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We're amid one of the most powerful interludes of the spiritual year as we move through this dark time when the days are short and the nights long in the northern hemisphere and we approach the festivals of Light.

As darkness descends in the plane of form, the spiritual seekers of the world are afforded the opportunity to penetrate into an inner light, into the reality which opens up, symbolized for us in the majesty of the night sky. An exploration of the heavens occupied the attention of the scientists of yesteryear, the early astronomers who worked without instruments, who depended upon themselves and who through observation sought to unravel the sky's mysteries and the language written above.

It's said that the entire history of our planetary life, which is encoded in the Plan itself in its vastness as well as its intricate manifestations, is hidden yet can be revealed through the myths, stories and patterns illustrated in the heavens. As a friend once said, the book of life is written in the heavens, we simply have to learn how to read it. These ancient observers unfolded an inner understanding of cycles and patterns and our work together in Triangles today, can work energetically with the foundations forged by these ancient practitioners. But we work under different conditions, both within our own consciousness and within the energies that are available to us today. People are increasingly responsive to these overshadowing influences whether consciously or not and Triangles workers form part of a planetary group that is offering itself, as a vehicle of light and goodwill for the downpouring energies. Our vast group, as well as each triangle, is composed of workers at many different levels of consciousness, living in all parts of the world, and working together to rhythmically impulse soul qualities into the fabric of human consciousness. Through this means we weave a fabric that works in concert with the spiritual forces and stands to counteract those forces that seek to foment war and separation, fear and dread—forces that are gathering again as our weary planet seeks to wrestle and fight its way into a greater measure of light. The forces of light will be victorious, but each step forward here seems to be hard won and challenged by the counter force.

In the ninth or Sagittarian labour, Hercules established those inner conditions which enabled him to tap into the flame that gleams beyond the mind—a flame which we're told reveals direction sure. This directing power of the mind, reveals a light that is not distorted by the machinations of the lower, concrete mind but which uses that mind as an agent of illumination, revealing unknown territory that lies beyond the ordinary field of perception. Then, through the vibrancy of the collective group life, the released energies can be translated into those forms that can become of service to others.

This sensitivity to the Triangles network and humanity's growing interest in the influence of the stars is perhaps an evolving layer of that important technique which Patanjali called "spiritual reading." This reading was one of the fundamental prerequisites for traveling the

path and unraveling the intuition. Through this reading, which today we might hypothesize includes a reading of the available energy, the human mind expands and the resultant illumination increases the effectiveness of the network.

In another of Patanjali's sutras he stated that all things could be known through concentration upon the Pole-Star, the great Polaris, the symbol in the heavens of alignment—the star which guided sailors on the stormy seas on long dark nights. In sutra 28 of Book III it states that the ability to concentrate on this point will “give knowledge of the orbits of the planets and the stars.” The commentary on the sutra outlines some of the cosmic understandings which can unfold for the Great Ones who have perfected this ability to work under cosmic direction. We, at our level of understanding, through the measure of alignment that we can achieve, tap into that which is for us and for humanity as a whole, our next step in our forward progress towards greater light.

As we capitalize on what is available to us subjectively it can aid us in cultivating the detachment needed to stand back of the phantasmagoria of this world and the outer fragmentation to the emerging pattern of the Plan itself. People wonder about this Plan, for as you know, it is a central idea embodied in the Great Invocation and the work of Triangles. Humanity too often places its sights on the surface aspects of life, on the miniscule while the Plan asks us to step into an expanded understanding and to see life and its events through a wider lens. The further we go along the great chain of Hierarchy, the greater is the ability to consider the vastness of what is working out here – the making of our planet sacred. This we know is a long process but through our work today and every day through our Triangles practice we are taking steps in contribution to this vast process and through this means we ourselves are likewise becoming more sacred. We are living in an initiatory time, all along the chain of life there is forward movement and vacancies to be filled. Our task is to remain fluid, to open our minds and to aid others so that they will not be blinded by the inpouring light.

Each year at this time the new group of world servers is presented with the opportunity to hold fast to the vision and do what we can within our own circle to provide direction. It's said that during the 2025 Conclave decisions will be made. But from a reading of outer events it would seem those decisions have already been made, humanity has chosen the path which it will go and people everywhere are waking up. There is a quickening going on under the impress of the first ray but of course as a consequence there is the inevitable backlash. It's said in the teachings that, “the initiate is initiate before he takes initiation.” Therefore, perhaps the decision as to the timing of the externalisation has been taken and the Conclave will be a type of ceremonial confirmation or imprint of that decision upon the fabric of the world—an imprint that will then begin to make itself flesh.