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### Psalm 121

**A peaceful warrior in flight like the wind**

*"From the days of the Ancients have been heard the lamentations of the woeful and disheartened, and they ask the winds, 'Where have we failed for the God we pray to remains unresponsive?' They air their goodness and virtue and ask why these have gone unrewarded. ...*

*"In this, our generation, goodly people have been robbed of their estates by strangers. ... Their possessions have been sold to provide earthly pleasure for those who revel in things of the earth. ...*

*"In their dire despair, they seek to lay the blame upon a God who does not strike down wrongdoers and seemingly rewards*

*those who are Earthwise. Wherein have they failed? This is the echo in the corridors of the ages.*

*“They have failed because they have left to God the things which they, as God’s overseers on Earth, should have accomplished. It is Men in the mass who permit evil to flourish in their midst. Their woeful lamentations ascend to Heaven and call upon the heavenly hosts for aid, but better by far would it be to call their own resolution and fortitude and fight the good fight, to bring about the rule of right and justice.” ~The Kolbrin Bible (Man:20:1-4)*

## **Lamentations of the Woeful**

What was true hundreds of years ago when the quote above was written is even more true today. People complain that God does not destroy the evil and evildoers of the world. They complain that they don’t get what they want. They complain that others have more material wealth than they do. They complain to God, but never blame themselves. They ask God to find them a job instead of using their own intuition and talents to find one themselves. They ask God for a new car instead of earning the money to buy one themselves. To some degree, it is understandable that some don’t want to embrace the ways of the earthly materialists, yet we must exist in this world for the time being, so to some degree, we must function within its rules.

## **Robbed of Estates and Possessions**

Yes, there are those who rob us of estates and possessions. Some do so illegally, others, like tax collectors, do it legally—either way, we get robbed often in this world. On top of that, cherished possessions break, rust, fall apart, or stop functioning. Many try to blame God for that. Others blame the manufacturers for making goods that fall apart. To some degree, those manufacturers are to blame, but we also have to learn to accept that we live in a world of constant change.

That means things will fail, rot, rust, etc. We have to be prepared to deal with that in ways other than crying about it. When you buy something new, plan for the fact that it will need repairs, or have to be replaced at some time.

## **God Does Not Strike Down Evildoers**

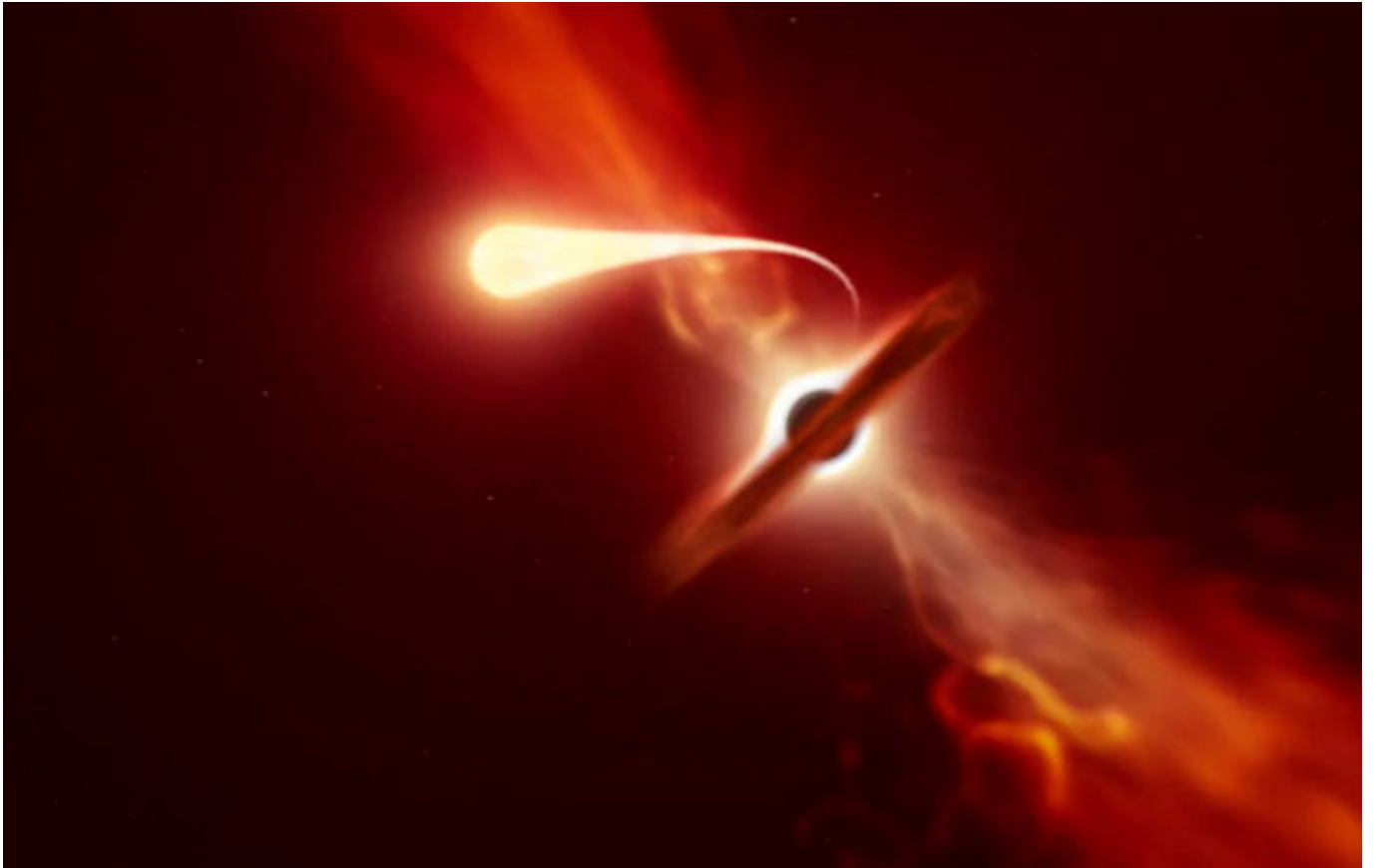
Many are disappointed that they see no evidence that God strikes down those who do evil things. They don't understand that to destroy any being is evil, and God never does evil. God doesn't destroy the evildoers, he gives them opportunities to redeem themselves. Even the fallen angels will be redeemed, not destroyed. Of course, they will have substantial karmic debts to pay when they turn themselves around, but they will do it. Lucifer has already and Satan will do so as well. Foolish people often depict God's angels carrying swords and killing devils or evil people, but that is not how angels work. They help God convince them to seek redemption, they do not destroy. In a sense, they destroy evil, but not the beings doing evil.

## **Overseers on Earth**

We are overseers on earth in the sense that we are the caretakers, even if unaware of it. But the important point is that God is NOT our servant, we are here to serve Him. It is up to us to straighten out the world's problems as much as possible, but without resorting to violence and war. God and the angels help, but only for those who help themselves. And helping ourselves begins with each of us developing our own spiritual Self.

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# **“ Astronomers caught a black hole slurping up a star like spaghetti”**



When a star ventures a little too close to a black hole, the intense tidal forces suck into it like a giant noodle of star stuff in a cosmic (and much more chaotic) reenactment of that iconic scene in “Lady and the Tramp.” The black hole’s extreme gravitational pull shreds the star into thin strands of material—a process delightfully called “spaghettification.” When these noodle-like strips get sucked into the black hole, they release a powerful bright flare of energy.

[Click here to read the complete article.](#)

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# “ What is bioluminescence? It’s a living light”



When you hear the word *bioluminescence*, do you think of glowing ocean waves under a dark sky? Many do. But, bioluminescence includes all life that – through a chemical reaction – emits light. In the image above, a single-celled form of *marine plankton*, known as [bioluminescent dinoflagellates](#), are the source of the light on the incoming

waves. But in addition, there are bioluminescent creatures in the *deeper* ocean, too. And we here on Earth's dry land sometimes see bioluminescent creatures *flying in the air*.

[Read the entire article here.](#)

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**“See photos of stunningly preserved 52-foot-long Book of the Dead papyrus from ancient Egypt”**



Egyptian officials have released photos of an ancient scroll, the [52-foot-long \(16 meters\) Book of the Dead papyrus recently discovered in Saqqara](#). The 10 images show ancient illustrations of gods and scenes from the afterlife, as well as text on the document, which is more than 2,000 years old.

Archaeologists discovered the [Book of the Dead](#) papyrus within a coffin in a tomb near the [Step Pyramid of Djoser](#) and announced the discovery on Jan. 14 for Egyptian Archaeologists Day, but this is the first time they've released images of the scroll to the public.

[Read the entire article here.](#)

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# Understanding Mind Through an Awakening Experience



### **A peaceful warrior in flight like the wind**

*"I became the wind, yet with eyes and ears. And I saw and heard far and wide. I blew past the east coast of India near the Bay of Bengal, past a scrubwoman busy with her tasks. In Hong Kong, I whirled around a seller of fine fabric. I raced through the streets of Sam Paulo. ...*

*"I left no country untouched, I thundered through China and Bangladesh, and across the vast, rich land of the Soviet Union.<sup>[1](#)</sup> I gusted through the valleys and alpine meadows of Austria, sliced cold through the fjords of Norway, I tossed up litter on the Rue Pigalle in Paris. One moment I was a twister ripping through Texas; the next I was a gentle breeze, caressing the hair of a young girl in Canton, Ohio.*

*"I experienced every emotion, heard every cry of anguish, and every peal of laughter. Every human circumstance was opened to me, I felt it all, and I understood.*

*“The world was peopled with minds, swirling faster than any wind, in search of distraction and escape from the predicament of change, the dilemma of life and death—seeking purpose, security, enjoyment, trying to make sense of the mystery. Reality never matched their dreams; happiness was just around the corner—a corner they never turned.*

*“And the source of it all was the human mind.” ~[Dan Millman](#)  
(in the book *Way of the Peaceful Warrior*)*

## **The Wind with Eyes**

The book this quote came from was written about Millman's unusual spiritual awakening that began with him meeting an enigmatic old man he called Socrates, who proceeded to teach him there was more to life than attending college and being an athlete. During one of Millman's visits with Socrates, Socrates touched him in the head leading to the experience in the above quote.

Obviously, Millman is speaking allegorically when he says he became the wind. What really happened is his mind left his body and traveled around the world at a speed that made it seem like he was the wind.

## **Empathy**

Millman says he was a wind with eyes and ears, but there was more. He describes sights and sounds, but more. He also describes the emotions of the people he came close to on that unusual journey of mind. Feeling the emotions of others is a form of empathy. While Millman may not have had much empathy normally, during this strange journey that Socrates sent him on, he did. He not only says that he felt it all, but he also understood, meaning he understood why these people were feeling these emotions.

## **A World of Minds**

Millman concludes that ours is a world of minds. He doesn't say it yet, but if he does understand as he claims, then he knows that those minds are responsible for a lot more than most of us are aware of, or even believe. Many now understand that our minds are responsible for how we react to circumstances in our lives. We are not responding to the circumstances, but to how the mind feels about the circumstances. For example, the mind of a vegan would interpret being served meat differently than the mind of a meat lover.

But the mind does more than interpret our surroundings, it helps create them. When the world is full of angry people who can't get along, their minds send a vibration into the environment. Those angry vibrations cause storms, tornadoes, floods, and earthquakes. Experiments have shown that people who talk nicely to their plants have healthier plants. It isn't the speaking that does it, but the vibrations from their minds. And when a group of spiritual people surrounded a polluted lake in Japan and prayed for the lake, the pollution quickly disappeared. Our individual minds may not have such power, but collectively, they do a lot.

## **The dilemma of Life and Death**

Many of us do spend much of our time hiding from the dilemma of life and death. Too much of what is happening in the world doesn't make any sense, yet it continues to happen. We say we want peace, yet we continue to have wars. We say we want to be strong and healthy, but we eat junk food and do other things that weaken us and lead to illness. We think a loving God has created this world, yet it is not a world of love. Instead of seeking solutions, many of us hide from it all in distractions and entertainment like movies, fictional books, and sports. And the governments and media support this hiding from reality as it benefits them, as well as the demons whispering into

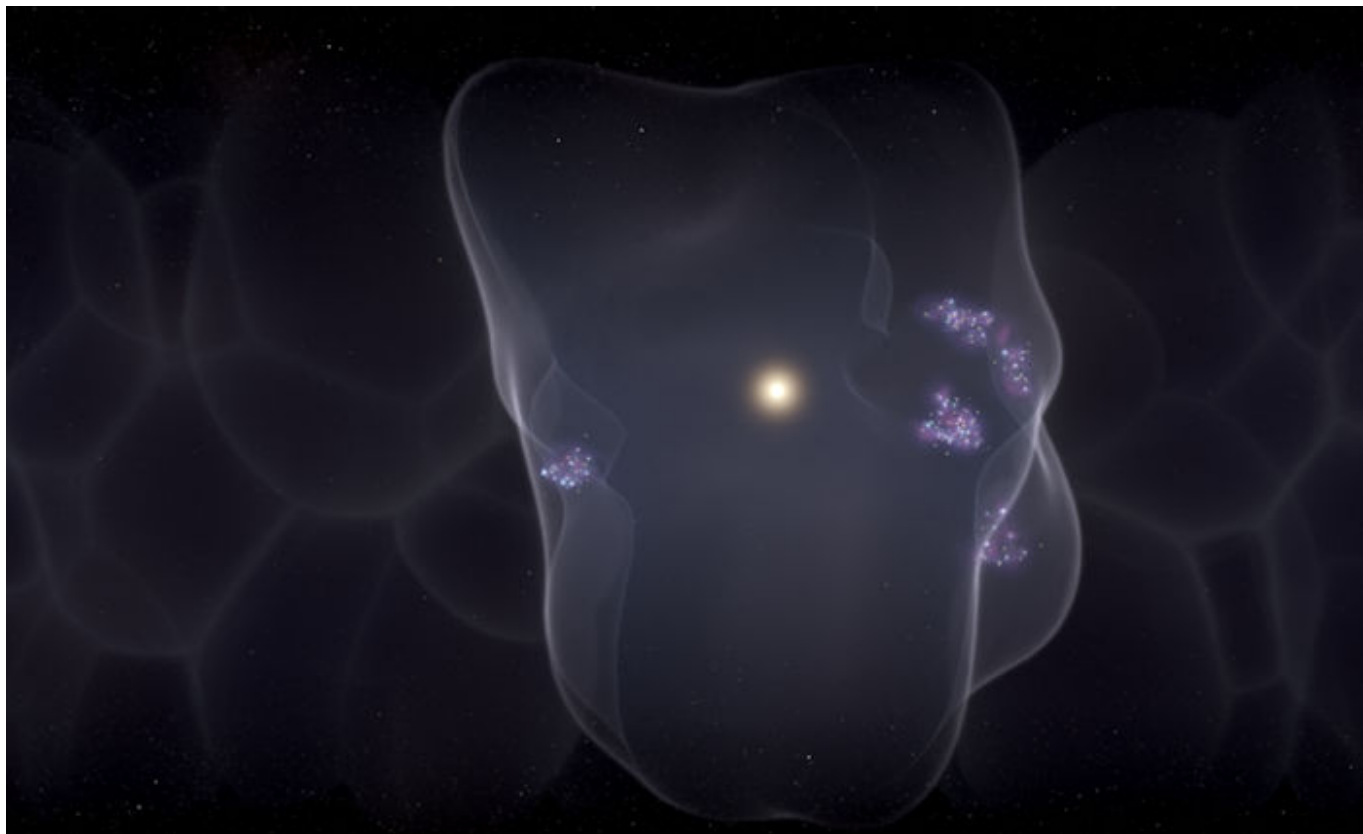
their ears.

There is a solution. For starters, we must stop believing that a loving God created this world. The realm of matter was created by the false god, the Demiurge, and is therefore flawed. Hiding from the truth won't make it better. We need to turn away from the failed paradigm of capitalism and materialism and develop our spiritual side. We do that with the help of God and the Light of the Spiritual Sun.

[1 –](#) This book was written in 1980, so the Soviet Union still existed.

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**“ Astronomers just mapped the  
‘bubble’ that envelopes our  
planet”**



Published [today in \*Nature\*](#), researchers from the [Center for Astrophysics](#) and the [Space Telescope Science Institute](#) have created a [3D map that reconstructs the evolutionary history of the “Local Bubble,”](#) a 1,000-light-year-wide cavity of cold gas and dust that’s responsible for the formation of all nearby young stars—including our sun.

The study reveals that Earth and all of the stars and star-forming regions within 500 light-years of the planet reside on the surface of this bubble, which is good insight, according to [Catherine Zucker](#), astronomer at the Space Telescope Science Institute and lead author of the study. Learning more about how the Earth came to be inside the Local Bubble could be yet another definitive step in better understanding our galaxy.

[Read the entire article here.](#)

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# “Hubble sees two overlapping galaxies”



The NASA/ESA Hubble Space Telescope imaged these two overlapping spiral galaxies named SDSS J115331 and LEDA 2073461, which lie more than a billion light-years from Earth. Despite appearing to collide in this image, the alignment of the two galaxies is likely just by chance—the two are not actually interacting. While these two galaxies might simply be ships that pass in the night, Hubble has captured a dazzling array of other, truly interacting galaxies.

[Read the entire article here.](#)

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# **“Largest galaxy in the universe stunning new composite image”**



NGC 6872, also known as the Condor Galaxy, stretches 522,000 light years from tip to tip. The Milky Way is approximately 100,000 light-years across.

The galaxy is visible in the southern skies as part of the Pavo constellation, and is 212 million light-years from Earth.

It was always thought to be among the largest stellar systems in the universe, but NGC 6872 was officially designated the largest galaxy known to science by NASA in 2013.

[Read the entire article here.](#)

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# **Bishop Savoy Traveling to New Zealand and Australia**

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## GLOBAL THERMAL THINK TANK

Tour of New Zealand and Australian geothermal springs

JUNE 21-30



Bishop Gene Savoy, Jr. and his wife, Radheka Patel Savoy will be attending the Geothermal Think Tank conference in New Zealand and Australia next month representing Steamboat Hot Springs Healing Center & Spa. They will leave Reno on 6/14 for Auckland, New Zealand and return to Reno on 7/5 via Sydney, Australia and Los Angeles, California. The full attendance for the conference is 150 people from around the world, however, only 25 slots were open to people from the United States.

The event begins on June 21st in Auckland, New Zealand. Events

for that day include a trip to Aroha with a visit to the Te Aroha Museum and the Aroha Spa. The next day, they will visit the Okoroire Hot Springs and the Wai Ariki Hot Springs & Spa. The remaining days will include similar visits to various hot springs and spas in New Zealand and Australia as well as other sites of interest. There will also be seminar discussions regarding the hot springs and spa industry on most days.

Radheka was born in Auckland and grew up there until her family moved to the United States in 1991. Gene has never been to this part of the world. A full report will be provided upon their return.

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## **Weep for the Soul Trapped in Matter**



### **A soul trapped in a cage of matter**

*“Who will release me from the pits and prisons of assembled lusts that I loathe? Who will take me over the flooding sea, the mouths of conflict that give no rest? Who will save me from the jaws of pitiless beasts who destroy and terrify? Who will lead me beyond the walls and over the moats that boil with fear and trembling from ravaging demons? Who will take me beyond rebirths, and free me from the waves which give no peace? I weep for my soul, saying, May I be saved from this, from grotesque beasts who eat each other! The human body, birds of the air, fish of the ocean, quadrupeds and insects, who will take me beyond them? Who will save me so I won’t turn and plunge” “into those hells, so I won’t live in their muck or suffer rebirth devoid of living plants? Who will save me from the swallowing height and the devouring deeps of hell and distress?*

*“And while I wept on the ground, I heard the voice of the*

*beneficent king.*

*“I shall save you from the powers of revolution who terrify. I will release you from deception, a field of turbulence, and the torment of death. I will end the forces that destroy. I will ban sickness, which has dismayed you, and death. I will take you from the hands of hell’s guardians, who treat the spirit and soul without mercy. I will take you eagerly, and we’ll soar on wings high over dark powers and recalcitrant princes. I will take you into the primeval calm of new land, the new paradise, and will show you the design of the father’s being. You will know joy and praise, go beyond pain, and in luminous dress you will gird on light. On your head is your diadem of authority. Spirit spoke and built on that structure the vast fortress of the noble emperor. The primeval firstborn merits a palace as his dominion. The first human clothes himself in gladness and binds on the diadem of sovereignty. On his friends he binds the diadem and clothes their bodies in the garment of gladness. And those faithful elect he clothes” ~Parthian Songs*

## **Pits and Prisons**

What is the writer of this song talking about? The pits and prisons of the material world, the realm of the fallen. As a creation of the false god that the Gnostics call the Demiurge, it is full of unpleasant things like death, disease, hunger, violence, etc. The terms pits and prisons are allegorical, as are the others he uses, such as “the mouths of conflict,” and “the jaws of pitiless beasts.”

## **I weep for my Soul**

The singer weeps for his Soul, not his body or mind because he knows the realm of matter is the rightful place for the body and mind, but not for the divine Soul that belongs in Heaven. He weeps as he fears that Soul might never return to heaven, but I think we can assume that the one writing this song is

sufficiently awakened to know that it is possible to save the Soul and turn back to Heaven, as we shall see from what he writes later on.

## **Beasts Who Eat Each Other**

This is not just about animals that eat others of the same species, but about any being that eats other beings. And it doesn't matter much whether those beings are animals or plants, Eating other beings violates the Law of God, but we have descended so deeply into matter that we have no choice. We cannot survive only on God's Light as we were intended to do. But as we take in more and more of that Divine Light, we start to change, and can eventually reduce our eating of other beings.

## **Soar on Wings**

Yes, God does invite us to soar on wings above the powers of darkness, in other words, He invites us to climb out of the pits of darkness into the higher dimensions of Light and higher levels of consciousness. And when we reach those high levels of beings, we will cloth ourselves in Light, because we will be spirits only, conscious Souls that are made of Light, just as the highest dimensions are of Light, but Spiritual Light, not ordinary light.