

The New Writings of Rav Ashlag: One Precept Part 14

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12 years:

It has been twelve years now since I started working on a manifesto which will serve as a solid foundation. And for this purpose, after toiling to finalize it, I am hereby reading it to you.

What brought me to this is my great devotion to the idea and because I have assumed a priori that it is not sustainable to be without a basis in religion.

And there has never been, throughout history, a major push of the masses without this basis - such as nationalism or law and order - not to mention the matter of wasting time of the individual.

And also as we do not have any higher and more exalted concept, and yet it is only accepted by wise people of clear mind and not at all by those of crude materialism and by the masses.

As for the latter, without private property they don't find any 'motive-power' for voluntary bodily movement in a direct manner but only in an indirect manner, which means in a roundabout manner, which is a very weak method for success and is bound to fade away completely.

Because not only that through compulsion this work is not complete, but also we need supervisors and guards to keep watching over them, at least one for every 100 people.

And here the is the crux of the matter (Lit. where the dog is buried), because the collectivization of our generation is not yet high enough that it would give us one-in-one-hundred people who are of hearts of Wisdom and pure consciousness.

And then the guarantor needs to be guaranteed, because even the supervisor needs motive-power for the work of supervision, something he has not.