## Penney Peirce's 2018 Oracle Letter

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Looking back, 2017 felt like a release of the heightened contractions and snags we experienced in 2016. Life began to flow more easily, though I was aware of the staccato feel of the energy waves as life continued to accelerate. On-off, on-off, on-off! When the waves rolled through, I (or my body) wanted to slow things down. I watched myself wanting to eat more carbohydrates, nap in the afternoon when possible, read mystery novels, and not sleep at all some nights.

If I relaxed and got out of my left brain, the wave poured through me without resistance and my body adapted quickly. But the accelerations kept surprising me, and I had to keep remembering: "Oh, it's another energy wave! It's not just me!" A friend who experienced something similar said, "It's amazing that we are so afraid of our own light!" And that changed my consciousness; I began to welcome the waves and embrace the heightened energy instead of unconsciously resisting it.

## Seeing Through the Fear and Polarities

As America's new president took office and began a kind of lunacy we've never before seen in this country, people got riled up in so many ways. The rudeness, negativity, lies, destructiveness, insensitivity, hard-heartedness, and narcissism we witnessed—and still witness—made politics literally seem like a reality television show. What outrageous thing will he say today? What frightening move will he make today? And yet, when I tune in, all this seems part of a divine design to help us see the veiled forms of fear that have lurked beneath the surface of a global group of powerful people, mostly men.

We've too long accepted and not questioned the behaviors of narcissist business and government leaders who need to control their reality to feel safe—and who imagine they are above the law. Now we're discriminating the various aspects of their behavior that are devices to ensure their "success." Does any of the following seem familiar?

- Seduce people into revering you as never-failingly magnificent and fabulous.
- Promise (very, very, very) great things (that you may never do).
- Make sure the "outer world" agrees with the way you see reality.
- Treat people as a means to give you what you want.
- Tell people your inflated version of reality in no uncertain terms as if it's God's truth.
- Don't let others see your secret self.
- Lie when it's convenient, change your philosophy regularly so people can't get a fix on you.

- If people disagree with you (which threatens your sense of self and existence), seduce and cajole them back into agreement, or
- distract them by switching subjects and directing attention elsewhere, or
- belittle and attack them so they'll stop threatening you.
- If that doesn't work, abandon them totally without a second thought: "You're Fired!"

As we see the dynamics of narcissism, we also see narcissism's opposite behavior: victimhood. As the narcissist dominates his or her reality, only victims can remain inside that bubble. Think of the way our president treated the people of Puerto Rico after Hurricane Maria—he validated their victimhood in every way possible. And we see the other politicians in the president's party showering him with praise and bowing down to his wishes like sycophants. Only a few courageous ones risked speaking out and they were attacked for it. This play of polarities is surfacing now because it has been hidden in the subconscious of the collective consciousness. With the acceleration of 2017, these ugly fear-based choices and behaviors are emerging into the clear light of noon.

It's all part of the huge clearing process happening around the planet. And as frightening and gross as it all seems, these shadowy beliefs and behaviors must be freed, and acknowledged, and understood, and healed, and released. It's no surprise, then, that the "Me Too" movement exploded into our consciousness in 2017. Sexual harassment and abuse has long been tolerated and its victims have been afraid to speak out because their narcissist abusers could belittle, discredit, and threaten them into silence. The cowardly politicians who refuse to speak truth to power because they're afraid of losing status and security could learn something from these women.

That people are so riled up—and it's not just in the United States—is in itself a release of energy. Complacency and inaction don't work anymore. It's time for realignment with higher principles, and for correcting injustices in the face of leaders whose egos violently refuse to "die"—in other words, who resist the shift from right-brain dominance to the opening of the intuition, heart, and soul.

## The Word for 2018

The word I keep getting for 2018 is: FLOOD. The energy release that began in 2017 is going to accelerate and things will move fast this year. If you've felt you were starting to hit stride with a new, more expanded life—if you have that "destiny feeling"—you'll likely be picked up by a kindly wave and moved into fortunate positions where resources, opportunities, great ideas, and new friends will mysteriously materialize. You may begin to find your soul friends and family, and projects you've always wanted to do will begin to take shape with people on your wavelength holding puzzle pieces that fit together magically. Things you need in order to get on with your self-expression as a SOUL (not just as a body/personality) will come to you easily.

If you've been working on clearing yourself, you may find that whole chunks of karma, or constellations of beliefs and behaviors, dissolve almost overnight without a long, linear process. In fact, you may not even need to consciously recognize the past mistakes and fears. It will all happen in the greatly expanded present moment. The truth will integrate with you quickly to replace the old partial realities. One of my highly sensitive friends wrote, "I believe it's time that instantaneous healing becomes accepted as normal. I feel it will shift into this plane and will not be looked at as odd. I see people waking up but not like souls did in the past. It's like they are skipping some of the phases. I feel excited that so many are becoming aware of energy."

The other day I had a waking vision of the Convening of people in my soul group—people who I knew separately but who were now meeting each other and having the same joy in each other that I have with each of them. I felt like a proud mother hen and the joy built to a state of indescribable ecstasy, which could not be contained in my body and personality. Suddenly it was as if my atoms exploded out into new orbits with a huge amount of space between the old orbits and the new. There was space between every particle; I had spread out to such an extent that I couldn't recognize myself. And then I came back to this reality and made sure I didn't "lock down" on what was familiar, but allowed the possibility for anything that wanted to happen to proceed at its own pace. And the sentence kept surfacing for days: "My atoms have exploded!" My sense is that in 2018 we'll understand much more about what this means.

If you've been denying your spiritual self and trying to maintain security in the physical world, it's likely that you will experience breakthroughs—cracks in your belief systems and habits. That might look like accidents, traumas and dramas, losses, difficulties, or sudden changes affecting your comfort level. It's important to remember that everything that occurs is evolutionary, and that it's best to engage with it without judgment or protest to see what's trying to be understood and released. Everything you understand and release makes you more transparent, and you-the-soul can then express more freely in this expanded state.

As to the narcissists in business and government, particularly the American president, there is a blindness caused by self-righteousness that will lead to a profound humbling, which is the opening to profound healing. Secrets can no longer be maintained; people are crying for transparency in all arenas. Secrets that have been vehemently defended will become known and consequences experienced. All the manipulative words and actions will become so blatant and ridiculous that credibility will rapidly be lost. The people will see these things as antiquated, dinosaur-like, slow, sticky, ineffective, and boring. New leadership will begin to arise from people whose values align with higher universal principles and frequencies—and many will be women. What works in harmony with the new, incoming Intuition Age will be shown in contrast to what doesn't work in the old linear, Information Age.

The heightened emphasis on polarity and taking sides will no doubt feed into more warlike behaviors and hatred around the world as these old fear patterns begin to disperse in the "higher atmosphere." We must remain centered in our home frequency or preferred state and not feed fear with our attention. We must not ignore those in need of uplifting but not overlook or sacrifice our own needs to do so. And we must keep our attention focused on the soul's miraculous reality and see what feels just right to do in each moment.

## Other Words for 2018: Fluidity, Integration, Intuition, Women

Just as energy floods our reality this year, so fluidity becomes a powerful word. I noticed for the first time in my life, at the holidays this season, I didn't feel the usual stopping of time as though a big boulder had been thrown into the pond of the year. Christmas passed with good feelings and warmth, even with all the decorations and presents, but it passed just like any other day, and when it was over, there was no difference. The same thing happened with New Year's Day. It was as though there was no separation between one year and another: time was continuous and unbroken. It wasn't apathy, it was just that there was a continuous present moment and a feeling of easy fluidity with no gaps, breaks, specialness, or need for "future" resolutions. What I want to feel, how I want to be, is right here in the Now. What we choose in our Now fuels the continuous Now and transforms us. We are capable of such fluidity! Without locking down beliefs and behaviors for "security," we are able to shift instantly into high gears we've not known before. Without limits in a compassionately regulated field of growth!

This will be a good year, a magical year, a year of clearing clutter, of becoming highly intuitive, empathic, telepathic, and transparent in many ways. It will bring drama and conflict and the beginning of the end of certain power structures. And it will bring the rise of women as leaders and influencers, because their intuitive consciousness is greatly needed to transform society.

With Love.

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