# Sir George Trevelyan at Geseke's House in Warwick, 9th Aug. 1991.

Well, dear friends. I am delighted to have this opportunity of coming and talking with you. Let me make clear, that whatever I say is not in any sense dogma which I am trying to put over on you. I want to discuss ideas. This is quite different. There are certain important ideas, which we need to entertain, to take hold of, ideas, which our logical left hemisphere, argumentative mind, may think it can debunk. These are ideas which rise in the right hemisphere, that aspect of the brain which is in direct touch with the higher mind. It is marvellous that Mind with a capital M has so built the organism, that there is an aspect of it that can instantly respond, but instantly it must be, that our little mind, with a small m, reflects big M, constantly here, in the right hemisphere. Left hemisphere, the intellectual, analytical side, which is vital for running our civilization, is liable to say: 'Oh, but you can't believe that. You can't prove it' and we overlay that response with the powerful and probably quite true, left hemisphere. This is the key through which we can explore higher worlds of thought and knowledge. And this is the most exciting and a very important aspect of our time.

### The Immortal Droplet of Divinity I AM – Earth is a School for Our Souls - Life cannot Die

Let me give you an idea to begin with: in each of us that can say I AM, that being that looks out of your eyes into mine, is a droplet of divinity, an immortal pulse of the eternal mind, no less. Now, in our death ridden culture, where so much of the news is about death in one form or another, we've got here the real clue that, for the part of you that matters, which is not this marvellously designed perishable temple of a body, that part that matters is this droplet of divine life that is in each of us, basically this is forgotten. With all the talk there is about death, and so much of the news is about death, death of the body is nothing more than the release of this immortal droplet back to source from which it came, from which it had descended.

That thing in you which can say 'I AM' is axiomatically totally immortal. It has nothing to do with death. Life cannot die. It is an absurdity to think it. The body can die, yes, but the body is nothing more than a wonderfully designed temple to receive that immortal droplet. You are immortal and so am I and we are sojourning in this beautifully designed body, this sensitive creation, which enables us to drop out of the heavenly world in which we can move at the pace of light and the pace of thought instantly, anywhere, and blend with each other. It is an arrangement that enables that droplet of divinity to come down to earth into the world of matter and experience contact of quite a different sort. Imagine after you die and that Being is released, the association is quite different, we blend consciousness, soul passes into soul, or is repelled, quite different, but by inventing as the good Lord has done, planet earth, inventing this wonderful, miraculous world of beautiful design, as a setting for humanity, He has created a setting, a school for the education of human souls. It is an educational experiment on the part of God. It is not an accident. We are not accidents of chance, natural selection. Earth is the chosen planet in which an extraordinary experiment can take place, on which the 10<sup>th</sup> hierarchy, a little lower than the angels, but crowned with glory and honour, on which that hierarchy of spiritual Beings can dip down and learn the lessons of handling people.

This is the planet of freedom. Remember this, that the angelic hierarchies are absolutely part of God's Being. They are not interested in freedom in our sense. Humanity, the 10<sup>th</sup> hierarchy opens a new possibility. It is as if the Almighty, having created the world, thought, well now, here is something interesting, let us make one more planet and let's put on it humanity, the 10<sup>th</sup> hierarchy and give it freedom, freedom to evolve. So that ultimately you children may come back to Me as co-creators, working with God in the exploration of the universe. This is the great school and if it's a school for our souls, well you cannot expect to qualify for the university by dropping into the third form for one term. Take the idea that you've been back and back onto this planet, that we've gone through history, sometimes our memories reach right back to the beginning. We have all dipped into life to learn what it was to be in ancient Britain, to learn what it was to be in ancient Greece, in Rome, the Middle Ages, in the Renaissance, in the 18<sup>th</sup> century and now in the 20<sup>th</sup> century. Behind us are all these memories, mostly untapped, but it begins to be possible more and more to explore back into the memories of the past and

as we approach the millennium, which is clearly a time when great major changes of some sort will take place, in the planet and in our lives, this knowledge becomes vitally important.

Now let me repeat, I'm not talking dogma that I'm asking you to believe. I don't care a damn with respect if you don't believe what I'm saying. I'm not out to convince. I'm inviting you to think, which is totally different from saying 'this is the dogma of our belief and this is what you ought to do or what you ought to join. It is not a movement; it is an exploration of the world of living ideas and the human being is part of the picture, by no means an accident of chance natural selection, but a creature designed to be able in freedom of choice, to apprehend the thoughts of God and act on them or not as he chooses. We are coming to a culmination at the millennium, a 2000 year cycle since the time of Christ, of Jesus, coming to a culmination in which many foresee will be earth changes of some sort. It may be that quite a lot of people will lose their bodies, they will not be dead; nobody is dead. I lift from you the fear of death. You cannot die; you are an immortal droplet of God. Now, if that isn't an exciting doctrine I think you are a very dull dog. This is the most exciting age ever to be alive, in which we are realising this great truth and prospect.

So again, note the difference of dogma and idea. You can take an idea that you like and live with it and you don't need to believe. Live with it and see what happens and this first idea is that you, the essential you, is a creature which by its nature can't possibly know death and will at some stage be released from the mortal body. That will do no more than release you to lift to whatever level you are capable of rising. In our still death driven culture, so many people still say, that 'ah, she sleeps beneath that tombstone'..... 'ah, we lay him to rest now in the graveyard.' Think of the absolute deeds; lay that worn-out body in the churchyard, and the man or woman, that live soul, is released then back into the spiritual world, to lift to whatever level it has qualified itself for. It is a most glorious picture and this is what earth life, life on earth, is about and it becomes axiomatic, that if this is the school of earth, we have been through it all.

**Reincarnation** comes to our minds axiomatically. There is no other explanation, but that you have been through every class, and do we not occasionally get flashes and hints, hints followed by guesses, that we have been here before, haven't we? Of course, the amount that is now being written and recorded of memories of past lives makes the most fascinating reading; much is coming now through to us.

Now we are faced with change; changes that seem pretty clear. It is highly unlikely that we will go through the next 30 years without major **earth changes**. I am not wasting time being a prophet of doom and I know no more than you do, except that there is clear indication that our minds have to be prepared for revolutionary, extraordinary things happening. The body of the earth is beginning to rise, partly because of what humanity is doing to it. For we have built our civilisation (I simplify hopelessly, but there is a truth) — we have basically built our culture on the conception that the goal of life is to 'get on', above all to get rich and powerful. We are now experiencing a turnabout in consciousness. It is possible to see that a human being, a human soul, could decide to alter itself; we can take conscious control of our selves. As I say, the West is primarily (simplifying drastically) primarily concerned with getting on, getting wealth, getting property, getting rich; in rivalry to other people and is prepared to kill if it is necessary.

We are still a culture prepared to go to war. That does not mean that everybody is ignoble who goes to war, far from it. Noble souls sacrifice themselves, those who go to war and shoot and are shot. But the great doctrine is: 'Thou Shalt Not Kill'. Supposing we have to take that literally? What right have we to take another human life? The answer is obvious: if I'm up against it and I'm at war, I shoot them or they shoot me.

Every Form has two Creations – The Archetypal and the Actual one.

The purpose of the soul could be so to cleanse itself, still itself, that it is unable to hurt life in any way. This is an ideal goal, but it may be vital that a new kind of humanity begins to emerge, which is unable to hurt, which literally follows the doctrine of 'Thou Shall Not Kill' and all that goes with that. The Soul, the I AM, this Being that is eternally alive, is a droplet of God. God is life. Life is God. Man is made after the image of God. The image of man is a being of thinking, of heart feeling love and of dynamic action. Image of God: God is the great Being, the Source of thought, thought so dynamic that from that Source can pour the archetypal, formative idea of every species. He doesn't only think about trees but it is his thought that is the archetype of the tree or the lion or the swallow or whatever. This is a great and important thought. First comes the archetypal idea of each species and this is clearly shown to us, I wonder if you have spotted this one, in Genesis, that there are two creations:

First He creates the plants after their kind, the animals, each after their kind, the birds after their kind, the fishes all after their kind and man. Then, if you please, it says, but of course there weren't any plants on earth, because it hadn't yet rained and so he has a second creation and He makes the plants and He makes the fishes and the animals and birds, and Adam and pulls Eve out of the fifth rib. Why two creations? Do people know this? How many people have not spotted that there are two creations or have you all got it? Anyway, 'After their kind', that little, little phrase is not repeated in the second creation. In other words He first makes the archetypal idea of the species, the archetype. The idea of birds, the idea of animals and this is so positive, that Rudolf Steiner seeing this, was able so to intensify his thinking that he could lift it onto the level of the archetypes and describe how he actually could meet them and discover a wonderful and creative and dynamic realm on a very, very high frequency, where they were experimenting with plants, forming a new and wonderful plant, and the Creator thought, let's keep this one, let's see if we can plant this one on earth. There is a realm of the archetypal ideas of God, which are at a stage to be realised into physical form, so that behind every visible thing is the living being, the high angelic being who is the archetypal idea, a tree or eagle or swallow or whatever. This is tremendous information and the human being, in the design of the earth, is clearly a creature who can actually lift consciousness to begin to apprehend ideas behind forms; this is going to bring quite a new approach to nature; to learn how to look at a tree. William Blake writes, (William Blake was so far developed, that he writes):

Now I with a fourfold vision see, and a fourfold vision is given to me: Fourfold in my supreme delight And threefold in soft Beulah's night And twofold always. May God us keep From single vision and Newton's sleep.

He dared to challenge Newton. He took the image of Newton as the type of the human mind deeply concerned with analysing mere matter. Of course Newton actually explored much further, but no matter. In this case it is the type of the human mind, concerned in thought with exploring one fold vision, single vision and most of our vision is single vision. .We see the tree, that's a nice tree, good. The challenge is to begin to see twofold vision. To begin to see the life in the tree; to see in a real way, to see beyond physical sight, but with an inner sight, that can actually apprehend the life and the lift in the tree. A thrilling, thrilling extension of natural history; to begin to look at nature in this way and beyond that threefold and fourfold vision; when we actually would begin to apprehend the being, the archetypal being, living in the tree. I can just begin to see the twofold vision; I am seeing that now. I can't get threefold or fourfold vision like Blake and it's very exciting. Now the tacit assumption is so often somehow earth is primary, this is the reality of things and we speculate whether there is a higher world and we try to find proofs of survival and whether there is a spiritual world apart from the real world which is physical matter. I think I have been challenged to reverse this, what I have been saying, what Blake sees and what Steiner knows and what the visionary can see, is that first comes the divine idea, the archetypal idea of things and the advanced seers say that they can so intensify their thinking, to reach the level of the archetypes and actually see them experimenting with new flowers, moving out and bursting over into the colour and washing it out, doing another and washing it out again. That this realm really exists and this is the

primary realm which has then been afterwards deposited down into a solid planet, as a setting into which a 10<sup>th</sup> hierarchy, a little lower than the angels, but crowned with glory and honour, in which that hierarchy can be set in order to learn to handle freedom of choice.

#### Earth is the Planet of Freedom - Man has Freedom of Choice

Will you see that this is truly the planet of freedom. I repeat what I think I said that the angelic world isn't interested in freedom in our sense, its sole delight is to obey the will of God, of which it is part. They don't want what we understand by freedom and it is as if the 10<sup>th</sup> hierarchy, next to the nine angelic hierarchies, humanity, is seen by the Almighty to hold the potential of something so exciting. Let us give them this planet, give them freedom of choice, let them therefore get dragged down by the tempters, dragged down into egoism and desire, they will have to incarnate again and again, to get rid of, to meet the damage that they have done, until they begin to wake up. They go through worse and worse sufferings and back they must come to compensate for what they have done, murder they committed or whatever that may be. Until each one begins to wake up and sees that there is another alternative. It would clearly be possible for a soul to take hold of its self and cut out the negative.

#### Cutting out all Negative Words and Emotions as a Way to purify the Soul

One serious point, and here I give you a gift, very important. You are obviously able, if you wish, to throw out from your vocabulary, to discard from your vocabulary, any word of criticism, sarcasm, hate, fear, bitterness etc. It may be difficult to do but obviously it would be possible. That whole range of words, of discouragement of all sorts and also of scandal. School of Scandal is a most lovely name, of course. Have you heard about so and so. Now it would be possible for a soul to decide to jettison a third of its vocabulary, just drop it and never use it again. You just try. That does not mean that you are now a perfect angelic soul, but it is true, that those motives, the joy of sarcasm, the right to hate, the pleasure of feeling violent and that sort of thing, these emotions batten on the use of the words. So, if you never again use a word of sarcasm, cynicism, hate, despair, any of those words, it is possible that the corresponding emotions will get bored and will pull out and find somebody else who is prepared to be sarcastic and cynical and scandalous and so forth. It is a really serious step that a soul could take if it wanted to start on this path. It should be possible for a soul then to watch itself and to cut out the motives and emotions and desires and killing and hurting. It would be a new lifestyle.

#### Christ is the Love Aspect God.

When I speak of the Christ, I want to make it clear that the Christ is the heart energy of God, who incarnated and took on incarnation in the body of Jesus 2000 years ago. The first time that a God actually experienced what it was like to be human. Now the real trouble, in our Christian civilisation is that we have identified Christ with Jesus, Jesus Christ born on Christmas Day, that we have missed the profound truth, that the great occultists, like *Sandow*, have found, that what happened then was that the prepared vehicle of Jesus, prepared to receive the God, but not on Christmas Day, but at the baptism of Jordon, when Jesus was 30. The Being that descended in the form of a dove and lived for 3 years up to the crucifixion, is The Christ, Jesus having stood back, so to speak. We are called upon to grasp the notion that The Christ is the heart power of God, the heart energies of God. God thoughts had first poured out the archetypal ideas of nature and the next stage, poured out the heart energies, which are simply love and He needed a being who could receive this (very high) energy of love.

# The Rising Tide of Love – The Second Coming – Refining the Vibratory Rate

Try to come with me now: the phenomenon that really matters in our time is not Saddam's wars or whatever, all the things that fill the newspapers with violence. The real news of our time, the secret news, is what I would call 'a rising tide of love', flooding, seeping and flowing through our society. I am not trying to put over doctrine, I do invite you to think it and observe in the light of it. This is the concept, that from the great source, love is being poured out, seeping and flowing and running round and infiltrating, rejected and finding souls it can fill and then souls finding other souls who have been filled by it until a group like this comes together, in love; it is quite different than just falling in love, in the sense, but love as a force, flowing, a rising tide. To me this is the

most exciting thing and I strongly get to the feeling that this is the chief phenomena of our age, not all the violence, violence is old hat, we've done that for ever so long and it doesn't mean that fellows cannot be noble and go and shoot, of course we have to go and fight wars, in a society based on rivalry and getting property and holding, defending your nation or whatever it is. The absolute phenomenon would seem to be that The Christ, not Jesus Christ, forget that, Jesus is doing another job now. The Christ, in other words the heart power of God, is now being let loose to flood and flow through the earth and therefore may be picked up by any soul that is sufficiently skilled and cleared itself of rivalry and hate and all that and become a kind of vacuum that could be filled with Christ love. The new incarnation, the second incarnation of the Christ after two thousand years, is not another Jesus, is not his coming to earth again in a chosen body, but it is a coming to earth of a flood of love, which is the nature of the Christ. Love, the heart principle of God, is not incarnated in a single chosen body, it is flooding the planet in a rising tide, and therefore free for any soul that has emptied itself sufficiently from rivalry, envy, fear, anger, greed etc. This isn't a new plan or a new movement, but may it be a truth. It could begin to leap from heart to heart and it could be behind what in the whole youth world is bringing groups together in a new way. It could be a new love that fills and permeates our hearts and it could be making of a human soul a receptacle into which the living Christ can flood. This is the present incarnation and it means that any of our souls could be filled with Christ. Christ is present everywhere, for Christ is the love aspect of the heart of God, flooding the world and being constantly rejected. Christ in that sense is flooding this room, not personalised as Jesus, but as a force of love and we can begin to see the wonder, that in so far as we have stilled self and cut out as a primary motive, its desire for gain and power and readiness to be violent in order to get it, it may be that a human change is beginning to take place.

### Catastrophic Flooding by Rising Sea Waters – The Nature of Death

It may be, if it is also true, that there are earth changes coming in the next thirty years. I mean if areas of land are going to sink and other areas are going to rise out of the sea. Thirty feet down and London is put out of action and a lot of people lose their bodies, lose their bodies note, they are not dead. They lose their bodies, they are washed away and that soul group is lifted out. I mean if now, if the big tidal wave came and his this house, in one wet moment we should all be through, through as a group, dedicated to the degree of really trying to look at what the spiritual picture is. We merge as a group lifting into the light and death can be a very quick process. A body may twitch and agonise and look nasty, but the soul can be very often lifted; and know this, in so far as fear comes in when talking about death, that we all have our Angel, we each have our Angel Guide, our Higher Self, Beings watching our progress, and other friends, whom we have loved, whom we gather very lose. The ones who have loved us and have gone off are not gone. They are very close to where you are and realise that on this higher plane, the gravity force is a different thing, it is sympathy or antipathy. You are drawn together with kindred souls, that you love, or soul groupings, and so it is perfectly alright if we are all washed out, if we are in fact tuned to the living Christ and to the Light, and are doing the best that we can, to cut out not only the language of violence and dislike and hate, but the actual emotions, too. We shall assuredly be very quickly lifted by our angelic friends, by our side into the building of a new earth. It means that the way to look at it is a raising of the frequency rate.

## Jacob's Ladder – Refining the Vibratory Rate – The Second Coming

If you think about what Jacob's ladder really means, that old symbol, from hard rock at the bottom, dark hard rock, up and up and up, into the light, refining the vibratory rate, up to the point of the spiritual sun and you imagine then that we, our consciousness, has got about here, up out of the dark, coarse rock, we are up about here, but we think all the rest is empty, because we haven't developed the higher faculties there, but what will happen if we are suddenly washed out in a cataclysm and our souls, very quickly will be in a much more comfortable position out of the body, lifted and meeting our Angelic friends and landing at the level to which we are attuned, at which we are vibrating – out into light and into stillness and into harmony. There is nothing to be frightened of in death, in this sense, it's an extraordinary change and if the world is really going into much turmoil, a great many people are going to lose their bodies, that makes it all the more important that you learn as far as you can to create this inner stillness, so that this capsule, vacuum, capsule of stillness, can be filled with

the Living Christ. That is the real Second Coming. This whole room full of souls could be filled with the presence of the Living Christ, which is absolutely wonderful. It is open to everybody, never constraining. They will never enforce, the Archangel Michael and the rest have been instructed not to enforce, but if the person responds to the Christ Michael sort of over-lighting indication, those beings can be so close and can immediately begin to work in us and the vital change can happen instantly, which is really no other than the formation of a new type of humanity, based on the living power of love and inner tranquillity and an inner tenderness and an inner refusal to hurt or kill. In other words, a being who really finds that the way to live is through as was said, 'Thou Shalt Not Kill' .. You shalt not ... I can't remember the whole thing now. That is the archetype, the pattern laid down for us. That is what the Christ carries and it doesn't really begin to operate until the individual's soul tunes into it and creates this hurt free inner self, which is not just empty in a hard world, but is then filled with the all power of the Living Christ, ever increasing. That is the true nature of the Second Coming in our time.

There is one quotation that I wanted to say, a poem by *T.E. Brown*:

If thou couldst empty all thyself of self
Like to a shell dishabited
Then might He find thee on an ocean shelf
And say: This is not dead.
And fill thee with Himself instead.
But thou art so replete with very thou
And hast such shrewd activities
That when He comes He'll say: 'It is enow
Unto itself. 'Twere better let it be,
It is so small and full, and has no need of Me.'