

Divine Covenant X^∞

Praise be to God, the Divine, Singular, Omnipotent, Omniscient, Nature of Universe, the Unknowable in entirety, yet knowable in part to an individual's capacity. Divine wisdom and civil, historic memory, leads us to the knowledge of God's promise of peaceful coexistence, happy and abundant life, and gentle going forth at the transition from this life to the next state of being. To these ends our Divine Parent has promised, as the promise has always been, that a life lived in the practice of love for God, fellow human beings and the quest for an ever deepening knowledge of the Divine Essence around us, as well as in us, will lead to joy in this life and the next state of being. This new view of the historic Divine Covenant will lift the believer to a higher state of human spiritual awareness and lead to joy in the soul.

God has always promised:

1. When one reads and understands world scriptures with an open mind and loving heart, the Divine path unfolds beneath the feet. To this end the Sempiternal Harmonist will educate himself or herself in World Scriptures. God's great truths are manifest in the religious writing of all truly practiced religious ideas and can be understood by looking for the commonalities.
2. Prayer and Meditation draws one closer to the Divine Parent, Creator, God. Prayer and Meditation aide in the realization of the purpose of human kind. We are told that the purpose of human beings is to know and to love God. To realize our full potential we are asked to communicate with God.
3. Living a virtuous life that uplifts personal values and strengthens individual discipline while allowing other people the freedom to reach their own goals will deepen the spiritual foundation of the believer. (see Principles of Sempiternal Harmony)
4. Seek the Divine Nature in all things. Remember that God is manifest in all of creation, universally. Treat other people as though in them you are near to God, for you truly are.
5. Attempt to know and to love God.

When one attempts to live these attributes in his or her life, the spirit will grow in joy, achieve abundant life and blissfully transition into the next state of being. Just as we developed eyes, arms and legs needed for this state of being while still in the womb, this covenant is meant to help develop the spiritual attributes needed for the next state of being. God's promise to us is that if we do our part, the path will be made safe.