

Words of the Mother – III

SOME EXPERIENCES OF THE BODY CONSCIOUSNESS

One can say with equal exactitude that all is divine and that nothing is divine. Everything depends upon the angle from which one looks at the problem.

Similarly one can say that the Divine is perpetually becoming and also that he is immutable for all eternity.

To deny and to affirm the existence of God are both equally true; but each is true only partially. It is by rising above both affirmation and negation that one can approach the truth.

One can say further that whatever happens in the world is the result of the divine will and also that this will has to be expressed and manifested in a world that contradicts or deforms it. In practice, these two attitudes lead in the one case to peaceful submission to whatever happens, and in the other, on the contrary, to a ceaseless struggle to bring about the victory of what should be. In order to live the truth, one must know how to rise above the two attitudes and combine them.

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Keep your conviction if it helps you to build your life, but know also that it is only one conviction and that others are as good and true as yours.

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Tolerance is full of a sense of superiority; it should be replaced by a total understanding.

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