

## IS SATAN REAL

I once sat under a very good bible teacher. By "good bible teacher" I don't mean he was the only one who got it right, I just mean that he revealed many things from the word that we had not seen before. He saw things in the bible that few had seen. He often commented on Satan as being Gods little helper. He had a way of making Satan look small and only a pawn in Gods had. Like he was merely doing what God wanted him to do. And... I might add, how could it be otherwise if God is sovereign? This was quite amusing to us and also it was a releasing of the fear of Satan. This of course was a good thing. He personified the concept of Satan, {a carry over from Christianity.} In those days we all saw Satan as an entity, and Gods arch enemy. In those days, the question never presented itself to my mind concerning how this guy might have showed up in Gods creation.

I am no different obviously then most Christians, in that I believed in Satan as much as I believed in Christ. Today, I'll venture to say that things are not much different. When many find out that someone does not believe in the reality of this entity they're suspect. The belief in Satan is useful for a time but eventually when its usefulness is over our eyes are opened and we discard the belief in duality. Today I see that the teacher that taught us to make fun of Gods little helper, and who taught us that God used Satan for his purpose, {for example,} he taught us that God used Satan to incite the religion of that day that ultimately led to the sacrifice that man needed. And that God inspired the Devil just as he had inspired Pharaoh when his plan was to free the nation of Israel. Here's the point I want to make. The idea in all this, is that there is a need for darkness, for without it there cannot be light.

There is a need for the negative because without the negative, we cannot have the positive. From another perspective, there is neither good nor evil, there is only God. There is nothing but God! The single eye sees only God, because it has no perception problem.

Even the UN renewed mind from the single eye perception is a good thing, because without it we could not expand. What the human mind sees as good and evil, the Divine mind sees as contrast. If we were to come into this world and escape societies programming of "good and evil All That Is could not expand. I really have to agree with those who teach that without contrast, we as an ego could not advance on the path; we could not expand with the universe. We are on the leading edge of an expanding universe. Without contrast, that expansion could not be.

Back there when we believed in Satan as an entity, and saw him as a useful tool in the hands of God we were on the right track. In principle we had it right. You could not have convinced me back then that nothing was out of order in Gods creation, for I could point to any number of things that were "wrong." If I look through eyes that are programmed

by religion I can see all the "evil" that seems so real, and is real in the world of duality.

When my body drifts off to unconsciousness at night and I find myself in a dream, {with the exception of becoming lucid in the dream, which is quite rare,} I'll never have a clue that what I'm experiencing is a dream. I'll never have a clue that my body is in another dimension just as real as what I'm experiencing in the dream. Are the dreams I have while the body sleeps real? They're very real.

If they're not real, why do I not know that I'm dreaming? In these moments I am writing this to you, I realize it's no more real than the dream I had last night. I cannot with clear conscience tell you that Satan is real. But I can with no problem tell you that Satan is real in this reality. Which actually, is no more real, or is just as real as the dream I had last night? A moment ago I said that this was a world of duality. This is the world that we have created out of our forgetfulness. I'd like to write a book, and entitle it "God Is a Dreamer." There are many ways to view what is known as the mysteries of God. Someone has said "There are as many worlds as there are perceivers." This is because each of us is unique. The human mind thinks there is one ultimate truth and eventually we shall all come to believe the same thing. This is both true and false as I see it.

I believe the highest perception that we can arrive at; the highest truth that we can know is that God and creation are one and the same. This revelation opens many other doors of perception. I believe that creation is the manifestation of the invisible God. That God fills all in all now! That nothing exist now or could ever, but God. That good and evil exists only in the Adamic dream that is created out of my forgetting. That I am dreaming now, and will awake to a world that is far, far more familiar to me than this one will ever be. That I am here to forget who I am and then to play the game of remembering, and in this process expand in knowledge and love and all the attributes of that which I am.

That as I become lucid within this elaborate dream that I have created, to shake others who are ready into remembering, and to leave others sleep on until it's their time to awake. To die, is to awaken to a world that is so much more familiar to me than this one, and as soon as I, the breath leave my body I will awaken to what is to me then, the greater reality and far more familiar than the dream I had while the greater I slept. It will however only seem more real because I will be assessing it with my pure divinity that is without forgetting.