

IT IS AT HAND — MY SPIRIT

“Not by might, nor by power, but by *My spirit*, saith the Lord of hosts” (Zech. 4:6). My Spirit, your Spirit, his Spirit, her Spirit, everybody’s Spirit, the Father within, the Christ. Not within your body, but within your consciousness, which is you. This Spirit is within, and without, it is everywhere. It is the “I,” the “I” of you and me, of everyone; it is the Ego, the Mind, God, Spirit; and as Isaiah sets forth: “the Holy One of Israel in the midst of thee.” That is it, “in the midst of thee.”

It is that which keeps you alive, keeps the world alive, makes the birds fly, the fishes swim, and the planets revolve in their courses; it makes the sun shine, the waters flow and the stars twinkle. It is wonderful: “For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace. Of the increase of David [him who is beloved of God], and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever. The zeal [the automatic power] of the Lord of hosts will perform this.” (Isaiah)

My Spirit which is “in the midst of thee!” When you say, “My God.” “My God have mercy upon me,” or “My God heal me,” you unconsciously conceive of God as somewhere outside and afar off, as a great person or power, maybe, who will work some kind of a miracle on us — “poor worms of the dust.” Now, if instead of saying, “My God,” you will say “My Spirit,” then you will seemingly bring Him within, which is as it should be. My Spirit which is “in the midst of thee,” not in the middle of your body but “in the midst of thee,” in the midst of your consciousness, which is you; inside and outside too, everywhere. I AM here, I AM there, I AM everywhere.

You do not have to look for a Messiah somewhere outside, but inside, within. He it is that does the work — “The Father that dwelleth in me, he doeth the works,” Christ Jesus said. “Not by might, nor by power [of the human mind or body or matter], but by *my spirit*” — My Spirit, your Spirit, everyone’s Spirit; the Christ within; that Mind “which was also in Christ Jesus.” My Spirit will heal, the Word will be made flesh; “In my flesh [while I appear to be living in the flesh] shall I see God,” Job declared, and Jesus said, “I and my Father are one,” not two, but *one*.