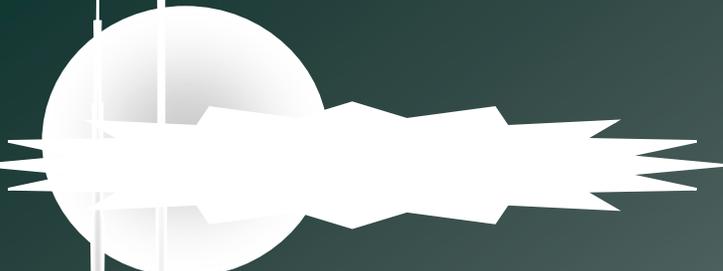




*The
Universal
Father*



*“The Universal Father is the
God of all creation, the First
Source and Center of all
things and beings.”*

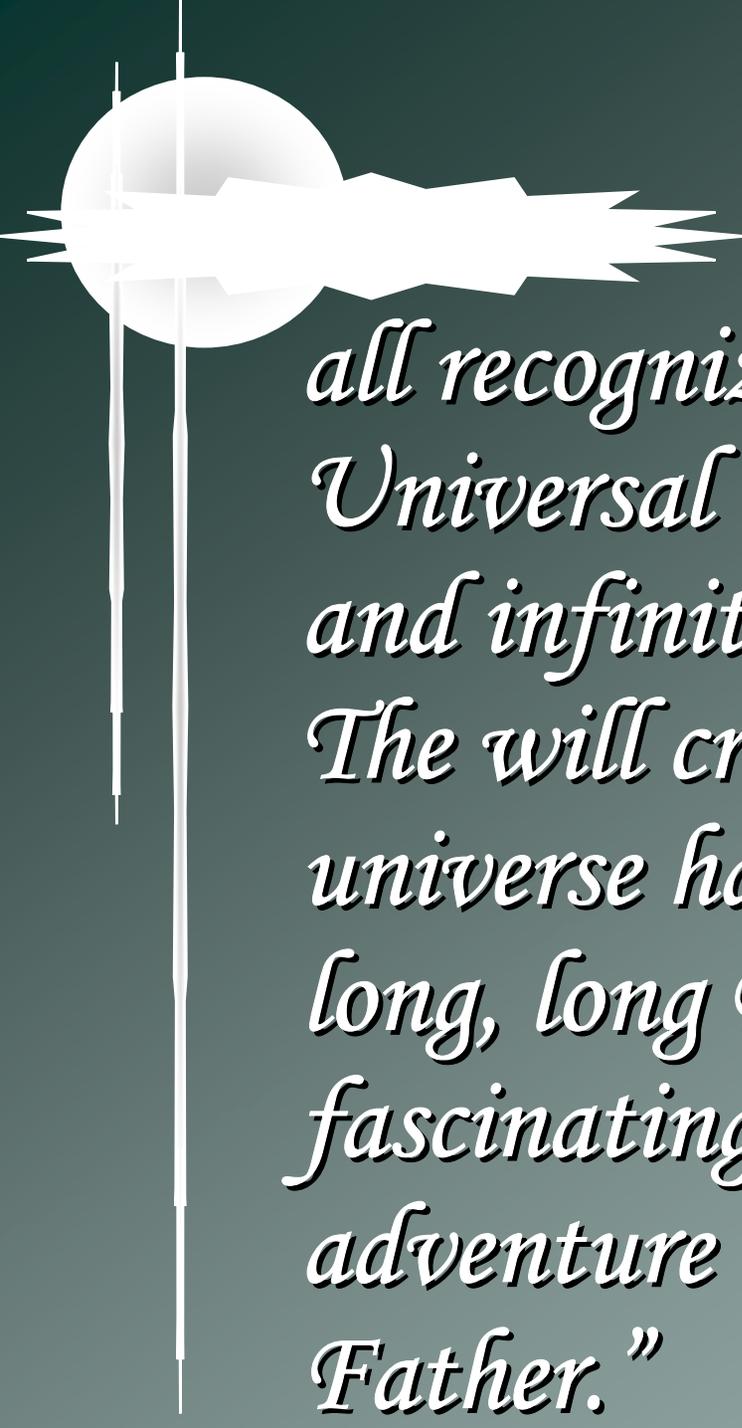
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“The myriads of planetary systems

were all made to be eventually inhabited by many different types of intelligent creatures, beings who could know God, receive the divine affection, and love him in return.

The transcendent goal of the children of time is to find the eternal God, to comprehend the divine nature, to recognize the Universal Father.”



“The enlightened worlds all recognize and worship the Universal Father, the eternal maker and infinite upholder of all creation. The will creatures of universe upon universe have embarked upon the long, long Paradise journey, the fascinating struggle of the eternal adventure of attaining God the Father.”



“From the Universal Father

who inhabits eternity there has gone forth the supreme mandate, “be you perfect, even as I am perfect.”

This magnificent and universal injunction to strive for the attainment of the perfection of divinity is the first duty, and should be the highest ambition, of all the struggling creature creation of the God of perfection. This possibility of the attainment of divine perfection is the final and certain destiny of all man’s eternal spiritual progress.”



“Urantia mortals can hardly

hope to be perfect in the infinite sense, but it is entirely possible for human beings, starting out as they do on this planet, to attain the supernal and divine goal which the Infinite God has set for mortal man; and when they do achieve this destiny, they will, in all that pertains to self-realization and mind attainment, be just as replete in their sphere of divine perfection as God himself is in his sphere of infinity and eternity.”



“Such perfection may not be universal in the material sense, unlimited in intellectual grasp, or final in spiritual experience, but it is final and complete in all finite aspects of divinity of will, perfection of personality motivation, and God-consciousness.”



“This is the true meaning

*of that divine command,
“Be you perfect, even as I am perfect,”
which ever urges mortal man onward and
beckons him inward in that long
fascinating struggle for the attainment of
higher and higher levels of spiritual values
and true universe meanings. This sublime
search for the God of universes is the
supreme adventure of the inhabitants of all
the worlds of time and space.”*



God is primal reality

in the spirit world; God is the source of truth in the mind spheres; God overshadows all throughout the material realms. To all created intelligences God is a personality, and to the universe of universes he is the First Source and Center of eternal reality. God is neither manlike nor machinelike. The First Father is universal spirit, eternal truth, infinite reality, and father personality.”