



How Animals Live the 10 Core Concepts



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The Animals

Oneness

God is the Source of all that is, and God is all that is. Everything in the Universe is made of the God substance and is a unique, individualized expression of God.

One is one. One Life, ALL life. Animals- human and non-human- are individualized expression of God. There is no life, no animal, that is not of God.

Triune Nature

God expresses Itself in three aspects -- Spirit, Soul, and body. Each human being also has these same three aspects. Thus, there is God as macrocosm, human beings as microcosm.

Non-human animals express the Triune Nature as well. Communing in silence with a herd of elephants, zebra or any animal family expose people to the Truth of the animal soul and spirit.

Creative Nature

God thinks, and the world comes into being. Likewise, all human accomplishments originate in thought. Our human thinking process is a reflection of the Divine Creative Process in microcosm.

God thinks, humans think, and yes, non-human animals think. Many people may not realize the processing that does go on in the heads of animals. My experience in communicating with animals reveals they too are a reflection of the Divine Creative Process in microcosm.

Prayer

All Good is eternally available and ready to flow into human experience. We activate this flow by means of prayer. Through affirmative prayer, or spiritual mind treatment, we increase our consciousness of Good eternally flowing to us.

We humans use affirmative prayer to remind us of our unification with the Divine, however the animals do not experience the same separation from Source – they are implicitly connected and therefore do not need a reminder of their connection; essentially always in prayer.

Wholeness

Spirit is a transcendent, perfect Whole that contains and embraces all seeming opposites. As human beings, we have free will and can choose what we experience, whether it be positive or negative. The same Principle that brings us freedom, prosperity, and joy also allows us to experience bondage, lack, or misery, according to our consciousness.

It is suggested by some that our animals are reflections of ourselves, and that looking at the problems of our animals can help us recognize the issues in our lives. I do find that I so often have to tenderly ask the human to look at their own situation, as I sometimes do see it playing out in their animals lives. Our animals helps us to reveal our own wholeness.

Abundance

All that anyone will ever need or desire is already provided by Universal Abundance. This applies to everybody, not just some people. Every person is heir to the riches of Creation, without regard to merit.

The wild animal is not acutely aware of abundance as a birthright, however they also do not anticipate lack as humans do. They simply go and do as they need, without fear of lack. Domestic animals may get a sense of lack, but only because they are brought into the world of humans where lack is prevalent.

The Reciprocal Universe

For every visible form there is an invisible counterpart. This means that what we receive corresponds to what we imagine and believe we can receive, the Law of Mental Equivalents. This also is the Golden Rule: that what we do to others will be done also to us, the Law of Cause and Effect.

This is most certainly true for animals as I've witnessed in domestic animals. I'd phrase it through as expectation, what they expect to receive is what they get, but it's less about the actual thing they get, and instead their perception of it. They perceive that what they get, is what they expected to get.

Forgiveness

In the Eternal Now, there can be no place for Divine anger, unforgiveness, or punishment. If we perceive a need for forgiveness, this is a human condition. Human forgiveness is the process that frees us to live in the Eternal Now. It is the essential step before real spiritual growth can flourish. Science of Mind teaches that the ultimate goal of life is complete emancipation from all discord of every nature, and that this goal is sure to be attained by all.

Most simply, animals see no need for forgiveness. This is one concept that humans can learn so much from the animals. It's always such a valuable lesson for me when I am about to communicate with an animal that I think is going to be very hard, sad, sorrowful, or hateful; only to find that the animal has such a different perspective on an event or situation than the humans do. It is almost like connecting with an enlightened being, I know I now have a different take on forgiveness after being in such close contact and communication with the animals.

Immortality

The Universal Truth about life is that life never ends. What we call death is simply the changing of one form of life for another. Death, the belief and perception that life must come to an end, is a human concept. As in birth the invisible becomes visible, so in dying the visible again becomes invisible. Life continues on another plane when the body has outlived its usefulness.

Death is a human concept. Being an animal medium, I connect with animals after they've left earth. I may not know exactly what form they are in at that time, but I know their energy and soul continue to exist and can continue to communicate with the earthly realm.

The Christ

Christ is not a person, but a Principle, a Universal Presence, the Universal Image of God that is present in all Creation. This is the concept of the Cosmic Christ, which is present within every person. Each human individual partakes of the Christ nature to the degree that he or she recognizes the Cosmic Christ within and lives out of that revelation. Jesus of Nazareth was a human individual who revealed the Christ Nature to the highest degree ever known

The birth story of Jesus Christ, or Christ Consciousness, says it all. The Christ was birthed in a manger among the animals. I think it's no coincidence that the Christ emerged under the care of donkeys, sheep and other field animals, for the animals are able to understand and nurture the Christ as it is birthed - or as it emerges, in all people when they are ready. The animals are midwives of the Christ.



