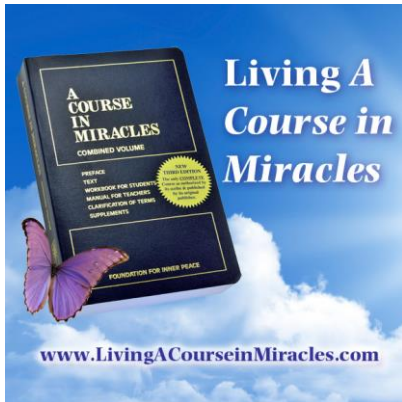


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## Living Your Purpose



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# Living Your Purpose

Welcome to *A Course in Miracles: Living the Love, Walking the Talk* with Reverend Jennifer Hadley. Get ready to focus on your intent to be the Love, be the Peace, through practical application.

Here is your host, Reverend Jennifer Hadley.

## *Opening Prayer*

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Jennifer      Yippity-doo-dah! I am so happy to join with you today. So, so grateful~ Yes! We're going to talk about living our purpose today. What a wonderful topic. I'm surprised we haven't done it before. Spirit is guiding, let us respond with Love.

So I'm going to begin, as I always do, with a prayer and I invite you to join with me, so let's turn within.

We take a breath of Love and gratitude. I like to place my hand on my heart to remind myself I am wholeheartedly choosing to serve the Light, to be in alignment with the Light.

So grateful, so thankful to open myself to the power and the presence of Love, perfect Love.

So grateful and so thankful to consciously attune to the Wholeness, the Freedom. We Partner UP with the Higher Holy Spirit Self, our lead, our guide. We open ourselves to **receive** so that we **can** be truly helpful, so that we **can** live our purpose. We are being led and guided by Spirit all the way.

We are grateful and thankful to surrender all belief in lack and limitation, surrendering all thoughts of separation. We open ourselves to a cleansing, a healing, a clearing by means of this radio broadcast.

So, I declare that this conversation is a Divine Dialogue that Spirit is having with Itself by means of us. So grateful to participate fully. So grateful to claim this time as our healing.

In gratitude, we share the benefits with all. In gratitude, we let it be. We know it's done. And so, it is. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.

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### *The Value of Consistency*

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Let me take a sip of my drink here. I've got a little something in my throat. Mmm. Alright!

Well! I don't like to be too topical in this broadcast, but I'm going to be for just a little moment meaning, people, we have -- I guess we're just finishing the fifth year. **Wow!** Yeah, we're just finishing -- we did finish -- Oh, you know what?! I think we started on September 11<sup>th</sup>, so this, we're starting a **new** year, September 12<sup>th</sup>. Oh! Just realized that! Good golly, Miss Molly!

So I think we're beginning our sixth year, sixth or seventh. Oh, boy! [laughs] Well, let's not try and figure that out. [laughs] Yeah, we're beginning our **seventh** year. Holy Moly! That's amazing!

Yeah. The value of consistency, which *A Course in Miracles* in the *Manual for Teachers* in the characteristics of God's teachers, the second one is honesty, which Jesus defines as consistency, constancy, which really is God's nature -- constant, consistent, omnipresent, omni-active, omnipotent. Yes!

So there's a bit of consistency for you. Six years, starting the seventh year, of doing this almost every week. I love it, and I appreciate you joining me.

### *Transcripts & Text Messages*

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And speaking of appreciation, I'd like to give a shout out and a thanks to all the people who make donations and contribute to the [Power of Love Ministry](#), because your contributions make the radio show possible because it cost money. It's not free to produce a radio show. Of course, it's not free, and we now can offer all these transcripts for you at [LivingACourseinMiracles.com/radio](http://LivingACourseinMiracles.com/radio). You can get the transcripts for -- we're working on it. We don't have all the three hundred and whatever episodes transcribed yet, but we're working diligently on it. We have the [free text messages](#).

### *"Living A Course in Miracles"*

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**And**, just announced today by e-mail to those who are in my database that we're starting a new [Living A Course in Miracles series](#) **next** Monday. Eleven classes in twelve days, all free - transcripts are free, downloads are free. All free, nothing expires. How cool is that?

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So if you're listening to this show in **the future, years** from now you'll still be able to get all those free classes and downloads. Our topic is about having a spiritual career and taking Spirit to work with you. I **love** these topics that Spirit gives me. I'm so excited.

We've got wonderful teachers: Jon Mundy, Cindy Lora Renard, Tama Kieves, and Maria Felipe, David Fishman and myself. These are all wonderful teachers that I've known for years. Every single one of them, unique, beautiful, living, loving presents of God. Tama has been *A Course in Miracles* student for over 30 years, such a beautiful teacher. David Fishman, same.

David Fishman and I are also participating in the Weekend of Freedom, *A Course in Miracles* weekend in North Carolina, first weekend in October.

Just saying a shout out to all of those, but mostly thanking **all** the people who contribute, because when I first started doing the [\*Living A Course in Miracles\* classes](#) back in 2011, May 2011 -- and we've done hundreds of them since then -- we had to charge money for the downloads and the transcripts in order to pay for the class.

I wrote about this in my "[Daily Spiritual Espresso](#)" the other day, that the first time I did the [\*Living A Course in Miracles\*](#) class series it cost me, **personally**, \$35,000. I didn't have the [Power of Love Ministry](#) non-profit organization back then. It was just me, little old Jennifer Hadley had a dream, doing [\*Living A Course in Miracles\*](#). Of course, when I started, I had no idea it would cost \$35,000, but I had credit cards. Whoo! Maxed out my credit cards!

But, fortunately, the people who **bought** the downloads and the transcripts covered all but about \$5,000 of it, so, that worked out. That was a big "Whew!" I only had to pay \$5,000 of it, and I've never regretted it.

It was so much work, and that was, I think, a really important thing, because our topic here is "Living Your Purpose."

I prayed **so much** to live my purpose, and when I got that idea for the [\*Living A Course in Miracles\* classes](#), I can remember right where I was. I was in meditation, sitting on my sofa in my apartment in Los Angeles, and it came in and I saw the picture of the teachers the way we do it, and I felt the energy of it. I felt how many people would benefit. I had **no idea** how to accomplish it. I had **no** idea how many things would be involved, but I just

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**felt** the blessing of it, and I said, “Okay, I’ll say yes to that! I’ll say yes to that!”

I remember talking -- I had to build a team to do it. I didn’t have a staff of people to do it, and it takes a **staff** of people to do it. It takes people to send all the e-mails, set them all up. It’s very detailed and complicated. It takes people to do the audio parts of it. It takes people to do the transcript parts of it. It took people to do the CDs, and the book, and it took people to do the marketing and the artwork. Oh, my gosh! I had to hire so many people to be able to do it, which is why it cost \$35,000.

Now, we don’t have to do as many pieces. We found ways to do it less expensively, so we are able to do it in the **anticipation** that donations **will** come in.

I’ve learned to live a life of faith. You know, I had to learn, as a minister making this transition to having a spiritual career, I had to learn that the #1 characteristic of God’s teachers was my bedrock, to have trust that Spirit would provide.

But you see, people make a big mistake a lot of the time. They make a **big** mistake -- they trust the ego. They **think** their trusting Spirit, but they’re actually trusting their ego.

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### *Living Our Purpose of Re-cognizing*

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So one of the things that I do in my [\*Finding Freedom\*](#) class and my [\*Masterful Living\*](#) class, is to support people in **really** being able to discern the vibrational difference between spiritual guidance, Divine Insight, Wisdom and Clarity versus the ego, because there **is** a difference and we can learn to feel it and, therefore, recognize it. And it really is “recognize” it.

You know, I love that word “recognize.” It’s to “**re**-cognize”. What does it mean, to “cognize” something, cognition? It’s **knowing**. “Re-cog-nition,” it’s “**re-knowing**”, so we’re learning to recognize, to “**re-cognize**” the truth that sets us free.

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And this is what learning through Joy, joyful learning, happy learning is. It's remembering, "re-cognizing" **versus** learning. Learning is something we do through experience. Learning is something we do through avenues of time and space. "Re-cognizing", recognizing, remembering is that recognition that we already know.

Because we all share the same mind, nothing is lost or forgotten. Time and space don't exist. It's we learn how to let the veils in our mind **go**, so that we can "re-cognize" the truth that sets us free. Yeah. It's such a beautiful thing to really step into, and I'm so, so, so grateful that I am learning more and more about it, and so, so, so grateful that I am learning how to **better** and better and better **share** it to people, so that they can do it for themselves. This is what I call it in [\*Masterful Living\*](#). I call it "proving God" proving that God works, that spiritual principle works, because I had so much doubt about it for such a long time.

So you see, what I'm doing is I'm living my **purpose**. More and more I'm living my purpose, and I've become very clear about my purpose.

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### *The Call to Awaken*

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What I can tell you just a little about myself, that back in the 80s, mid 80s, around the time of the harmonic convergence -- because a lot of people like me started to wake around the time of the harmonic convergence back in the 80s.

I also, right around that time -- so that was in 1987, so I started to awaken in '85. I started to become more conscious in '85. It was in August of '87, the harmonic convergence, and I read Shirley MacLaine's book, *Out on a Limb*, which was life changing for me. My mother recommended it to me. It's one of the greatest gifts she ever gave me, although I'm sure I would have read it if somebody else would have recommended it, if it hadn't been her.

Then I got inspired to start exploring spirituality, and one of the first things I did was I started going to Sunday services at Lincoln Center with Eric Butterworth, the great Unity minister.

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This broadcast is on the Unity Radio Network, and probably next to the Filmore's, Emily Cady, Eric Butterworth is certainly one of the most well-known ministers in the last part of the last century. He was my teacher for a number of years, only because I went to Sunday services.

I didn't have any 1-on-1 experience with him, though now, of course, I wish I had taken some classes and things like that, though there wasn't a lot happening there. They mostly focused -- because by the time I got to Unity in the late '80s, mid to late '80s, Eric and Olga were already pretty old, Eric and his wife, Olga Butterworth. Beautiful teachings. He has so many audios because he had a radio broadcast, and so many writings. I really think his work is absolutely beautiful. So healing and nourishing. Mm-hmm. **Yeah!**

I'm just remembering that time of awakening for me, and I remember I had a vision and experience, an otherworldly experience, a conversation with my Higher Self, with my Ascended Master Self, or maybe it was an Ascended Master guide, maybe it was Jesus, and I really felt unworthy of the calling that I was told that I had, and so I turned away from it.

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It took me a long time to come back to it, and I came back to it, then, in the '90s, probably about 10 years later. I had a 10 year adventure in ego land before I finally decided, "Okay, **this** is my path."

My path of being a minister, my training is from Agape, and I was part of that, an active part of that Agape Community for a good, oh, like 18 years before I went out on my own. I got my ministerial license and really effectively started my own ministry, and went out on my own.

I had a great **desire** to live my purpose like many people, and my prayer back in the 90s when I started to -- because I went to L.A. to go to film school, which I did, and then I decided that I needed to grow my consciousness. I was **told** by Spirit, "Go grow your consciousness and then come back to screenwriting."

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So I've been doing that ever since, anticipating the turn back to the screenwriting. I love writing, it's one of my favorite things **ever** to do, I enjoy it so much. I **love** writing screenplays. Very, very challenging work. Very, very satisfying. Absolutely deeply satisfying.

I got the message from Spirit to not pursue a film career, but to go towards ministerial training, and so I did that. I became a practitioner. Nine years of classes later, I had my ministerial license and I went out on my own, and I've been on my own, in a sense of not being affiliated with anybody else, since then.

My prayer, when I decided, "Okay, I'm not going to pursue a film career. I'm going to pursue a spiritual career," my prayer became that my **life**, my very **being**, my words, my activities, my thoughts that everything about my life would be **inspiration** and **motivation** for others to make loving **choices** and transform their lives. I used to actively say at the end of it that they would get up, out of the La-Z-Boy, turn the TV off and go and actively **be** loving in their life.

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Good gosh almighty! Isn't that what I see people doing who are in [Finding Freedom](#) and [Masterful Living](#) with me? I sure see that happening! Ah! I've got to tell you, every week in class I hear the most **beautiful** stories, the most beautiful stories of people healing their families, healing their experiences, even releasing chronic pain and all **kinds** of things. You know, it doesn't work the same for **everyone**, but it is amazing and miraculous what happens when we're willing to change our mind.

### ***Removing the Misperceptions in Our Way***

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You know, that's one of the things I was talking about in last week's episode where I was talking about also having a spiritual career and talking about that section in Chapter III. It's such a beautiful place where Jesus is telling us that He cannot do it **for** us, in terms of aligning our will with God's, uniting our will with God's. He said, "I can't do it **for** you, but I can erase all misperceptions of your mind if you will bring it under My guidance. **Only** your misperceptions stand in your way."

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I know so many Light Workers who have this **profound** calling to be of service to the Light. They feel it, they **know** it. It's so active in them, but they hesitate because they feel unworthy.

Oh, I **so** know how that feels. I felt that so long, and what I did, was I decided -- and if you've listened to a lot of these radio shows you know -- I started the practice of saying, "Holy Spirit, take these thoughts out of my mind so I never think them again. I'm not interested in thinking these thoughts **anymore**. I'm not interested in making these **choices** anymore. I am interested **only** in the thoughts I think with God. I'm interested **only** in making loving choices, and being kind, and being generous, and being patient. Show me the way. Take these thoughts out of my mind so I never think them again, and please do the same for everyone else who has these thoughts."

So that was my version of what Jesus is talking about in Chapter III, Section IV, Paragraph 7, where He's saying,

*"I cannot unite your will with God's for you, but I can erase all misperceptions from your mind if you will bring it under my guidance. Only your misperceptions stand in your way. Without them your choice is certain."*

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Why is it **certain**? Because without the misperceptions, we'll only **see** the Love. There'll be **no** misperceptions. There'll be no perception that there's a **lack** of Love. There'll be no misperception that there's a **lack** of Abundance. There'll be no misperception that there's a **lack** in **us**. Those misperceptions will be **gone, if** we bring our mind under Jesus' guidance. He says,

*"Without --" your misperceptions -- "... your choice is certain."*

He's telling us, "You're going to choose Love, you're going to choose patience, you're going to choose kindness, you're going to choose generosity. You're going to begin to see beyond time and space. You'll begin to see what everything is for. You'll begin to recognize that everything is gently planned by One Whose only purpose is your good. You're going to see that everything in this world is **helpful -- every** situation, every circumstance, every **challenge**, every **defeat**."

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Everything that the ego wants to kill itself over is actually helpful to our spiritual growth and we **can** make that change in perspective.

Let's remember, *A Course in Miracles* tells us in Lesson 190 -- or is it Lesson 90? Gosh, I just blanked on that. It's 190. I'll look it up here now. Gosh! I can't remember having confusion. Yes, Lesson 190,

*"I choose the joy of God instead of pain. Pain is a wrong perspective."*

We're seeing it from a point-of-view that's **not** a right mind.

*"Pain is a wrong perspective."*

Pain is a misperception **believed**. Sane perception induces sane choosing.

### *The Calling of Light Workers*

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He says, "I cannot choose for you but I can help you make your **own** right choice." He says, "Many are called but **few** are chosen." It **should** be, "**All** are called but **few** choose to listen," and I'm not going to affirm that few choose to listen anymore. That's the past. Now, those that were **resisting** choosing, **resisting** listening, that's falling away, because this is what I see all around me that, the Light Workers of the world are being **activated**.

I said this last November, it came to me so clearly. I was in Thailand when the U.S. election happened and we got a new president, and in my contemplation of it, what I saw was it's like the Light Workers are now being **activated**.

There are -- I think of a couple of things. I think of -- and this is what I wrote about at that time, that terrorists, they have sleeper cells, so they **seem** to be sleeping, they **seem** to be dormant, but they are like busy little bees planning, waiting, gathering intel, that kind of thing, waiting for their perfect moment to strike and create that terror event.

The Light Workers of the world have been like sleeper cells waiting, cleansing, clearing, healing our negative karma, remembering, letting go of unworthiness, practicing, preparing to be fully activated.

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I also get the image of, there are those cicadas, who bury in the ground and they hibernate for something like 18 **years**, and then they wake up and then -- boom! They're doing their thing.

Kind of crazy, but that's like a lot of Light Workers, they **feel** the call very strongly, but they've been resisting and reluctant for a long time. Now, it's just no longer tenable anymore. It's just no longer tenable.

That's, I'm sure, why Spirit led me to make the topic about bringing Spirit to work, having a spiritual career. And as I talked about last week, we can have a spiritual career no matter **what** we're doing. No matter **what** we're doing! We can even be retired and **still** work for God, Incorporated, and that **is** fulfilling our purpose. Yes, it is! Oh, my goodness! **Wow!** So beautiful.

It's time for me to take a break. So if you would like to register for these free 11 classes that start next Monday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, you can do so at [LivingACourseinMiracles.com](http://LivingACourseinMiracles.com).

And if you see our posts for the free classes at [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com), won't you like them and share them so that more people find out about them? That really helps us out.

I'm going to go to this break now. I'm Jennifer Hadley. You're listening to *A Course in Miracles* on Unity Online Radio, where together we're living the Love, we're walking the talk, and I'll be right back.

Thank you for tuning in for *A Course in Miracles: Living the Love, Walking the Talk*.

Get ready to focus on your intent to be the Love, be the Peace, through practical application as we return to *A Course in Miracles: Living the Love, Walking the Talk*.

### *Our Purpose of Representing God*

Jennifer Welcome back! Welcome back, welcome back, welcome back!

One of the things that I have come to value so much, was the Clarity I got many years ago about living the purpose. I've counselled so many people who've come to me about having a desire to live their purpose, feeling that they hated their job, they were miserable in their job, and they want to live their purpose, but they didn't know what it was.

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*A Course in Miracles* tells us what our purpose is and, I think, extremely clearly. It's yes, our purpose is forgiveness. Yes, our purpose is to choose the Atonement for ourselves. **Yes!**

It says in Chapter 2, there's that beautiful prayer at the end of Section V. I call it the, "Purpose Prayer" and it's at the end of the section called, *The Special Principles of Miracle Workers*. You have heard me say it many times, if you have been listening to the show for a while, but I think it is the most helpful way to express our purpose. It says,

*"I am here only to be truly helpful."*

That's it. That's the only reason I'm here, to be truly helpful.

How do we be truly helpful? Next line, it says,

*"I am here to represent Him Who sent me."*

God who sent me. I am here to represent **God**. I've been sent **by** God to "**re-present**" God.

Now just think about that, when we're choosing to attack other people and to judge them, and to shame them, and to make them feel guilty.

I had something happened the other day that was a **real** disappointment to me, and my ego went right to feeling disappointed, upset. And as I sat with it, one of the thoughts that came in was to make the person who my ego thinks is disappointing me feel guilty about it. Of course, I don't wish to do that. I don't! No! I know I'm One with them. I know that everything works together for my good. Sometimes you don't like the way it goes down. Right?

I spent the last seems the whole week going through conversations and things related to Hurricane Irma. My dad and my stepmom were in the path of the hurricane. It looked like they were going to get hit by the worst part of it, a Category 5, and as it turned out, they didn't. It even went around them.

But, of course, many people were just absolutely devastated by those winds all over the place, and so I had a lot of attention on all my loved ones in Florida and **humanity** in Florida and throughout the Caribbean, praying and knowing the truth for them.

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So, this unrelated disappointment came in, and I went to a thought of “Ugh!” Literally, my ego was like, “Maybe I can make them feel guilty and manipulate -- and I’m like, “**Whoa! No!**” It was just a flash. I mean, it wasn’t even all those words. It was just a flash, but I felt it. “Alright, good. We can clear that out. Don’t need that anymore.”

So how wonderful to have the **practice** being able to say to my elder brother, Jesus, “You have full access to my mind. Please take these misperceptions out of my mind. I’m not interested in thinking them anymore. I’m **so** not interested in that anymore. I’m here to represent God. God has **sent** me to represent God.”

Just think about it. If you’re looking for your life’s purpose, could you **ever** come up with something that feels **more** potent, **more** powerful and even more **possible** than representing God?

### *We Are Qualified*

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So in order to answer the call and represent God, we **must** let go of the unworthiness. This is what my classes, my retreats, my events are **really** focused on, is letting go of the unworthiness. I’m **sure** this will be a major part of the [\*Living A Course in Miracles\*](#) series about having a spiritual career and taking Spirit work is going to be about, because it’s going to be about living the purpose.

How could we have been sent here to represent God and not be fully **qualified**, and not be fully **endowed** with everything that we need, and not be fully **supported** with all the access that we need to all resources, without all the guidance, without all the inspiration? How could that possibly be? How **could** it be? Right? That would be **crazy**, absolutely insane! Absolutely insane, that we would be **sent** by God to do God’s work, and not be prepared, not have what we need. *A Course in Miracles* tells us all the time that we **do** have it.

So I am here to represent God who sent me. I’m sent by God to represent God. Let me just **do** that.

So, what does that mean? Well, it’s pretty clear. It means being patient, and kind, and generous, respectful, loving.

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And, we don't feel worthy because we have been disrespectful, because we have been impatient, because we have been unkind, because we have been unloving, we feel that we are not qualified to represent God.

But we've **already** been qualified. We've **already** been given everything we need. The Kingdom is within. "Seek first the Kingdom and all else will be added unto us," meaning, every revelation of truth that is necessary for us to demonstrate and "re-present," to represent the One Who sent us will be given to us. We must first **agree**. We must first **decide**.

A lot of times, the way I perceive it, is that this **unworthiness** that we're relinquishing, it's like this wall, this block, this veil, this habitat, is the word that's coming to me. It's not a word I **ever** have used in this context. But we've built this habitat that we've become identified with and it's completely false.

But you know, in a sense, it all serves God, too. **Everything** is truly helpful. So I did not have to worry, it says, about what to say or what to do because God Who sent me will direct me. So, we've been **sent** by God to **represent** God, and God is going to direct us what to do and what to say.

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### *Contentment & Healing in God's Guidance*

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Therefore, how can we **not** be content? And that's the next part,

*"I am content to be wherever He wishes, knowing He goes there with me. I will be healed as I let Him teach me to heal."*

I hardly ever talk with anyone that **isn't** interested in healing of some kind -- physical, emotional, mental, spiritual. How are we going to get healed? We're going to get healed through letting God **teach** us to heal. What it really is, it's the remembering, it's the recognizing, the "re-cognition" that I was talking about at the beginning of the broadcast.

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"I am here only to be truly helpful. I am here to represent God. I've been sent by God. I don't have to worry about what to say or what to do, because **God** is going to direct me. I am content to be wherever I am directed, and I am content because God goes there with me, and I am willing to know it and to live in that awareness. In this experience of this in

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this world, **I will** be healed. Not only that, I get to be a healing presence in this world.”

Could we have a **more** clear purpose? To me, it just boils down to being loving and **allowing** the Love in.

One of the reasons why pets bring so much benefit and are so beloved in this world is that -- and I've seen it time and time again, we all have. Right? --where we see that **people** have a dog, or a cat, or some other kind of pet, a wolf, or a bear. I see some crazy videos on YouTube sometimes of pets that people have. It's very interesting, those animal videos they have at YouTube. I **love** YouTube for all of that. [laughs] I was showing a video in [\*Masterful Living\*](#) last night, so funny and cute.

Anyway, we are given this purpose and we can claim it and know that everything we need will be provided. We don't have to worry about what to say, or what to do, or where to go, or any of that, because Spirit will provide for us. We can discover what it's like to be led and guided and provided for.

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But it's one of those things, like -- okay, so there was this terrible hurricane, and let's say someone, somehow, was on a boat, and on the boat they were clinging to the boat and being pummeled by the waves and the wind, and that Spirit said to them, “The way out is to let go of the boat. I know it seems that without the boat you'll drown, but if you hold on to that boat, you're going to drown.” “If you hold on to that house and keep working two jobs to pay the mortgage --” “If you keep holding on to that spouse, that whatever, that job --” without being willing to have trust and faith that Spirit will lead you, you're going to keep getting pummeled and it might be the death of you.

So, you have to trust and let go, and let the river carry you.” That's pretty hard in this world for most people, because their ego doesn't **feel** worthy.

So, one of the things that I invite you to consider doing, is just maybe you make a list of **all** the things you feel unworthy about and you just take them all and give them all to Jesus and say, “These are the choices I made. I would like to not judge myself for any of them anymore. I know all judgments are misperceptions, so **all** these judgments that I have against

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myself, please take them out of my mind so I never think them again. I'm willing to stand in the Light of truth now. I'm inviting You into my mind to remove all misperceptions, so that I can see, and know, and feel, and hear clearly the **most** loving choices to bring the **greatest** benefit. I'm willing to start in this moment right now, right where I am and live a life of Love. I'm willing to work for God. I'm willing to activate for God. I'm willing to be led and guided."

But you see, we don't feel **worthy** of being led and guided, but that's because we would -- if someone did a whole bunch of things that were unloving and unkind, and **seemed** to be directed towards us, we would hold them -- we would hold a resentment, we would hold a grudge. And so, we think that God's holding a grudge against us because we have not **valued** the things that we have been given, primarily our consciousness. Yeah.

### *Our Purpose is to Love & Be Loving*

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So, we can **decide** to be truly helpful and live it as our purpose. What I've seen is the people that take this on and decide, "Okay, that's it. I get it! My purpose is to be **loving** and to let Love in."

Oh, I know! I got off -- a surging Spirit, "There's something here I didn't finish." It's the animals. With the animals, pets of **all** kinds, we **let** them love us. We let **them** love **us**. It's not just that we love them, and so our heart opens to love them. More importantly, we let their unconditional love **in**. Right? Generally I think, unless somebody has been abusive to an animal, they feel **worthy** of the animal's unconditional love.

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I have seen people who are angry and resentful, who feel unworthy of love from people, just bask in the love of animals. You know, people who have extremely low self-esteem can absolutely, all day long, let their animals love them. That's the gift of animals, is they can be **so** loving. Right? Especially dogs and cats, even birds and horses, all kinds of animals can be **so** loving towards us, and we **allow** them to love us. What a wonderful gift that is!

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This is our **purpose**, to love and be loved, and that's being truly helpful, because when we make a mistake, we make an error, we do something and we regret it, we feel guilty, we feel ashamed, we feel angry at ourselves, all that stuff comes up, if we can **not** judge ourselves and, instead, have compassion for ourselves, then there's actually **more** Love being expressed in the world than if we'd never made an error in the first place.

Think of that! If we can respond to **everything** with compassion, if we're anchored in being truly helpful, then we **can** actually respond to ourselves with compassion, and then more Love is being expressed in the world than if we had **never** made an error in the first place.

I learned that 20 years ago, and it changed my life. I just started to go, "Oh! I can stop judging myself for **everything!**" And that's when I stopped learning through experience so much, learning through **painful**, slogging through painful, painful repetitive relationship and -- ugh! -- ego stuff to I started to "re-cognize", to remember, the truth that sets me free.

This is our purpose because, you see, when we live it, we demonstrate it and other people see it and they get it through watching us. This is why I love to do things in group and in community.

### *Upcoming Retreats*

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Oh! By the way, if you're interested and you don't know, I do have some events coming up real quick here. [\*Forgive and Be Free\*](#) retreat at the Art of Living Retreat Center in Boone, North Carolina. That's the second weekend in October. And then we're going right into, from that, into my [\*Spiritual Counseling Training Intensive\*](#).

[\*Forgive and Be Free\*](#) is all about **forgiveness**, forgiving ourselves and others, and boy! It's like a big deep, deep clearing and cleansing. It's amazing how much **fun** we have and how much **laughter** we have, while also doing this **deep** healing forgiveness work.

This is a wonderful facility. They have a beautiful spa, they have an ayurvedic spa. It's one of the best ayurvedic spas probably in the world, and just a wonderful, gorgeous place. The leaves will all be gorgeous and turned, turning and turned.

And then we go right into my [\*Spiritual Counseling Training Intensive\*](#) and the major focus of that is getting all the resistance and the reluctance to living

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our calling out of the way, to **relinquish** the unworthiness, to become **better** communicators, better listeners and better clear communicators. And, of course, opening to our intuition, which is **why** we have a mix of professional therapists, life coaches and people like that who are coming for their Continuing Education and Licensing Units, but we also have a bunch of people who are just coming for their own healing. **All** are welcome to both events.

Then at the end of the year, right there at Unity Village, I am going to be doing a [New Year's Reboot](#) retreat. Five days, four nights, we're going to steep ourselves in to create just an absolute, **powerful** launching pad for 2018.

All these events are available. You can register now at [JenniferHadley.com](#). We always have **all** kinds of payment plans, because we have learned that it brings so much benefit when people can come and do the work together. You can read about what others have said on the website there, and so we do everything we can to support you in making the trip. If you have the courage to come, we'll support you.

Oh, wow! It goes by so fast.

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### *Closing Prayer*

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Let's take our hand and place it in our heart again, and give great thanks that we **can** be truly helpful, that we **can** live our purpose. We don't need any special equipment, we don't need anybody's permission, and we don't have to pay anything. We are grateful and thankful to start today.

We Partner UP with the Higher Holy Spirit Self. We call upon beautiful Jesus, our elder brother/teacher, to walk with us and talk with us. We open our mind, here and now, to the healing. We're relinquishing **all** misperceptions, so grateful to let them go, known and unknown, felt and

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not felt. We surrender them **all**. We are grateful and thankful to **accept** the healing that is ours to receive.

We are grateful and thankful that God has sent us to represent, and we **are** re-presenting the Love of God in this world.

In gratitude, we answer our calling. In gratitude, all are blessed. Sharing the blessings with all, we let it be. And so, it is. Amen. Amen. Amen.

God bless you! Have an amazing, beautiful, spectacular week being truly helpful, living your purpose. Mwah!

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