

# What is wisdom?

Knowing when to say "no," or "I don't know," or nothing.  
Accepting that there will be much that you will never know.  
Embracing your unique humanity and relishing that role.  
Doing the very best you can with where you are at the time.  
Seeing the actions of others as their most capable effort, too.  
Cultivating a genuine attitude of unconditional love.  
Taking responsibility for who you are and what happens to you.  
Realizing that growth does not come without change.  
Transforming the pain of change into the exuberance of growth.  
Allowing others, with compassion, to learn without your interference.  
Forgiving yourself and others for the inevitable mistakes humans make.  
Recognizing flaws and limitations for the lessons they are.  
Perceiving the often humorous nature of life's unfolding events.  
Being forthright, truthful and open with yourself as well as others.  
Requesting help quickly and spontaneously when you need it.  
Focusing on the beautiful traits each person presents to you.  
Honoring the virtues of integrity, courtesy, gratitude and common sense.  
Discarding old, worn out concepts which shackle you to the past.  
Sharing your strengths freely and generously with others.  
Discovering how truly miraculous it is that you exist at all.  
Remembering that you are more than a body.  
Utilizing your dreams as tools for growth and wellbeing.  
Living each moment as fully as your awareness permits.  
Attaining harmony with your inner and outer worlds.  
Cherishing the serene times spent alone with all that is.  
Freeing yourself from illusory material goals.  
Releasing attachments to people, concepts, emotions and things.  
Giving your curiosity free rein in the glorious quest for knowledge.  
Purging the suffocating need to be right from your actions and words.  
Finding pursuit of excellence more satisfying than gaining perfection.  
Opening yourself to new thoughts and perspectives.  
Interpreting the teachings of the masters for yourself.  
Understanding there may be no absolute truth other than God is.  
Asking for divine assistance; then, whatever its form, letting it in.  
Going within for guidance and peace.  
Seeking the truth from any source.  
Setting your spirit free to be.

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## What is change?

The turn in the path that can lead to wisdom and enlightenment.  
The usually unwelcome chance to experience and deal with pain.  
The cocoon that wraps the lovely butterfly of personal expansion.  
The life variations that bring joy and satisfaction to open people.  
The temporary failure that can develop into startling success.  
The opportunity to extend attitudes and principles to the limit.  
The chance to practice forgiveness and refrain from judging.  
The darkness that may precede the light of understanding.  
The lessons chosen by our higher power to better ourselves.  
The surprises that make living sometimes fearful and usually exciting.  
The necessary revitalization of an existence grown shallow and bored.  
The renewal of the journey toward excellence and elegance.  
The opening door to growth and learning that rekindles hope.  
A real test of our need to trust that God knows best.  
A time to verify the compassion and support of others.  
A choice whether to complain, whine and feel sorry for yourself, or not.  
A way to discover if your internal child, parent or adult runs your life.  
A trial of your own strengths, which may hide beneath complacency.  
A modification of behavior based on new evidence.  
A life incident that often leads to wonderful transformation.  
Substituting the present way of thinking or living for another.  
Moving from the finished past to a future filled with promise.  
Growth is difficult for those determined to resist inevitable shifts.  
It arrives just in time to challenge your consciousness.  
It could be the real break that ends the need to control others.  
It affects the physical, mental, emotional and spiritual bodies.  
It can be a gentle, feathery nudge or a shattering hammer blow.  
It is an indicator of how much your life is driven by guilt and shame.  
It may be a clean surgical cut or a ragged, resistant tearing away.  
It purges the accumulated toxins of outmoded concepts.  
It is an essential element for building character.  
It is something we typically resist too strongly.  
It is a catalyst for enhancing nobility of spirit.  
It is virtually always a perspective broadener.  
It is required for dreams to come true.  
It could alter many of your beliefs.  
Nothing changes until you do.

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## NATURAL LAW II:

### DIVINE PRINCIPLES GOVERNING THE UNIVERSE

#### 1) LAW OF CENTER:

- a basic principle duplicated in all of nature
- everything has a centerpoint from which the whole obtains its energy, intelligence, and pattern
- this process is continually self-renewing
- each center is connected to every other center, and to the One Center or One Source from which all life is vitalized.
- life is manifested from center to circumference (as within, so without)

#### 2) LAW OF CONTINUITY:

- nothing in the universe ever dies, is lost, or destroyed
- matter and energy are never destroyed, only transformed, changed, or re-constructed

#### 3) LAW OF APPERCEPTION:

- consciousness of Being flows in all things in the universe throughout eternity
- everything has consciousness; everything is conscious of its own consciousness
- i.e., intelligence knows it is intelligence, energy knows it is energy, etc.
- every unit of the universe inherently knows what its function is

#### 4) LAW OF ENERGY:

- everything moves, or has motion
- all motion (vibration) was created at the time of creation, and carries knowledge within it
- this knowledge provides for the ceaseless interaction of all intelligences in the universe
- this results in the creation of various frequencies of vibration, such as forms, sounds, colors, tastes, odors, that we can perceive
- energy moves in cycles of its own pattern

#### 5) LAW OF GROWTH:

- growth is the change in the rate of vibration of atoms in all things
- this is caused by the potential within each atom to return to the state of perfection from whence it came
- the mind of man, through thought and the desire for change/growth can also cause a change in the rate of vibration of (his) atoms
- this is the underlying principle of transformation, personal growth, unfoldment
- the constant movement of things makes them better with time, as they are influenced by mankind's minds, environmental vibrations, and Active Intelligence (God)

**6) LAW OF FUNCTION:**

- everything living and non-living, every construct, system, and time period has a purposeful vibrational frequency
- each thing contains a directive/intelligence guiding it to fulfill its purpose, meager or grand
- this purpose is always fulfilled before the construct, system, or time period changes/can change to a higher vibrational frequency
- this directive/intelligence "knows" that each step must be perfected as its responsibility to the totality of all things; i.e., everything knows its function

**7) LAW OF DESTINY:**

- everything is constantly evolving back toward perfectness
- this evolution occurs at different speeds, different time periods, and through different experiences, depending on the nature of the person or the thing evolving
- this evolution is the seed desire of all things to complete the Great Evolutionary Cycle

**8) LAW OF EVOLUTION:**

- everything animate or inanimate is going onward and upward to a higher, more perfect state of consciousness
- all things begin in an unconscious, uncreative elementary form
- each thing, through sacrifice, struggle, and striving progressively grows/unfolds
- as each monad reaches the highest peak of perfect quality for its current range of existence, it pushes forth to the next higher range (vibration/frequency)
- it takes with it, in memory, all it has learned
- its past form is allowed to dissolve or disappear
- the monad now exists in a new range of status/quality under new principles
- this process occurs throughout eternity until the monad blends into TOTALITY with no loss of individuality

**9) LAW OF DOMINION:**

- the human mind has the privilege/ability to change the vibrational frequency of the atoms which make up the earth, and all things on it
- man co-creates (with God) according to the nature of the thought, and the degree of emotional intensity accompanying the thought
- this power gives each person full responsibility for the whole world
- man can form, change, re-arrange or manipulate matter in any way he chooses, utilizing the laws of nature
- each person co-creates his/her own type and time of evolution/progression
- individually, and therefore collectively, humanity directs the course of the universe with their minds

**10) LAW OF FREE WILL:**

- each person has absolute freedom of choice every day
- we are never free of decision making; to not make a decision IS a decision
- free will is mankind's primary tool in each incarnation for learning lessons necessary to evolve
- mankind has evolved from an instinctual system, and is now the only earth species with the free will system
- of man's 7 states of consciousness, it is said that earth consciousness is the only one in which free will and choice play such an important role
- if we were not meant to make "wrong" choices, we would not own this system
- choices we perceive as "wrong" or incorrect often carry stronger lessons

**11) LAW OF MENTAL BALANCE:**

- often referred to as the "law of push and pull"
- there is a constant conflict, to a greater or lesser degree, (depending on circumstances), between the soul mind (higher consciousness) and (lower) conscious mind
- the individual is constantly torn (pushed/pulled) between the desires of the two minds:
  - the conscious mind, excited by worldly satisfactions, pleasures and desires of the five physical senses
  - the soul mind's desire for long-term knowledge, environments, and necessary experiences that will lead it toward a state of perfectness
- ultimately the two minds must be synchronized, in harmony, in balance to achieve progress
- until then, the individual will continue to incarnate, constantly in a tug of war between the higher and lower self

**12) LAW OF ENVIRONMENT:**

- everything that surrounds an individual is an extension of oneself
- one's home, yard, furnishings, pets, possessions, etc. are physical pictures of one's attitudes, beliefs, strong feelings about one's own existence, self-worth, cultural beliefs, etc
- knowledge and experiences over all lifetimes also contribute to the outer expression of oneself (collective unconscious)

**13) LAW OF REALITY:**

- there is only one reality
- its perception is broken down in an infinite number of ways to be viewed, in accordance with the number of entities viewing it on the physical and etheric planes
- the atoms of each individual are at different levels of consciousness, contain different akashic information, and are being constantly bombarded by environmental stimuli
- past and current life experiences, the number of lives, lessons learned and not learned, etc. affect and influence each person uniquely
- therefore, each person's perception of life, their value systems (like religion and politics), their view of the world, problems and their solutions, will be unique
- these things, taken together, constitute a person's current belief system at any given time, because he/she knows no other
- each person's belief system comprises their consciousness
- what one has the consciousness for, one makes as his or her own world; this is "real" for that individual
- reality is a function of belief; "perception is reality"
- thus two or more people, presented with the same facts about something, can have different and sometimes opposing opinions

**14) LAW OF DOMINANT DESIRE:**

- an idea always tends toward realization
- a stronger emotion always counteracts a weaker one
- all ideas of the mind begin the path of manifestation, but not all come to fruition
- the strongest intent or desire in one's mind will manifest a general thread throughout all of one's activities, on its way toward manifestation
- the strongest thoughts and desires may be unconscious or karmic in nature, whether good or bad, positive or negative

**15) LAW OF EQUALITY:**

- things separately equal to the same thing are also equal to each other
- this is the central principle underlying the idea of the brotherhood and equality of man; i.e. we are all spirit, are a creation of and a part of God
- *has to equal in vibrational frequency*

**16) LAW OF COMMITMENT:**

- when an individual makes a “complete” decision (pledging or obligating themselves to a particular task, thing or belief), what is desired will be drawn to the person
- the degree, completeness, and timeliness of the decision puts the full power of the mind behind it, creating lines of attractive force (law of attraction)
- emotional desire behind the thought/decision will bring it about more quickly, and also gives spiritual intelligences permission to intervene and assist
- so long as there is no indecision, the atoms will continue to move and re-arrange themselves until the thing sought is made manifest; i.e., “heaven and earth will move in order to bring it about”

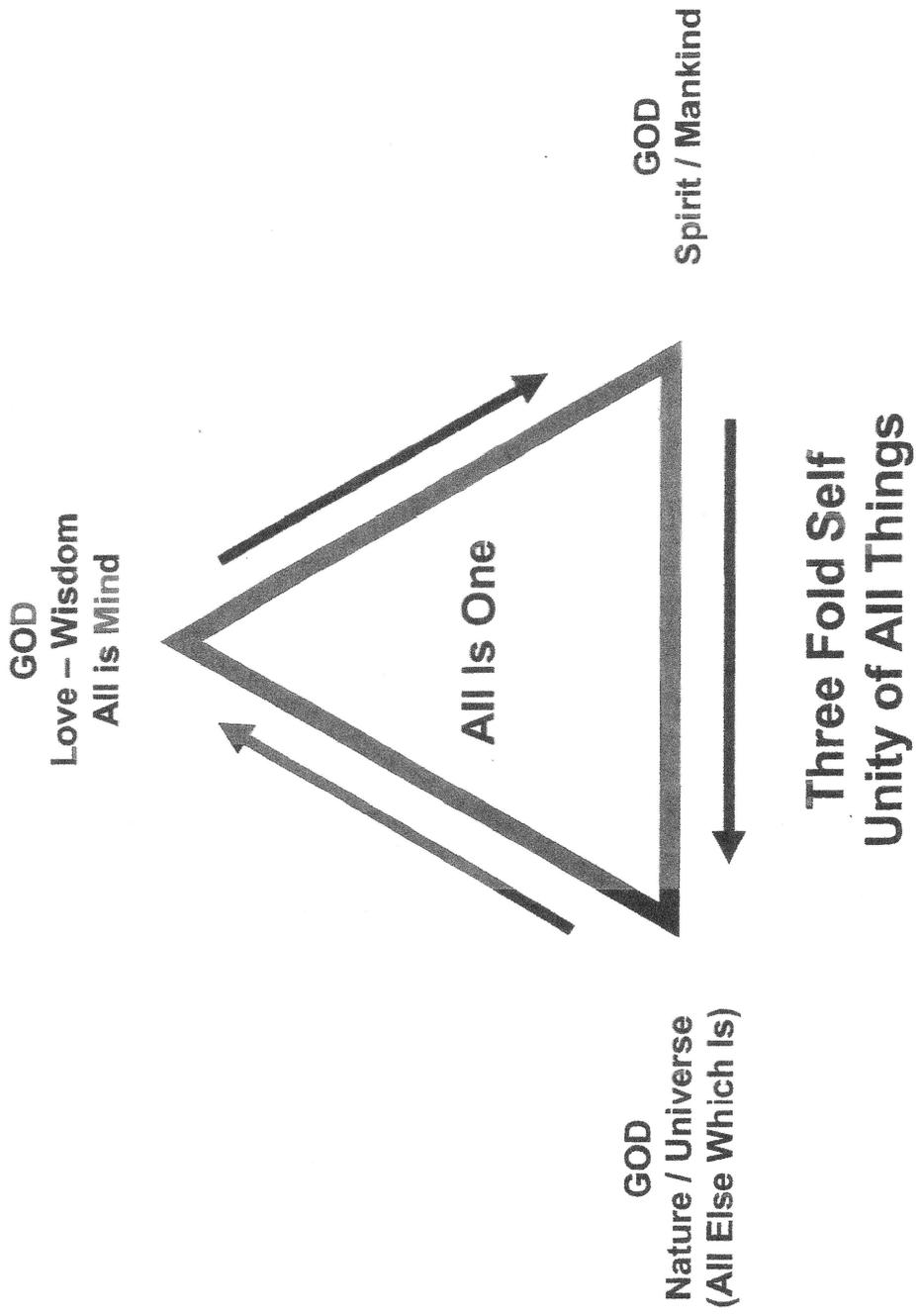
**17) LAW OF ACTIVITY:**

- the law has two aspects: action and non-action
- action originates in thought, which culminates in decisions to move energy in the desired direction (defining change); this sets in motion the necessary causes to bring about the effect required
- non-action also originates in thought, and can be equally valid, but results instead in the decision (conscious or unconscious) to let other causes define change: do nothing, and let a situation work itself out as it will (many situations are self-correcting)
- it is also (consciously or unconsciously) the decision to accept the effects (consequences or results) that occur.
- either action or non-action can be equally valid decision-making processes in our daily lives, depending on time and circumstance
- we are presented daily with chances/challenges in our decision-making process
- during times in our lives when we seem at an impasse, unable to move forward or backward, i.e., “what to do”, any action in any direction often is the only way to break the illusion of powerlessness
- doing so sets energy in motion again, making it easier to see the reality of the thing, and to actively begin, through our decisions, to define the causes and effects we desire
- action and non-action are the two opposite poles of the law of activity, connected by the power of choice
- choosing, and learning to choose wisely, are fundamental to the growth and progression of all souls

**18) LAW OF FORM AND SUBSTANCE:**

- form requires substance to be of any real value
- substance requires form to manifest
- examples of the law at work:
  - the world's greatest idea for the next invention (substance) is of no value if it cannot be brought into manifestation (form), i.e., financial backers, a company to make the thing
  - a million dollar house (form) has no value if no one ever lives there (substance)
- because of the action of the law of change (everything changes), form and substance are not static states or qualities, but are also in a constant state of change
- thus, the relationship between form and substance is also changing:
  - sometimes form is outdated, and no longer adequately manifests substance; sometimes substance has changed, and requires a new or improved form to manifest ( a church building designed for 200 people (form) no longer is adequate to accommodate a congregation of 700 people (substance)
- note: religion is form, spirituality is substance

# Thought and Manifestation



# GOD Expressed Through the Law of Polarity



**We are Co-Creators with GOD**