

## You Need Discernment Now

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I wanted to share some concerns on where our world is going, and where the subject of exiting the matrix is going. Our world seems to be getting more bizarre by the day, that what seemed crazy two day ago gets overshadowed by what is occurring today. I mean we are even now back to a time of public executions. And we have no idea what crazy stuff tomorrow will bring.

And expect more theatre-like productions to happen, more attempts to play on people's emotions and get them to act in ways that support the simulation not liberation. there have been lots of those already in the last few months.

The world you have known, the world you grew up in, one way or another, is going away. There is a few ways that could happen, in the context of this simulation ending and a new simulation being currently constructed. And it is not just that people will join the new simulation, they will happily join the new simulation. The current tech designers will be the gods there, the machinery itself will be worshipped. Makes you wonder who or what the old so-called gods of our ancient past really were.

But at the same time there is a lot of distortion going on around the subject of exiting the matrix. The subject is popping up everywhere now. There are people being interviewed on this subject constantly now.

And on one hand this is good, people are finally interested in this subject and they are making space for people to talk about it. Many people have been realizing that there is a problem with reality and they are looking for an answer as to why. The problem lies with some of the people who are presenting this information. A majority you can see right away that they are people turning this idea into a business, and they will sell 500 dollar weekend exit the matrix retreats, or 1000 special counselling services to guarantee your exit. You will see more of that in the upcoming months. And I warned people about this a year ago.

There are some who have jumped on the bandwagon, and they think they are messiahs and are out to save humanity and the world. And there are quite a few of those there as well. And I see a lot of my stuff just getting taken and reworked to say the opposite of what I was presenting.

On one hand the books are there to be used by people, and expanded upon, But most out there are just taking it, repackaging it, never mentioning my books, and pretending like they figured out this out on their own, even though they have no real experiences or teachers being them to back that up.

Then there is another group that has genuinely done some work, had some genuine realizations, but if you look into when these things happened they will tell you 2022 or 2023. So just 3 of 4 years ago. I can relate from personal experience that it takes a long time to really integrate a realization, especially of emptiness. Five years is nowhere enough to really have grounded oneself enough into the realization, nor have figured out "how to talk" to people about it, because you have to relate a concept beyond what the average person can fathom, in a

way that neither frightens them nor entices them. It takes a long while of personal work to get to that point. I needed 15 years, and I am still working on it.

I started talking about this stuff in 2007, 2 years after my experience, and I can almost guarantee that I confused people just as much as I may have helped anyone. I was nowhere close to being integrated, grounded, having my house in order- all key foundation elements before one can decide to present such ideas to others. It really took until 2019 that I started to notice I was ready. 15 years of hardship and the need to clean up a lot of my inner world that had yet to be worked on, and such realization demands this inner world. But today the internet is all about being important and getting attention, so here we are in this field as well.

Granted there are one or two out there who do seem to have had genuine realizations, taken the years to integrate and work on themselves. They will generally not be all that popular, because they are not promising anyone anything nor comforting them, so they kind of flow below the radar. What is nice is a couple of those people have said thanks that my work assisted them in their integration. I certainly can take no credit for their experiences or their inner work, only that my books gave them a couple of clues as to a next step that could help them avoid some of the confusion that came with my post-experience when I had no such books available to me. I had to learn a lot of this stuff the hard way.

I will give my friend Norio Kushi a lot of credit for coming up with one sentence that in some ways represents the entire path. "Only that which is true can exit the matrix, anything false can not." That's it, that's the path. If you want to pare down the teachings of Christ to a sentence, there it is.

So the point of this was a reminder just how weird this reality is, and that is not going to stop. It will just keep going like a run-away train. But the reality might plateau sometimes, holds a crazy level for a few weeks or a month. I won't just fall off the cliff all once, but in increments, some large some small. But we are not long until the real fall off happens.

So you have a recognition by some of this is happening and the wish to leave simulations entirely, but you have to keep in mind that the majority of those speaking on the subject, don't have the realization of what that actually means. They wrap all this into personal terms, what is in it for "me," what "I" have to do. almost none of them are discussing non-existence Emptiness and why that is part of exiting the cave. The distortion level on this subject is immense. And even what I say will have some distortion because I am in a human form and not perfect. I do the best I can with trying to put vast ideas into words. I am sure that if you met me 25 years from now I would say some what I say very differently, and much more clear and direct. It's a process. So far been 25+ years here, and I know I would need another 25 years to get closer to real clarity.

So keep looking close at reality, the tricks it may try to play, the emotional reactions it is trying to get from you, and at the same time look for answers and people who can help, but choose your help carefully. Look through all the promises to see if something genuine is at the core. Not perfection, just something genuine. That's at least a good start.