

Before You Ask

Matthew 6:25-32 says, “Therefore I say unto you, **Take no thought** for your life, what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink; nor yet for your body, what ye shall put on. Is not the life more than meat, and the body than raiment? Behold the fowls of the air: for they sow not, neither do they reap, nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feedeth them. Are ye not much better than they? Which of you by taking thought can add one cubit unto his stature? And why take ye thought for raiment? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they toil not, neither do they spin: And yet I say unto you, That even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. Wherefore, if God so clothe the grass of the field, which to day is, and to morrow is cast into the oven, shall he not much more clothe you, O ye of little faith? Therefore take no thought, saying, What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Wherewithal shall we be clothed? (For after all these things do the Gentiles seek:) for your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things.”

Matthew 6:7-8 says, “But when ye pray, use not vain repetitions, as the heathen do: for they think that they shall be heard for their much speaking. Be not ye therefore like unto them: for your Father knoweth what things ye have need of, **before ye ask** him.”

The following is the interpretation of the above Scriptures:

We all live, move, and have our being in the one ocean of consciousness. The fact that someone may not be aware of this matters not. Everything that has being, whether in form or out of form, is conscious. The measure of consciousness a thing operates in is determined by its rate of vibration, and its rate of vibration is determined by the movement of the Life Force and the Light that is within it. The more movement of the Life Force there is within an object, the greater will be the Light and consciousness of the form.

Every kind of life form or expression of the Life Force does not have “mind,” even though every manifested and created form is conscious. Only those life forms that have flesh and are animate have mind. Only these types of life forms can be taught information and learn knowledge. These are they that grow in knowledge and expand (increase) in consciousness and in their Light of mind.

A flower is conscious, but it is not capable of “thinking” because it has no mind (flesh) or mind matter. The lilies of the field do not “think” to ask for rain, change their clothes, or struggle to receive the elements within the earth where they are planted in order to sustain their life. ***Their very nature will “draw” to themselves the things they need in order to live out their life span. “Consider the lilies -- how they grow.”***

The “ocean of consciousness” which is Cosmic Mind is the dwelling place of intelligent Life Force, beings of Light, and infinite Wisdom. Mind and consciousness is everywhere present. Cosmic Mind knows exactly what every kind of life form needs in order to “be,” live, and exist. The needs of all kinds of life forms, however, are not provided in the same manner, although their supply all comes from the same Source. For example, a bird that has just hatched out her little ones does not sit on the nest and wait for the “worms” (food) for her babies to crawl up a pole and into the nest. ***No, there is something that “she” must “do” if she will be able to feed her family.*** She need not plant “worm seed,” mind the field, and harvest the food at harvest time. ***But she does have to go get the food and bring it to her chicks.***

Because of the nature of the bird and the way her food needs are met, the bird can “smell” the worms from far away, and in this manner she knows just where the food is that she needs. ***Her only***

responsibility is to “go get” the food that has already been prepared for her by the Mind of infinite Wisdom, her heavenly Father. The Father has also prepared a table for you.

Every kind of earthly life form has earthly needs in order to increase, grow, and exist. The man-kind of life forms must labor in the field, sow his seed, and wait for his harvest. ***The manner in which the needs of the God-kind of life form are supplied, however, is altogether different from any other kind (kingdom) of creature.*** The God-kind of life form does not need to labor and by the sweat of his brow read and study to know Knowledge and Wisdom in order to provide for his mental needs. Neither does he need to sow seed and wait and hope for a harvest in order to have food for his body. Just as the nature and “way” of life for all the members who belong to each of the other four kingdoms of the earth are all different, the Nature and the Way of a God or Divine-kind of life form is also different from any other kind.

Because the “Light of mind” and consciousness of Life of a Divine life form is as bright as the “sun” -- and he is as wise as the “all-knowing” Presence in which he lives, moves (vibrates), and has being -- he need not labor and search for Wisdom, sow his seed, and hope for a harvest. Because the Mind of infinite Wisdom knows what a Divine life form has need of, and like the Father prepares the worm for the bird, He also prepares for the needs of his children ***even before there is a need.*** One of Divine Nature only needs to access the storehouse and withdraw the substance of the thing he has need of in order to have his needs supplied and his desires fulfilled, in season or out of season. In the body or out of the body, he has access to all things in the heavens and in the earth; in the realm of “time” or when “time” is not.

This is why one must partake of Divine Nature and be renewed (made new) in the spirit (consciousness) of his mind so that he will KNOW where his supply is and how to access his wealth. Since the “Father” knows what we have need of in order to sustain our lives ***before we ask, think, or even know we have a need,*** the substance for the supply is prepared long before the need for it appears or is known to the needy. ***By the “Spirit” (Mind) of infinite Wisdom we have access to the Father.***

When we “commune” with the Father in secret, and by our giving of thanks and acknowledging Life in all things and as being everywhere present, we please the Father. Through and by our ***feelings*** (movements / vibrations) that are produced by our Love for Life, and by our giving of thanks, all of our daily needs and all of our true heart’s desires are made known to the Father. All the “Spirit” need do is to lower the rate of vibration, or ***“step down”*** the movement of Life in the substance of the form of the thing needed or desired in order to manifest the form in a more coarse, heavier substance that is compatible to the existence of the kind of form it is.

All created things that shall be have been already. In other words, there is nothing new under the sun. All things that shall manifest in a visible, tangible earthly form already exist and have being in an invisible, non-tangible Spiritual form. One who is of Divine Nature and operates his life in Cosmic Mind Consciousness need only “call,” and the “thing” will answer and manifest in the earth. The “thing” that already IS in heaven (Spirit form) knows the voice of its master (owner / creator), and it will respond only to that voice. The “will” of the Father will then be done, manifest on the earth plane as it is already manifested in heaven (a higher plane).

“Before you ask,” the Lord of the harvest will come upon the sower of the seed and overtake him. At this time, hope is no more hope, because “time” has run out. At this time, the sower of the seed will no longer need to sow his “seed” (work) and “wait” (hope) for a harvest -- ***because there are no more dead seed in him.*** He will have reached the state of growth and development when the Lord of the harvest will come upon him as he is preparing to sow his last seed and quicken his seed (words) while they are yet in him, ***instead of them being quickened after they are sown and fall into the ground and die.***

This man's words are no longer regurgitated (repeated) from the dead letters and the words of dead men. He is now the author of his own words and he no longer needs to read, study, beg and borrow and eat the fruit of other men's labor because he took the "gift" (seed) that was given to him by his Father, and by his own labor he brought forth many generations of fruit whose seed were in themselves. He has labored long and hard and he is now the "Ancient of Days" and he has no more need to labor in other men's fields.

Because of his faithfulness, labor, and love for Truth, he has amassed great wealth (Wisdom and Knowledge) both for his Master and for his own household. His house and his barns are now filled with all the riches of God. He has many sons and daughters who will bear children, and their children's children will continue to bear fruit. His "name" (seed / words) will never pass away; because of and by their (his) continuing increase there will be no end to his life.

When a man reaches a state of development and spiritual maturity where he acknowledges himself as being all-sufficient in everything, He will also KNOW HIMSELF as the source of his sufficiency. "***Oh man, know thyself!***" Who then will he ask for the thing he already has, and "what" more could he possibly desire when all things are already prepared for him and they are already his to access and use as he wills?

"I and the Father are ONE." I am the son of my Father and I am the Father of my Father's son. This means, "I am the Fire (Father) and the Light (Son) of my own life -- and I need not look to another to sustain me or make provisions for me."

Whatever the "will" of my Father is (which is in heaven), it is also my "will," because the Father and the Son -- the Fire and the Light of Life -- are one Life. My "will" below is as it is above; therefore I am filled with all the fullness of all things in heaven and in the earth. As the Father and I are one, heaven and earth are also one.

The eye ("I") is the light of the body. The Son (sun) is the Light, and the Life is the Fire that is in the Light. So the Sunlight and the Fire of Life are ONE.

It is the "will" of the Father that we prosper and be in health, even as our Soul prospers. The "prosperity of our Soul" means that we continue to grow and increase in Wisdom and Knowledge of Truth by which to extend our life span until we reach a state when we will possess ***Eternal Life for the body.***

We know that when we "pray" (commune) in Spirit with the Father that He hears us, and we know that we make our desires / needs known to the Father -- ***not by our words only*** -- but by the manifestation of the Fire that is our burning desire to know Truth, and by our Love for Life. We know that the Father is "touched" by our feelings (vibrations of Life within us), and in this manner the thing desired is made known and therefore sent forth into the earth realm.

As long as one looks to the outer forces as the source of his supply -- whether government, religion, family, friends, profession, or otherwise -- ***he will never know Himself.*** Therefore he will always remain ***dependent***, and never know the freedom of being ***in - dependent.*** ***WHEN ONE KNOWS HIMSELF AS HIS SOURCE OF ALL HIS SUPPLY,*** he will then know himself as the creator of all things, whatsoever he can ask or think. ***The "thing" in his eye (idea) will be in his hand before he can "think" or "ask" for it.***

The Lord (Spirit / Mind of Wisdom) has said, "***Before you call I will answer.***" There is nothing that one has laid up in heaven that is not his to bring to the earth as he wills. This is why we must lay up our

treasures on high, where they are safe, incorrupt, and the supply never runs out -- because ***as it is in heaven, so shall it be in the earth.*** Where your treasures are, “there” your heart is also. If one has hidden the eternal Substance of Life (the word of creation) in his heart, his storehouse (supply) will never be depleted, nor will his living waters (consciousness of mind) ever run dry. His sufficiency shall never be short, and HE SHALL NEVER WANT!

When a man acknowledges that he himself is the very thing he desires and seeks after, he will see himself as a man running but there is no one chasing him. The race will then be over and he will have won! When the imaginary wall between the waters above and the waters below is broken down, then all things will be seen and known as they are. There is one Life, one Spirit, one God and Father of us all. God is all and in all, and we are truly all ONE!

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