

# Lofty, Homey and Quirky Wisdom Voices ~ Shinzen Young

00:00:00 What is wisdom?

00:00:08 The wisdom voice is the wisdom activity percolating up to the surface,

00:00:14 communicating in the only way that it can, through image or talk, talk in this case,

00:00:20 and that's Prajna. That's what is meant by Prajna.

00:00:25 It simply wells up and takes that form, or you're channeling it.

00:00:30 People say, you know, well, I got out of the car, I moved without thinking.

00:00:36 It was a movement that just happened.

00:00:39 So you can have thinking without thinking.

00:00:42 It's a thought that just happens, and it comes from the same spontaneous place,

00:00:46 and it will talk to us that way, and then eventually it will start to come out of our lips also.

00:00:57 If it's lofty, then it's Indic style.

00:01:09 Different cultures have different wisdom voices.

00:01:13 If it's homey, then it's the Zen style, down to earth.

00:01:21 If it's quirky and humorous, that's the Jewish wisdom voice.