



The Light Is Yours

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From The Publisher: Like all divine expressions, the exact publication date of the newsletter varies occasionally. However, we will, gods and goddesses willing, get an issue out each month. Father has talked extensively on the division of Time into its comprehensible units. The basis of marking Time in the human perspective is the movement of the heavenly bodies. The moon's regular passage about the earth indicates the months; the earth's circling of the sun is the year; the day is one revolution of the earth on its axis. The marking of time gives us a chronology of human events which, as History, is God's revelation of His Will to Man, moving His forms through the matrix of time and space... The San Francisco Village maintains its constant round of activities, based on the maintainance of our households and community projects. State Assemblyman Willie Brown stopped by the Foundation Headquarters for a social call last week. It was his first visit here, and he enjoyed his brief stay, as did his two aides, Pat Schultz and Deanie Lyons. He promised to come back next month for dinner with his wife and children... Father's 4-week visit to Australia is set to begin February
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REPORT FROM HEADQUARTERS: "Re-integrated Orders of Existence"

Eddie Lepler has been successfully operating a Siva Kalpa School at 65 Scott Street, #1. The school is primarily attended by children in the Family other than children in our household. Parent participation has sparked the interest of the children who attend, and has encouraged Eddie to continue his endeavors to provide a learning experience which the children themselves want and enjoy... Lou Gottlieb has been so kind as to take on the task of training a serious Siva Kalpa Family chorus. Progress is being made rapidly. Musically illiterate members are learning to read music in order to sing in harmony. We want to feel in harmony. Striving for that peak has been a tremendous revelation about the division of the Primal Sound into its multiple manifestations. A good choral practice leaves the students and teachers naturally, blissfully high... The Food Co-op has experienced another striving for harmony, not of musical tone but a harmony of quality of intonation of speech and simple expression of truthful feelings, with good humor... At the Foundation center the 8 goddess natures are striving for the same harmonizing, which requires constant communication among them and tuning themselves to the constant outpouring of love and reassurance from Father... Patty O'Brian is conducting a weekly yoga exercise class in Caroline Grey's apartment. The exercise period is followed by lively conversation. We have been infused with Absolute Knowledge and are bringing it down to the physical plane. Observing the tools and practices which are available to us, we utilize the best and enjoy the ecstasy of self-expression.

ANNA LYNN DAYTON & CORINNE PROIETTO

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"We can move... you can move
in knowledge... then you'll see
your body is moving towards
your ancient bliss and conscious-
ness from which you have fallen."

January 16, 12th Year Siva Kalpa

Dear Family,

We'll title this: "Corinne's Candle Yet Glows". After bouncing around the countryside of Villefranche for seven days with Gilles, Raymond and Sundari, visiting various properties for sale, rendezvousing with Phillippe and his parents at Callus to see a farm Francis and his Dad, Emile, had found the week before, and visiting Nanar in Dak, we arrived back in Villefranche and, for me, found our pot of gold in the same Mr. Reynale you and Gilles met here. Gilles went to him to acknowledge reception of the kilos of fur, and he offered Gilles his entire fur business, including the shop we saw in Villefranche and his workshop in another city, the two buildings, all clients etc. for a flat \$60,000. Corinne, for the first time, it's looking real to me. When we returned to Paris with the news, I saw agreement in every family member, "This is interesting" for Benoit, Lou, Honore, Andre - all agree. As I once again descended the path to the village site at Cambrette, wet to my knees, Sundi at my side, stoned on its beauty, I remembered Lopa's and Simon's words, "You need tools," and then, Mr. Reynare made the offer. He really flashed on you and Gilles that evening last December. We start to work the furs he sent us tomorrow - Claudi, John, Gilles, Philippe and I. It's a natural business for France, country of fat, furry mouton. The leather he sent is also excellent, we've heard nothing from Renaissance about the patterns (just received some lovely greeting cards). All of the property we saw had possibilities, Corinne, the village surely being the flashiest. Philippe's parents, Andre, Gilles and Raymond especially liked one 30 hectare farm near Callus (but without a business, proved, we would be enslaved by the land as we are by the Parisien Machine). We met a group of artisans (weavers and sculptors) who had a \$60,000 house for sale near Callus. They had done what we imagine to create with an old stone structure, and had a workshop, etc., but without Father, with no focus of purpose, they were at an end there. With this business, we have got it all. We'd love to talk to you. After commencing with our fur business here in Villefranche, plans are in the making to completely investigate the Villefranche atelier. Annette and Benoit have taken an apartment in Chelles. Logsam is back, we just heard yesterday Gael has been busted. We will write letters for her. There is much gathering together here, the winter is mild, I love the support for our next phase for the French Family. Thank you for your suggestions. We're preparing a new French Frontier. I am part pioneer, part householder, ready to work, to learn and I love you.

SHANTI

Hi Corinne - just a note to say that I'm still thinking of coming over - beginning of February will be the best for me - I'll let you know - we will give as soon as possible more details of the "fur business". "I love it !!" and I love. B.S.B.

PHILIPPE

11/1/78

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Dear Cathy,

I am very happy to receive such a nice letter, and the materials concerning the Foundation of Revelation.

I have heard a lot about your family and your activities. This what I have learnt helps me to a great extent to get acquainted closer with your family. Unfortunately we have not Thanksgiving Day in Poland but we celebrated Christmas and New Year's Eve, as these are great holidays in my country.

I am studying at the Agricultural Academy in Krakow. I am in the third year and the next one is the best. Since my examinations are near and I have a lot of material to prepare, as the systems of our educations differ a lot from yours, forgive that my letter is so short.

Later when I pass the examinations, I will try to write a longer letter. Once more again thank you for your letters and everything. I will remember you as my friends. I hope I will hear from you some news soon.

So long,
Andrzej Szupelak

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Sept. 20, 1978

Dear Cathy,

I was very pleased when I got your letter. It was great to receive a letter from somebody whom I do not know and what's more it was the first letter which I receive from so far away. I was very happy to hear something about the Family. Sam told me about you when I was in London and I think that the whole idea of it is really wonderful. I still know very little so I receive every piece of information with great enthusiasm. I imagine that the village that you have formed must be really a place of love, self-respect and self-realization. It seems for me more like a wonderful dream than truth as my country is so far away and quite different from yours. But I keep thinking about you and I feel much better when I realize that such place as yours really exists. When I have heard about you for the first time I have started to dream that maybe one day I shall see how it really looks.

I have already started to tell my friends about the Foundation of Revelation. Many thanks for the latest issues of Siva Kalpa News as they are a great help for me when I tell people about you. I have read them and now I feel that my studies are quite useful. I could understand almost everything.

I am going to London now to stay there for a half of a year as I think it will improve my English a lot. I will write to you when I settle there and I start my English course.

I am sending all my love,
Aya (Dobrotzckie)

D.E.V.A. MOVES AHEAD

dateline:
The Village (P.S.E.)

The Duboce Environmental Village Association or D.E.V.A. had its first meeting of the new year, and a sufficient quorum of the membership was present to tackle the task of deciding how to finish the first phase of development on the strip of land adjacent to Scott St.

Agreement on matters of substance were reached: to finish the pirate ship, install a fence, and beautification of the space without detracting from its character. The next meeting is scheduled for February 15th, at 50 Scott St., 7:30 p.m.

The Year of Maximum Resonance

Dr. Max says, "I am the most sound for the least effort."

The village has yet to evolve a common purpose which can involve all, or nearly all of the family members in an activity which generates income (not an activity which merely redistributes the scholarship money that the American government is paying to those who are studying immortality).

Dr. Max, after an intensive two year study of the assets, has formulated a common purpose which is turning out large numbers of musicians. That common purpose: sell music and buy Scott Street. So far no one has criticized that objective.

The manufacture of music for sale seems to have harnessed the creative energies of many family members. The first objective is to produce one hit sound. All those who have accepted this purpose find themselves ranking themselves, according to rt cit, blissfully.

Saturday afternoons are devoted to rehearsals involving all participants where colors and textures of choral sound are researched and developed. During the mid-week, musical micro-brigades meet to continue this activity as participants in ensembles of soloists. That means to wipe out musical illiteracy, and recognizing the specific seniorities which facilitate creation of beautiful sounds.

The king of the gandharvas is supporting completely these musical efforts. He was present at the rehearsal on Feb. 4, and interpreted Bom Shankar Bolenath.

"To know me", says Dr. Max, "is to blow the imaginary conch shell daily."

* Report From the Front Lines*
by Progresso Crescendo

The Crescendo family has grouped with fortissimo exuberance. It's cherubic harmonies are conducted by Dr. Max Resonance, whose mastered pedagogical skills, communicate a feeling of awakened interest and imagination. The growing number of theatrical personalities have developed a spontaneous repertoire which is becoming consistently effective comedy material.

Pretendo Crescendo has removed her guitar strings in order to supraphysically accompany the group. Pianisissimo Pixley's pitch pipe is forever ready to lead us into celestial song, and Anadante has Corrinndo doing the eternal scales which is a divine form of self discipline.

Lownotto Crescendo, after taking her eighth rest has regrouped, and as Piano and Molto Legato have observed, we are Alto-gether now, in measurable timing.

"Pranava... means the absolute movement because creation is absolute... it never seeks the permission of others..."

Note From Scott Street: Just another reminder-- if you have or know the whereabouts of any of Father's Sanscrit books, please return them immediately to Sarada or Corinne, at 59 Scott. We are starting a library so that everyone can have access to the books under supervision.

The Back Porch Store, the on-going store in 59 Scott, is having a change of policy. Beginning now, please be more selective of the clothes and other things you bring by -- think in terms of a boutique and who might receive your donations. The baby and children's clothes are now being recycled through 33 Scott hallway closet, between #1 and #2, with Lynn Generoy and Kim Karmakar in charge of sorting and display. Please respect their space the same as ours -- Thank you.

A T-SHIRT NEWSFLASH FROM AUSTRALIA

An apology T-shirt has been sent from Shiva Press to all of us who ordered the long sleeve variety of Dida's benefit, 10th year. Each person receiving an apology T-shirt can expect to get one more short sleeve one as close as possible to their original order. The delay has been the unavailability of long sleeve T-shirts in Australia. (One long sleeve T-shirt seems to be equal to two short sleeve ones).

I will be contacting everyone who will be receiving Australia's apology T-shirts and I also will be handling the exciting new designs that they hope to send us in a new shipment.

I have a feeling that the new T-shirts will be most welcomed by all of us as our mahamilana ones are certainly becoming old, faded collectors' items.

Hope

Our Family Restaurant

What are you doing on Friday night? How about an exciting evening with your most intimate friends?

Father's Arms presently residing at 56 Lloyd Street offers a different international cuisine every week with a free drink offered with each meal. Our bar opens at 6 p.m. with smashing drinks at very reasonable prices--in fact, everything is within reason at Father's Arms.

Have you checked out the fascinating and most versatile English bartender? The rest of the staff is also quite international--we have two princesses--one YogaMayan Indian and the other Hopefully Jewish, a Mexican caballero and his Cecilian wife. Some weeks we even have intriguing guest cooks flown up from Scott, Waller and Lloyd Streets. Come spend an evening with just us and leave the children at home with a family babysitter.

Our announcement of each week's theme is posted at the co-op on Wednesday along with a reservation sheet. We look forward to seeing and serving you. And for all you international folk, we have food to go.

Hope

From The Publisher: (continued)

ary 22nd, eagerly anticipated by the Family there, as we can tell from their cards and letters... From Brazil we heard of the birth in early January of Christina and Alain's first son, Indra Vladimir Lundgren... Here in S.F., we await the imminent return of Rich Meyers and Linda Lowrance, as well as Hari and Regina, from England, and Phillipe, our beloved French ambassador, from France... In the entertainment world, Hal Kutchins is putting the finishing touches on a new I.R.A. tape. Stephanie Hiller is working Sundays at the Palms Cafe on Polk Street, and we hope to see some Family musicians performing there before long. Nancy Collins wrote a beautiful Christmas song about Jesus, which she played for us over the holiday season. We have so much great talent in this Family that it seems inevitable that the next few years will see it enjoyed by more and more people... Phil Dayton is securing a store-front on Waller & Pierce Streets, for use as an art gallery. Simon Stock and Peter Birnbaum are imagining the creation of a beer-and-wine-making club, to be called "Om Breweries". Dave Letourneau and I have volunteered to set up a laboratory for Quality Control... Apologies to all those who sent in material that was not published; we're working on ways to increase our length while staying within our budget... B.S.B. and Love,

John Morton

FAMILY FOODS SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Family Foods opened a savings account at Wells Fargo Bank on January 6, current total \$70 -- a small beginning in the long process of working together for service and revelation through business enterprize. Father told us we would become wealthy and powerful; now we are starting to lay the groundwork for our future growth. Archeologists discovered scrolls from ancient Babylon which enumerate the principles of how to build a great fortune. The central theme is that 10% of what you earn is yours to keep and there are laws governing how to use it to make it grow. This is not the same as the tithe you give the foundation; that is for God, the other is for you to build your fortune through creative use. To do this you must budget monthly wants and necessities out of 80% of your monthly income. Does that sound too hard, or impossible? It has been tried and tested with great success. For a deeper examination of the matter read THE RICHEST MAN IN BABYLON by George Clason, available in paperback from Bantam Books. Once you have decided to save money, you might wonder why you should put it in a collective account. Obviously we can amass a large amount of capital by combining all of our small savings accounts. It looks good, and it shows that we trust one another and are working together. United we stand, divided we fall. If we really are to create family enterprizes to support ourselves and serve humanity we must start somewhere. This seems a good place to start since the business of food is of direct concern to all of us. When we discussed opening the savings account at Wells Fargo Bank at a Family Foods directors' meeting, we talked about moving our checking account there also but realized we couldn't since we were paying off the \$500 loan we took in October from Hibernia Bank by automatic monthly deductions from our Hibernia checking account. This loan marked a major expansion for Family Foods. Three fifths of this money, intended for purchasing insurance on the truck, was used to purchase a side of beef and wine from Sebastapol. Two hundred dollars was used as intended for purchase of a freezer. Since that time the average monthly balance in our checking account has doubled. We all felt positive about the loan since it enabled us to expand services to our members to such a great extent, and yet the thought of paying 16.5% interest to one bank while receiving 5% from our savings with another was too much. So it was a thrilling moment when four of us in attendance decided to pool our savings to pay

off the loan and have Family Foods repay us directly into the savings account at 10% (6.5% less than the bank rate but 5% more than we would get from a savings account). It felt like the beginning of the real idea of a family bank.

Why should we borrow money from the bank and pay them interest when we can borrow from ourselves and keep the interest in the family? Your money in the Family Foods savings account will earn 5% annually. However, if Family Foods receives your permission to withdraw your money for its use your money will earn 10% annually. We are dealing with small amounts of money so interest will be small. For example \$100 in the savings account for three months will earn \$1.24; if we use your \$100 for three months it will earn \$2.48. If we use it for one month it will earn .83 (and bring new goods and services to the coop for your consumption), in the bank it will earn .41. In a way it is laughable to think about such small amounts with any degree of seriousness, yet it is the practice with pennies that will bring us skill we will require for dealing with larger amounts in the future.

Really the issue is trust and responsibility. If Family Foods serves your needs and inspires your trust, then this savings account is a fine way for you to invest in its growth. At present Family Foods is in need of improved organization of its methods of operation and its work force. Anyone interested in working with us would be warmly welcomed. We need new energy to spark a clearer perspective of our immediate and long-range purposes and goals.

Loans to be taken from the savings account include purchase of various items for the freezer, insurance for the truck, a 55-gallon drum of safflower oil, a secondhand juicer to make fresh squeezed juices for coop and family gatherings. The savings account is just beginning, and we are developing guidelines for its use and operation. The first is that no individual may withdraw his money until it has been in the bank for three months without the consent of a quorum of Family Foods directors, in which case interest would be forfeited.

To be continued next issue....

Diana Young

As of February 1, Family Foods had \$426 in cash and \$500 out in credit. Average weekly credit has been \$250. Due to excessive book-keeping involved, the problems of running a business without available cash and a general recognition that living on credit is a bad habit, Family Foods will cease accepting credit for purchases as of February 4. Cooperation will be appreciated.

"When one form is struck
by this lightning.... it
maintains the conscious-
ness as a still lightning."

(Editor's note: The following letter was inspired by a column in the S.F. Examiner by Guy Wright. We quote it here in part.)

Until they told us the Cosmos had fallen, I had no idea there were atomic reactors whirling around in the sky over my head.

Let's start with the self-evident truth that anyone who would fire an atomic reactor into orbit around the earth, out of reach of human hand if anything went wrong, is a raving maniac who belongs in a straitjacket.

Since both Russia and the U.S. have done just that, I'm obliged to conclude that raving maniacs are in control of the space programs in both countries.

Because the Cosmos crashed where people saw its fiery trail, we found out what the mad scientists have been doing. Perhaps now there will be a worldwide demand to take their dangerous toys away from them. But if the thing had fallen unobserved into the ocean, I don't believe for a moment that our leaders ever would have told us about it.

I no longer trust their judgment. I no longer trust their honesty. While they offer assurances that everything is all right, I keep wondering how many other near-disasters and potential disasters they are keeping secret from us.

President Jimmy Carter January 29, 1978
The White House 12th year Siva Kalpa
Washington, D.C.

Dear President Carter,

Enclosed is an editorial that appeared today in the San Francisco Sunday Examiner & Chronicle. I want you to know that I agree with every word. I want to ask you why you think you are protecting the people of these United States by keeping the existence of such terrible machines secret until an accident like this occurs?

I also want to know why you continue to support the use and proliferation of nuclear reactors when it is far beyond the range of modern technology to deal with the waste products of these reactors, radioactive waste that can have a half life of up to 250,000 years? How can we possibly contain such waste when these products will continue to be poisonous for 245,000 years longer than our own known history?

I support your efforts as president of this great country of ours, but I cannot support your ignorance. I know you are a brave man and a good leader for these very troubled times. The American people are looking for truth in government, not trickery and deceit, and we are trusting in you to provide us with the truth.

I remain America's devoted servant,
In God we trust,

David L. Letourneau

P.S. What about our children and our children's children and their children....?

Rich Meyers in London *** January 12, 12th Year

Beautiful work on "The Light is Yours". I think many a Britisher here might tip a cup of tea to an entertaining newsletter like your recent 6-page edition. England moves along in its well-tempered rhythm. Recently its lid has been pried open, its veneer and complacency stirred up by the pressure of revealing situations. Truly the negatives are there only for us to evolve through them, another of Father's unique methods. The movement in M.E.V.A. (Macfarlane Environmental Village Association) flows through a desire for change, so that conversation has become more direct, contact more purposeful, bringing relationship higher. The practical side reflects the pressure with the advent of electricity and hot water to the Cottage and a new stove to 83 MacF. I am taking a short last glimpse at Europe, going to Copenhagen, Luxembourg and the Italian Alps, before returning to S.F. in February.

Ganga in Melbourne *** January 10, 12th Year

A report from Australia should be easy for somebody to do, but I'm afraid it's not me at the moment. Actually, the Foundation household is scattered to the winds right now, literally, 'cause there's large scale construction going on behind our kitchen wall, and it's going to be uninhabitable for a couple of weeks. Danny & I & kids are staying with Patty & Lew, the Magahys are over at Rix, and the rest are scattered around. The gods are spending their days playing at being the Hurry Construction Company, doing an amazing job, too. It feels like living on the road again, which is a flash. And Father will be gracing our shores soon, which will make it a far-out summer indeed. B.S.B., Love, Ganga.

1/25/12

Las Vegas

Dear Family,

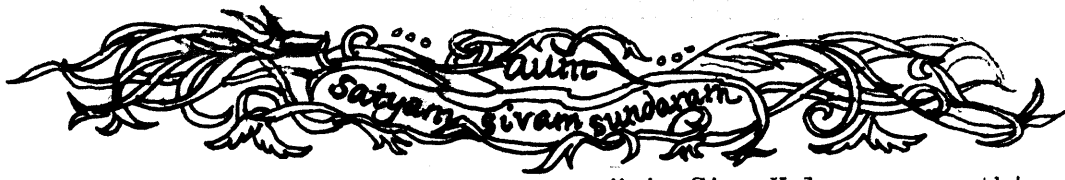
This has been a very eventful month for the Las Vegas Family. The Tuckers along with Frank Ganz, Cherise and David, arrived here early in the month to attend Don's niece's wedding. It was a very nice affair with a great many communications following at the reception.

The next week, with the Tuckers still in Las Vegas, Father and Shotsy visited. It was a time of re-uniting and developing many of the relationships here. There were many quiet discussions and revelations, held in relaxed yet festive dinners and parties. As always, Father's presence brought understanding and synthesis of activities and feelings.

Don Tucker remained behind and continued bolstering the feelings while attending to personal business and revealing Father to those he met. Dinners and parties brought more than 40 people through our doors to share their love and feeling with us. It has been a great month to begin the year. We are looking forward to sharing the events and stories with you all in person, as such an account would be too lengthy at this time.

All the guests have gone, but their feeling remains. So it is, all over the planet. Bom Shankar Bholenath.

Love always,
Michael, Suzie, Lisa
& Rachel (Ebeltoft)



"...in Siva Kalpa...everything comes to order by immediate realization of a higher knowledge and immediately loves the higher knowledge, and the higher knowledge immediately becomes the servant of the junior. The lower knowledge is not really lower, it is junior in evolution. Junior means time, nothing else, dig it junior means time...
 ..."of the divine will of self revelation"... so every form gets into the desire to reveal himself as divine. And divinity has no ego, because divinity always thinks that there is a superior and a junior. The junior immediately begins to love and understand its senior, and the senior immediately becomes a service, and stabilizes the junior and consoles him.

A beggar of the poorest country is becoming the ruler of the whole world without any desire. To become high by an effort to forget this will not succeed and save the world."

Father, from Siva Kalpa explained

Year 12 of Our Lord Siva's Omnipotent Imagination

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