

6. Alternate realities

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'All of your Planet Earth is an alternate reality. It is a human reality, but the true reality belongs in spirit.'

Salumet addresses a number of topics that have been covered before. The evening ends with a useful revision session on health and healing. Indeed, meditation can be more powerful than prayer. (29/1/07)

I would like to address the young gentleman who asked if I would speak to you about 'alternate realities'. I will try to clarify for you if I can some of your questions or doubts.

Paul: Thank you.

So, rather than devote a full evening to this topic, and as you are the one who is most interested, let me just say to you: what was your particular query about this subject?

Paul: Well, I've been thinking a lot about shamans and the parallels between their work and the medium's or spiritualist's work and the sort of work we do here. And I can see that there are some similarities, but it seems like with shamanism there is often more of an exploration of alternate realities. When they are performing healings or sometimes when they're training their apprentices, they seem to send them to other planes of existence, where they sometimes encounter beings who probably are not physically human...

Yes...may I stop you? I believe we spoke last time about this slightly...

Paul: Yes.

Now let me say this to you my dear friend that indeed there are other realities of which you are not acquainted. Alternate reality—and I will simplify this for you. All of your Planet Earth is an alternate reality. It is a *human* reality, but the *true* reality belongs in spirit. Therefore, remember when I discussed with you, that everything that happens on this planet and other planets, always has a spiritual counterpart. Can you remember? (Yes) Yes, and have I not discussed with you my dear friends, how your thoughts become reality? (Yes) Yes. What I would like you this time to understand is that you as human beings are living in shadow, and the alternate reality to this planet is one filled with love and light, but is exactly the same, for your understanding. So, in many areas of life there is always an alternate reality.

Paul: And it seems like these alternate realities, they're just different states of *consciousness*

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Being...

Paul: ...being...

Yes, that is the key phrase I would say.

Paul: I remember reading about someone called *Ruby Plenty Chiefs*, who was able to raise an object in her hand, and when someone asked her how she levitated this object, she said she suspended her agreement with *gravity*.

She made agreement with her *higher self*. (Ah.) You understand? It matters not what human words you use. I wish all of you to understand—and again I am repeating words: you are already spirit, clothed in human form. All of these capabilities are within your grasp...and still my dear friends you are surprised by these little things. You each have the power of your minds and thinking, you have the help of your higher selves. And I use that phrase because that is a term used by you human folk—and always this is the difficulty. Throughout *all* of existence, not only this universe, but in all universes, everything has an alternate reality. Do you understand? (Affirmed)

Paul: Yes, I think we get too bogged down—that's why I don't like science very much, because it tries to lay down physical laws as if they're rigid when they're not.

No, how can you have rigidity when all of existence is ever expanding? You cannot.

George: I gather that one new word that has come into science recently is—as opposed to 'Universe', the new word: '*Multiverse*'.

Multiverse—I am not aware of that at this moment in time...

George: It would seem to cover the idea of numerous universes.

Yes. We could have told them so, could we not!

(Laughs)

But again, you see, as always, we are restricted by the intellectual thinking.

Sarah: Going back to the alternative...

Not 'alternative', 'alternate'.

Sarah: Alternate—when somebody rises up—my son, when he was ill, he rose up and looked down on himself—now that's just his spirit coming out of his body looking down, isn't it?

Yes, that is just the freedom of spirit from the human form. You all do it, you are just mainly unaware of it. But as you know, many people have control of their own spirit form and can easily and readily leave the body at any time.

Sara: We know someone who is trying to become a shaman—shamanic techniques—and one of them was to release negative emotional memories, and they tied themselves up and screamed and shouted and made a lot of noise, and it struck us that it's more of a physical approach. You can do that through mind and meditation—even through writing perhaps. But with the mind, you can actually achieve that release through meditation just as easily, but perhaps they don't have the same belief, so *they* use a very physical approach, which is obviously going to help *them* if it feels right to *them*. Would you agree?

I congratulate you on your clear thinking, and yes of course, there are many approaches to our world and every individual comes to us in their own way. And as you know my dear friends, there is so much diversity of words in your world that it matters not what is said or what is done, but what the *outcome* is.

Sara: Yes, that is what I thought.

And you are all going in one direction. But yes, I would of course say to you, use that power of thought in a quiet conducted manner and you can achieve the same status.

Sara: Yes, I think it's probably less tiring...

(Laughs)

Yes, yes. I think I would most probably agree with you.

George: When the thought produces the reality, one can look at it in reverse and say: behind the reality is the thought. Is that thought part of spiritual counterpart?

Of course, the thought is only formed after it has been formed in spirit. There is always the connection, you cannot separate them. That is why I say you as human beings are living in an alternate reality, because the *real*, if I may use that word 'reality', is not here, but in spirit.

Lilian: It is the shadow...

This is the shadow, yes. But it is still a reality in your own thinking, and you must always look at all things in that way. And of course, 'thought' is the most powerful energy in existence. Each thought has already existed. Does that help you? (Affirmed)

Paul: So, it's useful to think of this reality as an alternate one...

Remember when we discussed about all things medical and how new cures came and how things are discovered, and I told you that all of these thought-forms have already been formed in our world, (Mm) so the thought is given before it is received by the human mind—the human brain—the thought needs the human brain to work. Do you understand?

Paul: The thought needs the human brain to work...

Whilst you are in human form.

Jan: As a processor.

Yes. No of course, thought does not *need* the brain—thought will exist without a brain, but for it to follow through, that structured thought must be used in a human form; it must be utilised in that way. You understand?

George: Yes, the brain is the transmitter for thought.

Yes, you are much more forward with your words than I. Even now, I stumble with your human words.

George: We still consider it most remarkable that you speak to us in words that we can understand!

Yes, and of course I too am using a transmitter, if you would like to view it that way.

George: Well, these transmitters are extremely useful, and I guess it is *the way* of connecting spirit world to this reality.

It has been that way for some considerable time, but now we are using other methods that I told you of when first I came, through your radios and your televisions and your speakers—all of these things are coming to fruition and being recognised by your scientific community.

George: Yes, perhaps it would be true to say that, like the human brain, these things have become sufficiently sensitive for your use...

I would like to think that everyone's brain was that sensitive (Laughs)... but I cannot agree wholeheartedly with that one. But yes of course, I am being amusing! (Laughs)

Paul: Is that why healing works, because it's not *us* healing, but our brains perhaps are being used as processors?

No, no, no, no. Let me explain that healing *always* comes from the source of all life, but it needs instruments to be used for the purpose. Healing comes from spirit, touches the spirit of the healer, who then passes on to whoever is in need. It is spirit touching spirit. It has nothing to do with the human brain or form. Remember, I have told you that all conditions—illnesses, sicknesses, are created by yourselves, and it is *spirit* that has to

change those conditions in the human form, otherwise there is no healing. If the spirit is not touched there is no healing.

Paul: The illness is simply a message that our thinking is incorrect?

It is on an energy level. Try always to think of illnesses as—what I termed to you before as ‘dis-ease’—dis-ease of the spirit that the human form has created. I know that will always be difficult for you to understand, but that is the truth.

George: Yes, one little area that I find puzzling is: illness and disease are rather different from the common cold which is just transient, and I suspect that one is not subject to spirit.

Jan: Environmental...

No, no my dear friend, you cannot separate anything. If those who catch cold or whatever, they are vulnerable to those outside influences. Why do some (*get colds*) and not others if it is environmental as the lady says? *Everyone* should be prone to these colds or flu or viruses or whatever you call them.

Paul: They relate to our stress levels...

Yes.

George: So, in an ideal situation we shouldn't ever catch a common cold?

No—if you are strong in spirit. But as you know, you humans are not perfect—and we know and we understand. But I am speaking more of deep-rooted disease.

Jan: What happens if—for example I was speaking to my sister today—we have the same inherited condition—surely that's on the same level...

It is because you both chose the same parents with the same human conditions.

Jan: Well that makes sense!

You choose parents with genes, with disabilities, with many, many issues. So that is why sometimes it affects more than one family member. Try not my dear friends, to separate these issues. It is basically that you are responsible for all things that come to you.

Whether that is hard to accept, I cannot change that for you. But if you are strong in spirit, you will find that it is much easier to throw off these negative energies. Do you understand? (*Affirmed*)

Sara: And can they throw them off completely?

Of course!

Sara: That's what I thought. I imagine the challenge is for them both to do this—to find a way?

Yes.

Lilian: But people that abuse their bodies, like with drinking or smoking—that again is their own thought...

They have their free will, yes of course.

Sarah: I was just thinking of a friend of mine who died of breast cancer. She was actually—I *thought* she was quite spiritual, although on a different path to me. She actually died of the disease—that was because she wasn't quite strong enough in spirit, was that?

Originally yes—once disease takes over the human body, it then becomes difficult, especially if that person is not strong spiritually to resist disease.

Sarah: So, once you've got it then you've got to be *very* strong...

Yes, you *need* to—you *need* to go within, you need to cleanse from within. And again, because you are human, you have human frailties and are not always able to do what you *inwardly* know is right.

Rod: So, with meditation and thought, one should be able to heal oneself a lot better.

Yes.

Sara: I think you can become more self-aware with meditation and recognise when your thinking is not clear and hopefully stop the vulnerability from starting.

In meditation you are in contact with that higher self and all of those angels and helpers who are there to help and guide you. Therefore, meditation is your first tool.

Sarah: If you have a disease that is caused by what you've done in a previous life, before you come back, will you know that you're going to get this disease?

Not necessarily, but you may be attracted to the same conditions. You will be attracted—it is not the *people* that you choose, so much as the *conditions* of life. So, if you have not 'cleared' it in one life, then you will choose it again.

Sarah: Yes, thank you.

Rod: Could I just ask you: would you say meditation is superior to a prayer? I pray every night, but I just wondered whether I should meditate every night?

It is a form of meditation, but in the meditation that I speak of, you leave behind that human thinking. You go within to that part of you that is all-existing. Therefore, my answer to you my dear friend is that meditation on a deeper level is preferable to uttered prayers, for your own help. Prayer for those in need of course will always be recognised. But if we are speaking of disease and illness, you really should go deep within.

Rod: Thank you very, very much.

George: Returning to 'separate realities', (**Yes**) would you advise seeing the *ether realities* with the elementals as separate realities?

I do not see any reality as separate. We are all as one, just shall I say 'different,' but never 'separated'. Do you understand?

George: Yes—all parts of the one...

Yes. It is a difficult subject to discuss. That is why I asked our dear gentleman friend what his own thoughts were, rather than try to explain a topic, which in your own words would feel most uncomfortable and not easily acceptable.

George: Yes and the scientists of this world would be very tempted to put the ether beings into separate boxes or separate realities, because that's the intellectual way.

Of course, but they are learning slowly. We must give credit to them, just in as much as they are now beginning to listen to us, and much influence is being imparted to them. So they are making tiny steps towards progress.

George: Yes. So would it be reasonably proper for us to view two universes intermingled—the spirit and *this* reality, (**Yes**) or would you recommend that we think in a more complicated way than that?

I wish always for you to think simply, in order for you to understand. Spirit is intermingled with all of you here now, because you *are* spirit. Spirit is not a separate place—to use your word. Everything is intermingled.

Paul: Is it better then to think of just one reality?

One reality...

Paul: But simply, as our consciousness grows, we'll see so much more...

Yes, your understanding will grow with it, yes.

George: And to think of it as 'two universes' is a very scientific way of thinking, (**Yes**) which one doesn't really approve of perhaps...

If you are part of that Creative Force, how can you then be separate? Every droplet in a sea forms a whole. Every tiny drop of water belongs to the whole. Do you understand?

You do not look to the water in the sea as separate droplets, you see it as *one whole* do

you not? (Agreed) That is how I would like you to try to view this energy called 'Love' ... or 'Creation' ... or 'Universes'. Think of it in just *one* loving thought.

George: You've presented an analogy which cannot be denied.

I thank you for your words my friend. I hope my words this time have helped a little in your understanding. (Agreed + thanks)

George's Notes: *This session clarifies and reiterates a number of truths for us. Not least the true nature of disease (however trivial) and how deep meditation may cleanse or protect us from all afflictions. And how we each have a brain that is a very useful portable transmitter, and how thought powers all.*

Concerning reality, we might compare Plato's very similar analogy. If in the darkness outside a cave people danced around a fire. And if people within the cave could only ever see the shadows of the dancers on the back wall, then to them the shadows would be their reality.

Plato's Republic, Book VII.

Ruby Plenty Chiefs, is one of a number of outstanding healers/Medicine women, described in the writings of Lynn V. Andrews.