

The New Writings of Rav Ashlag: One Precept Part 7

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**Giving satisfaction to his Maker unknowingly:** One should never hope that there would come a time in which the world would be so evolved that everyone could start serving the Creator “for its own sake”.

Rather - as it has always been and still is today and will forever be - everyone who is serving the Creator must begin becoming engaged with this service ‘**not** for its own sake’.

And from this he will achieve “**for** its own sake”. Indeed, this beginning is not limited by time but depends on those who prepare him, and on his control over his own heart. This is why many casualties have fallen, and will fall, on the battlefield of this issue of “not for its own sake” and they will die unwisely.

And yet, their reward is very great because the mind of a human being is not capable of appreciating how valuable and precious 'giving satisfaction to his Maker is'.

And even if it is done by a person who does not fulfill this condition, nevertheless, because he is not fit to do otherwise, he still gives satisfaction his Maker. Although this is called "unknowingly."

**According to prophetic truth in a corporeal parameter:**

This being so, it must be the most accepted. Therefore, the prophetic abundance must be received by those permutations of the letters that are fit exactly according to the spirit of the beginners, meaning that their benefit should be obvious for the personal issues of his generation.

Because only then the Word of the Creator can be accepted by the generation, in the manner of "not for its sake", since the Creator did not prepare them in a different manner, as mentioned above.

And therefore, this is a sign for a Prophet of Truth, whose prophecy is completely adequate for the benefit of the physical success of the people of his generation.

As is said in the Torah, “And what great nation is there, that has statutes and ordinances as righteous as all this law which I set before you this day?” (Deuteronomy 4:8) because the proximity of the physical success validates their truthfulness, since eventually it was un-doubtfully he who opened the gateway, as mentioned above.

### **Mistakes or lies can never happen in prophecy:**

Because how can mistake creep into the Light of the Truth that originates from the Creator? Rather, it surely is like the rain and the snow that come down from heaven to earth and does not return until it accomplished what it was sent for. Although in spite of all this, there is...

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### **A long and short road in prophecy:**

Because of course there are still distinctions between the prophets who receive messages, for there is no one in the same quality of the other, since this greatness or smallness can be seen due to the degree of preparation of that prophet.

So hereby, the lesser, inevitably because of lack of the excellent preparation, deviates the course of the light that comes to him.

So much so that it would have been possible to say about him that some mistakes crept in, except for the iron rule that the light of prophecy does not admit any mistake at all.

Yet because of his lesser degree, he attracts to himself a greater number of letter combinations, which is a greater number of channels and vessels, until the prophecy reaches his comprehension.

to express assumptions that come from my own mind.