Whole in One

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0] Gil: Whoa. Seymour, you look like you've been hit by a tidal wave.

Seymour: My love life's a total wash.

Gil: What happened?

Seymour: Bubbles dumped me.

Gil: No way. What'd she say?

Seymour: So we're enjoying a couple drinks at the Sand Bar. Out of the blue, she says. "We need to end this watered down relationship."

Gil: wow.

Seymour: It gets worse. She then says I'm shallow and not capable of true love.

Gil: Why?

Seymour: Because I don't believe in the ocean. She's gone off the deep end.

[Awkward pause]

Gil: Seymour. You don't believe in the ocean?

Seymour: Nope. **Gil**: Why?

Seymour: Show me the ocean and I'll believe.

Gil: You can't see the ocean.

Seymour: Why? Cuz' he's too far? Someone somewhere in heaven. Right?

Gil: No. Cuz' he's too close.

Seymour: huh?

Gil: The oceans' not someone somewhere. He's **the** one everywhere.

Seymour: Everywhere?! Then we'd be in him and he'd be in us.

Gil: We are in him and he is in us. There's really nothing but the ocean.

Seymour: We're nothing?! **Gil**: No. We're drops.

Seymour: We're drops in the ocean? Oh, how depressing.

Gil: No, it's pure joy. There's no greater feeling than feeling part of the greater. The ocean is one. There is none but the one. And you are "someone"; some of the one. You're a part of him.

Seymour: Gil you're either brainwashed or drunk.

Gil: I am drunk. I'm drunk with love. I cannot but love the ocean and I cannot but love everyone down to the last drop because we are one with Him and one with each other through him.

Seymour: Whoa. You mean only in and through the ocean can we drops share one single greater self. **Gil**: Exactly! That's the miracle and joy of true love.

Seymour: Gil, You're blowing me out of the water. I love you. [Hugs and kisses Gil]

Gil: Quick lets go find Bubbles. [They start speeding ahead]

Seymour: This reminds of that song, "Love is in the air"

Gil: What's air?

1] A part of G-d is His people [Deut 32:9]

2] A person's soul is "an actual part of G-d." ~ Tanya, Ch. 2

3]כי חל"ק ה' עמ"ו [דברים לב ט] ור"ל חלק ממש כחלק שנחלק מאיזה דבר הוא שוה ודומה בעינו לאותו דבר שנחלק ממנו ואין הבדל והפרש בינו ובין אותו דבר רק שאותו דבר הוא הכל והכלל שהוא יותר גדול מהחלק שנחלק ממנו אבל בעצמותם הם דומים ושוים

כמו כן אין הבדל והפרש בין הנשמה ובינו יתעלה ויתברך שמו רק שהוא יתעלה ויתברך הוא הכל הוא האור הכולל האור הגדול הבלתי סוף הבלתי תכלית והנשמה היא חלק אור וניצוץ שנחלק מאור הגדול ב"ה וברוך

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ולהבינך יותר, נמשיל לך משל מטיפה נגד הים הגדול,.. ומה גם כשהטיפה בתוך הים ואינה נפרדת ממנו, ודאי דאין לה שום מציאות בפני עצמו,

וכאן הרי הכל בו שהוא ממלא כל עלמין הן קודם הבריאה הן לאחר הבריאה, רק דיש לבושים וכסויים המסתירים אורו ית"ש כדי שלא יתבטלו הנמצאים במקורם,...., עד שהעולם הזה הוא חומרי וגשמיי ונראה לבריות שיש ישות בעולם מחמת שאין המקור נראה, אבל באמיתית אין שום ישות נמצא בכל העולמות רק ית"ש.

ולעתיד יתגלה אורו ב"ה ויראו עין בעין בחינת אחדות הלזו, איך שאין שום דבר נמצא זולת ית"ש

- 5] Faith is the most basic self-revealing of the essence of the soul. ~ Orot HaEmunah
- 6] A) A person suffers diminished faith and is far from supreme holiness because he is not able to raise his self-worth until it is established in his heart the great idea that he is worthy of divine greatness. ~ Orot Israel 6:8
- 7] When we forget the essence of our soul itself, when we are distracted from introspection, from the content of inner life, everything becomes confused and doubtful.

The beginning of repentance which immediately illumines the darkness is that man return to himself, the root of his soul, and he will at once return to G-d, to the soul of all souls.

This is true for the individual, the entire nation, for all of humanity, for the perfection of existence as a whole; its ruin always comes when it forgets itself.

- 8] And if the person says s/he wants to come back to God but is not prepared to gather in its own dispersed [powers] then this is a false teshuva and s/he is using G-d's name in vain. ~ Orot HaTeshuva Ch. 15:10
- 9] I must find my happiness within myself; not from social acceptance, not from my career nor anything else. The more I will know myself, the more I allow myself to be original and stand on my own with a an inner awareness combined with knowledge, emotion, poetry—the more the light of G-d will enlighten me and the more my strengths will evolve to become a blessing to me and the world. ~ Arpeley Tohar 31