

Question: Would you like to add any information to the last discussion we had [posted 1-10-18] where you considered the notion that the ego is driven by the need for safety?

Light Beings: That could be a very in depth talk that we could certainly share with you because the part of what is happening now on your planet is a division between many of those who have finally recognized the need for that balance of ego and soul, and those that are simply, totally ruled by their ego; and it is going to be more and more apparent to those that understand that division, that something must be done of a more radical nature than has been so far, to help bring those along that do not understand the need for that combination, that working together.

When the ego is always making the decision it never allows for anything other than the....it's very difficult to explain in

Q: The ego is limited in its options, it is always reactionary.....

LBs: It is not just reactionary, but there is always with the ego, "What's in it for me?" And so, when that is the driving force, it is very difficult for anything to move forward in a positive manner. So you have, what you call, the status quo remaining in place. And that is the main reason for so much unrest at this point, and there are many that are beginning to sense that [understand the issue], even though their ego may be also the decision maker in their lives. And so you have those that have great power and great money doing "What's in it for me?", and those that do not have it are also coming from, "What's in it for me?"

Q: And as you say, the ones that have the power and money and opportunity are taking advantage of it and not helping everyone else in the group, the social order.

LBs: That is true, and so you're going to see much, much more conflict than you've seen, perhaps ever, in your country, between those that have and have-not, because many of the have-nots are also coming from an ego place.

Q: Yeah, I think I understand. It's their way of getting even or trying to catch up. They see it in terms of survival.

LBs: Correct, because they do not feel safe.

Q: And they aren't.

LBs: They aren't in some ways, Yes, you're correct. But in many ways, they are safe.

Q: But their perception is that in too many ways they aren't.

LBs: Correct.

And so, it is very, very important for those that have learned that balance [listening to soul as well as the ego] to be as active as possible in their world in any way that they can make a difference in their day-to-day functions and relationships, to help—perhaps just in small ways, even—to open the door to those that are coming from the ego just enough, that they can think or possibly see some advantages to being able to allow that soul to speak to them. It is going to be very important to those that have learned that balance to do all they possibly can to move that.....you cannot say lesson, and you cannot really teach that, so it is more a way of infiltrating in any way they can the areas that they can show the balance, and in some way enlighten those that are strictly run by the ego.

Q: The arts, philosophy, social sciences.....?

LBs: Yes, and with anything that they are involved in, with that balance, they will begin to see ways they can—without coming from the ego, but coming from the balance—speak to those that are strictly of ego. And they will not always be successful, but they will begin to infiltrate in ways that, perhaps, may be slower, but will begin to open the eyes of those who are constantly ego driven.

Q: Yes, thank you.

Is there anything you would like to add for people in the United States they would want to be aware of in this coming year, 2018?

LBs: This year could go in two directions. It could begin to stabilize, and the economy could get to the point that people *are* seeing some difference. Now it's purported that the people are benefiting, but that is not true. Only a small number are benefiting, and it those that already have enough. But it could stabilize so it could begin to help those, at least, in the middle class; perhaps not in the lower, poorer class. So that could be a stabilization that could help move your country forward. But there is just as much of a possibility that the leaders of your country are going to make some decisions that are going to create so much frustration, so much division, that there will be uprisings to a greater degree than you've seen in many years.

Q: That vociferous uprising may be necessary if the people in charge don't.....

LBs: That is correct. If some of the decisions are made that affect enough people, there will be enough people suffering in ways that are not acceptable to them, that there *will* be an uprising. It is right now hanging in a balance. It could go either way.

Q: An uprising to you means a political uprising.

LBs: Correct.

Q: Changing the status quo in Washington.

LBs: It will be more than just a change in Washington. It will be throughout your 48 States. There are two States that aren't affected too much.

It will be an interesting year for you. It will be in the history of your country as one of the most dynamic years with the most changes that you have seen in, perhaps, many years.

You're also going to see more earth upheavals, much as you've seen in the past couple of years.

Q: On our west coast, as usual, or maybe inland somewhere?

LBs: Yes. You're going to find you're going to see more flooding, more draughting, many more earth changes due that climate control, climate warming, that is so being denied.

Q: You said "climate control". Are the Russians and the US engaged in a weather war right now? [HARP broadcasts into the ionosphere.]

LBs: There can be some of that; that is going on behind the scenes, yes.