THE THUNDER OF SILENCE
Chapter VI – **Part One
UNCONDITIONED— MIND**

**PERFECT GOD – PERFECT MAN – PERFECT BEING**

***WHEN WE ARE FACED WITH A PROBLEM – AT ANY LEVEL*,**
 ***WE MUST FIRST REMEMBER*;**

***THAT* – *THE SUBSTANCE – OF* – *THE INVISIBLE UNIVERSE***   ***IS UNCONDITIONED MIND*** **–
*WHICH IS* – *THE INSTRUMENT*** **– OF –
PURE IMMORTAL BEING, ESSENCE, SUBSTANCE, and REALITY**,

***AND ITS FORMATIONS – ARE ALSO* – *UNCONDITIONED,*
 BECAUSE – THEY ARE – MIND ITSELF –
 *APPEARING AS* –  *INFINITE FORM.***

(78) ***ALWAYS KEEP BEFORE YOU*** **– THE TRUTH –
 THAT UNCONDITIONED MIND –
 (*IS FORMED*** – ***AS)* – (*UNCONDITIONED EFFECT)*.**

(73) ***THE BASIC* – *SECRET OF MIND – IS THAT –
 THERE IS ONLY – ONE MIND,***
***AND THAT MIND* *– IS THE MIND* – *OF INDIVIDUAL BEING* –
 *YOUR MIND AND MY MIND*.**

***WHEN IT HAS COME TO ACTUAL PRACTICE, HOWEVER,
(AN ENTITY)* – *SEPARATE AND APART FROM – THE ONE MIND –
 (CALLED* – *MORTAL MIND) – OR – (THE HUMAN MIND) –
 HAS ALWAYS BEEN* – *INTRODUCED –
 AND ACCEPTED AS* – (*A POWER).***

***ACTUALLY*, *THERE IS* – *ONLY* – *ONE MIND*,
 *and* – *THIS - MIND* – *IS* – *UNCONDITIONED*:
*IT HAS* – *NO QUALITIES* – *OF GOOD OR OF EVIL*;
 *IT IS A STATE OF BEING* – *NOT GOOD AND NOT BAD*.**

***IN* – (*REALITY)* –  *THERE CANNOT BE* –
 *INTELLIGENT MIND* – *AND* – *IGNORANT MIND***;

***THERE CANNOT BE* *–*–
 *HEALTHY MIND* – AND – DISEASED MIND**,

***FOR MIND – IS* – *UNCONDITIONED***.

**FURTHERMORE,
*MIND* – *FORMING ITSELF* – *AS BODY* – *IS UNCONDITIONED*;**

**AND THEREFORE – BODY – IS NEITHER –
WELL – NOR SICK, TALL – NOR SHORT, THIN – NOR FAT.**

 **BODY IS UNCONDITIONED – AS THE MIND –
 *WHICH IS* – *THE ESSENCE* – *OF ITS FORM*.**

***MIND*** – ***AND*** – ***BODY* *–* BEING UNCONDITIONED, ARE A STATE OF *–* ABSOLUTE BEING *–* AND PERFECTION;**

 ***UNTIL – THE BELIEF* – *OF GOOD AND EVIL* *–
 IS ACCEPTED* – *INTO THOUGHT*.**

(74)
***HUMAN EXPERIENCE* *– IS* – *IN REALITY*** ***– THE PERFECT MIND*;
 *YOUR MIND AND MY MIND***,
 ***WHICH MANIFESTS AS*** ***– PERFECT BEING AND BODY***,

***BUT WHICH –
IS INFLUENCED BY – THIS KNOWLEDGE OF* – *GOOD AND EVIL.***

**THIS BELIEF IN – TWO POWERS –
*IS THE ESSENCE – OF WHAT IS CALLED – (THE CARNAL MIND)*.**

***TO RETURN TO THE FATHER’S HOUSE –
 AND ONCE MORE – BECOME THE SON OF GOD,* –**

 ***IT IS NECESSARY THAT WE* – *INDIVIDUALLY* –
*GIVE UP – THE BELIEF* – *IN GOOD AND EVIL* –
*THROUGH* – *AN ACTIVITY – OF OUR CONSCIOUSNESS.***

(74) ***MIND* – *FORMS* – *ITS OWN* – *CONDITIONS:* –
 OF *–* MATTER, BODY, and – FORM.**
 ***MIND* – *DOES NOT* – *CREATE: MIND* – (*FORMS)*.**

***CREATION* – *IS ALREADY – COMPLETE:
 SPIRTUAL, ETERNAL, and PERFECT***;

***(BUT)* – (*OUR MIND)***, (***DEPENDING ON)* – (*ITS CONDITIONING)***,
 ***(FORMS)* – *and* – (*INTERPRETS)* –
 *OUR HUMAN EXPERIENCE* – *ON THIS PLANE***.

**IF – (OUR MIND) –
IS COMPLETELY FREE *– OF JUDGMENT* – *OF GOOD AND EVIL,*** ***THEN* – *SPIRIT* – *FORMS –
 ITS OWN IMAGE AND LIKENESS* – *THROUGH* – (*THE MIND)* –
 AS HAPPY, HARMONIOUS, and SUCCESSFUL LIVING.**

***IF MIND – IS CONDITIONED******–
 BY JUDGMENTS* – *OF GOOD AND EVIL****,****MIND IS NOT – A CLEAR TRANSPARENCY****,* ***AND IN PROPORTION – TO ITS CONDITIONING –
 (WILL)* – *EXPERIENCES* – *OF GOOD AND EVIL –
 TAKE PLACE IN OUR LIVES****.*

***ONLY AS WE OURSELVES* – *LET* –
 *THE JUDGMENT* – OF GOOD OR EVIL –
 *HEALTHY OR UNHEALTHY* – *OPERATE*;
*DOES THE MIND* –
PRESENT – THESE FORMS – *TO US* – *FOR OUR ACCEPTANCE*.**

***SO MIND, – WHEN IT IS FREE OF HYPNOTISM,
 THAT IS, THE BELIEF OF GOOD AND EVIL,
 RECEIVES* – *THE FULL LIGHT OF SOUL.***

**MIND, IMBUED WITH – *SPIRITUAL TRUTH*,
(IS A LAW– OF) –
*RENEWAL*, *REGENERATION*, *RESTORATION*, and *RESURRECTION*.**
***Your mind and mine*,** **– *IMBUED* – *WITH TRUTH***,
 **(*IS THE MIND)*** **– *OF INDIVIDUAL BEING*.**

(75) **Anyone who has ever been – the means** **–
 *of a spiritual healing* – knows that this is true –** ***and that*** **–
*HIS INDIVIDUAL MIND*,**

**AS IT IS – IMBUED WITH TRUTH,**

***BECOMES* – *A LAW* – *of renewal, regeneration, or reformation*** **–
 *EXPRESSING AS*** **– PHYSICAL, MENTAL, MORAL, OR
 FINANCIAL HEALING – *TO THOSE WHO COME TO HIM****.*

***AS* – *TROUBLED PEOPLE* – *COME TO US,
IF WE ARE ABLE* – *TO SEE* – *THE PERSON OR CONDITION –***

**AS NEITHER–
 *GOOD NOR EVIL, SICK NOR WELL, RICH NOR POOR;
THAT IS, SEE HIM* – *WITHOUT JUDGMENT,
 WE THEN* – *NO LONGER HAVE* – *A CARNAL MIND,
 BUT ARE IN FULL POSSESSION –
 OF THE MIND* – *WHICH WAS IN CHRIST JESUS******–
A MIND* – *WHICH RECOGNIZES* – *ONLY ONE POWER:***

 ***AN* – *UNCONDITIONED MIND –
 AND* – *IT* – *DISPELS* – *THE ILLUSIONS OF SENSE.***

**WE – DO NOT HAVE TO –
 GET RID OF OR OVERCOME – *THE CARNAL MIND*;**

**WE – DO NOT HAVE TO – DESTROY IT;**

***WE* – *ONLY HAVE TO UNDERSTAND* – *THAT OUR MIND* –
 *IS* – *A PERFECT INSTRUMENT* – *FOR THE SOUL*;**

**AND THIS IT BECOMES – *AS WE* – *FILL OUR MIND* –
 *WITH SPIRITUAL TRUTH AND GRACE*.**

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 ***WE MUST FIRST REMEMBER*;**

***THAT* – *THE SUBSTANCE – OF* – *THE INVISIBLE UNIVERSE*** **–
 *IS UNCONDITIONED MIND*** **–**

 ***WHICH IS* – *THE INSTRUMENT*** **– OF –
PURE IMMORTAL BEING, ESSENCE, SUBSTANCE, and REALITY**,

 ***AND ITS FORMATIONS – ARE ALSO* – *UNCONDITIONED,*
 BECAUSE – THEY ARE – MIND ITSELF –
 *APPEARING AS* –  *INFINITE FORM*.**

***MIND,* – *UNCONDITIONED*** **– *AND HAVING* –
*NO QUALITIES OF GOOD OR EVIL,* – *IS THE SUBSTANCE* –
 *OF ALL THAT* – *IS VISIBLE;
AND ALL THAT IS – IS* –
*AS UNCONDITIONED* – *AS THE MIND – WHICH IS* – *ITS BASIS.***

***IF THIS WERE NOT TRUE, IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE –
FOR OUR STATE OF CONSCIOUSNESS –
 TO PRODUCE CHANGES –* IN WHAT IS CALLED– *THE MATERIAL UNIVERSE.***

SOM 218.2 ***PERFECT GOD* – *PERFECT MAN* – *PERFECT BEING***

“**In beginning a series of treatments for any person,
 WE START WITH THE IDEA – *OF* –
 *PERFECT GOD, PERFECT MAN, AND PERFECT BEING.***

***IN EVERY CASE*** –
IT IS WELL TO BEGIN **–** BY THE REMOVAL OF DOUBT AND FEAR,
 **TO ASSURE OURSELVES –
 THAT THE ONE WHO WE ARE SEEKING TO HELP** **–
*IS* – *COMPLETE AND PERFECT,* – HARMONIOUS AND WHOLE.**

**NEXT** **– *WE MUST*** **– *CONFORM* – *OUR* –
 ARGUMENTS, STATEMENTS AND REALIZATIONS –
 *SO THAT THEY MEASURE UP TO – THIS HIGH IDEAL.***

**It is easy to believe – *THAT GOD IS PERFECT*.**
**We must also believe that – THE SPIRITUAL MAN – IS PERFECT;**

**IN SUCH DEGREE – *AS OUR REALIZATION*** **–
 *BECOMES A* – *A SUBJECTIVE EMBODIMENT*,
THE OBJECTIVE – HEALING –
 *WILL AUTOMATICALLY* – *TAKE PLACE*.**

**We know – *THE BACKGROUND OF HUMAN THOUGHT* –
 *IS*, – TO A GREAT EXTENT, *ONE OF NEGATION*,
*A DENIAL* – *OF AN HARMONIOUS AND SPIRITUAL UNIVERSE*;**

***CONSEQUENTLY*, *OUR OUTLOOK ON LIFE* –
*MUST BE TRANSFORMED* – BY THE RENEWING OF THE MIND –**

 ***AND EVEN WHEN THE RESULTS* –
 *ARE NOT IMMEDIATELY FORTH-COMING*,
*WE MUST STILL* – *MAINTAIN A CALM SERENITY OF THOUGHT*.**

***WE MUST* – *REMAIN FAITHFUL* – TO THIS VISION –
 *FOR* – *A REALIZATION OF THE PRESENCE OF GOD* –
 *IS* – *THE SECRET POWER* – *OF OUR WORK*.**

***THE PRACTITIONER* – MUST REALIZE –
 *THAT ALL POWER* – *IS GIVEN UNTO HIM*.
*HE MUST BELIEVE –* THAT MAN IS SPIRITUAL –
 *and he must be certain* – *that his statements about* –
*THE SPIRITUAL MAN* –
 *WILL FIND* – *A CORRESPONDING OUTLET* –
 *IN THE PHYSICAL MAN.***

***HOWEVER*, *HE IS VERY CAREFUL* –
 *NEVER TO TREAT – THE PHYSICAL MAN* –
 *BUT TO THINK OF MAN’S ENTIRE BEING* – *AS SPIRITUAL;***

***AND IF MAN’S ENTIRE BEING* – *IS SPIRITUAL*,
*THEN* – *HIS PHYSICAL BEING* –
 *MUST – REFLECT* – *SPIRITUAL IDEAS*.**

**THE PRACTITIONER – SUPPLIES THESE SPIRITUAL IDEAS –
 *AND LETS – THE LAW OF MIND – DO THE REST.***

**TO BEGIN THE TREATMENT – *BY A SILENT ASSURANCE –*
*THAT MAN*, – *BEING SPIRITUAL*, *IS EXEMPT FROM NEGATION*,
 *IS A CORRECT STARTING POINT*.**

***INFINITE LOVE* – HARMONIZES – MAN’S ENTIRE BEING.
*THE HEALING CURRENTS OF LIFE* – *FLOW THROUGH HIM*;**

 ***TAKING AWAY* –
 *EVERY NEGATIVE THOUGHT* – *AND* – *MANIFESTATION*;**

 ***AND ADJUSTING* – *HIS WHOLE PHYSICAL BEING* –
 *TO THE IDEA OF DIVINE HARMONY*.**