

## Daily Meditation 07/02/2022

### Aquinas on Angels, Love and Intuition

Good morning.

Today we continue our meditation on angels with Thomas Aquinas. And I think his teachings today are extremely beautiful and important to us humans at this time in history when we are not living up to our promise at all well, when we seem to be often shutting our eyes and ears to the truth of climate change, and how much our actions have contributed to that, and the effects that are now surrounding us daily, whether it's shortage of water, the wildfires and drought that follows, or whether it's the increased hurricanes and floods in many parts of the world.

And, of course, the disappearance of plants and food, because of drought, or because of flood, and the disappearance so many species, from bees to polar bears, and so much else, the filling of the oceans with junk, but the stripping of the oceans of fishes.

There's so much to be concerned about. And of course, yesterday, yesterday's decision, to cut down on the power of the Environmental Protection Agency to protect us -- and us being not just Americans, but decisions we make in our country are affecting others all over the world, affecting the planet, all over the world. And the only reason for doing this seems to be to protect industrialists and the fossil fuel magnates who make a killing, literally a killing, promulgating fossil fuels.

So, in such a circumstance, it really is a temporary relief is a visit to the Oasis, the watering hole, to talk about angels and to talk about the bigger cosmos: that other beings inhabit the larger Cosmos; they are intelligent, they not may not be visible, because they are not physical as such, but they interact with the physical.

And what Aquinas says is truly striking. Angels cannot help but love by force of nature, the will of the angels is by nature loving. But just to know that there are loving beings in the world -- you don't have to depend entirely on the humans, because we often fail at exactly that, at the task of loving, that is an uplift in itself.

In the discussion about gravitational field that unifies the whole universe, like love does, Sheldrake says that this is a completely unconscious process on the part of gravity; it keeps things together. But when we introduce the element of consciousness, like Aquinas does, he says this goes far beyond the field concept of contemporary science.

So think of filling fields with love. That there are beings that can do this. Angels can do it. And hey, big secret: humans can do it too. You've got to believe it. Because it's not always in the headlines is it? And it takes work in the part of humans to build a life of choices around love, and not around conquest, or dominance, or ideology.

So there is then that dimension of the angelic world that Thomas talks explicitly about, which is a prophetic work of angels: that angels carry thoughts from prophet to prophet. What an amazing idea, that our creative ideas are delivered to us from other prophets, channeling by the way of angels, carried to us by the way of angels. As I say, whenever I read that, in Aquinas, I think of bees carrying pollen from flower to flower.

It's a beautiful thing. So, I think there's a lot here that Aquinas feeds us with. And above all, the idea of intuition, that angels and intuition go together. If you're wanting to jack up your intuition, to build your muscles of intuition, expect to meet angels, and why not anticipate them? Why not call on them, to join you, that whether it's in dreams at night, or whether it's an inspiration, while you're creating on the spot, or when you're going to create?

And we had a word for this in the old days called Muse, from which we get the word museum, and music. And it is another way of talking about the angels that accompany our creative intuition.

Thank you. We'll see you tomorrow.