

# Pathways Bulletin



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*Aiming for a world where all people share pathways to conscious spiritual awareness*

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TRANSITIONS

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*"We are not human beings having a spiritual experience;  
we are spiritual beings having a human experience" - Pierre Teilhard de Chardin*

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## TRANSITIONS

In 1973 a precognitive dream, quickly followed by an *epiphany*, initiated a personal search into conscious spiritual awareness. Like many people reading this, and similar publications, *the journey* has included personal spiritual experiences, research, practices, transformations and life transitions. Soul Work Pathways, 2016, replaces an earlier development stage, begun in 2012, previously known as [soulworkensemble.org](http://soulworkensemble.org).

Future editions of *Pathways Bulletin* will feature items and comments based on conscious spiritual awareness themes as identified above. *These are offered as a service to community; in search of truth(s).*

“ The major thrust in human evolution during the next two thousand years is for people to become soul-infused personalities through their own spiritual transformation. ”

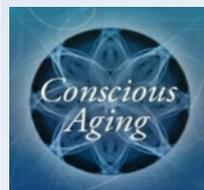
- Tanis Halliwell, [www.iitransform.com/](http://www.iitransform.com/)

## CONSCIOUSNESS

### Consciousness in its simplest form

represents transformation of individual or collective experiences in everyday material that enable transition to one of *becoming* more conscious and spiritually aware. The Institute for Noetic Sciences, IONS suggest these *transitions consciously* moves us from being an “*I*” to “*We*.”

## CONSCIOUS TRANSITION—AGING



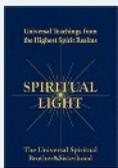
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“While aging is a personal process, conscious aging is about a shift in perception that sees more than the personal quest for beneficial outcomes. Conscious aging moves our perspective beyond **I to we**. In other words, those who are aging consciously report that they become involved in actively working for the transformation of community they desire. This altruism and compassion are born from the recognition of our shared destiny, not from sense of duty or obligation.”

## SPIRITUALITY

Spirituality means many different things to people, often these are dependant on age, life experiences, belief systems, religious and non-religious participation, shamanic practices and more. For many *seekers of truth(s)* however, it always remains transitional, based on a growing inner awareness of this world, *and of the next!* Discovery of *The Universal Spiritual Brotherhood & Sisterhood*, USB teachings has provided a personal insight to a deeply comprehensive compendium, reference, and inner guidance practice development.

“**Truly spiritual people do not proclaim to all within the sound of their voice that they are spiritual. Nor is there a need to do this—USB, Spiritual Light.**”



### SPIRITUAL LIGHT: *The importance of Spiritual Development, #1407-1-2,*

“Illumined Soul emphasize the importance of *spiritual* development.

One of them has said: These things that one so often refer to as development—remember there are *many* forms. There are many who are psychically developed, and excellently so; but there are few ...who are *spiritually* developed. And it is *this* that matters to us. And it is *this alone* that that makes possible the contact between us...Remember...that it is *this* that matters. Not the psychic force so much, important though it must and will be in our work. It is the *spiritual* Force.”

If any teaching and/or philosophy in this USB document is in conflict with or is not supported by *Spiritual Light* (ISBN 978-0-9912422-1-4 deluxe flex-cover, 978-0-9912422-2-1 paperback), which contains the only complete and *official* teachings and philosophy of the USB, then *Spiritual Light* governs. The inclusion of this statement, in a box in a prominent position, and worded as in *Spiritual Light*, is required on every authentic USB publication containing its teachings and/or philosophy.

[www.theusb.org/usb-teachings/#principal-book](http://www.theusb.org/usb-teachings/#principal-book),

- In Tasmania, contact USB volunteer member **Philip Crouch**, for more information.



## TRANSITION REFERENCES

**Silver Birch teachings** inform us that we are: *'first and foremost a spirit, having an earth Experience.'*

[www.whitecrowbooks.com/ebooks/page/more\\_philosophy\\_of\\_silver\\_birch/](http://www.whitecrowbooks.com/ebooks/page/more_philosophy_of_silver_birch/)

In **Harry R Moody book, *The Five Stages of the Soul***, there are five key transitions:

**1.CALL 2. SEARCH 3.STRUGGLE 4.BREAKTHROUGH 5.RETURN**

[www.amazon.com/Five-Stages-Soul-Charting-Spiritual/dp/0385486774](http://www.amazon.com/Five-Stages-Soul-Charting-Spiritual/dp/0385486774)

**Sage-ing International, foundation literature, *From Ageing-to-Sageing.***

[www.sage-ing.org/about-us-2/sage-ing-as-a-spiritual-practice/](http://www.sage-ing.org/about-us-2/sage-ing-as-a-spiritual-practice/)

**Centre for Conscious Eldering, Ron Pevny, *Conscious Living-Conscious Aging*** -will be of specific interest to persons over 50.

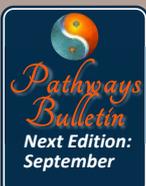
[www.book.centerforconsciouseldering.com/home](http://www.book.centerforconsciouseldering.com/home)

**Spirituality of Age, Carol Osborn and**

**Robert Weber** provide a current view on transitions— especially for “baby boomers,” [1946-1964]. [www.spiritualityofage.com/](http://www.spiritualityofage.com/)



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