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Enter at your own risk. . . This site is not for the casual passer by. It is not a friendly discussion site, to be read out of curiosity or because one knows of the author. Its intent is an awakening, also known as Enlightenment, of the reader. Knowledge changes one and Enlightenment will alter a life dramatically. It comes with gifts; but if with it there is power, it will not be for the ego-personality. Hence, only the serious seeker of Truth should enter therein.

The book; ENLIGHTENMENT, is given free to those visiting The Tao Of Tara, as well as the remaining three books in a five-book series; AFTER ENLIGHTENMENT, WHAT?, CONTEMPLATION, LIBERATION. For those who prefer not to wait for free daily installments of the books, they will be available in the site bookstore and elsewhere when published. There will occasionally also be offered up a 'daily thought in passing'.

The purpose of this site is to set down in print the findings of a lifetime of seeking Truth that it be made available to those who wish to hear it. As said, this site is not for everyone. But all sincere seekers who do enter in - welcome! Come visit as oft as you like, and share in the love, light and joy that is daily offered up. Although The Tao of Tara will be thoughts and writings primarily on 'Ultimate Truth' and the nature of reality as I have perceived it, it will occasionally be interspersed with the more common truth observation, regarding our 'relative' reality. As the primary purpose of all my writing is to free, enlighten and awaken, and to point individuals towards their own inner Truths, reading will not be simply a philosophical exercise, but rather an actual encounter with 'Truth'. *Another's truth, if you are not to it attuned, while quite illuminating, if you are.* Hence it is stressed that only those sincerely interested in, and actively seeking such should be tuning in; and those not interested in that should definitely stay away. Nothing wrong with this, staying away; for most all the world sleeps and wants to stay that way! People *love* their dreaming. It is *their* truth! What more can I say - who am I to wake a sleeping bear?

Nonetheless, we are living in 'the time of great awakening' - and ready or not, believe it or not, it is where our world is heading. So, for those ready and willing - jump on the bus . . .  
Namaste with love, **Tara**

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Those writing to this site will be read, but not outwardly in print be responded to. Answers to such questions and comments will come -- but as they are best answered; spontaneously, out of our personal universe through an outer or inner voice as our higher intelligence dictates. That does not forego the possibility of the evocation of an indirect response, albeit unacknowledged, on these pages.

**Thoughts of the day in passing occasionally to be found here . . .**

*Meditation is no thought.*

*( meditate on That! )*

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## ENLIGHTENMENT

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The book; **ENLIGHTENMENT** will be reprinted page by page daily on this site free and in full. For the less patient, the book may be purchased in full from Bookstore.

# ENLIGHTENMENT

*by Tara*

### Dedication

To the enlightenment of all beings in their own perfect time  
In their own perfect manner.

### Acknowledgments:

This work has its life and being primarily in the impersonal Self. Hence, unlike my previous works that acknowledged a few persons as token representatives of each sphere with which the writer directly connected, in this work only those who contributed to the publication process are acknowledged. All others, unseen helpers, but valued none the less for it, will receive their reward in its highest form, in spirit, and my gratitude heart to heart for we are but One and no man an island in Truth, and we all draw from the same well.

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*Introduction*

*Enlightenment; the second book in a five-book treatise is . . . a song of enlightenment, as experienced in moments of inspiration, illumination, ecstasy, and reflection. It contains the essence of an experience of enlightenment that when read with the intuitive mind, as it really must be, a transmission can take place, with exhilaration of consciousness, the 'ah ha!' experience . . . Illumination itself!*

*It additionally speaks to the conditions that need to be present for enlightenment to occur, and of its aftermath; satori. Each entry is a different 'take' on enlightenment, a turn of the spectrum highlighting a facet of Truth, presented in varied metaphors in order to break through the varied habits of perception. Any single entry is sufficient to evoke illumination, when read at the right moment in the right manner.*

*So, dearly esteemed reader please put on your most meditative music, take a deep breath . . . let go . . . and prepare for the experience of re-awakening and the return to Divinity. Bon Voyage*

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*'If you knew not darkness; you could never know a dawn.'*

In this world, light must be balanced by darkness. Light can only be known because there is darkness. One eternally in the light cannot fully know their own glory, nor . . . 'the joy of becoming,' ... the light.

So . . . here we all are.

*To be continued*

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