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Prologue

The purpose of this booklet is to introduce to all people the Spiritualist Society of Athens “The Divine Light” and the texts which were transmitted from Heaven and are published by this Society.

This is not meant to be a thorough presentation of the texts of the Society and the teachings contained therein but we would at least like to address the following two points:

- What is the Spiritualist Society of Athens, its purpose and its role today?
- What are the “Divine Light” texts which are published by the Society?

First of all, the “Divine Light” texts are tightly connected with the existence of the Society itself. It was with the initial reception of teachings from celestial entities, through spiritualistic séances, that a small circle of people formed. These people believed in the authenticity of the teachings and founded the Society, whose purpose was to continue receiving these messages from the Spiritual World and to make them known to the whole world.

The first part was completed. All the texts were given to the Society in the time-period between 1961 and 1979. They were transmitted by higher spiritual entities to the Channel of the Society, Mr. Georgios Pisanis.

The second part started with the publication of the texts by the Spiritualist Society of Athens “The Divine Light”. All teachings and messages from the Spiritual World have been published in books, in the Greek language. There is an ongoing

effort to translate these books into the English language first, and then into other languages. Currently, eight books have been translated into English.

In brief, the Divine Light texts contain teachings from the highest order of the Spiritual World, i.e. from highly evolved spiritual entities which hold leading positions in the Kingdom of Heaven. Many of these spirits have been notorious minds and personalities on Earth. Among them we find many ancient Greek wise men, philosophers and Fathers of the Church, Indian Gurus, ancient Chinese philosophers, Western minds, including great music composers, men of the letters, poets, scientists, etc. Yet other higher entities are completely unknown to us because, what is important on Earth is not necessarily important in Heaven and vice versa.

These Leaders and Teachers of the Spirit World have communicated teachings and messages that will help the spiritual awakening of humanity in the ages to come. They have revealed to us a wealth of knowledge, from metaphysical truths to mysteries of Heaven and they have showed us what our purpose on this planet is. They are heralding the coming of a new era on Earth, a golden State in which Love, Justice and Brotherhood will rule and the human spirit will be ridden of the impure elements of ignorance.

We urge all people to read the Divine Light texts and to realize for themselves why this has been called the New Gospel of Heaven on Earth.

Chapter I

A few words about Spiritualism

Spiritualism is basically about the contact or communication between the two worlds, the Earthly and the Divine. The existence of the Spiritual World is a fundamental reality of all religions. As a matter of fact, man's innate religious inclination is based on the ability of communication with the world of spirits.

Thus, Spiritualism encompasses all phenomena and demonstrations that take place during the contact between the two Worlds because they manifest through powers and energies of the spiritual entities, that is, the Spirits.

Throughout the centuries and in every civilization, people sought the contact with the invisible world of the spirits. Priests in ancient Egypt, pythias in ancient Greece, gurus in India, shamans, lamas and in general, all people who pray and meditate are basically communicating with the Divine, in order to receive help and guidance. This is Positive or Pure Spiritualism. Of course, there are people who invoke evil spirits for evil purposes. This is Negative Spiritualism and we will not concern ourselves with this here. When talking about Spiritualism, we refer to the Positive or Pure Spiritualism.¹

Although Spiritualism was misunderstood and fought by many Churches, especially during the Middle Ages and mainly due to the influence of Negative Spiritualism – i.e. the contact with evil spirits, people's interest on it was rekindled in the last

¹ For an excellent introduction to Pure Spiritualism, see D. Makrygiannis' book "Spiritualism & Human Evolution", published by the Spiritualist Society of Athens "The Divine Light".

couple of centuries. What started in the 19th century, especially with the phenomena in the house of the Fox family, in Hydesville, New York, could not leave the rest of the world indifferent. People who had an open mind and an investigative spirit realized that there was something beyond the material reality, which science could not explain and to which religion could not give satisfactory answers. This was the reality of the spirit world, an invisible world where all psycho-spiritual entities exist.

What rekindled the interest in Spiritualism was indeed the thirst of the advanced human spirit to search for satisfactory answers to eternal, existential questions like “who are we?”, “what is our purpose on this planet?”, “what happens after death?”, “is the soul immortal?”, etc. With the various spiritualistic phenomena, it soon became apparent that there is “a part” of the human being that persists after death and the personality seems to remain intact. We now know that man is a psycho-spiritual entity (i.e. has a soul and a spirit, tightly interconnected) and it is this soul-spirit entity which continues to exist after the physical death of the body.

Thus, it was unavoidable that people sought contact with the psycho-spiritual entities (“spirits” in short) for various reasons. Most people just wanted to come into contact with friends and relatives, who had passed away. This is always a great relief for people to know that their loved ones continue to live. Others were just curious to learn more about the spiritualistic phenomena and a few people, the most spiritually advanced, sought the teachings and the knowledge that was transmitted by higher spirits.

It was in this “atmosphere” and worldwide interest in spiritualistic phenomena that the Spiritualist Society of Athens “The Divine Light” was born.

Chapter II

The Spiritualist Society of Athens “The Divine Light”: A historical background



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The Spiritualist Society of Athens “The Divine Light” was formed out of a small spiritualist circle, which operated in the early fifties, in Athens, Greece. It started as a gathering of a few people who had a strong interest in Spiritualism and the metaphysical phenomena. The first séances took place in private places, usually in the house of one of the participants, and various mediums contacted the communications.

At that time, public acceptance of spiritualistic phenomena was still very low in Greece, compared to other places, like England, where even spiritualist churches were formed. However, a few people were showing increasing interest in paranormal and metaphysical phenomena² and their activities attracted the attention of scholars and opened the door to metaphysical research³.

² Some examples include Angelos Tanagras, founder of the Hellenic Society of Psychic Research (1923) and Polyvios Dimitrakopoulos (Paul Arcas), author, theatrical writer and journalist, who attempted a scientific explanation of spiritualistic phenomena and who received poems, through channeling, by known Greek poets.

³ Experiments in telepathy were conducted at the National University of Greece

Research interest and activities declined with time but the ground was fertile to receive the seeds of Pure Spiritualism, in the form of messages to humanity, transmitted from highly evolved Spiritual Entities. Indeed, the Spiritual World started transmitting teachings, now known as the Divine Light texts, to the Spiritual Society of Athens “The Divine Light”. The Channel of the Society was Mr. Georgios Pisanis.

Mr. Pisanis attended the first sessions of the closed, family circle where he realized that he had channeling abilities. Moreover, Mr. Pisanis was a spiritualist who was primarily interested in Teachings from higher Spiritual Entities. During the years 1961 – 1979 he received a wealth of messages and teachings dictated by the Great Leaders of the Spiritual World, headed by an entity called “Archon Pharah” or “Light of Truth”⁴. The team that became the nucleus of the Society started forming in 1969, and, since 1972 the Society operates legally and is certified as a non-profit organization with the name: *Spiritualist Society of Athens “The Divine Light”*. The communications, which contain the teachings of Heaven, are published by the Society into books.

It should be noted that Mr. Pisanis was the only channel through which the Divine Light texts were given to the Society from the Spiritual Leaders. He was a special entity, chosen and prepared to be the direct channel between Earth and the highest Order of the Spiritual World. This channel was impenetrable, in that no evil spirit could interfere in the communications.

Mr. Pisanis left this world in 1979, the day after the last communication was given and the Teaching of Heaven had been completed. His mission on Earth had ended.

⁴ About Archon Pharah, see Chapter IV

Chapter III

The role of the Society today

Since the departing Mr. Pisanis, the Channel for the Divine Light texts, a main function of the Society has been the publication of his communications into books. Indeed, the complete work has been published into 25 books, in the Greek language and with the original style in which the communications were given. Five of these books have currently been translated into English:

1. Man and Peace: Spiritualistic teachings by Homer
2. Incorruptible Discourses (The Echo)
3. The Lost Civilization of Atlantis, 2nd Ed.
4. Concentration and Spiritualism: Spiritualistic teachings by Gandhi
5. Euclid's Eros – Life – Death

In addition, other inspired works have been published by the Spiritualist Society of Athens "The Divine Light", written mostly by members of the Society and based on the Teachings of the Spiritual World. The following have been translated into English:

1. The Last Days of Jesus
2. Pieces from the Apocryphal Years of Jesus
3. Spiritualism and Human Evolution

The last book, "Spiritualism and Human Evolution" is a translation of the book "Ο Πνευματισμός και ο σύγχρονος άνθρωπος" (Spiritualism and the modern man), which was written by the current Secretary of the Society, Mr. Demetrios

Makrygiannis, and is an excellent introduction to Pure Spiritualism.

There is an ongoing effort by the Spiritualist Society of Athens to translate more books. The books are being currently translated in the English language. These messages are addressed to the whole humanity and thus, the goal of the Society is to make them known to the whole world.

The goal is for the complete work to be translated into as many languages as possible. As the new Teaching of Heaven becomes known to more and more people, the interest will arise for these messages to become, first translated and then studied in depth by many people.

All publications and news of the Society can be found at its internet site (www.divinelight.org.gr). In addition, the Society is active today by participating in book fairs and exhibitions. These are all means to the main goal of the Society, which is to make these Texts known to the whole world.

Chapter IV

Which Spiritual Entities have channeled the Divine Light texts?

We have mentioned that the Divine Light texts were communicated to Mr. Georgios Pisanis in the years 1961 – 1979 by spirits of the highest order of the Heavenly Kingdom. Who are these spiritual entities, though?

As it is revealed in the texts, there is a hierarchy⁵ in the Spiritual World. Head of this Heavenly Kingdom, also called “the White State”, is Lord Jesus Christ. Jesus Christ is the second Member of the Holy Trinity (God – the Father – is the first Member) and is also called “Co-governor” because, after the finishing of the Creation by God (the Unknown Principle of All), he assumed the government of the Universe as the Only Begotten Son of his Father.

Jesus Christ shows a special interest for Earth, also called Station A. This is the Treasury of Heaven because it is the station where the human entities, the diamonds of the Creation, are being refined. With his immeasurable love he is always helping us in our evolution path to ascend to higher spheres of the Creation and he has come to this planet and has sacrificed himself for saving us from our sins.

⁵ The structure of the Spiritual World is well explained in the book by G. Pisanis: “Divine Principle and Organized Heavenly Kingdom” (in Greek). Based on this and on other texts of the Society is Mr. Demetrios Makrygiannis’ book, “Spiritualism and Human Evolution” (English translation).

The third member of the Holy Trinity is the Holy Spirit. What is not known in religion and in the Dogmatic is that there is an entity named Pharah, which is associated with the Holy Spirit (i.e. the carrier of the Holy Spirit). Pharah was the name of this entity when he lived in ancient India, 25.000 years ago, and he was the first one to teach Monotheism in India and then in Mesopotamia. A later incarnation of this entity was as the prophet Enoch, known by the Old Testament.

Pharah was the Spiritual Guide of Mr. Pisanis. This entity has transmitted most of the teachings. His communications are signed by the name “Pharah” or “Archon Pharah”. In rare occasions he signs as “Light of Truth”, “Spirit of Truth” or “Holy Spirit”, when the communications refer to formal decisions given by the Holy Trinity. All the teachings channeled to Mr. Pisanis by various Leaders of the Spiritual World have been given under the supervision of Archon Pharah. They cover all aspects of human knowledge and they contain answers to all problems that occupy or will occupy humanity in the future. This is why these messages have been called the New Teaching of Heaven.

Apart from Archon Pharah, various other spiritual entities of the highest order have given communications. Each Spiritual Leader has his own field of specialty in the Spiritual World. For example, we often see Socrates and Confucius discussing philosophical issues, we see Aristotle explaining to us things about logic and Hippocrates talking about things related to medicine⁶. In fact, there is the “Society of Invisible Doctors” in Heaven, whose head is Hippocrates, the Father of Medicine, and whose members have been people – known or unknown –

⁶ There is a two-volume book published by the Spiritualist Society of Athens “The Divine Light” with communications given by Hippocrates. The title of the book is “Spiritual Medicine”.

with high humanitarian values on Earth and who have either contributed to the medical field or have saved a lot of people, like Louis Pasteur, Galen, St. Nicholas, etc.

Many Spiritual Leaders were ancient Greek wise men and philosophers in their earthly life, like Socrates, Plato, Aristotle, Homer, Pythagoras, Euclid, Heraclitus, etc. The ancient Greek spirit was honored by the First Cause for its faith in the Unknown God and its contribution to the spiritual advancement of humanity. Thus, these entities assumed leading positions in the Kingdom of the Lord.

Many past Indian Gurus also hold high positions in the Heavenly Kingdom. The texts contain many messages from entities like Paramahansa Yogananda, Vavazi, Lahiri Mahasaya, Sri Yukteswar, Swami of the Tigers, etc. Mahatma Gandhi has also given many communications and he transmitted a complete work on yoga and concentration⁷. We also have many Chinese wise men and philosophers holding leading positions in the Spiritual World, such as Confucius, Lao Tse, Kin Ki Na, etc.

Many great minds of the West have contributed to the Divine Light teachings. Examples include men of letters, poets and authors, like Victor Hugo, Shakespeare (his true identity is revealed in the texts), Milton, Goethe, Shelley, Dante, etc., music composers, like Beethoven, Chopin, Bach, Tchaikovsky, etc. who explain the importance and role of music in the Universe and in the advancement of the human spirit, scientists, like Newton, mathematicians, like Poincaré, and, in general, entities of every aspect of the human spiritual endeavor and activity.

⁷ The book has been translated into English with the title “Concentration and Spiritualism: Spiritualistic teachings by Gandhi”

Chapter V

Main topics of the Divine Light texts

The Divine Light texts were called the New Teaching of Heaven and were given by higher spiritual entities as the new Light that will bring humanity to its destination. These messages and teachings cover every aspect of the human knowledge and they are addressed to all people of all times.

These texts contain multiple messages in many levels. It is a common experience that, with the first reading, a person will understand and perceive a certain number of concepts and meanings. With subsequent readings (actually in-depth studying), some other concepts may become apparent and one's understanding, in general, of the teachings contained in the texts will broaden. There is a divine energy which impregnates the texts. It is the Divine Logos (Word) which acts upon the divine part in each one of us and enlightens our spirit.

It is impossible to list here all the topics covered in the Divine Light texts but a few of the most important topics are summarized here as follows:

1. On the Spiritual World

Description of the structure of the Spiritual World.

2. On Man's purpose on Earth

Invaluable lessons for the understanding of our purpose on this physical plane and our duties as human beings.

3. On Reincarnation and Karma

These fundamental truths constitute basic principles of Spiritualism and their meaning and importance are explained.

4. On the soul and the spirit

The differentiation between soul and spirit becomes clear and the nature and role of each are explained in detail.

5. On the two genders

About the distinguished roles of the two genders, whose understanding will lead to the advancement of humanity.

6. On Evil

About the Evil Spirit and evil spirits, in general, and how evil is organized on Earth and afflicting the world.

7. On natural phenomena, mysteries and ancient civilizations

About mysteries and natural phenomena, including the Bermuda Triangle, UFOs, and historical accounts on ancient civilizations

8. On the golden rule of moderation

About the golden rule of moderation, a fundamental principle of how to live our life on Earth.

9. On science, medicine and law

Scientific explanations, from the nature of electrism and the role of thunderbolts, to the meaning of prana.

10. On religion and the clergy

Messages about how the clergy should behave and on the future unification of the Churches.

This is only a small list of topics that are included in the Divine Light texts⁸. The interested reader will find a wealth of knowledge in these teachings but most importantly, one will find the enlightenment to walk on the path that leads to Truth.

With the blessings of the Spiritual World!

⁸ For more information about the publications of the Society, visit the web-site: www.divinelight.org.gr

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**A brief introduction to the Spiritualist Society of Athens
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