

Ultimate Responsibility by Gary Bate

There's nothing wonderful or horrible that's going to happen to you in the future unless you create it because your future is the product of your thinking.

If you're a victim then you're heading for a future of victimisation and that continues beyond the transition we call death. If you're a tyrant (a controller) then you're headed for a future where you can continue to play that game, but I should add that you will also experience more skillful tyrants than you. Ironically, tyrants always eventually become victims – it's needed for them to balance...

So both tyrant and victim go to the Light when they make the transition and both experience the control in that environment. The drama is just more intense there. It's not a bad thing that you lose your memories, because you still have the wisdom in your Soul and you can start your next life back here without being necessarily bogged down with what you're bogged down with now.

That is the future for the tyrant and the victim, but of course you can retire from both of those mindsets. I have understood that we can't truly change people; we can only change ourselves...

So what will your future look like? If you don't know, you've got a problem. We are the creators of the future and not the victims to it. If we create it from the victim or tyrant mindsets then we end up as the victims in the Light.

We must create the future we want and we can only do that through our own thinking...

You can work as much as you like and you can make as much money as you like, but there's nothing material that's ever going to do it for you – because you're Spirit and not Matter.

What does it for Spirit is correct navigation through this material life. We are here to experience it; that's for sure. But we are also here to wake up from it and live as Spiritual beings.

When my beautiful daughter was 4 (27 years ago) she drew me a card and she wrote on it TAKE RESPONSIBILITY DAD! How could I forget that?!

When I look back at my life I see a life that was littered with irresponsibility and unguineness. It's good for me that I can see it, because it means I can also change that. I can take responsibility for my decisions and my actions and I can strive to become genuine, even in how I portray myself to others. I say that because we try to show others only what we want them to see.

Being responsible means you can't play the victim because victims blame others. It's the acceptance that you are the creative source in your life and all the effects start with you. It's a big step to accept and there's an even greater responsibility...

Irresponsibility and unguineness not only applies to me, it applies to everyone. To be genuine is to be your self – Spirit and not Image. I'm still working on it – are you?

My articles represent my growing truth but of course it's my truth to be lived and owned. I cannot expect other people to take me seriously if I cannot demonstrate the extraordinary. A master can always prove that he or she is a master, if that is called for. So I must become it and prove it...

To me, the greatest responsibility and genuineness is to develop self in order to get out of here alive. Anyone who achieves that gets my respect. Until then, we're all 'works in progress' ~ Gary Bate.

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