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I would be part of the select few.

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Nothing would happen on the prophesied date of Ascension, but this is a test to separate the faithful from the faithless. The actual Ascension will happen soon after.

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Something would happen that was so transformative we couldn't have imagined it ahead of time, and we'd finally understand everything.

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There would be a Divine Revelation, and life would continue on earth, but many more would see the truth of the Sublime Movement.

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The whole world would end, and everything would end with darkness.

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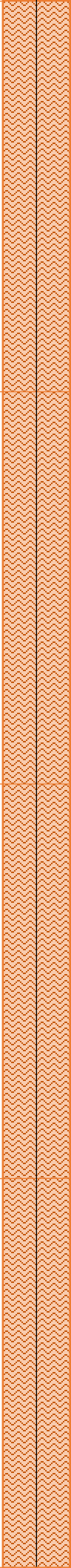
Nothing would happen, and everyone would find out that the Sublime Movement was wrong.

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Another Celestial Sibling*

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A Celestial Cousin

I recently argued with...

A stranger I encountered in the park

I recently argued with...

A family member I secretly had been staying in contact with

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I recently argued with...

A former Celestial Cousin who left the movement

I recently argued with...

A member of another religion who was trying to bring me into their faith

I recently argued with...

A reporter who came to research a story about the Sublime Movement

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Of course it's true!

**To know is beyond
understanding.**

**That resonates with
me.**

**That makes so much
sense.**

I wonder...

But what if...

I don't understand.

**That doesn't make
sense.**

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Heart

Love freely

Mouth

Announce the truth

Muscles

Work hard

Hands

Hold what is precious

Eyes

See what is before us

Ears

**Hear the song of the
world**

Feet

**Search as far as we
need**

Mind

**Consider what is
needed**

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I was financially successful but wanted more genuine human connection. I'm closer to my Celestial Siblings than I've ever been to anyone else.

I tried one utopian movement after another before finding this one where I was fully accepted. The level of acceptance here is wonderful.

I was Divine Parent's best friend as a kid, and always admired them. I like spending all my time with my best friends nearby.

I left home really young after the final argument with my parents, and wanted to find a real home. I am more comfortable here than I've ever been anywhere else.

I was raised strictly in a traditional religion, but broke with my family when I wanted a religion that didn't have strict gender roles. I think it's just right how the Movement doesn't treat men, women, or non-binary people differently.

I was married, but my partner left me. I was looking for people who would honor their commitments and be truthful with each other. I trust my Celestial Siblings completely.

I was from an ordinary happy family, but never fit in with their middle class capitalist values. I always cared more about others. All the people in the Movement believe what I believe.

I fled persecution in my home land/town and wandered through many places trying to find a new home where I fit in. The Movement has welcomed me like no other group.

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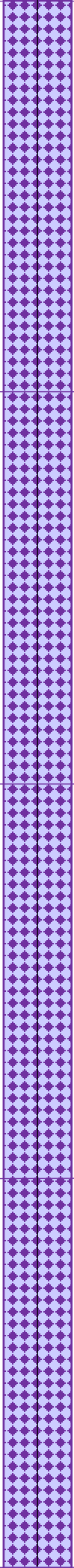
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Divine Parent told me...

“I need you to be an example for the others.”

Divine Parent told me...

“From this day forward, you will be as a flower opened to the light.”

Divine Parent told me...

“Seldom has a moment like this come for any in this world or plane of existence.”

Divine Parent told me...

“There are many ways to fathom what is happening in our movement. Your understanding will only grow.”

Divine Parent told me...

“You are like a child of my own flesh and blood, my own light and vision.”

Divine Parent told me...

“If there is doubt in your mind, sit with it. For my part, my belief is unwavering.”

Divine Parent told me...

“You hold the secret to our salvation within you.”

Divine Parent told me...

“I can see that you truly grok our movement in your mind and heart.”

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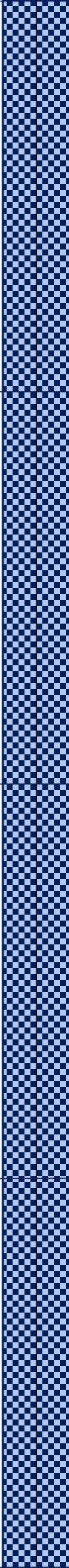
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I became more dedicated to helping Divine Parent, seeing they needed more of us to share the burdens and responsibilities of leadership in the Movement.

I know it looked bad, but it was really just a big misunderstanding, and it's important not to let these kinds of accidents derail us from deep belief.

I realized Divine Parent was only human, but that even an imperfect person can help others reach the true path.

I accepted that Divine Parent had made a mistake, but I believe they made up for it by redoubling their dedication to the Movement after this misstep.

It made me feel like it was ok for me to stop beating myself up about falling short of the Movement's ideals myself. The important thing was to keep trying to do better.

I wondered whether Divine Parent was really worthy to lead the Movement, and if we needed to keep a closer eye on them.

I felt nervous.

It bothered me that Divine Parent had preached one thing and done another in secret. I felt disappointed that the person I'd admired so much wasn't as great as they'd seemed.

I wondered: if Divine Parent was lying about this, were there even bigger things they were lying about?

I felt personally betrayed.

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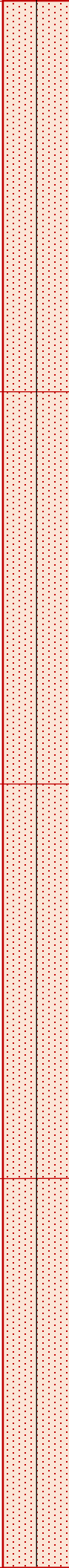
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The fact that Divine Parent transcended this physical realm during the Blessed Ascension gives us faith that we can all follow in the Second Wave if we keep on the path that they showed us.

We are all shaken that the Blessed Ascension did not unfold in the way that Divine Parent foresaw. There will be challenges and times of confusion, but we can get through anything together.
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Maybe we previously put too much emphasis on Divine Parent's revelations. The universe speaks to each of us, and we come together to help each other hear the universe's message, but we shouldn't rely on one person to have a perfectly clear line to the universe.

I don't even know what to think myself, let alone what to tell the others. (1 of 3)

We know that the Movement has discovered many truths about how to live a meaningful and good life. Just because we got the math wrong about the Blessed Ascension timing doesn't mean that the rest of the Movement's revelations are wrong.

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I will answer your question:

What happened to Divine Parent, and why aren't they here with us now?

I will answer your question:

How many of us were taken up during the Blessed Ascension? Because everyone I know about is still here.

I will answer your question:

Why wasn't I taken up during the Blessed Ascension?

I will answer your question:

Is the Blessed Ascension going to happen for the rest of us?

And if so, when?

I will answer your question:

Was Divine Parent wrong about the Blessed Ascension?

And if so, do you think they were wrong about the other things they told us?

I will answer your question:

Should we be doing anything different now?

And if so, what should we change?

I will answer your question:

Will someone take the place of Divine Parent?

And if so, who will it be?

I will answer your question:

Was there something important that Divine Parent or all of you Celestial Siblings weren't able to tell us before?

And if so, please tell us now.

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