



AN INITIATION IN THE FIRE OF THE RUBY CHALICE

HAIL! Fiery Sons and Daughters of the Most High! I AM Maitreya, Cosmic Christ and planetary Buddha. I AM known as the Great Initiator, and I stand before you in this hour to bestow upon you a very scientific acceleration of Light. But first a word of caution. If this moment be not for you the hour of the Visitation, if you have not approached this *Ruby Chalice* with clean hands and Heart, with complete and utter concentration and devotion to this ritual — the sacred ritual of drinking in Our Presence — better to abide until that time when you can give your full measure of devotion. For this is indeed a sacred consecrated hour when We stand in your aura precisely to pour into your world the unspeakably magnificent supernal Light of our Ascended Presence.

Run to the altar! Love the Lord thy God with all thy Heart, with all thy soul, with all thy might. Pour forth the utmost devotion, the secret unspoken Adoration that has for so long remained locked and frozen upon the doorway of your Heart.

Having obeyed then the Great Command, I Maitreya stand before you, stretch forth the Wand of Fire and circumscribe your Heart. I *seal* that precious Heart within the unbroken circle of Sacred Fire that you might leap to your feet with the words of the prophet Isaiah on your lips, "Thou shalt not hurt nor destroy in all my holy mountain sayeth the Lord." Mark well this response of the Lord's anointed when He too rejoiced at the transfiguring touch of God Love and sang this psalm of old.

Aflame with Adoration and Divine Love, I come with such surcease and succor to your Hearts as shall free you and ignite the kindling Christic Fire within you. This is the long forgotten Light of those transcendent realms wherein your blessed Holy Christ Self abides. My brothers and my sisters, be not deceived by the dance of maya playing before your eyes. Do not be so foolish as to weigh your own worth in God's eyes by the irreverent witness,

the coarseness, the hardness of heart, and the jostling of the world's restless energies upon your own. Surely you must be aware of the ongoing drama, the great work of salvation worked by myself and by my peers in heaven. Surely you can have some of the awareness of the exertion on your behalf that goes on unceasingly at inner levels.

It is all for Love of God in you! We see what you do not! We value beyond all worldly treasures the Flame of God, endeavoring to burst through the chrysalis of the Permanent Atom of your Heart. We strive and labor without ceasing for Love of you, knowing you as that Divine Presence seeking to be reborn here below.

Viewed from our level, We indeed see what you do not, of your true worth even in your present state. We care, and We are drawn always and ever to the musical tone of your God Presence sounding through the night, sleeping oftentimes within the spark of that Flame turned inwards in retreat from the harshness and the buffeting of the world and its ways. And so I come to initiate within that slumbering spark of the Threefold Flame the intense frequency of Light which is the Fire of your own God Presence.

I speak to that Heart with the full authority of my Office and I say, "Awake! Awake! Awake thou that sleepest! Now is the hour of your new birth!" Behold, a Star is born in the firmament of heaven. That which was in chrysalis, that which was as nebulae is ignited as nova! All of cosmos witnesses the birth of a new Star. And the ritual of the Bethlehem experience is multiplied throughout the land as was intended from the beginning.

Now my precious children you walk the earth by the Light of your own Star! I have this day rekindled that Fire. I have breathed upon it the *Breath of Life* and the smoldering coal which has been banked and slumbering for long ages leaps up and burns of its own Self-Luminous Fire! Do not search the world or its confines for this Light. By that I mean to include all of the matter planes. Such transcendent Fire cannot be contained within such paltry vessels. They can only absorb a minor portion of its Radiation, a secondary allotment if you will. For this Christ Light — this Cosmic Christ Light native to your own Christ Identity — abides in cosmic dimensions where time and space are not.

Let your Heart roam free then throughout the untrammelled Realms which have always been its home and along the way it will share the fullest measure possible with the lower worlds of earth, air, fire and water. But the cup of your outer vessels must wait the midnight hour of Transfiguration, the dawn of Resurrection, and the glorious noontide reality of the Ascension before they too shall taste of this Freedom in its fullness.

Precious ones, be not confused. Do not make the mistake of analyzing this Initiation with the outer mind or seeking to compartmentalize this Fire with the intellect. For in so doing you would compress that Light back into the Secret Chamber of the Heart, once again barely releasing its Fire. Understand only that this Flame is the Heart of the God Being whom you are in its fullness in higher dimensions and in cosmic space where North, South, East and West mean far more than you can possibly imagine.

This Heart then is where you and your I AM Presence are One. Let it suffice for you to liberate that Heart to do what Hearts naturally do, which is to radiate Fire, to shine as a Sun, to glow with the effulgent Fires that are the *Sun-behind-the-Sun*. If you will let your Heart roam free, then I will have succeeded in giving you a taste of what it means to stand above the waters of this world and be free.

I remind you of the words of the Christos in the hours of his final Initiations as He sought in his most poignant manner to demonstrate once and for all eternity the cosmic worth of each Divine Ray of the Monad. "The servant is not greater than his Lord." Saying thus, He bathed the feet of the disciples in honor of their Mighty I AM Presence, the great God Being whom He beheld striving to express through the weights and veils of the flesh.

And so inasmuch as that holy One whom I know so well at inner levels who is your God Self has deemed fit to descend into these matter planes and abides here below unto this very hour, therefore do I direct the Cherubim of Adoration to tarry before the altar of your Starfire Christic Heart Flame. Lawfully do they adore, love and worship that Flame, for where It burns, there is the Altar of the Most High, the Altar of the One True and Living God.

If you will suffer these Cherubim an eternal place of sanctity and holiness within this Electronic Circle of Fire which I have inscribed about you, then in those hours when your attention is required elsewhere, by *their* Love and attention on your Heart Flame, these Cherubim will sustain that effulgent Radiance through your flesh form. For the God Flame can abide only where It is constantly giving and receiving that Fohat of Love which is its Divine nature.

If you would be wise, if you truly mean what you affirm with your lips, if you hunger and thirst after righteousness, you will tend this Fire daily and by your Adoration poured forth to the Mighty God Presence dwelling within you, this Flame will increase and you shall move through your everyday life bathed in this ever expanding Radiance of Sacred Fire poured into space.

Beloved ones, I trust that you will accept my rhapsody on your Heart, your own Christ Flame. Poets, balladeers and musicians are sometimes better capable of drawing forth and expressing those subtle and yet splendid frequencies of the higher octaves. Today I have sought to interpret one of these Divine attributes that you might see and behold with true vision. Enter into this God Vision and live this God Life which is our constant Joy!

In closing, may I remind you once again of the stirring admonition of your Sponsor and Friend, El Morya,

Elevate the Chalice!

It shall be filled!

Drink ye all of It!

Lord Maitreya