



Triangles

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Festival Week of the New Group of World Servers

As Triangles workers we know that, fundamentally, all is energy in manifestation, and that the flow of energy into our planet is cyclic in nature. One especially important cycle governing the work of all world servers is a period of seven days every seven years when an inflow of spiritual power pours into our world during the week of December 21st-28th. This special “week of group impact”, known as the Festival Week of the new group of world servers, will again be observed in December of this year. This is an opportunity for all who share a commitment to service to heighten public awareness of the new group of world servers’ contribution to our planetary life. The recognition of the wide range and variety of service contributed by this great subjective network of servers can inspire all people of goodwill to recognise their own opportunities to contribute. While relatively few people have a dramatic “stage” on which to render service, every human being can work for the upliftment of his or her environment, whatever that may be. And because the network of servers is subjective and fluid, each individual contribution enriches the whole.

The new group of world servers work in all fields – not only the overtly “spiritual” and humanitarian, but every phase of activity from economics to government to religion. Essentially, though, their service is of three types. They work to bring about a synthesis or unity which will reveal the fact of the **one humanity**, demonstrated through right human relations; they are endeavouring to establish right relations with the other kingdoms in nature, which will lead to the recognition that all living things are part of **one world**; and they are bringing about the anchoring of the Kingdom of Souls, the spiritual Hierarchy, on Earth.

In every field and according to their spiritual capacity, world servers form a bridge of relationship which draws upon the energies of light and goodwill radiated throughout the network of Triangles. This network constitutes a reservoir of energy upon the inner side of life which automatically circulates throughout the network of servers, providing light to illumine their path of service and love to awaken recognition of the innermost need to be met.

Let us work in meditation, particularly during this special Festival Week, to direct the inpouring spiritual stimulation into the consciousness of all who seek to register the divine Plan for our world, and see these energies radiating out to the frontlines of the world crisis where servers are working to meet the most urgent planetary need. In this way the network of Triangles can help to unite and to integrate in a subjective synthesis all servers dedicated to the common good and the welfare of the whole.

Goodwill: The Touchstone for Planetary Transformation

It is said in Alice Bailey's writings that "goodwill is the touchstone which will transform the world". This idea is peculiarly appropriate because, as we know, goodwill is an aspect of love, the fiery urge to ceaselessly expand our range of energetic contacts; and the sense of touch is also connected with the second or love aspect. Touch is concerned with duality, with contact between Spirit and matter, self and not-self, etheric and physical. In *A Treatise on Cosmic Fire*, it is said that touch leads to the quickening of vibration – it keys up the vibration of that which is lower to that which is higher. At the first fleeting touch, there is only a brief holding of the higher note, before the habitual lower tone again re-asserts itself; but as time goes on, contact can be established more easily and held for longer periods, so that eventually the higher vibration becomes the norm, the foundation from which to strive for yet higher contacts.

What, then, is the result of coming into contact with goodwill, of stabilising its vibration within us? Goodwill is said to *set the attitude to the universal goal*. Therefore, if goodwill is the keynote of our lives, then we know we are fundamentally in tune with the note of the evolution of this solar system in which love is being unfolded. We can see how this links to the touchstone's role as a means of determining value, for we can use the note of goodwill as the criterion against which to judge all events and circumstances; and where we sense its note is lacking, our contact can help to transmit its healing energy. This contact can be direct, person-to-person; or it can be mediated through the Triangles network, which provides us with the marvellous opportunity to send goodwill and light to wherever they are needed. Paradoxically,

this is not through the deliberate sending of energy in a specific direction, but through the rhythmic charging of our triangles with light and goodwill. This daily practice of spiritual contact empowers the whole network, and goodwill, conducted along the network's lines of living light, becomes available to all.

In different parts of the world, we may surmise that humanity is making its first contact *en masse* with the great etheric reservoir of goodwill which is the Triangles network. Perhaps the relatively smooth transitions from repressive to democratic regimes in such countries as the former Czechoslovakia and South Africa are examples of this. There are still many areas of the world which would be transformed by the healing touch of Triangles; but it is not enough that the network holds goodwill in abundance, waiting to be conducted into human affairs. The opposing parties in areas of conflict must themselves be prepared to make contact, to meet mind to mind and heart to heart. In so doing, they set up a bridge of lighted goodwill, symbolised by the hand-shake, which can touch the network and draw upon its power. Thus, little by little, conflict is transformed into harmonious group relations.

Eventually we can vision a world where, through the steady and systematic work of co-workers in Triangles and similar service oriented subjective networks, sufficient goodwill is always available to defuse potential conflicts as they arise. Indeed it has been predicted that when Triangles becomes familiar to the public, it will form part of the new world religion. Then the world will truly be in continual contact with goodwill, and the Earth, and all that dwells upon it, will have taken a major step along the path of planetary transformation.

Expanding the Network

The theme of right relationships is beginning to emerge in human consciousness as not only a noble idea but also as a profound technique that enables us to live in harmony, in balance with all expressions of planetary life. In the human family, the Network of Triangles of Light and Goodwill that we build in etheric substance each day is helping to beneficently relate humanity with the higher and lower kingdoms in nature. Separative, materialistic attitudes are being swept aside as the momentous, synthesising impulse of the will-to-good flows through the network, influencing all of planetary manifestation. We recognise its expression in the human kingdom as goodwill.

The Ageless Wisdom teachings inform us that when “the hearts of men, the heart of the planet, the Hierarchy, and the Heart of the Hierarchy, the Christ, are in a state of positive contact; when this channel is open and unobstructed, then the Christ will come”. Triangles, as it bridges the inner and outer worlds of divine manifestation, helps to symbolically build through love a Path of Return for the Christ, the World Teacher, so that He can once again walk openly amongst the human family and complete the work that He began two thousand years ago.

What, then, can we do to ensure the continued vitalisation and expansion of the Triangles network? One way that we can all contribute is by deepening our own Triangles work through the unfoldment of our innate spiritual capacities. For, the work is dependent upon the depth of feeling and the intensity of purpose that we bring to Triangles. Spiritual love and will are the necessary impelling qualities that are required each day to empower our inner ritual, and thereby enrich the network, and consequently, magnetise the work of servers everywhere.

The expansion of the network is increased through forming new triangles. You may know of family, friends or work colleagues who are sensitive to the idea of world service through the power of thought and who would like to share in

the work of planetary renewal. Each new triangle formed increases the flow of divine energies to outer levels, stimulating the inner life of the human family.

Throughout the world a growing number of individuals contribute to widening the outreach of the work through the Triangles Distribution Programme. Their role is to bring the livingness and the message of Triangles into their communities. They do this through distributing and exhibiting the literature in their villages, towns or cities; writing articles or giving talks; or placing posters in suitable locations. Others may consider allocating space on their web sites to help publicise the work. All over the world there are countless men and women of goodwill who are receptive to the use of the power of enlightened thought to uplift human consciousness and therefore responsive to the note of Triangles. Contributing to the work financially also helps Triangles to develop and to serve the well-being of all planetary life.

Creative meditation is a familiar theme to us all. Further opportunity to increase the radiance and magnetism of the network is offered to all those who work in the weekly Triangles Meditation Group. Every Monday, co-workers around the world link in thought using a meditation outline. This meditation provides a focus for co-workers to think clearly on the purpose, function and right development of Triangles, and on the deep significance of the Great Invocation in the work. We will be glad to provide further information on any of the suggestions outlined.

The continued expansion of the Triangles work is a collective responsibility. All who are moved by the suffering of our fellow human beings, who are concerned about the exploitation of the lower kingdoms in nature, and who desire to see a world community based upon right human relations can contribute through Triangles to the work of planetary healing, and of re-connecting the human and spiritual kingdoms.

Sharing Group Thought

Twice a year we feature on this page the thoughts and ideas that co-workers submit to headquarters on the Triangles work. Thinking clearly on the significance of Triangles, as a planetary service, is an important contribution to the work and therefore to our potential to serve. We warmly welcome your insights.

Recently I was reading a beautiful translation of the Bhagavad Gita, which means the Song of the Lord. The Gita is also called the Song Celestial and the thought occurred to me that the Great Invocation that we say every day after our triangle link up, might be humanity's *song celestial*, invoking and evoking Heaven on Earth.

India

The subjective form of each triangle is forged with love, filled with the light of the soul, imbued with the energy of goodwill.

Just as each soul is connected to all others, so too each triangle touches and blends into a network formed with love: stranger to stranger, friend to friend, brother to brother.

This living form is a symbol of the power of love, nourished by the soul.

Australia

I have always loved Triangles and I have found it to be the heart of all the work. Work which is founded upon Triangles seems to have an added power which enables it to develop and grow.

I find that Triangles creates an inner link, through which the energies of light and love and power flow freely through the individual triangle and linking up with the network as a whole. This strengthens all work on behalf of the new group of world servers and helps to create a living, radiant centre of light and love here on earth.

Triangles provides a unique insight into the significance of the words, "I am a point of light within a greater Light" and "I am a strand of loving energy within the stream of Love divine." Through the Triangles work we are uniquely placed to work as points of light and strands of loving energy within our individual triangle(s), as stations of light within a vast network of light.

UK

There are today enough centres of light, scattered all over the world... that the little beams or threads of light (speaking symbolically) which radiate from each of them, can meet and interlace, and form a network of light in the world. This constitutes the magnetic aura of the New Group of World Servers.

Alice Bailey

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

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