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Symbolism is important in the history of a universe. The Lucifer emblem was a banner of white with one red circle, with a black solid circle in the center.⁹ Machiventa Melckizadek wore an emblem of three concentric circles on his breast during his tenure at Salem.¹⁰ There exists a piece of pottery from Hebron, dated to the time of Abraham, decorated with three concentric blue circles on one side. Urantia is referred to as the World of the Cross throughout the universe."
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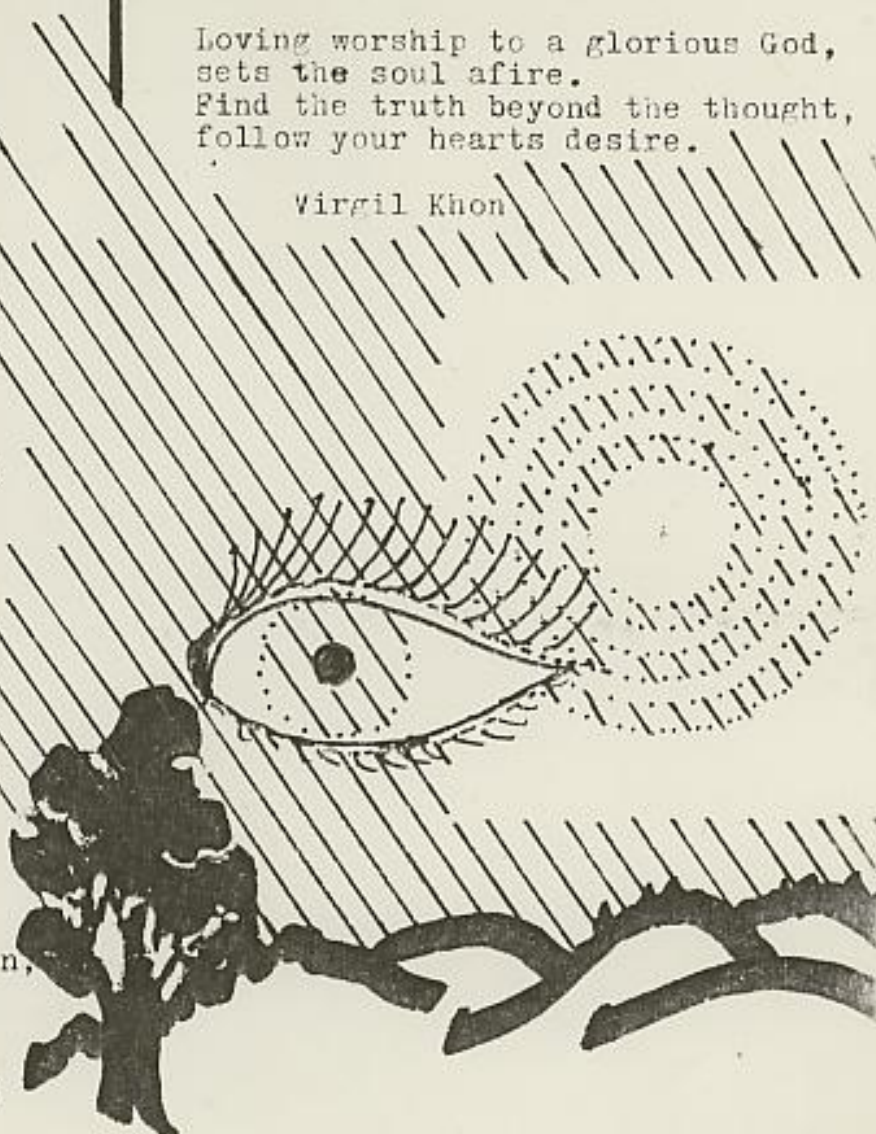
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Some Sure Signs of Aging

Every article or list that I've ever read with the above title makes it sound as if aging is a terrible malady we should avoid at all costs.

This one is different.

THANK GOD for aging! Because if we could avoid it, what would be the alternative, TO BE TRAPPED IN THE FLESH FOREVER! Think what that means. In the first place to desire it is the epitome of materialism. And it means we would be deprived of all that life is about.

So here are some good-signs of aging!

1. The stress of raising five children, and teaching and maintaining a home is over. The children are on their own and I'm retired. The living is made. All I have to do now is use it wisely. The house is paid for, all I do is maintain it for good use.

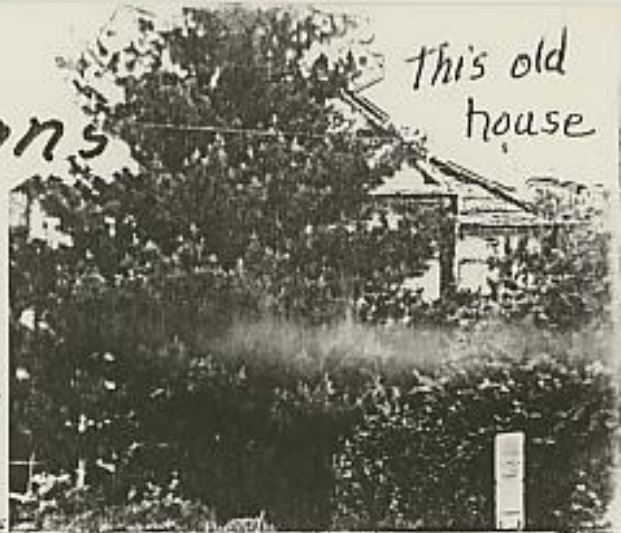
2. I am not a slave to style. I could never wear high-heeled, needle-toed shoes. I'd rather go barefooted. If mini skirts come back I won't wear them. There's nothing so ridiculous looking as an old woman in a mini skirt.

3. It looks like years of studying nutrition and the health rules have paid off. Amazingly, this old body seems to be in better shape than it ever was. Some things I'm glad to be rid of: lumbago, cystitis, acid indigestion, heart palpitations, migraine headaches, and many colds, flu, etc..

4. I'm no longer concerned about getting new furniture, etc.. This old stuff does just fine! as long as it's functional I'll use it -- and I don't care what "the Joneses" say!

5. I have time for meditation and relaxation. Long held intellectual beliefs may suddenly "flash into my imagination" -- become truth. A person once came upon me sitting in a rocking chair in a room by myself, absolutely still. "What are you doing?" "Nothing" "You're crazy" -- "On the contrary, you're the crazy one if you can't be still" (Be still and know that I am God).

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This old house

6. The beautiful is more beautiful and the ugly more ugly. (No, everything and everybody is not pretty) I guess you can say I've grown in discrimination (A fighting word?)

7. I realize that to be great I have only to be good (Father, help me do your will).

8. An appreciation (instead of a dislike) of the old song by Phoebe Cary:

One sweetly solemn thought
Comes to me O'er and O'er;
Nearer my home today am I
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Nearer my Father's house
Where many mansions be;
Nearer today the great white throne
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*Harp Singers
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URANTIA Body Readers

* "Sound mind in a sound body" reminds me of the importance of EUGENICS.

Here's No. Two in our Series

I was introduced to the Urantia Book a little over a year ago, by a very dear and close friend. The "U" book seemed to answer so many questions I had about God and the universe. I found it to be interesting reading and intellectually stimulating.

A few months ago I found myself going through a very severe emotional crisis. I literally had to go through the depths of despair and depression before my intellectual interest turned into true belief and faith. I contemplated suicide and felt totally alone and worthless. It seemed as though I had no one to turn to. My family had rejected me completely. I was too terrified to open up to friends and other Urantia Book readers. I had only my "U" book to turn to.

I read, studied and prayed. Lord, how I prayed! At first, my prayers seemed ineffective. Then I read what Jesus taught about prayer (1618D--1638). I was finally able to truly open my heart to God. And was answered! I have such a sense of well being and peace now. I am learning to turn all my problems over to the Father. If we learn to do the Father's will all things are possible. God bless all of you.

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IT seems to me that physical life-at-any-price, like peace-at-any-price, is not worth it. And look how it contradicts what most Christians claim to believe.

They say Heaven will be a wonderful place, where we'll be free from all sorrows, and will be re-united with our loved ones who have gone on before. Yet people whose kidneys are worn out will go through dialysis twice a week at great expense (to some one) rather than go on to this wonderful place. And in nursing homes bedfast people cling to life as if this Earth is all there is.

Here is the last part of a verse I read recently:

As you close your eyes in slumber
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"You have earned one more tomorrow
By the work you did today."

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Was John the Baptist on Urantia in 1829?

At least the Mormons think he was. The following came from the front of one of their pamphlets.

Since he is one of the 24 Counselors in Jerusem and a different one of them is sent every 100 yrs. to be governor general, he might very well have been here then.

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