Whisper's 14th Meditative Insight To The World

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Early this morning, I was transported down the Memory Lane for a specific reason. Whisper's guidance was short and direct.

"Matthias, you already know and have the beginning of the faith that HE is your **One and Only Anchor.** What **Blessing** and **Gift** that HE has given you."

"But, you are living in a flawed and cruel world. You need every ounce of strength and determination to be steady and anchored to the covenant which you have made, and not be distracted by non-issues. Therefore, I want you to meditate and focus on two foundations of this strength in the coming days:

- 1) The "Anchor" of your flawed existence;
- 2) The "Lessons" which you have instinctively learn from the "Tea Lady"

"Then, apply constructively in every facet of your life. And when we meet again, recount your experience. Just give me the essence of that experience."

I had no difficulty going down the memory lane. In an instant, the words of the Bhagavad Gita **flashed across my heart and I saw** vividly the sound of the Sanskrit mantra:

"The humble sages, by virtue of true knowledge, see with equal vision a learned and gentle brahmana, a cow, an elephant, a dog and a dog eater [outcaste] ..."

Pure and Unpolluted love is the **ANCHOR** of my flawed existence and **My EQUAL VISION** is my **COMPASS** to guide me in my journeys.

The thought struck me like a lightning bolt. OMG!

The Tea Lady epitomises the Sanskrit mantra. The tea lady in my office loved her husband with the pure and unpolluted love and never once did her gaze wonder off in any other directions.

She saw something so beautiful and uplifting in her husband and subsequently her children – an act of faith – giving totally, grounded and anchored in the sea of tranquillity. She love and love without any other thought - not money, not status, not envy, not jealousy, not comparing ... total devotion to the life that she has accepted.

<u>I recalled</u> how she was so much part of my life and the successes of my law practice. She was not just the "Tea Lady" but an essential part of my existence. She attended all staff meetings and contributed by her mere presence, and sometimes by her wit and wisdom. She did not feel that she was "beneath"

anyone and was never treated as such by anyone. What an incredible "office family" and she participated in all the overseas holidays (the 'bosses' were never allowed to spoil the fun. It was their day and we cannot interfere) – China, Hong Kong, Korea, Japan, Australia, Vietnam, Indonesia, UK, if my memory serves me right. She ensured that the office was clean and proper for us to be at peak performance.

She knew how I like my coffee or tea and served them with pride and care the "elixir" that made my day. I missed her now that she has retired, and I am now making my coffee or tea without the magical touch!

Yes, yes she was the Tea Lady and I would not want it any other way.

She was a Lady!

I am blessed.