justice. It has been instrumental in promoting green taxes, alternative economic indicators, ethical investment and social auditing.

The Foundation explains: “... the work is only just beginning. A new economics is emerging all over the world, but it needs advocates, midwives, activists and entrepreneurs, and it needs people to explain it and develop policy to make it happen faster. That is what NEF is dedicated to.”

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Institute for New Economic Thinking

The Institute was created to broaden and accelerate the development of new economic thinking that can lead to solutions for the great challenges of the 21st century. The Institute encourages the development of sound economic ideas to better serve humanity.

Founded in 2009, in the wake of the global financial collapse of 2008, the Institute provides a focus on:

- the relationship between finance and the broader economy
- inequality and distribution
- the economics of innovation
- environment and resource sustainability

The group comments: “We are building a global community with thousands of new economic thinkers Traditional economics is failing us. Our goal is to offer hopeful solutions to the key challenges of the 21st century.”

<http://ineteconomics.org>

Triangles Webinar: Broadcast every Monday

www.lucistrust.org/triangles/webinar

THE CIRCLE OF LOVE

The daily practice of Triangles involves visualizing and creating within a triangular formation, linking with our co-workers throughout the world, drawing upon the inner reservoirs of spiritual energy and releasing and circulating them through the etheric network surrounding the planet.

And although we work at building and enlivening a triangular network we likewise know that that network is constructed within an etheric spheroidal structure that is the etheric counterpart to our Earth. The network is not, therefore a flat or static two-dimensional structure but rather an intricate, delicately woven living form, responsive to the ever-changing inflowing energies that pass in and out in regular, rhythmic patterns.

The Triangles work is said to have its source in the “bright centre lying far ahead,” the centre Shamballa. Within that sacred centre all forms are held together within a circle of divine love. This circle encompasses the only point of perfect peace upon the planet. And to the extent that we become better vehicles for the release of that love into

our environment, bringing it to bear upon all the harshness in our world, we blend our little wills with the greater will of God. And thus we serve. The essential work of Triangles is “to facilitate the work of distributing the pure incoming love energy (expressing itself as light and as goodwill) into the Hierarchy and Humanity” (Alice Bailey). As we hold this simplicity and potency of purpose in our minds and hearts we can play our part in aiding our Logos to realize his keynote, which is said to be that of relationship.

The circle has no beginning and no end, relating all things within its circumference. It’s said that within “the radius of the love of God – the circle of the solar system – all forms, all souls, all lives revolve. Let each son of God enter into this wisdom. Reveal to each the Oneness of the many lives” (Alice Bailey, adapted). As points within points we each work together to radiate love thereby aiding our planet to fulfill not only its individual dharma but also that larger collective Purpose of which our planet is a small yet significant part.

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.

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