

## THE MINISTERING ANGEL

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Those who have vowed to achieve their Ascension in this embodiment, have many beneficial helpers available, which, if accepted and employed in Love and Gratitude, will assist greatly in accomplishing this goal. One of those helpers, provided by our Father Mother God in Their infinite Love, is the ministering Angel, also sometimes called the "Guardian Angel."

Millions of years ago, when mankind first took embodiment, an angel volunteered to minister to us, to help us on our journey, in our goal of expressing the God-Virtues in a sphere of lower vibration, on a planet. This beautiful being has served our very needs, embodiment after embodiment, in spite of our transgressions and misqualification of energy. Is it not now high time to acknowledge this unselfish service and to give our boundless gratitude for this priceless gift, rendered for aeons of time?

Prior to being joined with our individual lifestream, this angel was trained at inner levels for this specific endeavor. Therefore, our ministering angel is well acquainted with the task of the individual – namely, to express the God-virtues of the seven rays (which are the same as those of the seven inner spheres, our previous schoolroom, which we passed through before embodying on Earth).

Everyone on Earth, has such a guardian Angel. This Angelic Being has vowed to stay with us until we have reached our Ascension. Acknowledgment, acceptance, gratitude, and conscious cooperation with the ministering angels will not only help our spiritual development, but their evolution as well! We do this by stopping our activities a few times a day, pouring our gratitude to this

selfless Being, welcoming Their service. In doing this, the Angel may assist us 24 hours a day, instead of just during the night. Beloved Jesus, Mother Mary, and Saint Germain communed with their ministering angel, and were greatly blessed by this relationship.

All ministering Angels serve under Uriel, the Archangel of Ministration. They have assisted each individual for millions of years, and they continue to be trained and revitalized in higher schoolrooms to assist us better.

We may express the God-virtues of the seven rays by calling on the ministering Angels to help us develop the following faculties:

- 1. The WILL AND DESIRE TO SERVE GOD and all of his creation.
- 2. The development of the DISCRIMINATING FACULTIES AND WISDOM of the Second Ray; the perception of recognizing the highest level of truth, such as selecting between different representations of Ascended Master teaching.
- 3. The drawing and holding of the feelings of divine love, compassion, tolerance, patience and understanding.
- 4. The sustaining of the PURITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPT; seeing every creation of God the way God looks upon it pure and perfect, without discord; denying the disharmony of the "appearance world."
- 5. The ASSISTANCE IN CONSECRATION AND CONCENTRATION TO PERSEVERE. Ponder much upon the life of Jesus. Think of how he exemplified the spirit of giving himself, at all times. Ponder upon the life of holy Mary and see how such a consecrated one has blessed all life by assisting in the creation of the physical heart of each embodied lifestream. Realize that there are virtues, talents and powers God has LOANED to you, for which you must one day render an accounting. Decree that the way-showers of the race shall not be guilty of the 'sins of omission' in this crucial hour. Here, the activities of re-consecration by the beloved Archangel Raphael plays such an important part in sustaining the constancy of the ministering Angel, keeping Their feeling enthusiastic.

- 6. The bringing forth of PEACE AND HEALING. These ministering Angels are natural conductors of both peace and healing, but it is sometimes difficult to get mankind quiet enough in their thoughts and feelings to receive these gifts. Even when the physical body sleeps at night, the aura about it is still swinging around the soul is darting here and there in various directions, always in search of some sort of happiness. It is part of the service of this ministering Angel to quiet the feelings, mind, memory and flesh body and bring them peace.
- 7. Finally, the ministering Angels are very powerfully developed along the Ray of Invocation. Of course, they have constant access to all the virtues of the Godhead and, because they have constantly the God-gift of inner sight, they know just what is required by the lifestream whom they have offered to serve. "Therefore, from time to time, as the Cosmic Law permits (according to the karmic obligations of the soul concerned), these Angels to invoke the help of the Ascended Beings and Powers of Light to draw the particular assistance which that lifestream requires at the moment." Archangel Uriel, September 27, 1957.

The ministering Angel assists us at all times, during embodiment and during the time period when we are not in embodiment. It should be remembered that whenever our feeling centers are active – and that occurs in a waking state, in a dream state, or when not in embodiment – we are creating karma. The ministering Angel is obligated to be with us at all times, and offers assistance in direct proportion to the assistance asked for and welcomed. This assistance is mostly in the form of projecting light rays clothed with a particular God-virtue. On occasion there are also feelings of warning, and prompting to the individual not to do a certain thing.

Consciously endeavor to make friends with your Angel of ministration. When you do, you will find yourselves gradually letting go of certain destructive habits which you have had since birth in this embodiment — those habits sometimes going back in your lifestream for perhaps many, many centuries. Then you will begin to come into that new era in your life of more graceful

living, where your Holy Christ Self will be able to expand itself through you in youth, beauty, honor, and dignity.

Beloved Archangel Raphael recently has said that the habits and momentums of the ages have become very powerful currents of energy — sometimes really "rivers" of force. However, there is nothing more powerful in this universe than the God-feelings of grace and peace. THE STRONGEST MAN ALIVE IS THE MAN WHO CAN HOLD HIS PEACE IN THE FACE OF EVERY AGGRAVATION, AND THE WEAKEST ONE IS HE WHO CANNOT HOLD THAT PEACE! So, never let it be said in your presence that a peaceful person is a weak one. Not a lethargic type, but a truly peaceful individual (like Gandhi, for instance) is a power for God in this physical appearance world. Beloved Raphael assists the ministering angel to regain its balance of energy. Thus re-consecrated, the Angel returns to his service with renewed enthusiasm.

Remember! You have a personal ministering Angel who has been with you for many centuries. By your call to your guardian Angel, this ministering Angel will daily anoint all your four lower vehicles with IT'S SUBSTANCE AND FEELINGS of divine love, light and grace — thus helping you to hold sustained peace, regardless of any human appearances or aggravations. Give your guardian Angel your undivided attention for just a few moments each day, and during that time consciously accept into your feelings the help It wishes to give you.

Were it not for these transcendent beings of light and love who have given themselves to mankind here, most lifestreams would have completely destroyed themselves long ere this! God bless the ministering Angels, every blessed one of them, and God bless our beloved Archangels Uriel and Donna Grace for Their sustaining power of love and grace for all life!"



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