

Faith is the Window through Which God Shines - A Letter from Paramahansa Yogananda

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This letter, from the beloved Master, was written October, 1926: "Faith is the window through which the Divine Light shines. None wishes more than the Divine Light itself to shine through the window of our faith to give us health, prosperity, and bliss. But, through long-continued wrong living and forgetfulness of God, we close the windows of faith and the Divine Light is shut out, producing sickness and want."

"Losing faith means closing windows. What you see you believe easily, but God suggests Himself enough in nature. Why He talked enough to me through the budding mouth of the rose, and the petalled cheeks blushed in joy to see me through the sunshine."

"Those that believe, in spite of everything, they gradually see the super-law work. We are like children, yet, asking this and that from the Divine Mother, and sometimes when She cannot give us something, because of Her laws, we doubt Her or Her power. But keep on meditating, and then shall come, one day, when all the veil will be torn. All the veil of laws created by Maya, and by us, will be gone, and we will be free, standing face to face with our Divine Mother. Then we will see Her protection, working behind physical, untrammelled, uninterruptedly. Then, nothing but the breeze of immortality and perennial joy will sustain us. Work for that."

"It is a long walk; but keep busy, and some day, suddenly, the end will be reached. Don't look how far you have to go, or how little you have to walk today; how little you have to meditate, deeply, today. It is because many people neglect being deeply devoted in their daily meditation that they feel the distance too great. Give up hopes, fears, and desires. Cry for the Divine Mother every time after meditation: 'Divine Mother, this day is passed. I have not seen Thee yet.'"

"My love and blessings to you. In spite of terrible distractions, I am finding Him more and more. God bless you all."

I'm very happy to be with you again this morning. I always enjoy coming here because I feel your wonderful spirit. I feel the Master's love, flowing through you all. I wanna thank you for your kind attendance and attention to my words. God bless you all.