### THE UNITED LODGE OF THEOSOPHISTS

### **Declaration**

The policy of this Lodge is independent devotion to the cause of Theosophy, without professing attachment to any Theosophical organization. It is loyal to the great Founders of the Theosophical movement, but does not concern itself with dissensions or differences of individual opinion.

The work it has on hand and the end it keeps in view are too absorbing and too lofty to leave it the time or inclination to take part in side issues. That work and that end is the dissemination of the fundamental principles of the Philosophy of Theosophy, and the exemplification in practice of those principles, through a truer realization of the SELF; a profounder conviction of Universal Brotherhood.

It holds that the unassailable basis for union among Theosophists, wherever and however situated, is "similarity of aim, purpose and teaching," and therefore has neither Constitution, By-Laws nor Officers, the sole bond between its Associates being that basis. And it aims to disseminate this idea among Theosophists in the furtherance of Unity.-

It regards as Theosophists all who are engaged in the true service of Humanity, without distinction of race, creed, sex, condition or organization, and

It welcomes to its association all those who are in accord with its declared purposes and who desire to fit themselves, by study and otherwise, to be the better able to help and teach others.

"The true Theosophist belongs to no cult or sect, yet belongs to each and all."

The following is the form signed by Associates of the United Lodge of Theosophists:

Being in sympathy with the purposes of this Lodge, as set forth in its "Declaration," I hereby record my desire to be enrolled as an Associate, it being understood that such association calls for no obligation on my part, other than that which I, myself, determine.

#### **U.L.T. Worldwide Locations**

Antwerp, Belgium
Athens, Greece
Bangaluru (Bangalore), India
Dijon, France
Douala, Cameroon
Guadalajara, Mexico
Jacmel, Haiti
London, England
London, Ontario, Canada
Long Beach, California, US
Los Angeles, California, US
Los Angeles (East), California, US
Malmö, Sweden
Mexico City, Mexico

Mumbai (Bombay), India
New York City, New York, US
Paris, France
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, US
Phoenix, Arizona, US
San Diego, California, US
San Francisco, California, US
Santa Barbara, California, US
Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
The Hague, Netherlands
Turin, Italy
Washington, DC (VA), US

To spread broadcast the teachings of Theosophy as recorded in the writings of H. P. Blavatsky and William Q. Judge

# Theosophy The Art of Living & The Science of Life

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### Law Is Inherent in Each of Us

The Supreme is beyond form. It is beyond expression. Where is the man who can say what That is within himself which sees, which knows, which feels, which experiences, which garners the results of all experience? Each one is of that Infinite Source, because all have the same infinite root; each one is an expression of It.

If a man does not understand what his real Source is, what his real nature is, and assumes himself to be that which he is not, then all his exercise of the power to think, all his creative thoughts, all his subsequent actions, will follow the lines of his wrong basis of thought and action. If he thinks he is a poor miserable sinner who cannot do anything of himself and for hi elf, then a poor, miserable sinner he will remain. But if he realizes that all the effects which surround him are due to thinking, that he can create better effects, that all things are within his reach, he will gain a new insight and a greater strength. He gets beyond effects to the field of causes, and begins to realize that all things are alike in essential nature. He finds from that consideration that the universe is under Law. The very highest being is under law, just the same as the very lowest. That Law does not exist outside of us, and is not put in motion by some being or beings outside us, but is inherent in each.

- "The Storehouse of Thought" by Robert Crosbie

There is no religion higher than truth

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# Sundays 11am - 12pm on GOOGLE MEET (https://meet.google.com/ndp-tshi-mzi)

TALKS or round table discussions on THE KEY TO THEOSOPHY. Talks will be followed at 12:05pm on 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays by discussion of a selected devotional book, currently *Patanjali's Yoga Aphorisms*.

# July

- 7 The Roots of Liberty in America\* & study class on Patanjali's Yoga Aphorisms
- 14 The Key To Theosophy
- 21 What are Elementals? & study class on Patanjali's Yoga Aphorisms
- 28 The Key To Theosophy

# **August – (Closed for summer recess)**

# September

- 1 Theosophical Symbols\* & study class on *Patanjali's Yoga Aphorisms*
- 8 The Key To Theosophy
- 15 The Philosophy of Paracelsus & study class on Patanjali's Yoga Aphorisms
- 22 The Key To Theosophy
- 29 True Occultism & study class on *Patanjali's Yoga Aphorisms*

### \*From the ULTDC platform in Manassas, VA

U.L.T. meetings are open to all interested individuals. There are no fees, dues, or collections, the Lodge being sustained by voluntary contributions in time, work and money. All are welcome to participate, but no solicitations are ever made.

### The Flame of Genius

The flame of genius is lit by no anthropomorphic hand, save that of one's own Spirit. It is the very nature of the Spiritual Entity itself, of our Ego, which keeps on weaving new life-woofs into the web of reincarnation on the loom of time, from the beginnings to the ends of the great Life-Cycle....

It [Occultism] teaches, for instance, that the presence in man of various creative powers – called genius in their collection – is due to no blind chance, to no innate qualities through hereditary tendencies – though that which is known as atavism may often intensify these faculties – but to an accumulation of individual antecedent experiences of the Ego in its preceding life, and lives. For, though omniscient in its essence and nature, it still requires experience through its personalities of the things of earth, earthy on the objective plane, in order to apply the fruition of that abstract omniscience to them. And, adds our philosophy – the cultivation of certain aptitudes throughout a long series of past incarnations must finally culminate in some one life, in a blooming forth as genius, in one or another direction.

Great Genius, therefore, if true and innate, and not merely an abnormal expansion of our human intellect – can never copy or condescend to imitate, but will ever be original, *sui generis* in its creative impulses and realizations.

-"Genius" by H.P. Blavatsky

## **OBJECTS OF THE THEOSOPHICAL MOVEMENT**

- I. To form the nucleus of a Universal Brotherhood of humanity, without distinction of race, creed, sex, caste, or color;
- II. The study of ancient and modern religions, philosophies and sciences, and the demonstration of the importance of such study; and
- III. The investigation of the unexplained laws of Nature and the psychical powers latent in man.