

2008-A 1 Year for the planet – The creation of a new cycle

Writing about the end of a 9 year and going into a 1 year should be a slam dunk for me. After all, I'm a 9 Soul, 1 mind, I personality. Yet it is not an easy road. It's rather like coming out of a yearlong spiritual retreat, both the pain and the ecstasy, and going back into the world to apply all that. The 9 is so Universal, so service oriented, so passionate, so big picture, so challenging and engaging. The 1 is so personal, focused and specific and just when you thought you had the answers....you've only just begun.

Our challenge in the coming year will be taking the integrated energy of the 9 and focusing it into the 1 without losing the Universal /Spiritual point of view. This is what we all must do in 2008. In the 9 year much has been "turned over" and revealed for what is truly underneath. What we see is not easy to come to terms with. The world is at our fingertips, so, now what? We see there is no where to run, no where to hide, and each of us we must take action based on what the 9 has taught us. Ask your self, "what did I experience and learn from a Universal perspective that I am now prepared to act on personally?"

The 1 year begins an entirely new cycle, rich with possibilities but not with all the solutions. Sounds like an election year to me.

Since 1 is the Universal Year for all humanity in 2008 (and it will be some of your personal years as well), it is important to understand it's higher purpose. When we keep these ideas in mind, we behave with a more informed Being.

The 1 asks us to know ourselves. In numerology, 1 is the primary idea of the Self. The Self that holds the hand of Source and is filled with energy to go into the unknown and become initiated into life. We must begin a collective journey without knowing exactly where we are going, we only know our goal; to pierces the heart of darkness with the shaft of light.

The 1 asks us to take our self- knowledge and walk forward with it, using great intention and purpose, even if we are not sure what the outcome will be. Warriors need to know their purpose, they leave the outcome to God/Goddess.

We will need courage and that is no surprise as we look at the mountain of issues and problems we face as a collective. Courage will keep us focused. Courage will also help us shift our perspective in the moment if that is what serves the highest purpose. We cannot afford to hold on to useless beliefs and behaviors.

We must be confident as a collective, which of course means first as individuals who seek like-minded community. Be confident in knowing, *the* way will be shown. Be confident that love *IS* ultimately the way. Be confident we can respond to global crisis with the best of ourselves. Be confident that

holding a positive, educated outlook in the face of what is negative can be transformational.

We will be tested to use our Will in service to what is highest and best in us. Intention, intention, intention.

You may feel impulses urging you to go forward....GO. Don't stay with relationships that keep you stuck, either change within them or... GO. Don't stay in toxic jobs... GO. Don't make excuses for yourself...GO. We need every warrior to take up their cause is and GO. Write that letter, that song, that screenplay. Express that love, give that forgiveness, get involved politically, environmentally, locally and globally....GO.

There is great possibility inherent in the 1 year but not all the answers will be given. Be okay with that and go forward with focus.

May your possibilities shimmer with energy and encourage you to move forward on your Divine path.

AS I WAS FINISHING THIS LETTER TO YOU, THE NEWS CAME ABOUT THE ASSASSINATION OF BENAZIR BHUTTO IN PAKISTAN. HER DEATH IS A GREAT TRAGEDY FOR HER FAMILY, THE PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN AND THE WORLD. SHE WAS AN AMAZING HUMAN BEING WHO LIVED WHAT SHE FELT WAS HER DESTINY. SHE WAS WILLING TO PAY THE ULTIMATE PRICE FOR THAT. I KNEW IMMEDIATELY THAT HER DEATH, COMING AT THE END OF A 9 YEAR, WAS VERY SIGNIFICANT. I FELT HER ASSASSINATION CARRIED AN EVEN GREATER PURPOSE THAN WHAT WE MAY ALREADY KNOW. I DID HER NUMEROLOGY CHART AND WAS NOT SURPRISED BUT IN SOME WAY HEARTENED BY WHAT I FOUND AND I WANTED TO SHARE THIS WITH YOU. BENAZIR BHUTTO HAD A 9 LIFE PATH, THAT OF CREATING EVERY OPPORTUNITY POSSIBLE TO SURRENDER AND GIVE SERVICE. SHE DIED AT THE END OF HER LIFE PATH YEAR (9). ON HER BIRTHDAY (6-21) OF 2007 SHE CROSSED INTO ANOTHER 9 LIFE OPPORTUNITY CYCLE. SHE WAS ALSO IN A 9 THEME. WHAT ALL THIS SIGNIFIES, I BELIEVE, IS NOT ONLY HER WILLINGNESS TO LIVE THE TENANT "NOT MY WILL BUT THINE" BUT THAT HER DEATH HAS THE POTENTIAL TO GALVANIZE COLLECTIVE CONSCIOUSNESS. THE RESULT MAY BE A TRANSCENDENCE OF BELIEFS AND BEHAVIORS WE FIND THE WORLD, AND PARTICULARLY THE MIDDLE EAST STRUGGLING WITH. LET US PRAY SHE DID NOT DIE IN VAIN, I DO NOT BELIEVE SHE DID.

I will be back to work January 8 and would love to hear from you. This is the time to set our intentions for The New Year and our numerological Personal Year points the way.

YOUR PERSONAL YEAR

Your own personal year can be anything from 1 to 9 and is calculated with numbers from your birth date and the number of the calendar year. Here is a

little taste of the years' qualities to jog your memory and awareness. Add your day and month of birth (not the year) to the number 1, if the result is a two digit number, add those together and reduce to a single digit, that is your personal year.

If 2008 is a:

1. Recognize that there is only one of you on the planet and you have a unique contribution to give this world.
2. Do as Mother Theresa says "do ordinary things with extraordinary love". Be a force for healing in the world.
3. Find your part in the community and vitalize others with your enthusiasm. Communicate-be spontaneous and creative with thought and action.
4. Build a stronger foundation under your life by using discipline as a life enhancing experience. Take care with your body, home, family and work.
5. Allow the power of transformation to shift your position or beliefs so you find more freedom. Have the courage to stand in the middle of change with an open heart.
6. Bring your life into greater balance and harmony, so that you may help balance the world. Recognize the unconditional love that is always available to you.
7. Look deeper inside, take time to reflect, be willing to tell the truth as you see it without expecting anyone else to do it your way.
8. Manifest your highest ideals into form without distortion. Vitalize your financial reality and share it with those in need.
9. Surrender all that might impede your connection to your highest self and serve. "Ask not what your country can do for you, ask what you can do for your country" (or friend, family, community).

I have also decided to do some teaching this year as I have been asked by many of you if I would. Numerology is a tool you can use for yourself and your family and friends and I want to make it accessible on that level. Please let me know if you are interested in a class in my area or in setting one up in yours. I have a new brochure which I can mail out to those who would like it. Just email me at SusanKirk@SusanKirk22.com . Please note I have a new email address for anything pertaining to numerology. And will be phasing out Susanhk22@aol.com.

*Love and life's blessings to you and yours,
Susan*