

THE SECRET DOCTRINE

Introductory

- I. Secret Doctrine and cognate works are statement of Wisdom Religion, Theosophy, etc.
 - A. It is not asserted that Wisdom Religion is true.
 1. Truth or untruth of doctrine must be determined by everyone individually.
 - B. It is a definite system of thought that stands or falls as a logically consistent whole
 1. It is not an eclectic collection.
 2. The mathematics of the soul.
 3. While said to be the source of all the great religions, yet in the course of time has, in the most cases, become greatly distorted by admission of error.
 - a. Hence primary importance of preserving purity of doctrine.
- II. The primary liberating or binding principle is the Idea
 - A. All other factors, priests, teachers, organizations, orders ceremonies, experience are secondary aids to this.
 - B. Central Lodge of Masters exists as a body for preserving discovery, verification and dissemination of the Doctrine.
- III. The importance of finding the greater Secret Doctrine.
 - A. The Guru lies embodied in this book.