

EVOLUTION LEADING TO “HIGHER-MAN”

A “higher-man” is aware of the progressive evolution of the consciousness tied between freedom and constraints existing in the environments, in which human life proceeds. By achieving enlightenment he/she may not enter into a blissful state of happiness while transcending all challenges of survival. It is a way to achieve a more comprehensive understanding of the working of the mind and brain and gain deeper insight into the nature of the consciousness and its evolution with changing circumstances of life. An enlightened person makes journeys in all realms of consciousness, without being attached to one particular sentiment by knowing the necessity of all forms of consciousness, which follows our evolution. It is bound to the state of existence, which has evolved from non-living matter and are destined by the laws of nature as well as the dynamics of survival and evolution of the species. An enlightened person does not distance himself/herself from the less evolved mind, and refrains from clinging to the state of the mind in search of happiness and bliss. For an enlightened mind there exists no suffering or happiness. Only an awareness of the complexity, wonder of the cosmos, in which mind is moving and taking parts in the events of things, suffuse his/her emotions. Knowing that nothing can escape the churning of the cosmos and the dynamics of life and death, by which things regenerate from the cessation of things, enlightened being does not profess cessation of the events and route of escape from the cycle of life and death. Instead, for him/her the way the cosmos works, as a wheel of life and death, is the only way through which one must grasp the meaning of life as a perpetual drama of coming and going life after life. By remaining tranquil, without being moved by the events, which the challenges of survival and evolution may bring, and remaining unperturbed by the ecstasy of happiness, which successes and achievements may tempt, the enlightened mind seeks arena of consciousness that cannot be penetrated by mundane suffering or joy. He/she knows the journey is long, and man exists in the cosmos as a bearer of the task which may bring mankind to a higher evolutionary path.

Compassion is a way to engage oneself in this process that can bring mankind from one realm of consciousness to its next stage. Knowing the circumstances of life, which may have deprived a human being of freedom from the instinct-bound state, the enlightened being seeks to change the conditions of life, which may make others free. An enlightened being brings the messages of the higher worlds to those who are bound in the primitive level while bearing compassion and love for all. When he/she enters the realm of the creative man, he teaches them how to overcome the prejudices and views, which may bind man into actions beneficial to groups, cultures and races. Instead he/she promotes the view of creating conditions of reality from which the mankind may benefit universally. He/she asks the scientific man not to serve any nation or group, who may abuse knowledge and innovations to the advantage of dominating and suppressing other nations and groups. Instead he/she appeals to them to make his or her knowledge and innovation

available to all in order to free mankind and thus contribute to the higher evolution of man. Enlightened man acts in love for mankind instead of serving powers which may bind others in chains.

An enlightened man is also a spiritual man in the sense that he/she does not demark the limits of knowledge only to the sphere which can be grasped and understood by scientific knowledge alone. The enlightened being is aware of the possibilities which parts of our brain may indicate. He/she knows about the evolutionary journey in which all life are embarked on. By accepting the limitations of methods bound to the perceptual world which remains in the causal bondages in time and space, he/she professes the need to heed to ourselves through the brain about the nature of the world which points to a realm beyond time and space. By listening to the inner self one can bring the journey of the evolution of mind to a higher ground where cosmos has kept open a store of wonder for us.

However, no man or woman can be enlightened in the fullest way before all mysteries of the universe are fully grasped, and one is able to realize oneself as the universe itself. Though this journey has no end, the enlightenment can be achieved in comparison to the ignorance in which man may live. One talks about Buddhahood, which is the end station of such a journey. However, such Buddhahood is synonymous with the cosmos itself in all its infinite complexities which is beyond the capacity of the brain to grasp. So an idea to attain such a state is an illusion for any existing being. Buddhists have concepts of Bodhisattvas, who are embodiment of the highest consciousness achievable in the mortal sphere.

The journey of an enlightened life is a journey to achieve the state of the “higher-man”, who can teach and guide the world so that human evolution can reach a higher stage.