

# Transformation Journal

May 30, 2010

*Shall We Dance?*

Daily Devotions for the week of May 30, 2010

**Monday:** Review yesterday's notes. This week we will focus on God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit (i.e. God as the Holy Trinity). Trinitarian thinking can breathe new life into you. Think of God's nature as a divine dance between Father, Son and Holy Spirit – one God in three persons.

**S**cripture: Read John 16:12-15

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### Journal Questions

1. Record your observations about when (over the last 24 hours) you were aware of sharing in the divine life – when you were participating in the great dance.
2. Have you ever thought of the Trinity as the great dance of life? What difference might it make to think this way?
3. What is the relationship between the Father, Son and Holy Spirit in this passage? How does that relationship relate to you?

### Prayer Focus

Every day this week pray that the Holy Spirit will guide you to recognize that all of the moments you experience love, joy, inspiration, creativity, insight, etc. (in other words all the moments you feel fully alive) you are sharing in the divine dance. The Trinity is the source of all these experiences. Rejoice!

**Tuesday:** *In today's reading Jesus prays for his disciples. Notice the unity and intimacy between Jesus and the Father and the way he prays for his disciples to share in that life (see especially verse 21).*

**S**cripture: **Read John 17**

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1. Record your observations about when (over the last 24 hours) you were aware of sharing in the divine life – when you were participating in the great dance.
2. How does Jesus' prayer for you make you feel? What does it make you want to be? What does it make you want to do?

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**Wednesday:** *Our peace with God; our access to grace is through Jesus wherein the Holy Spirit pours God's love into our hearts. The whole Trinity is involved in each movement. There is a mutual indwelling between the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.*

**S**cripture: **Read Romans 5:1-5**

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**Journal Questions**

1. Record your observations about when (over the last 24 hours) you were aware of sharing in the divine life – when you were participating in the great dance.
2. Do you know the peace and the hope that is mentioned in this passage? How would you describe it?

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**Thursday:** *Wisdom is often personified in the Old Testament as it is in today's reading. Therefore, Christians have often associated Wisdom with the Word of God that was made flesh in Jesus.*

**S**cripture: **Read Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31**

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2. What is the connection between Wisdom and Christ in this passage?

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**Friday:** *Psalm 8 is a celebration of God who creates and who desires that human beings would share in the world that God has made. Think of the Great Dance that is the Trinity creating all that is out love and a passion to share it all with you.*

**S**cripture: **Read Psalm 8**

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2. How will you live differently because of all you've experienced this week?

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**Saturday and Sunday** – Read over your notes for the week and see how you are doing with your personal applications