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The Phases Of War With Pharaoh

Question: What does it mean to reveal <u>broken</u> desires or *Kelim*? Do we reveal them in our aspiration to attain the <u>Creator</u> or in the desire to unite with one another?

Dr. Laitman's Answer: We reveal our broken *Kelim* only in the desire to unite with each other in order to attain the Creator. And we reveal them more and more each time.

Let's say that at the recent <u>convention</u> we discovered that on one hand we would like to unite, but on the other hand we do not desire it. Something on the inside stops us; there is some enemy, hater, inner stupor, or *Machsom* that does not let me come closer to others and unite with them.

This is the first plague of the <u>ten Egyptian plagues</u> or blows to <u>Pharaoh</u> (Pharaoh is the name of the one stopping me). I feel that he does not let me unite with others, even though I don't yet fully realize why I have to unite with them, where is the Creator here, and how is it possible to bestow to Him. For now I only have an aspiration to unite.

It will happen differently the second time. We want to unite and we have to be together to attain spirituality because spirituality becomes revealed only in the unity among us. This will become a little bit clearer to us. On the other hand, we will once again feel that something stops us. We demand, "Free us!" But he does not let us go.

The Creator continuously reveals a more powerful ego inside us, "hardening Pharaoh's heart." Then we will go out and attack again, and this does not have to happen only at a convention. We will then see that we are unable to do it ourselves; we need an external force. So where is this external force? We begin to desire for the Creator to unite us; then we will break through the *Machsom*.

Next time we will begin to feel that breaking the *Machsom* means breaking the *Machsom* between us. We shouldn't attack some external boundary. The *Machsom* is between us, in our hearts, which are isolated from each other by an egoistic boundary.

Afterward, by making another attack, we will feel that we do not need all of this for ourselves; we don't need it in order to unite and reveal spirituality, but in order to bestow to the Creator through it. This is the "last stop."

All of this becomes revealed gradually. Once we reveal all of these phases in practice and experience them to the fullest, we will thereby create the right desire, *Kli*, or vessel for receiving the <u>Light</u>. Otherwise you cannot reveal the Light. The Light is abundantly present, but you have to reveal the right desire or *Kli* for it; you have to attain the same frequency or the same quality. This is possible only through the actions that come to us as they create a true desire in which the Light will become revealed.

The Daily Page November 30, 2010 So let us get ready to make the next attack on Pharaoh! From the 2nd part of the Daily Kabbalah Lesson 11/30/10, Talmud Eser Sefirot