

BEYOND CONSCIOUSNESS

My forefathers and mothers were the first “Beings” eight pairs -----four men,-----
---four women ----Duality! ----Duality!

Unity! Unity!

“All” in “All” the “all”

Creators ---Yes! creators -----

Earth ----water ---etc. ---etc.-----

Master the nature of your “Being” -----

Who said “none” but a god can worship a god-----

Be conscious -----

Women by nature are the keepers of life -----

Foster the matriarchal belief system -----

Be independent ----Yes! independent -----

Be aware of the wisdom of nature and the dignity of “Beings” ----“Beings”!

The scheme of life! ---of life!

Aum!, Aum!, Aum!

Breathe! Breathe! The “Breath”-----

Be bliss -----Yes! Bliss ----

Be informed! ---informed! Read! -Read!

Be apprized ---- apprized -----

Beyond consciousness -----

The spiral continues -continues -----

Stories! Stories! Stories! -----

What about the mystical experience?

Oh! Spirituality ----Spirituality! -----

Religion! Religio! -----linking back -----

Defense! Defense! --- against the experience of God ----of God! ---

Religion! Religare! --- to bind together ---together -----

Theology! Theology! ---- ascribing personality and character to God ----The “All”

Mythology! Mythology!

Who invented hell? Yes! Hell -----

Be aware of the mode of conditioning --- ---and the spiral continues---continues---

Sitting and awaiting for the commencement of the program ---“Lest we forget

A journey from slavery to victory”-----

Then I was persistently physically touched ----- I turned my head left -----responding

to the vibration and rhythm of the touch -----it was a sister colorfully attired,

exhorting me to take my “hat’ off ---a tam,---Yes! Tam ----Tam-o- shanter ----

“I” refused and stated ---if it is offensive to anyone I would leave -----She then said

that they do not ask anyone to leave,---but men are asked to take their hats off---

Are you Muslim---she said reverberating ---continuously-----

My response was ---what religion has to do with it ----If you were Muslim you could

have it on ---she uttered ----- I held my position ---then reference women in the

audience; hats, no hats and pants -----

“I” lamented internally ---first millennium B.C. dogma ----

Am I in Corinth ----?

Or should I evoke E-sai-as (Isaiah) and Zechariah and put on a Turban -----

What about the evolution of church music/gospel music -----

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Africa Personified! Yes! Africa Personified -----

Abominable ---at one time and still is ----! Masked -----

And the rhythm endureth ----Pulsating “efficacy of grace”

How ironic ---- the struggle continues -----

Macedonia ---- old or Modern -----

Indo-European mind set ----Yes! Indo-European -----

On this day ---- Slavery or Victory-----?

Eternally watchful! Watchful!.....

“I” recoiled and reverberated “within” -----

Historical factors and women within the “African Ark” -----

On this day in 1688 the Quakers at Germantown Pennsylvania, adopted the first

Formal anti-slavery resolution in American History -----and also on this day

February 18th, 1931 Toni Morrison was born in Lorain, Ohio, and she won the

Pulitzer Price in Fiction for her book Beloved on the 31st of March, 1988 -----

Toni Morrison -----Yes!

What if I were to wear a cross with a loop at the top ---symbol Ankh – enduring life!

instead of the cross -----! What if?

Can one live without the guidance of clergy or the comfort of organized doctrine or

common symbols?

I am only asking, asking!----

Check this out -----

The council of Ephesus in the year 431 A.D Proclaimed Mary to be the mother of

God -----

Likewise the council of Chalcedon 451 A.D defined the second person of the trinity -

---Am I talking through my hat ---more so, passing my hat ----No!

Under my hat come thoughts of initiation, transformation, empowerment and tolerance ----- Yes! tolerance-----

Within these United States it has been chronicled that my mothers and forefathers were dehumanized, mortified, ostracized, classified, ----etc. etc.....

Lift up our mothers and forefathers -----

Lift them up in the here, and the now -----

We are authenticating and elucidating truth ---our story ---speaking eloquently, because the struggle for truth in consciousness is more than the dynamics of dress, ornament, symbols, elaborate systems of rituals, doctrine and law -----

Listen up!-----

Many were and are excluded -----

Many survived and flourished -----

But the struggle for human dignity is still pending -----

Understand African mythological traditions -----

The struggle continues -----

---Unless weakness argues its own futility -----

Power up!

Beyond consciousness!