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What Kind of World Do You Want?

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Dear Friend and Reader:

With the astrology now moving in the direction of Sagittarius and Aquarius, the floor is open for larger questions, the kind that influence collective reality. As far as I can tell, the question of our moment is, what kind of world do we want to live in?

What kind of society? What kind of culture, and what kind of community? More than any other factor, how would it feel, to be in the place you want to be?

All of us who have been involved with spiritual paths have encountered the notion that love and fear are the two choices that we have. Inherent in this idea is the deeper reality that you make that choice. No external factor makes a person "feel safe." That is a personal choice.

People can safe in the midst of actual, life-threatening danger, and can feel threatened in an environment where there are no threats whatsoever. Most of us have experienced both of these conditions, where based on the actual circumstances, we should have felt one way but instead felt another.

We have also witnessed all kinds of people taking advantage of people's fear, whether it's insurance salesmen or some version of Prof. Harold Hill saying that a **pool table will corrupt all of the youth** (therefore, hire him to fulfill the desperate need for a boy's band).

<< https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qam1fbQmA_s

The Practical Difference Between Love and Fear

During a presumed health crisis, a loving response would be helping people stay calm and take care of themselves, their families and one another. A loving response would be helping make sure that people have enough of what they need during a difficult time.

That would include information, food and supplies. When the president of the United States was in Walter Reed being treated by the high command of Army doctors, he was given vitamins C and D, plus zinc and melatonin. But this is not widely known. By that, I mean that a piece on

the importance of zinc in relationship to preventing coronaviruses was run just once on CNN, that I saw -- it disappeared after that.

We all know the problem here. It's not that these things are not effective. It's that if there are effective nutritionally-based preventives, the whole vaccine push is obviated. For those who do not think that the publicity around the virus is a campaign for a vaccine, we might consider the lack of useful information about how to handle the situation we are told is real.

Instead, what we get are terror, distancing, masks and a new variety of rolling martial law, and the ongoing threat of a mandatory vaccine. While I have readers who favor vaccinations and look down on "anti-vaxxers," I trust you will accept when I say to you that the most horrible thing that could happen to someone who opposes vaccines — for solid scientific reasons — is their children or themselves being injected.

Instead, what we get is a constant and I do mean constant litany of claims that those who are "vaccine hesitant" are ignorant, stupid, anti-science, flat-earthers, religious zealots, dirty hippies who have read too much of *Mothering* magazine, or are just crazy. I assure you that anyone who takes the vaccine issue seriously has done more research than any journalist or "fact checker" who is claiming they're nuts — sometimes 10 or 20 years of reading books and scientific papers.

Sometimes they have vaccine-injured children and siblings. There are those who think there is no such thing as vaccine injury, but the Department of Health and Human Services has a special federal court of claims that pays out billions, and rejects nearly all cases. This is a "court" that does not allow discovery — that is, compelling the defendant to produce its document. It does not allow juries.

It is a federal court that takes the heat (meaning the liability) for vaccine manufacturers, and pays out damages from the taxpayers, not corporate profits of the vaccine manufacturers. Said another way, those who make vaccines are indemnified from being held liable for the damage they cause, just like the nuclear power industry.

The Difference Between Reacting and Responding

The objections, even the religious ones, are based on medical or scientific grounds. The loving response is to listen to what these individuals are saying, to do your own research, or to move on — not to kill the messenger. The reactionary response is to treat them like heretics. Putting the matter in purely self-centered terms, they may have information that will be useful and potentially life-saving to you and your family.

In short, the difference between love and fear is that between responding and reacting. It is the difference between listening and shouting. It is that between taking a loving approach to our neighbors or not. It is the difference between helping our neighbors, or being fed with (and

accepting) the primal fear that they are potentially deadly even though they seem fine. In previous eras, they might have been

A loving society acknowledges that healthy people are healthy, and then if someone is sick, provides the care that is needed. A sane and loving society does not shame, ostracize and outcast people for wanting to talk about the supposedly scientific claims made by the government.

A sane and loving society provides companionship to its old people in care homes, rather than locking them away, banning visitors, and hastening their illness and death. A sane and loving family treats children kindly rather than as disease vectors, regardless of what CNN is saying.

Sanity would propose that we treat this crisis like something that has an end

Pluto in Capricorn: The Supremacy of the Corporate State

We are close to the end of Pluto in Capricorn, which began in January 2008. During this time, we have seen the rise of the corporate state, to the point where it is now seeking total power and control over every facet of existence. This is now coming to a frenzied peak with the **U.S. Pluto return**.

<< https://planetwaves.net/saturn-pluto-eris/

Consider this news, from Wednesday:

<< <u>https://www.washingtonpost.com/nation/2020/11/18/coronavirus-covid-live-updates-us/#link-GEB5WIPSDVGFLP3PANLRL3MFNY</u>

"Massachusetts [school] district is asking families to sign a form to attest that they will abide by the state's safety guidelines during the holiday break.

"School authorities in Littleton, Mass., are requesting that families pledge that they will avoid traveling to locations other than low-risk states and avoid social gatherings of more than 10 people — the state's limit.

"If parents or guardians choose not to sign the form, children will not be allowed to attend inperson classes until tested for the coronavirus."

In one "request," the school district is infringing upon approximately half of the Bill of Rights. This is based on the notion that perfectly healthy people are biosecurity risks. In order to see this, you just have to take it out a few degrees of logical progression -- not just to the potential end result.

From Sea to Shining Sea

The school district's policy is so loosey-goosey, so broad and sweeping, extending from Sea to Shining Sea, and such a bald overreach of its authority, that it should make everyone nervous. It is a part of a growing dragnet that will, if left unchecked, sooner or later snag everyone. Who is taking care of curriculum, supplies, and textbooks while a Massachusetts school district is enforcing what students do while on vacation? Who is actually taking care of students?

The authority of a school district ends at the edge of the school yard. This district is now claiming power over who can attend Thanksgiving — a holiday we dearly need this year. Family gatherings are being cast as potential "super spreader" events, a concept that so far as I know, exists only computer models and is supported by the wholly **fraudulent use of the PCR**.

<< https://planetwaves.net/how-safe-is-too-safe-how-safe-is-dangerous/#pcr

In England, authorities are planning to place QR codes on phones as proof of vaccination, necessary to attend sporting events. In the States, Ticketmaster is proposing requiring proof of a Covid test to get into concerts.

Since childhood, I have personally known many people with cancer. I know from scientific and legal sources that Roundup, an herbicide made by Monsanto, is carcinogenic. The Roundup marketing campaign marches on. It is sprayed almost everywhere, including directly into the food supply. As a journalist whose primary field is the chemical industry, I wonder why so few people care about this and dangers of the other countless thousands of chemicals approved for human contact or consumption **often by fraudulent studies**.

<< http://planetwaves.net/astrologynews/1969406404.html

Meanwhile, almost everyone I know locally has or has had Lyme disease, which (along with its coinfections) I consider a far more serious illness than what we are hearing about today. Talk about long-haulers. The forests are still open. Hiking is still legal.

Speaking of the Bill of Rights: Of Tyrants Great and Petty

There is a reason that in the United States, we have written guarantees of our rights: a social contract with the government that we can litigate if necessary, and that largely functions as a matter of agreed-upon custom.

The reason we need this, known from long experience, is the tendency of leaders and monarchs to become tyrants. Most of us have encountered this in our personal lives at some stage: petty tyrants who try to take control of you, your finances, your children, you vicariously through your children, your home, your business, your website or your life generally.

Guarantees of freedom of religion, the press, assembly, the security of your home, your right to cross-examine an accuser, to a speedy, public trial by jury, to not house soldiers in your home, and many others, were put into the Constitution because the framers understood the tendencies of tyrants, which have not changed throughout the long course of history.

What are mistakenly called "personal liberties" are about our whole society. We are not free as individuals; every society has its special privileged characters. Citizens have

Under Pluto in Capricorn, we have seen the repeated attempt to demolish these sacred contracts. Nearly every president has done damage to them, from the venerated FDR ordering Japanese-American citizens of the United States into prison camps during World War II (along with conscientious objectors to the war), to the despised Richard Nixon allowing National Guardsmen to fire on unarmed students in Ohio with impunity.

We have had "free speech" cages at political conventions (the media corps, confined into a fenced-in area), to the NSA capturing every email, text message and phone call of every citizen, in the name of national security.

I ask you: were you or anyone you have ever known a threat to national security? You know, like Osama bin Laden?

Internet Culture Gone Wild: Aquarius is Coming

I have quoted Eric McLuhan many times in this series of articles. Here you go: "The body is everywhere assaulted by all of our new media, a state which has resulted in deep disorientation of intellect and destabilization of culture throughout the world. In the age of disembodied communication, the meaning and significance and experience of the body is utterly transformed and distorted."

What do these words really mean? Hmmm, maybe it has something to do with locking bodies into their homes, rather than giving them food, nutritional supplements or good information. Maybe it has something to do with treating the body as a disease vector rather than as the vehicle of life as we know it. Maybe it's the idea that the whole purpose of life is preventing death, rather than living. (Now we are talking pure Atlantis.)

Internet and digital technology have taken over existence exponential leaps the past 20 years, and we are now paying the price for that. We have become so accustomed to having our privacy and financial security breached that we don't care anymore. In fact, it seems natural. What was left of privacy has been violated so many times, we are convinced it cannot and does not exist. You may as well paint your Social Security number on the side of your car, like the guy on the LifeLock commercial.

Facebook has used your "likes," your private messages, your clicks, and your activity *on other websites* against you and for its own profit. By that I mean selling it to organizations whose job

is to sway elections, sell you stuff, and God knows who and what else. Take what I just said and multiply it by a few thousand for the full effect. Yes, all the robots know you're interested in buying a new chair.

Most people do not have the tools or the curiosity to see the ways in which all of consciousness, culture, politics, social life, and everything else, are dominated by total immersion in digital technology. This is facilitating the direct-inject propaganda campaigns that we are seeing how. The way you know it's propaganda is that all you get are fear, anxiety, agita, stress, shame and separation. You get no actual information. This is ripping the social fabric apart. The way you know it's propaganda is you are told there's just one side to the story.

As Jupiter and Saturn entering Aquarius starting in December, we will get a test of the condition of our society. By that I mean our social health and how well we function as adult peers. Through the decades of our lives, society has moved in increasingly authoritarian ways.

It would seem humans have long had a hard time with the fear of life masquerading as the fear of sickness and death. Under Jupiter, Saturn and then Pluto in Capricorn, we either go full-lockdown/digital prison, or we remember that we are living creatures making our lives on the surface of a living planet.

That's true no matter what. We are still here. We get to live our lives, or play dead. That is the essential difference between love and fear.

Yours & truly,

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