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**Raphael:** My Greetings to you, my beloved brothers and sisters.

I have not spoken to you before. This is my very first time to have the opportunity to join with you in this manner. You may know me by the name of Raphael. I am the one who contacted your channel here a few days ago, and informed him of a few things concerning the Brotherhood. And, at this time I should like to say a little bit more to all of you regarding what you shall or might expect once you have qualified for the discipleship or become a pupil of the Brotherhood.

When you have reached this state, a teacher will appear. Now, this teacher may not be one that you would expect. He may be from what you might consider in your classifications, as from a lowly station in life. He may not be of your race or color. It may be a he or a she. And they may be of the red race, or the yellow race, or the black race, or what have you, for in the Brotherhood, race or color has place. But whatever teacher is chosen for you, you can rest assured that he or she will be one of high knowing, of great knowledge of the higher truths. And, you will also find a much different method of teaching than you have been accustomed to. It will not be a teaching of questions and answers or one of long boring lectures. It will be given in the way and the time that is best for the individual, and a teacher of the higher learnings, and when I refer to the higher learnings, I am not referring to your normal meaning of this terminology. But a teacher of the higher truths such as you will, find in the Brotherhood, will know his pupil before the pupil is approached. He will know his or her needs. He will, know their capabilities, and he will know in what manner you should be taught.

You will be given the truths, as your teacher perceives your need for them and your capability to understand them. You will find times when there will be long silences and you will wonder. You will want to ask questions but your questions will not be received. Your teacher will know what is in your mind and he will answer your questions when it is most beneficial to you, at a time when your perception will be right for that question to be answered.

Great discipline will be required of you. At times you will become very exasperated with your teacher because he or she is not functioning as you think they should, yet in the end you will see their wisdom. When you have reached their level, you will see the reasons for all of their actions. You will understand the timing and you will wonder why you could have been so impatient. It is normal for pupils to want to get on with it, to get it over and move on. But the greater truths are not something that you absorb and master rapidly, for if you are to really know these things, there are many things that you must experience and unless you experience, you will not know. So you must have patience and you must have trust in your teacher as well as your fellow man. Always remember that you are an individual and you must be taught as an individual. For each perceives in his own way at his own time and no other will do it in your exact way and a wise teacher knows this and teaches accordingly.

This is one of the great problems of your educational system. Once your teachers realize the errors of their ways and correct these errors, they will find their pupils responding more rapidly and they will find they have a greater and more knowledgeable population.

It has been a pleasure for me to speak this time with you. I thought it might be well to mention some of these things so that you would know what to expect. It has been my pleasure to come among you in this way. As I leave you, I extend my most sincere love and my blessings to each of you and may each of you progress rapidly in your search for the higher truths.

Go in peace. ☸