

Running Springs.  
San Bernardino Mountains  
California  
January 4, 1946

Mr. Franklin Merrell-Wolff  
c/o Mr. Richard R. Smith  
120 East 39th Street  
New York 16  
N. Y.

My dear Mr. Merrell-Wolff:

I came upon your book, Pathways Through to Space, in my never-ending quest, when I was browsing in Dawson's Book Store in Los Angeles. I know that you have really accepted Liberation. For eight years now, I have been struggling through the mazes of analytical psychology and realize that has been my way of purification. It seems now that Liberation is very near. I dreamed, a few nights ago, that I was being presented with a large silver dollar, the Liberty Head uppermost and facing to the right. The dream was repeated a few moments later. "I" accepted the gift in the dream but I have not accepted it in Consciousness.

I feel that if you are able, you will write me, because you know there is spiritual "induction". I believe in it too, and feel that a very small amount will be necessary for me to break the chrysalis shell.

In case you are interested in "who" I am, here are a few of the facts: I was born Oct. 27, 1896; in Highland, Calif., of "God-fearing", tempestuous parents, both Canadians; they came to California in 1835; born on a citrus grove; educated in the public schools nearby; B. A. Pomona College 1919; M.A. Cornell University 1920; teacher of biology in junior and high schools; hated teaching because of the fierce necessities of discipline; librarian for 5 years, California State Fisheries Laboratory, Los Angeles Harbor; 1930, married to Stanley A. Wheeler, harbor reporter for L. A. Herald-Express; daughters 13 and 12; in 1937 reason for living seemed no longer to exist; 1933 started on analytical psychology by chance and in desperation to find out what was the matter with me, when I had "everything" but a good reason for living. My husband has risen to Commander in the U.S.N.R. so at least I have not impeded him too much in my search for Inner Reality.

Hopefully awaiting an answer, I am

Eagerly yours, *Genevieve Corwin Wheeler*

I do not know why I should en-  
close this card except that it is  
a symbol of unfoldment, I "just  
happened" to pick it up off the  
floor, and it is exquisite vio-  
let and blue. It is from  
my husband's mother. She  
brought him forth exactly  
4 years after my mother  
brought me forth, so we nev-  
er forget each others birth-  
days, and neither does she!

Genevive Corwin Wheeler

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*Callithea sapphira*, male



Dear Stanley  
This little blue  
butterfly brings my  
love and best wishes  
for a happy birthday  
and a satisfactory  
year ahead -  
Mother.

P.S.

I am mailing a small  
birthday card to you &  
you and Genevieve at  
Pleasant Springs -  
for Oct. 27, 1945.

J.A.C. JR.

J.A. Cuddy  
Blue Hill Falls  
Maine —

Dear Mr. Merrell-Wolf —

Feb 16<sup>th</sup>

It was my good fortune a few days ago to find your remarkable book "Pathways Through to Space" at the separation center library just before leaving the armed forces. Unfortunately I had but one evening in which to read it but I found your experiences so strikingly similar to my own that I feel an urge to compare notes and perhaps to even ask for your ~~advice~~ advice on a certain matter.

I have been engrossed in the study of occult philosophy since the age of 15 and in the 10 years which have elapsed many inward developments have taken place. My first period was devoted to reading everything I could lay my hand on pertaining to the Higher Knowledge. The second period was the discovery of the "Current" which you described so convincingly in your book. The next period was inactive because of the pressing duties of the army, however, after 2 years of this inactivity and while still in the service, I experienced your "High Indifference" state one night just before dropping off to sleep. I was, like yourself, totally unforwarned as to this momentous event. The deep powerful force surged thru my body and I had the feeling of being lifted over my physical

body. It lasted but a few seconds - with  
no bad after effects - Several nights following  
the same event occurred again, only this  
time it was more refined and prolonged and I  
seemed to have gone into an even deeper  
state all the while remaining fully conscious.  
Your notes on this reads so similar to mine  
that I feel that I could have easily written  
them myself - Since I seemed to have  
left my physical body to some extent  
I figured it ~~it~~ meant the beginning  
of the ability to travel on the astral  
plane - It is here that I made a grave  
blunder - Instead of accepting this as  
a demonstration, I tried to induce this  
state voluntarily - I thought it my duty;  
so night after night just before going to  
sleep, I tried to recapture this experience.  
I could succeed only just so far each  
night and then, during the day, I began  
to have a bad reaction - I would experience  
that "tight-rope-walking" business you  
so vividly described on page 40 - Your  
account of this matter has been the  
only one I have ever been able to find  
in all the literature that I have read -  
To be sure, there have been various hints  
here and there, but no accurate account -

This last phase happened about a year  
ago and I am not completely cured yet.

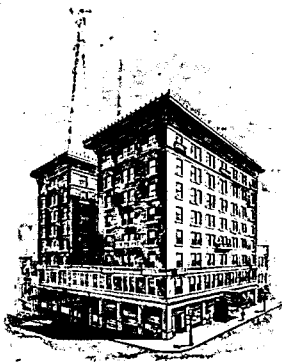
J.A.C. JR.

My first attempts at combatting this reaction was in using the Current - Although this would have a momentarily curing effect, it only seemed to stir up more trouble in the end - I learned to know that the "Fire" descends thru the head permeating the physical body - and reactions to this is never "bad", but the physical body has a way of throwing off any bad reactions in little shocks which has the same initial feeling as the genuine "Fire invasion" - Knowing this I stopped inducing the Current and checked my "Fire" descension - My method was to use mind control - concentration etc. This had a way of pulling the self together, but only momentarily - In the past month or two, I have evolved a new technique that of allowing or inducing the bodily energies to rise up thru the physical body, thus causing a binding effect - The key to this was ~~noted~~ found by noting that in the morning when I awoke, I was always normal

and for an hour or two afterwards -  
(although a "rest cure" was not the  
answer) Then I found Fink's "Release  
From Nervous Tension" in which he  
advocates a 10 week course in relaxation.  
This is designed for "nervous disorders,"  
but I figured it would be helpful  
in the "flowing through" process - This  
coupled with a program of good posture  
and healthy objective living, has done  
much to improve my condition - Now  
that I am out of the service, with its  
many inevitable anxieties, and general  
confusion, I feel that I should be  
restored to normalcy in a short time -  
I notice that ~~I~~ this last technique  
corresponds closely to your own solution  
of being "fundamentally at ease" -

you mentioned in your book  
that it took you years to restore  
yourself to normalcy, I am wondering  
if <sup>there</sup> are any techniques that you found  
particularly helpful which you might  
care to pass on other than what you  
mentioned in your book? If so, I  
should be most grateful to hear of  
them -  
sincerely -

Jeffrey a Cuddy -



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Managing Director

# Hotel SHAWNEE Springfield, Ohio

16 February 1946

Dear Mr. Merrill-Wolff: -

I am reading your "Pathways  
Through to Space" and want to  
give you a bit of information  
on psycho-physical but that  
may be of interest.

A few summers ago  
I was watching beside an  
individual in a state of  
"samadhi" - investigating other  
realms - ~~for~~ whether you wish





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to call it - I was wetting her  
lips by dipping my right  
index finger in a dish of water  
and then touching her lips -  
This continued during a period  
I perhaps two hours - with  
the moistening being done every  
few minutes -

After the individual had  
returned to "normal" consciousness  
I noticed a peculiar feeling in



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the finger I had been using as moistening agent - Upon examination it was found to be burned, with the outer skin turned white, and a definite blister developed, as if a hot iron had been touched. The blister covered an area a little over  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch long and slightly narrower. It healed as would an ordinary burn.

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The experience was witnessed  
by a third party and has  
never been publicized.

The lady is still living -  
at the age of 81 -

I thought you might like  
to have the information -

Very truly yours -

(Lt. Col.) Frank E. Noyes  
33 South Souden Ave  
Columbus 8, Ohio