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Foundation Of Planet Earth

Your Homeworld In A Big Cosmos

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Does our planet revolve around a pillar of truth at the universal center ... or does a world of illusions travel an endless loop to nowhere ...?

Discover a Truth-Center that exists as the stabilizing force at the core of our Universe ... and at last enter THE REALITY ZONE.

Don't you sometimes feel that your teachers forgot to tell you something quite crucial . . . and somehow you have been "left out of the information **loop**" in the most vital areas of human knowledge? Many of us do!

Today's world is an Earth where we humans are ceaselesslybombarded with information that comes at us from a great variety of sources. People are often assaulted (or they are at least ceaselessly pelted) by data coming from co-workers, peers, the internet, cellular phones, weather satellites, computer programs, TV, pagers, etc.

Yet most people feel that they just can't understand this strange universe in which we live.

Do you ever feel you may have taken a wrong turn somewhere ... and so got yourself **lost in the vast universe of the "information highway**?" Ever feel like you just don't know *where* you are in this universe, even though you tried hard to stay knowledgeable, tried to keep up to the normal speed of all the other travelers?

Reasonable questions: What's my present location? How did I get here? How do I get out of here?

Many persons feel our planet is only a world of lies, delusions, and half-truths that travels in a circular orbit till the end of time... they see Earth as a planet that has no other appointed route except the normal motion of its perpetual loop as it follows its proper orbit around the Sun.

It's true that we human beings live on Earth in a world where impermanence is the norm.

5 Does our planet revolve around a pillar of truth at the universal center... or does a world of illusions travel in an endless loop to nowhere?

For many people, Earth is a very weird place . . . full of strange experiences that seem to spring forth from the Nightmare Zone. Others see Earth, not as the onceand-future Garden of God, but as a "funny farm" that is populated by crazy folk.

Even for Christians, it's clear that "God's Garden" is full of weeds and is not what it should be!

In this wild world of culture-clash and transition-trauma, many people are now starting to experience what we may call "REALITY SHOCK." The long-prevalent belief in "relative truths" and "no absolute knowledge" has proven itself to be a shaky and uncertain structure that is built on a foundation of shifting sands. It is collapsing all around us.

8 GREETINGS FROM THE REALITY ZONE!

There is a solution to the confusion of an irrational universe!

By adopting a Godly perspective, you can exchange the weird confusion of your Nightmare Zone universe for something far different. You can pass through an opened door into the Reality Zone . . . and find a logical Universe that is not just orderly but organized with a solid core of **Absolute Truth** as its very center and its foundation.

10 Today you can discover a Truth-Center that exists as the stabilizing force at the core of our Universe... and at last enter the **Reality Zone.**

Jesus Christ is the brilliant Light-Source that God has established as a pillar of truth at the center of our Universe...!

In the Trinity of God, Christ was right at the center of things at the very time when our vast Universe was first created! It is only through Jesus Christ (not through a Big-Bang Cosmos alone) that the inhabitants of our world can experience a genuine "knowledge explosion!"

You can experience the brilliant clarity of a personal "knowledge explosion" that will enlighten your entire universe. You can displace the darkness in your own mind and heart with the brilliance of Jesus Christ.

By adopting a **Godly perspective**, you can achieve a logical solar system for all the interactive elements of your life and world-view.

If this universe seems disorganized, cruel, & chaotic to you, it's time you exchanged your own **microcosm** (your personal world-view) for the **macrocosm** of God. And together with the **intellectual salvation** that God's superior perspective on the Universe will offer you, you will also get **relief** from hellish loneliness and bitterness that often results from a wrongthinking and wrong-acting life.

Before his embodiment as Jesus, the Christ was already God the Son, unified in a Trinity with God the Father and God the Holy Spirit. As such, he is then Creator of our Universe and the guardian of true knowledge.

Being eyewitness and participant in the actual Creation, the Christ is our only valid Source for knowledge of this vast Universe. He is the Voice of God on Earth, and he fulfilled the prophecy of God that declared "I will open my mouth in parables; I will utter things hidden since the creation of the world."

In this world we meet many liars and deceivers, but in Jesus Christ we find a solid foundation. Jesus really is the only way of escape from the confusion and evil of our universe; he is the foundation of truth, and he is also a doorway to eternal life for a massive population on Earth that is greatly in need of rescue.

JESUS is THE DIVINE INTERFACE that makes real knowledge possible. God has made Him also the foundation of all forgiveness, the Savior who can **rescue** you from the punishment of sins.

God **reveals His Son** Jesus and Himself to us **whenever we read or hear** the truths that He has planted in the Holy Scriptures of the Bible. A **seed of His truth, buried in you now**, can **grow** in **His Light**, or perish in your darkness.

You can see it grow by placing Jesus Christ, who in the Trinity of God created our Universe, upon a throne at the center of your heart! He deserves that position and that kind of respect. He was first God The Son, but when born in human flesh he became the only sinless and righteous person who ever lived. Yet he sacrificed himself on a cross for your sake, taking all guilt and sins upon himself, in order that you and I — that all people — that whoever wishes for salvation might be rescued from the due punishment of sins.

If you choose to accept Jesus Christ and pray to receive His illumination, then His Holy Spirit will come to reside within you forever. He will be a fiery energy-force inside you that will burn eternally and give you a perpetual guidance. He will stay with you in all Earthly trials, and beyond.

¹⁹ By doing this, you will gain a new contentment and inner peace as you accept God's organizational plan for the Universe . . .

because you'll be letting God be the Ruler of All Things in this world . . . and in your own life. All it really takes is a simple but sincere little prayer — one that you should make up in your own words. The prayer for deliverance and for God's leadership should come from your own heart!

Some important elements that you might include are: 1) your desire to turn away from the wrongness or evil of your past life, and your remorse over the sins of your previous life, 2) your desire for God's forgiveness and mercy through the act of sacrifice of His Only Begotten Son (Jesus Christ), 3) your desire to know God's leadership in your life, 4) your desire to learn more of God's truth through Bible study,

5) your desire to find fellowship with genuine believers.

Jesus said of Himself, "Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. I and the Father are One."

Jesus said also of Himself, "Truly I tell you, before Abraham was even born, I AM." (Moses had long ago learned from God that God's name was "I AM.") Jesus spoke of the people of God as being like a seed that is growing secretly, saying, "As for the kingdom of God, it is as if a person should cast seed into the ground; and then he sleeps, and he rises up night and day to see that the seed is springing forth and always growing up, although he knows not exactly how. The Earth is bringing forth fruit from itself; first the blade, then the ears of corn, and after that the fullness of the ears of corn. And when all the **fruit of the Earth** has come forth, immediately God will use the sickle to reap the fields, because the harvest-time has come." Excerpt from the book of Mark [4:26-29].

Jesus said of the people of God that "The kingdom of heaven is like a net that God has cast into the sea, and it gathers of every kind: When it is full, it will be pulled up on the shore, where they will sit down to sort the catch, and they will collect the good fish in baskets, but the bad things will be thrown away. This is the way it will be at the end of the world: The angels shall come forth, and they will separate the unrighteous persons from among those justified by God . . ."

Excerpt from the Book of Matthew, who was a constant companion of Jesus and his devoted disciple[13:47-50].

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God's Earthward Outreach.

God walked on planet Earth in the human body of Jesus Christ.

As the Moonwalker James B. Irwin so often said, "God walking on the Earth is more important than Man walking on the Moon."

His Light has lived among us.

A Letter From The Sponsor

One of my favorite heros is an adventurer named Colonel James B. Irwin. He is a Christian astronaut who became a Moonwalker (and a driver of the first Moon Jeep) during the Apollo 15 mission. That was in 1971. His team contained the only pair of astronauts to ever explore the mountains of the Moon. So I'm pretty sure they had one of the most exciting missions of all those provided to Earth's twelve Moonwalkers.

When he returned to Earth, Jim Irwin felt compelled to evangelize his home planet. He had sensed the Spirit of God with him as he walked about on the Moon, and he was more convinced than ever that Jesus Christ is the Lord of Creation, the ever-holy Son of God, an intimate part of the Divine Trinity.

The first Russian cosmonaut, Yuri Gagarin, was an atheist who had once declared, after the completion of his space jaunt, that "I did not see God up there." He maintained that he had not seen God in outer space. A little girl who was a Christian, a 12-year-old in Sweeden, was troubled by the implications of that remark, so she then undertook to write him a letter. In it she responded, "Dear Cosmonaut Gagarin: I understand that you have flown in space and that you did not see God. Sir, I just want to ask you if you are pure in your heart?"

She was repeating the words of Jesus, who told us, "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God."

Cosmonaut Gagarin could not see God in space, but James Irwin did just that. He came back to Earth with a new mission— a strong desire to evangelize his native planet. This Baptist believer thereafter traveled to speaking engagements in many foreign nations, telling people he met everywhere about the reality of God's existence. He went likewise to speaking engagements at many colleges and universities, both in the US and abroad, telling the students at these institutions that they needed to wise up, get real, and accept the Truth.

He frequently told people that "The entire space achievement is put in proper perspective when one realizes that God walking on the Earth is more important than Man walking on the Moon."

God walked the Earth as Jesus Christ, and humanity is now the beneficiary of a Holy One who possessed the wisdom and knowledge of God Almighty. The Son of God is a Divine Person of the Holy Trinity, and so He shares the knowledge of His Father in Heaven. He makes known to humanity, in His own words, "secrets that were not revealed since the Creation of the world." James Irwin saw the mountains of the Moon and realized that his help comes from God, "the Lord Who made Heaven and Earth." Col. Irwin had "seen" God in outer space, because his heart was a lot more pure than that of Yuri Gagarin.

You can start to see God if you have your heart purified by the blood of Jesus Christ. He offers you a means of salvation in an evil world, and He offers to take you to a New Earth that will be better by far than this one in which we currently reside. He is the Gateway to Enlightenment and the Door of Truth. He's willing and even eager to give you something of immense value, something that you couldn't buy with all the wealth in the world.

It's free, and it's an offer you shouldn't refuse. But it's your choice.

James Irwin made the right choice, and when he finally died, he was assured a place in Heaven with Jesus Christ, his Lord and Savior. He is now in Heaven's Hall of Heros, and he continues his adventures in another world.

There are more things in Heaven and Earth than are dreamt of in your philosophy, O Mortal Man. Come on over to the side of the Light.

> Yours In Christ, Ken Street

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God's Earthward Outreach.

God reaches out to all the people of the Earth.

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It has been built upon material originally found in a Street Tract called **The Reality Zone**, and it is retitled for this edition. It's also important for all of us to remember this:
1) WE SPEAK TO GOD by our prayers.
2) GOD SPEAKS TO US by the words of Holy Scripture.

So we must try to read His words and His Book just as often as we possibly can!!

God wants to bless you for all your long efforts to understand this very confusing and difficult Universe in which we live — so let Him reward your search with the grace of His forgiveness and enlightenment!

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