

LOVE, THE LAW OF LIFE

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Love is the law of life.

Where there is love, there is life

And he or she who breaks this law

Breaks himself or herself into million pieces.

Be it the heaven of Christianity,

The paradise of Islam,

The Valhalla of Norse legend,

Or the Elysian fields of ancient Greece,

All have guardians of love to welcome

The travelers of time and space

After the journey of discovery ends.

The best tool that ever existed on earth

To work off one's karmic debts

Is love.

The best weapon to fight with enemies

From time immemorial is love.

He who sheds blood loses blood

And he who forgives conquers, with love.

Love was the first law to be established

By our creator to promote the spirit

Of brotherhood, mutual understanding and sharing.

All men sailing in the waters of freedom

And all women flying to touch great heights

Know it, feel it, value it and pay homage
To this great law, unshakable in strength.

The seven wonders of the world under
The star-spangled sky are bathed in love.
All the great philosophers and poets who have
Lived for others and written for others,
Wrote about love that governs all.
You will never know how loving you are
Until love is your only choice

Bio

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