

CHAPTER 7

Discussion with spirit guides

John Lennon and American Presidents

GF: I've been told by some spiritual guides that my writing could help with the cause of "world peace."

JOHN LENNON: Well, you're in luck. It just so happens that I'm even more passionate about world peace now than I was as a human being. Do you still believe I'm for real, Dr. Frick? I think you're coming around again!

GF (ignoring his sarcasm): What do you have to say about world peace?

JOHN LENNON: I think a better question is "What

don't I have to say about the topic?"

It's incredibly important. More important than just about any cause that there is on your planet. What good. . .

[WE LOSE OUR CONNECTION.]

GF: What happened?

JOHN LENNON: You got frightened and I don't blame you. What good is any other cause if a billion people are wiped out in a nuclear war—that's what I was going to say.

GE: I think it's time I write about an experience I had a year and a half ago. I wrote a book. . .

[HE INTERRUPTS ME.]

JOHN LENNON: Stop right there! We wrote that book through you to a certain extent.

You really were channeling us—much of the time. You made your share of mistakes, maybe more than your share of mistakes, but that is how you learn. You can't just lie down and die like you've tried to do for most of the past year.

You need to figure out what went wrong, and not make those "mistakes" again. Now that I'm getting off my soapbox, you may proceed.

GF: After I wrote that book, the spirits of maybe ten ex-presidents told me to throw the entire manuscript away. Then when I ran out of the room in panic, I saw an image of a nuclear bomb exploding.

JOHN LENNON: I want to remind you that you're not the president. Those spiritual guides you were referring to just wanted you to take the cause you were

writing about more seriously. They know very well that you alone are not going to cause a nuclear war.

(With emphasis) Come on now, you should know better than that. They just wanted your respect (just as I do).

GF: What went wrong? Is this still John Lennon?

JOHN LENNON: We're all working together. so tell me, what went wrong?

GF: I wasn't terrified while writing like I am now.

JOHN LENNON: We don't want you to be terrified. We just want your respect. "Fear" and "respect" are not as related as you think they are.

GF: Really, who are you?

AMERICAN PRESIDENTS: We're a group of American Presidents working together (i.e., we were American Presidents during our incarnations on Earth).

GF: Listen, I realize I've gone from one extreme to another! Two years ago, I thought you were little more than a product of my subconscious mind. Now, I'm just plain scared.

AMERICAN PRESIDENTS: What's the worst that could happen? You'll write another book. We'll "tell" you to throw it away, and then you'll go on with your life. That's what we were hoping you would do two years ago.

GF: What is the best possibility?

AMERICAN PRESIDENTS (interrupting): The

“best” possibility is that you will be published someday, and your book will make a difference. (Long pause) We know you find this hard to believe, but we want you to live a good life.

GF: You want everybody to live a good life!

AMERICAN PRESIDENTS: That’s exactly our point! We have to think of other people when we are dealing with you. On the other hand, we love you too, and if at any point we feel you can’t handle the challenge . . . we really mean you well. As difficult as it may seem to you to believe, that it is the truth.

And this so-called “challenge” is not that much of a “challenge.” All we want you to do is help us communicate a message to certain people through a book—that’s it. We realize that you are not a politician . . .

GF: I understand now . . .

AMERICAN PRESIDENTS (interrupting): You’re trying to understand that we are no longer presidents. We are spirits.

You wonder why we aren’t writing through a Congressman now. Well, we’ve told you before that there is no sound political solution to the issue of “world peace.”

The world is a very dangerous place now—more dangerous than it was during the Cold War. In 10-20-30 years, the world could become a much less dangerous place than it is today. So you see, you’re living during a very critical time period.

GF: Is there going to be a Golden Age of Humanity?

AMERICAN PRESIDENTS: We can’t guarantee that the world will ever be totally safe from a nuclear

war, but once a critical stage of consciousness is reached, then the risk will be hopefully a lot less. And hopefully that trend will continue for centuries, maybe even longer than that!

GF: So what you're saying is that in order for the world to live in peace, a change in consciousness is needed rather than a specific political solution.

How would you define a "change in consciousness?"

AMERICAN PRESIDENTS: Why don't you . . .

[I believe what they were trying to ask me is, "Why don't you answer your own question?"]

GF: A few days ago, a friend of mine said to me, "During the Golden Age of Humanity, people will much better understand the power of prayer than they do today."

Would more prayers for world peace help?

AMERICAN PRESIDENTS: We're obviously not going to answer your question "no." You're on the right track.

What we're talking about is a difference mindset—not something that could be measured three dimensionally; not something that could be measured by money; not something that could occur just by creating a new political party.

What we're talking about is much deeper than that. . . . (With amusement) We know what you are thinking now. Doesn't just about everybody already know that there is no political solution to the issue we are discussing? Well, if that were the case, then we wouldn't be writing this book to begin with.

GF: What will the world be like during the Golden Age of Humanity?

AMERICAN PRESIDENTS: We prefer that you not think in terms of there being a “Golden Age.” We can’t guarantee you that at any point in time there will no longer be a risk of a nuclear war.

What we can guarantee you is that we will do all we can to help prevent it, but the future of “Planet Earth” rests in the hands of men and women just as much as it rests in our hands—there is only so much we could do.

Back to your question, consider what happened at the end of the Cold War. There are few in your generation who ever thought that they’d live to see it end, and look what happened! It ended more quickly and more peacefully than anybody could have expected say in the 1970’s.

That’s the type of changes that we’re hoping for in the future: the type of changes that nobody would expect to see during their lifetimes. Life will still be difficult as it is now. Wars will still exist, but eventually we are hoping that the world will work together in harmony to a greater extent than it is today.

(With amusement) I know you people expect us to be brilliant “speakers,” but we are limited by the vehicle we are working through.

GF: Thanks a lot!

AMERICAN PRESIDENTS: You see, as difficult as it is for our “vehicle” to understand, we really do have a sense of humor. . . .

[PRESIDENT KENNEDY TAKES CENTER STAGE.]

PRESIDENT KENNEDY (laughing): Let’s wrap this chapter up, shall we? During the so-called “Golden Age of Humanity,” if any country or group of people is perceived as a “nuclear threat” by the rest of the world, then we are hoping that the world could work together more. . . .

(Laughing again) You see, I'm trying to explain a fifth dimensional concept. There is no specific policy or diplomatic strategy that could be implemented here.

It's just a matter of people changing their perspective a little (if not a lot). Just try to imagine how the world could change for the better (and realistically)!

Money will still exist. Hatred will still exist. Prejudice will still exist. Will war always exist? As long as there are human beings some form of it obviously will.

(Laughing) And let us not forget that love will still exist too. That counts for something, doesn't it ladies and gentlemen?