Coming to Feel All Feelings by "Becoming Merely and Utterly Human" On the Road to PLEASURE SUPREME!

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A Depiction of the Moira Shaw, The 50-50 Work® Core Idea

And Pathwork Lecture 165 Evolutionary Phases in the Relationship Between the Realms of Feelings, Reason, and Will

Paragraphs 32-38

A Sequel to: Feeling All Feelings – the Doorway to Spiritual Aliveness
Which is based upon Paragraphs 13-27 of Pathwork Lecture 165
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(Paragraph 32)

You may note that for the longest time our path was concerned with meeting your actions, thoughts and attitudes with honesty. **Now you must learn to honestly register and endure your <u>feelings</u>**.

The **gentle hurt** first appears more difficult to bear than **the artificially aggrandized one**, because the latter seems to promise dramatic action from without. The **drama** is a direct expression **of saying no to the real, much more gentle hurt.**

No destructiveness will arise when the soft and gentle original hurt is accepted.

Out of it soft and gentle good feelings will arise, swelling stronger and rooting more securely, carrying the self into a most fruitful and creative life.

(Paragraph 33)

Begin right now to emphasize in your **meditations**, "I would like to know, experience, and feel what I really feel."

Beware of either talking yourself out of your feeling by suspecting an irrationality, or talking yourself into it by building a case. Both imply **too** active a mind.

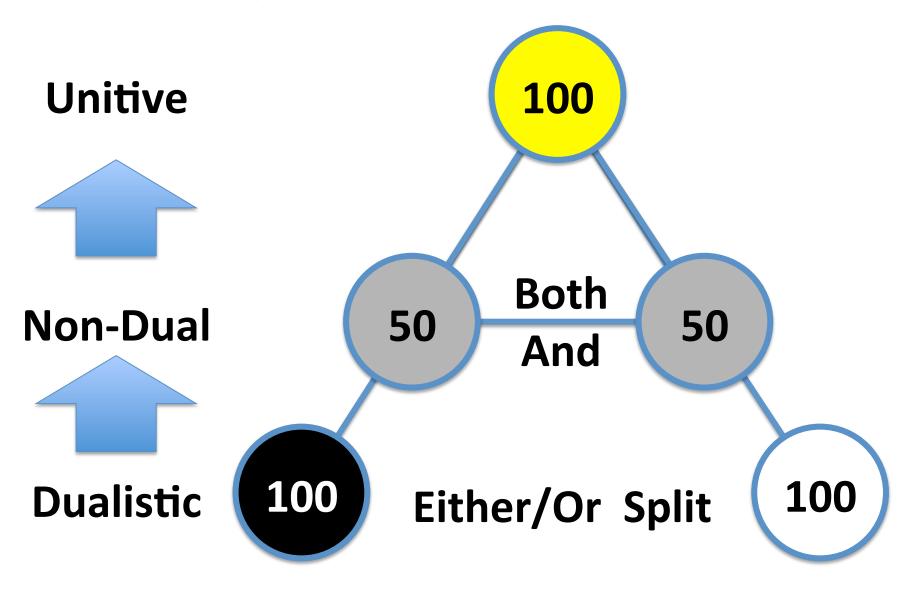
Let your mind be passive and gently, gently let your feeling come up -- whatever it may be. The calmer and the more relaxed you are, intently listening to your feeling, the more it will turn out to be the original feeling, not the covering one.

When you permit yourself the **original impact of feeling**, you are **so much nearer to the life center out of which all good flows**.

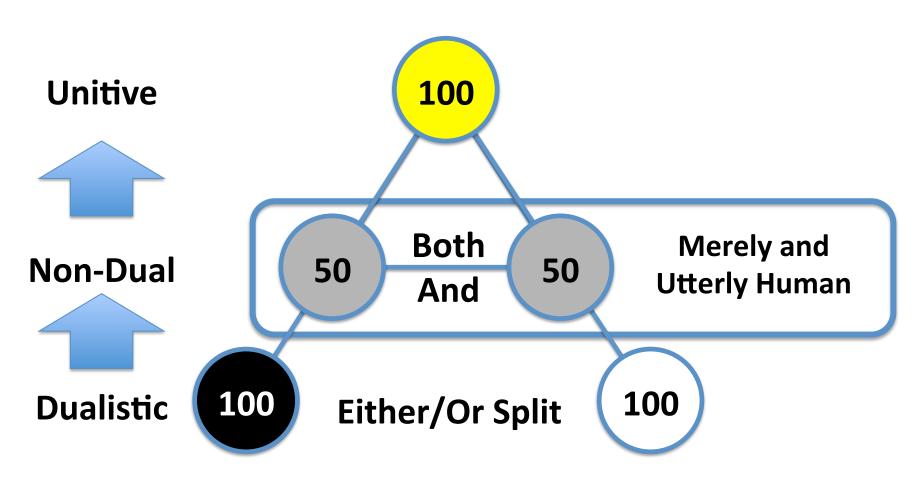
Meditate and request guidance. Meditate that you have the strength to endure a little real pain. Tell yourself **that the real pain is the gateway to pleasure and fulfillment.**

2. Core Idea of Moira Shaw, The 50-50 Work©

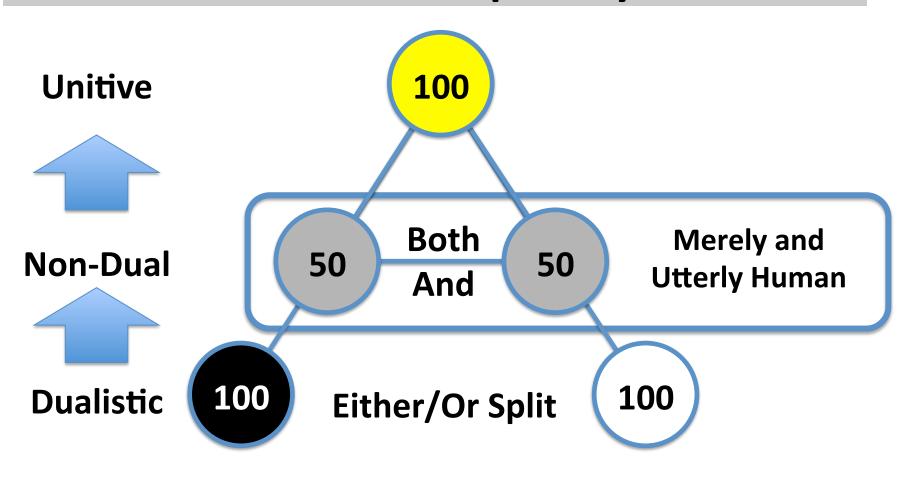
Evolving Levels of Consciousness



Merely and Utterly Human

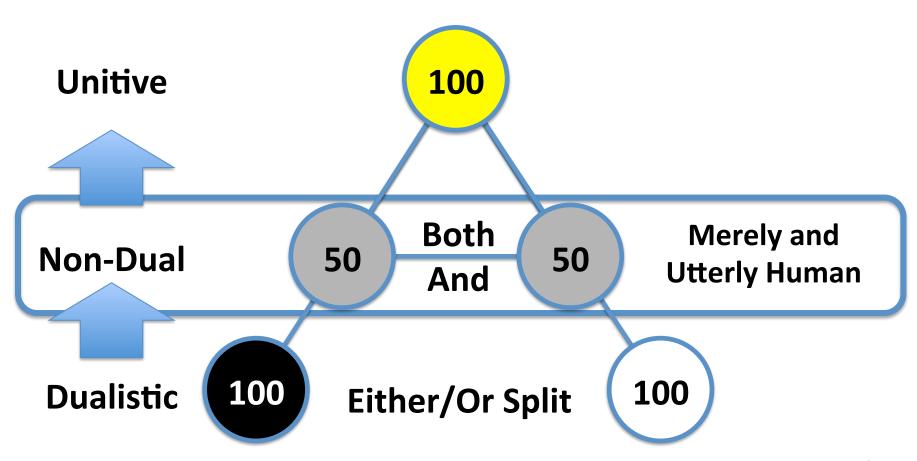


A Level of Consciousness – a Felt Sense – NOT a Concept Only

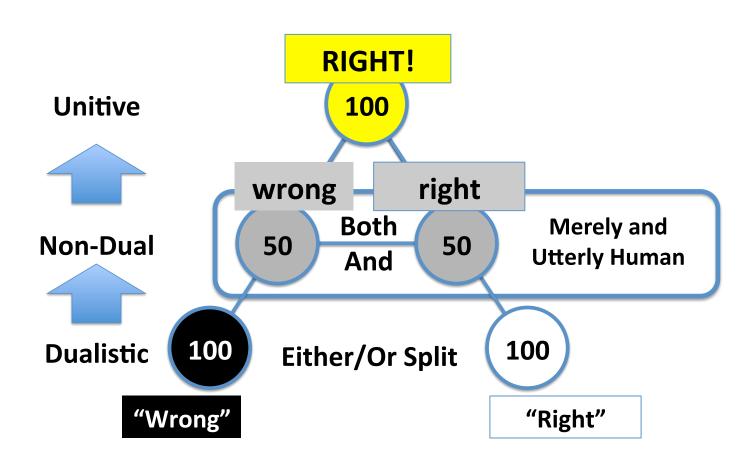


The Purpose and Meaning of Life On this Planet:

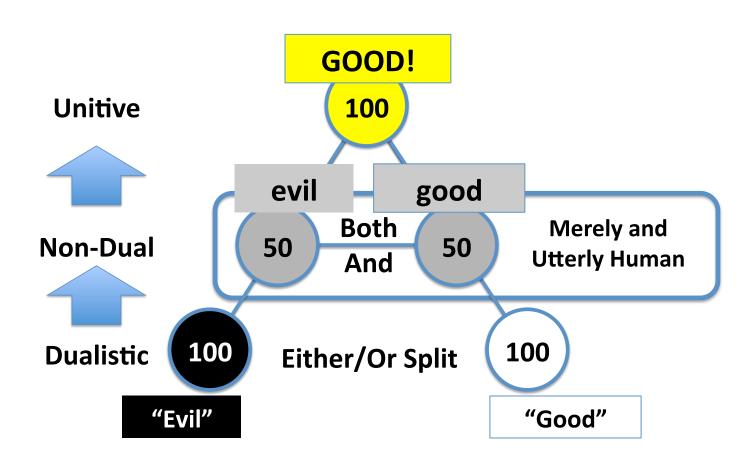
- -- To Evolve out of Dualistic Consciousness
- -- To Heal Our Primary Split and Separation
- To become Merely and Utterly Human –
 that is, To Come into Non-Dual Consciousness



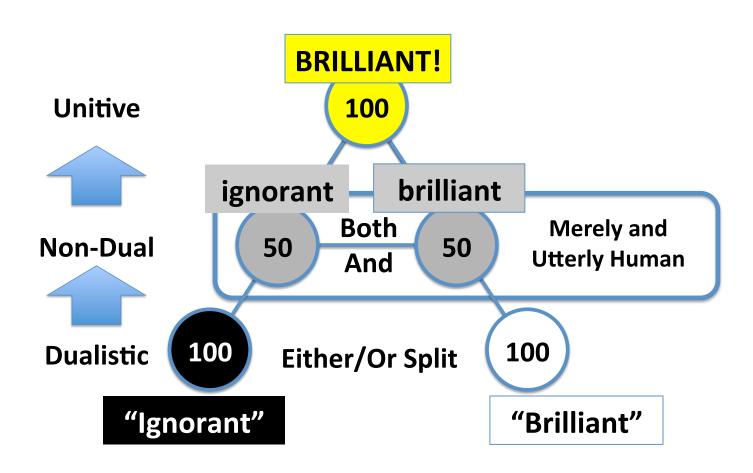
Example – Split: Right vs. Wrong



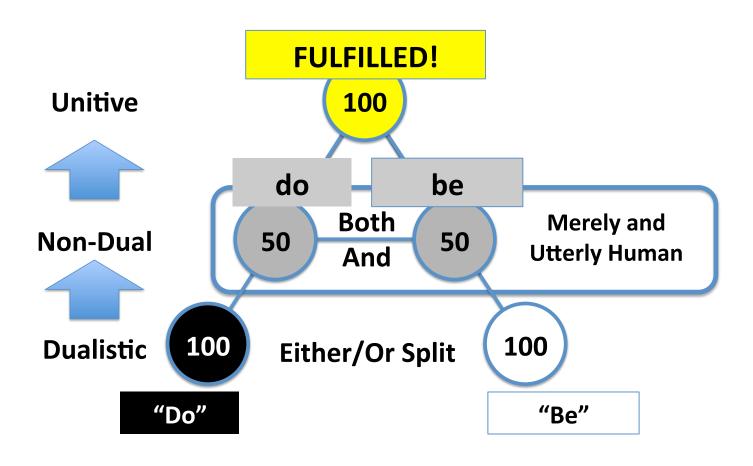
Example – Split: Good vs. Evil



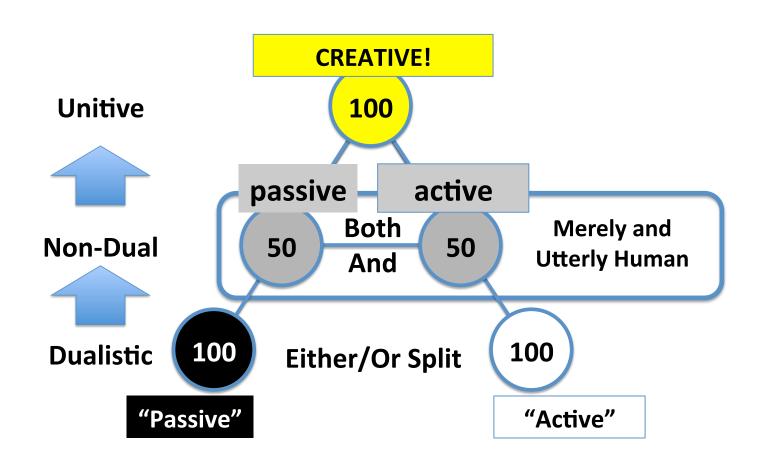
Example – Brilliant vs. Ignorant



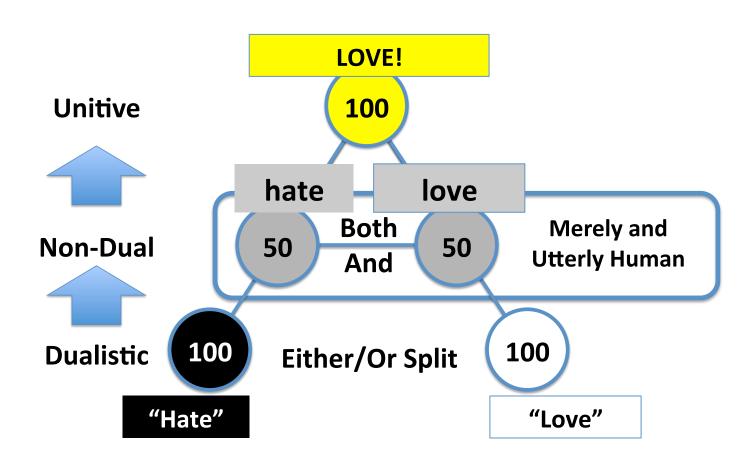
Example – Split: Doing vs. Being



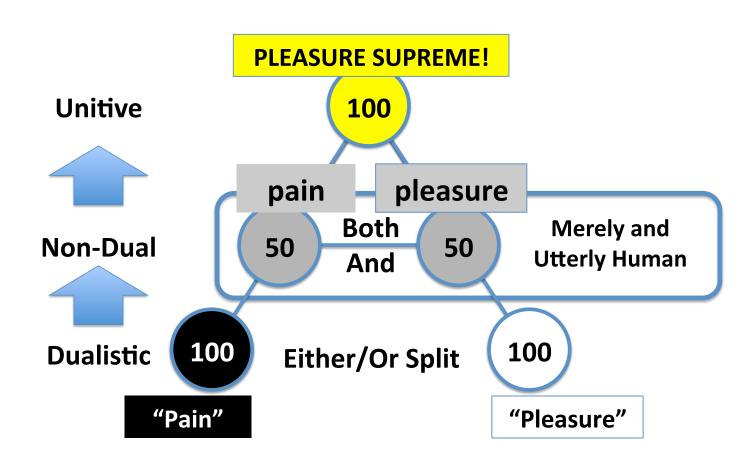
Example – Split: Active vs. Passive



Example – Split: Love vs. Hate



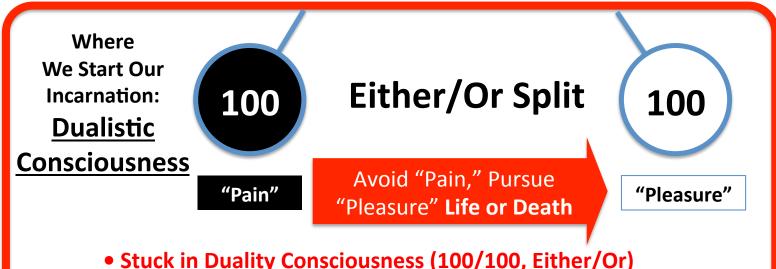
Example – Split: Pain vs. Pleasure



3. Further Development and Application

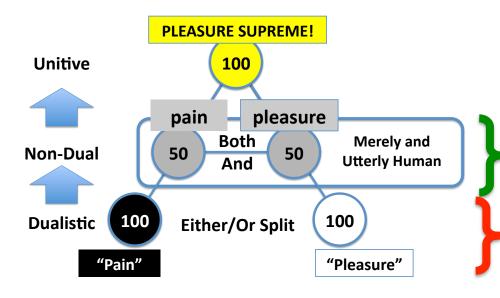
Expanding the Core Idea of Pathwork 50/50 Work – Building off Pathwork Lecture 165, Paragraphs 32-33

Where Soul's Spiritual Journey Truly Begins... The World of Duality and Unconsciousness



- Stuck in Duality Consciousness (100/100, Either/Or)
- Fundamental Split of "either/or" as approach life situations
- Fight against or deny (illusory) Hard Revved Up Pain
- Feels like "life or death" issue!
- Pursue Pseudo-Pleasure (Fame, Fortune, Praise, Etc., Etc.)
- Over Use Reason, Will; No real sense of FEELING
- Don Mask, Idealized Self Image; Adopt Patterns, Wrong Beliefs
- Tend toward drama for "excitement"
- Get very frustrated that nothing gives True Peace and Pleasure
- May Lead to addictive behavior of all types, also self-hate, etc.
- May get stuck in vicious circle of negativity and suffering

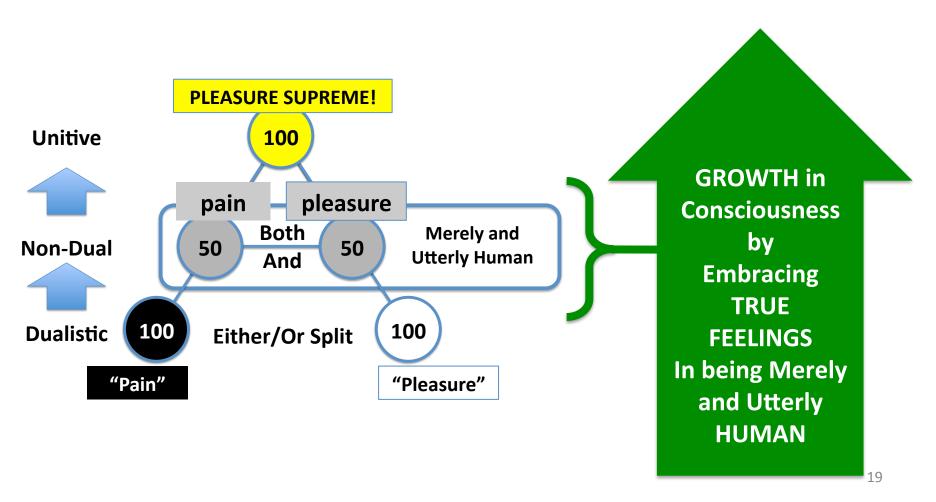
World of Real Feeling (In 50/50) Vs. World of False or No Feeling (In 100/100)



- True Feeling
 - Soft, Gentle, Original, Real
 - Soft Pain is Bearable
 - Balanced with "Not-Too-Strong" Reason/Will
- Feeling is Either False
 - Primitive, Dramatized, Ramped up; a "Temper Tantrum"
 - Very Strong Emotional Reaction
 - Pain is Unbearable Life or Death
- OR Feeling is:
 - Numbed out entirely, Denied
 - Dominated by "Way-Too-Strong" Reason and Will

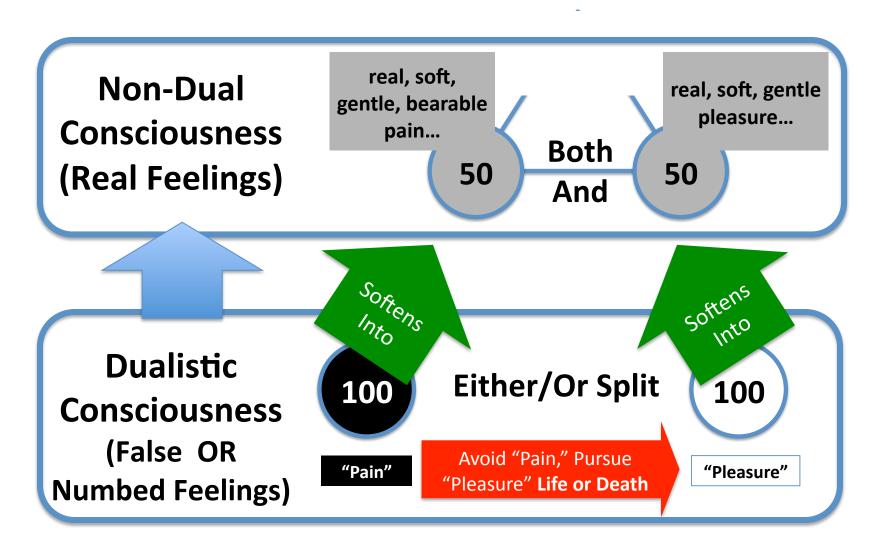
The Fastest Way To PLEASURE SUPREME! Is Via Coming to Higher and Higher Levels of Consciousness

This involves going through the World of True Feelings



Step 1 In Growth of Consciousness

Unbearable Life-or-Death Pain "Softens Into" Bearable Pain



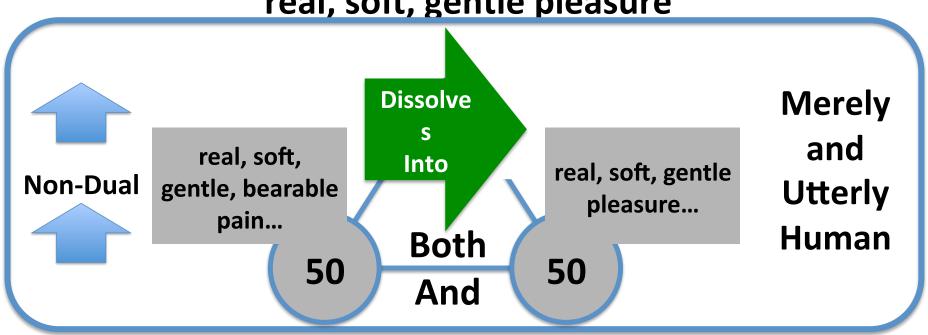
Step 2 in Growth of Consciousness

In Being "Merely and Utterly Human," and Accepting

real, soft, gentle bearable pain this real pain Can

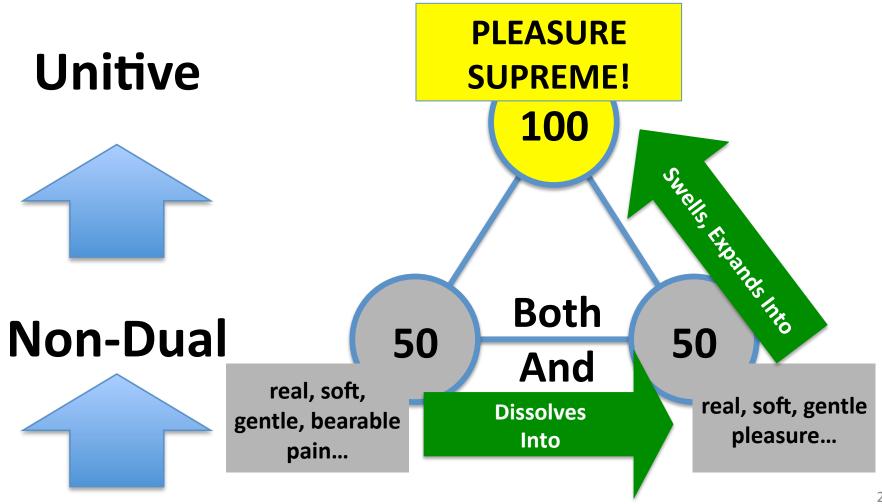
Dissolve into

real, soft, gentle pleasure

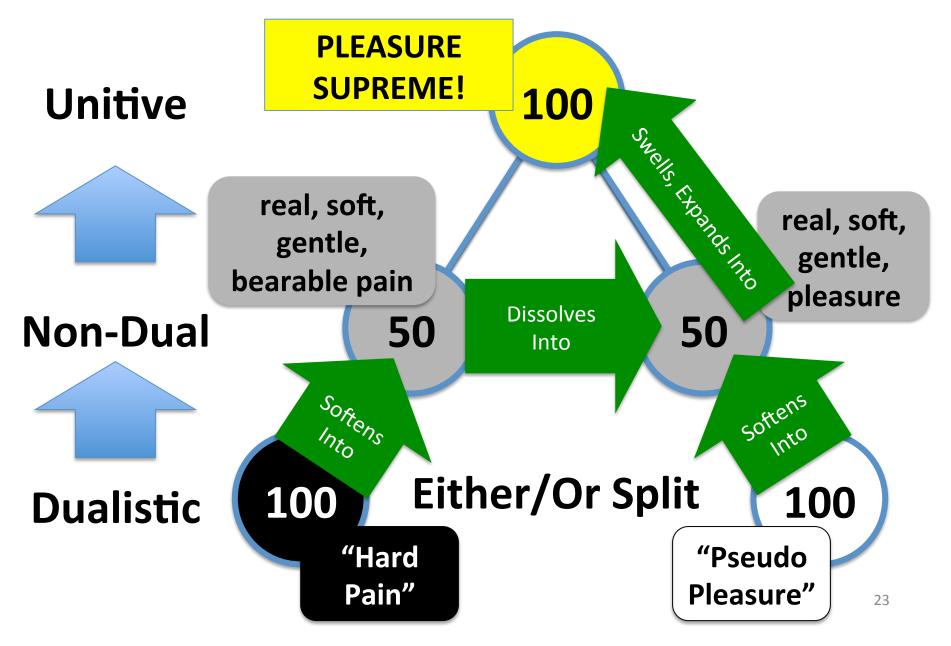


Step 3 in Growth of Consciousness

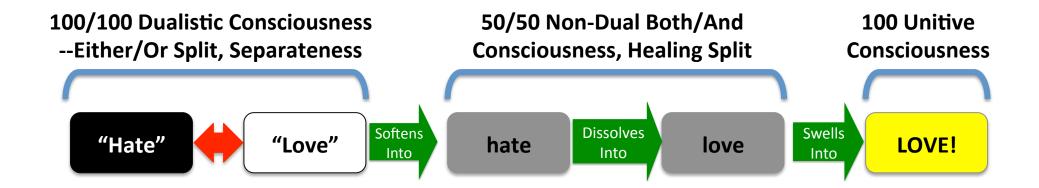
<u>real, soft, gentle pleasure</u> Swells and Expands into <u>PLEASURE SUPREME!</u>



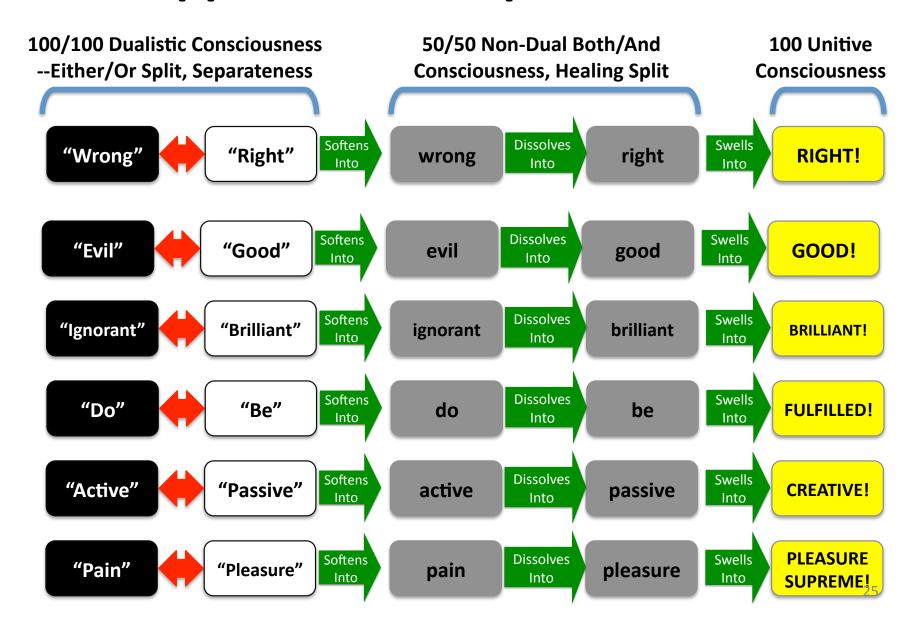
Summary: Evolving Levels of Consciousness



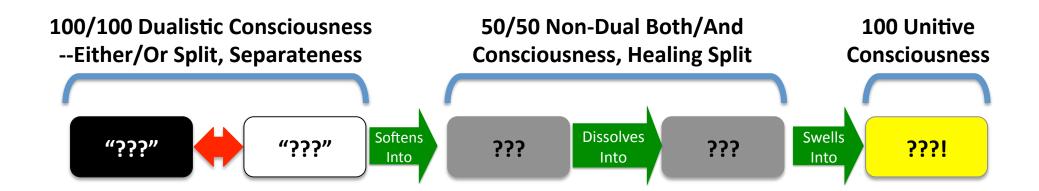
Another Example – Hate and Love



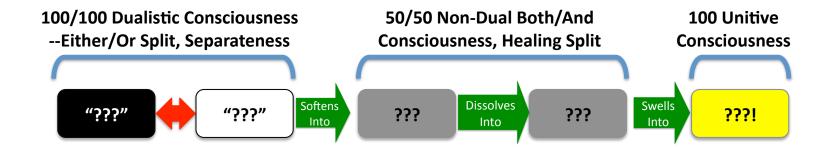
Applies to All Aspects of Life



Each of Us Comes with a <u>Unique Split</u> We are to Heal – Healing Our Split Is Our Unique Gift to the Cosmos



How Do We Discover Our Unique Split?



- Discovering our Split...
 - Explore Our Unique Problems What do our "happy problems" have in common?
 - Daily Review What is the Common Denominator to our Points of Disharmony?
 - Feedback from others but do not overemphasize their points
 - Meditation Internal Sense
 - Prayer "May I FEEL my deepest, most true, gentle and soft feelings"
 - Coming to feel all one's feelings explore, be curious

4) Closing Words from Pathwork Lecture 165

Paragraphs 34-38

A Pause for Reflection, Inspiration, and Blessing

(Paragraph 34-35)

What I have given you here is a vital key for all of you. In our next lecture I will discuss another facet that will help you to stop fearing the realm of feelings. I will explain how to genuinely eliminate the destructiveness you fear so much that you shut out life itself.

Do not fight the pain; in fighting it, you avoid the experience whose full acceptance is necessary to outgrow it and become stronger and happier. Learn to recognize the subtle yet enormous difference between genuine and dishonest manufactured emotions.

(Paragraph 36)

May you all remind yourself, again and again, that there is no problem that cannot be resolved; there is no point on which the path needs to stop -- for anyone.

The expansion of creative living and the capacity to experience the goodness of life are truly infinite. The path ceases to be threatening or laborious when you meet your obstructions and illusions; it becomes liberation itself. Even self-realization is no specific, finite goal.

The person with the gravest afflictions and distortions who says, "I will go all the way, there is no stopping me because the creative force in me will go to work to the extent I let it," is nearer fulfillment and realization of his or her true self than the one whose reason and will function sufficiently to hide the inner alienation and who therefore thinks that he or she does not need to go through the pain.

(Paragraph 37-38)

Let the divine consciousness infiltrate your entire being, my friends. ... The state of divine consciousness can be yours, every one of you, if you really want it. Your mind has the choice.

This year, again, great and wonderful forces are brought here and stream forth. They are partly the result of your sincere good efforts and of the love feelings that are here; they are partly an influx from the spiritual realms that further important ventures on this earth.

...Blessings for you all, for this entire year to come -- be in God!

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On the Spiritual Path to:
PLEASURE SUPREME!
FULLFILLMENT!
CREATIVITY!
PROFOUND PEACE
ETC., ETC.!

This Is The Purpose of Life!

May It Be So For You

Blessed Travels...

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