Integrating New Knowledge
By Matt Presti – President, USP

Greetings fellow students, alumni, directors and friends:

We started off the new year working as hard as ever on our scientific research related to proving the concepts of Dr. Russell’s cosmology empirically. Our lead scientist, Darren Colomb, is making great headway and we are excited to say that we are very close to completing our first prototype. We will be sharing some of our exciting results in the near future.

For the first time, we will be presenting at the TeslaTech Conference in Albuquerque, NM, July 26th-July 30th. We hope you will attend. Visit our page for more information or click on the pictures below.
Our Alumni Committee volunteers are working hard behind the scenes planning our next conference to be held at the historic Wayne Theatre in downtown Waynesboro, VA on October 7th-8th, 2017. We have set a fundraising goal of $50,000 for this event. Mark your calendars and book your rooms soon as there won’t be many left due to the many events taking place in and around the area. We have an incredible list of guest speakers lined up for this year’s event. We will begin selling tickets in the next few months. If you’re interested in sponsoring this year’s event, click on this link for more information. This will be the largest conference we have ever had and you surely don’t want to miss this. Stay tuned for coming announcements concerning ticket sales and more details regarding the conference.

We are very happy to announce our first article by Science and Research Committee member, Allen Adkins in Mi Mundo Magazine, a bilingual publication distributed within the Silicon Valley. Special thanks goes out to Kenny Handkammer, CEO of Mi Mundo Magazine and Chairman of the USP Science and Research Committee, John Hale.

This is the first magazine to feature Dr. Walter Russell on the cover page in many many years. Click on the image below to read the article beginning on page 46.
In this 9th issue of our newsletter, we are featuring a couple of articles from Alumni Committee members, Jim and Jacquelyn Porter. Special thanks goes out to all of our hard working Committee volunteers. As always, I want to personally thank our Board of Directors and our incredible shipping manager, Cindy Lewis for all of her hard work and dedication in getting these teachings out to the world. We also could not do what we are doing without the support of all those who lawfully acquire the materials offered through the University and our vendors as well as those of you who donate to our ongoing science and research efforts. Your support makes possible the many goals and efforts we hope to achieve in the near future which include—a new campus, museum, science and research facility, fine arts center and media center.

I salute all of our students around the world and send you all possible blessings.

Very truly yours,

Matt Presti
President, USP

"We have reached the amplitude of the wave—and only the Miracle of Love can save us in this Midnight Hour of darkness.

Every man, woman, and child and everything that lives and breathes, is centered by the Light of God. Let us all start living Love by only doing that which makes us loved.

This means, not only loving each other, but doing everything with Love. This means that every thing we do in our daily service to each other should be done to give the best of ourselves in things and products that produce only that which is good for our fellowman.

The whole curriculum of our Home Study University contains the How and Why of Creation—so that life is no longer a mystery.
It contains the Knowledge necessary to unfold a new era of Love and Light that can and will create a world filled with Peaceful Interchange between all peoples.

It is not a created world, but a creating world. The knowledge that was adequate for Man of past eras is no longer sufficient for Man of today. Man needs ever more basic knowledge to meet the challenges of life. God’s Message gives this new knowledge for today’s day and age.

Read these writings and put them into practice in every moment and day of your life. I know you will find— as thousands have found—that your life becomes ever more meaningful and victorious”.

**Reflections**

by Jacquelyn Porter

I’ve often struggled with understanding how to find this love that Lao speaks of. When looking over my past I start to judge myself of all I’ve done to myself and to others. I worked relentlessly through the man made emotion of guilt. When I can clearly see that I could only give of myself, that which I had to give, the judgment fades. I feel worthy again and though, at this time, I couldn’t match the great saints and geniuses that we’ve been so blessed with in our world, I could still offer the gifts I was born with and continue to utilize them as the knowledge unfolds.

It took some time to open myself to receive universal love, which is unconditional love and all I had to do was accept it in a ‘higher’ perspective than what my senses revealed and what programming I’ve received during my lifetime. Making a conscious effort to be with love takes practice. I have found that any endeavor is a creative one, from doing a nine to five to cooking a meal to cleaning out the cat pan. What we do best is usually what we put the strongest amount of effort and love into. When we feel loved (in which the Universal One is), our ability to love another is multiplied. Our ability to trust our inner voice becomes stronger than the weak records that haunt our mind’s chatter. We begin to see the truth in our reflections as us and at those conscious moments, it becomes very evident that we are one.

I can feel Lao’s vision. I’m grateful for every reminder in the Russell’s work that brings me back to love, the love of Self that would never conceive of hurting another. It begins within and expands out. We are the greatest expression of the love we’ve been given to the degree of our awareness of that love and we’ve been given it all. We are all a work in progress and we have eternity to manifest our full potential. We are perfect.

**Man has always lived in fear of one another from Lao’s - “A Vital Message”**

"Man has feared his fellowman because he has never truly known that all that lives is an integral part of himself. When the Universal Oneness of all life is comprehended, there will come into being a new way of life—a way of life based on cooperation instead of destructive competition.

Competition without love creates hate, jealousy, and greed. Materialism has created the fear of lack in man, instead of joy through Balanced Interchange and cooperation. Constructive competition can create a desire for excellence, but competition with the sole desire to gain materially creates greed—with the resultant agony of unbalance. When the competitive action springs solely from greed one can witness a lack of quality to gain in quantity.

What we all need, and must now practice to survive, is to create a world where love for our fellowman fills our beings, a world in which we arise each day with a desire to serve each other by giving the best of ourselves.
We are now experiencing a battle between the soul and the senses of man! That battle will be won by the undaunted soul of man, and we shall open the door to Peace on Earth.

When the law of Rhythmic Balanced Interchange is put into practice, the joy and happiness it brings is unlimited.

I wish the whole world could read God’s Message that we have endeavored to bring to mankind through our writings. As I open our mail each day, I wish I could share it with my fellowman everywhere, for the letters from our students and readers fill my heart with ecstasy.

Those precious souls who are comprehending the Truth and Knowledge in God’s Message are the seed for a wonderful new era.

I repeat: Truth and Knowledge bring inner joy expressed in outer joy.

Today, one can see and feel the chain of misery and unhappiness being broken in the exuberance of games and music. Freedom is being born and the awareness of man’s Oneness is taking place through the power of music, sports, and art.

It will be Heaven on Earth when the whole world recognizes the Oneness of all things. When this happens, Man will never knowingly harm another, for he will know that he is in truth harming himself.

It was to bring essential knowledge of the Oneness of all life that has inspired all of our writings - both in our books and Home Study Course.”

Unity or Division
By Jim Porter

The Russell's made it clear in their teachings that there are legions of awakening people the world over; awakening to a greater awareness of oneness with the divine, their fellow man, and all creation. It is this that drives us to reach out to humanity with this newly gained knowledge. We are often shunned and persecuted for our message of peace, love, and unity by a divided world. Divided in a sensed oriented belief that we are separate from each other and not one.

We, awakened are thousands among billions. Billions of unawakened humanity, divided by fear of loss, pain and death. Humanity blindly searching for understanding of this world they find themselves in; not yet able to see that, they too, will, in time emerge into the light of knowing their divine destiny.

What separates humanity is but a few degrees of thought frequency, gained from looking inward to find God instead of outward. We thousands are like leavening in the bread that uplifts the whole loaf as we help fulfill God’s purpose. We thousands who will become millions as we continue to share the Russell’s message from God to humanity. A humanity now ready to awaken from its sense based slumber.

By continuing to look inward and by studying the Russell teachings deeply, we come to an ever greater knowledge of the one God within. We help in the transforming of humanity and ourselves; thus aiding in man’s mass awakening.

Few in history are as enlightened as Walter and Lao Russell, who manifested this great message to humanity by founding the University of Science and Philosophy. The rest of us, not yet as illumined as the Russells can take pride in our day to day re-giving and living their message to all we may inspire—person by person, soul by soul. When Dr. Russell asked of the divine, how was he, but one man, to give God’s message to so great a mass as is humanity, he was told, “You have to but give it to ten who will give it to ten.” We need do no more than was asked of him.
As we share knowledge in our journey, and inspire others in whatever way we can, we do our part in the leavening, simply by living and sharing the expanded "love ye one another" principles given in their many books.

Remember those wonderful moments when you first begin to perceive the unity of all things with all other things? Those, "Everything that is, is of everything else that is", inspiring moments in our reading, in our thoughts and in our deep meditations. The silent flashes that illuminate our souls with an expanded awareness of our divine purpose. In those momentary flashes we are filled with an overwhelming desire to give that which we now know. So great is the love that awakens in us for all peoples for all of creation. So desirous are we for everyone to comprehend that joy that now fills us, even though we often find we are shunned by our fellow man instead of embraced. In spite of this we are driven to continue to love and hope they will be inspired to seek enlightenment in the Russell’s works as we did.

In those times of disappointment, may we not forget these words from God to his worthy messengers, Walter and Lao Russell: "All mankind will come to me in due time but theirs is the agony of awaiting."

Did they not teach that for countless eons, they and we too, unknowingly sought the light of our divine origin—not knowing what it was we longed for? We still forever seek it.

Having come this far, let us not fall from our new found unity in the light by way of the illusion of division. Seeing others as less worthy of awakening, simply for their not yet seeing what we ourselves still only dimly see, feeds the illusion of separation, not love, not unity. To do so is the road to ruin leading to self-imposed darkness.

Instead let’s know and live that which unites us. Let us not respond hatefully when attacked. This only leads to a wider division. May we continue to seek those whom we can share this message with and not be divided by those who are not yet ready. True earnest seekers will appear.

Let’s remain messengers of love and unity to our fellow man to the best of our abilities. Please continue to meditate. Find the wisdom in the Russell teachings by rereading them when we grow weary. For me, the code of ethics of Lao Russell is a wonderful reminder of how to see man’s potential as we seek unity, not division.
Happy Spring Equinox to you all.

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