# ידיעת אלוהים Knowing G-d

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# The Veil of Physicality – The Reality of Spirituality

The seeming delusion of physicality over spirituality conquers most every day. Most people believe that they live in a realm of physicality and **that that is their primary "Reality."** They exist in the realm of touch, taste, smell, hear, and feel. What they cannot touch is NOT real in their mind. They only believe in the tangible world and a physical reality. Everything else is a Non-Reality. However, the best way to make this statement is that everything else is not physical (physical reality).

Therefore, anything considered non-physical to them is not "real." This is the ageold lie of the Adversary, the enemy of the Neshamah. All it takes is reading the Bible for the first five pages and you know something is wrong.

If G-d created an Edenic world and man ruined it, we need to know why. There is an answer to why G-d created Adam with such extraordinary powers, but he still ruins everything. This is not a genetic failure. The text clearly has a reason for showing us that there was an outside influence. In light of these truths, we must learn the truth about REALITY! But we first must ask a question.

# What Is Reality?

What is really real?

Firstly, if we believe in G-d—and I DO—and if we believe that the Bible is His Word—and I DO—we must base all understanding of reality on the "Reality of G-d."

Deut 4:39 The LORD, He is God in heavens above and on the earth below; there is no other reality! REBA

Therefore, G-d MUST be the highest reality!!! G-d is the ONLY reality, and all reality depends on Him. Knowing Him is the most extraordinary quest we can undertake. And it doesn't matter how long it takes to get to Him; it's worth every step. What is that second reality?

# The Neshamah! The Human Soul! The Other

We need to know that G-d is above "spirituality." Spirituality is a tool of G-d designed to draw us closer to Him. G-d has given every human the ability to supersede the human condition of being clothed in physicality.

### The analogy

The lie of the Adversary is that we are still living in Eden, and there is no such thing as G-d. Imagine being placed in the middle of the Sahara or the Mojave Desert and then being told that this is the Garden of Eden. Then all the beauties of the Garden are described to you in great detail, **but you can't see the trees because of all the sand** because you are really in the desert.

#### What is Eden?

The reality of Eden is that it is a Spiritual Paradise, not a physical delusion. People are told about G-d in this telluric world, but they don't believe because they don't see Him.

However, the Neshamah's place in the Primordial Spiritual world must become the pre-eminent reality. The Neshamah is an Emanation of G-d. The lowest aspect is connected to the physical body, but the highest aspect remains constantly connected to G-d.

Communication with G-d. At present, the soul is in the lowest state of its condition. These conditions will end in the future in one of several ways.

If we were to die today, we would enter a place called Abraham's bosom. This place is a place where all the righteous souls gather before and after their earthly missions.

# What Does G-d Want?

## **Materialistic Physicality**

What is the answer to materialistic physicality? How do we deal with it? What is our attitude towards it?

Hakhma Shaul's Igeret to the Romans 12:1 Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is (logikós) logical spiritual service of worshiping God. <sup>2</sup> And do not succumb to materialistic physicality, but allow the mind to be transformed and restored, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.

Tehillim 19:8(7) The Torah of ADONAI is perfect (designed for) restoring the Neshamah (human soul). ADONAI's instruction is sure, bringing Hokhmah to the thoughtless. 2 Cor 10:5 We are not to subordinate ourselves to secular thinking set up to destroy the knowledge of God (Intimacy with G-d), and we are to take every thought captive to the obedience of Messiah (Messianic thought).<sup>REBA</sup>

# Transformation every day.

This process is a daily process and gradual return of the mind to its original state and thought processes. The process, in REALITY, is falling in love with G-d all over again DAILY and doing that with an increase every day for the rest of your life.

# The Coming Reality The Great Awakening

There is a great awakening taking place in the world now.

# The Path Ahead

The door to the spiritual world is steadily opening. Each day, the grand Vista of G-d's presence is abounding.