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# Prayer to Realize Heaven Here on Earth

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GOD IS EVERYWHERE; He is infinite. Within Him is infinite abundance which He is manifesting on earth according to the laws of phenomena. God is the master artist and as a child of God, I am His representative on earth. My role is to realize the ideas I receive from Him. All living things are God's self-manifestations; however, with the exception of humankind, they are only passively receiving and realizing His ideas and have not been given the ability as representatives of God to think and create on their own.

Like God, only we can consciously think and create, not only fulfilling our responsibilities as His creation, but as the conscious self-manifestation of God "who art in heaven." Likewise, we too, as "lord" of the earth, inherited all attributes from Him and reign over all living things.

We are the spontaneous outlet for God's creative power as we receive and broadcast His ideas as His intermediary. God's ideas will be manifested wherever we go and for whatever we desire in the phenomenal world and projected onto the screen of time and space.

If we were not born to this earth, it would be as though God lost His outlet to broadcast His sacred ideas. The projected scenes on earth would be in disarray and muddled. Certainly, civilization would not be in full bloom in methodical order. This is the significance of our being on this earth.

However, we must not become conceited. We must not become arrogant. In order for us to truly manifest our power as the outlet for God, we must become a broadcast station for His ideas. Through His ideas we will manifest our wisdom, realize our love, and fully display our creative power for we cannot do anything on our own.

If the flow of life from God ceases and the broadcast of His wisdom ends and we are unable to receive His blessings, we would be like TV sets without any electricity flowing or without any broadcast to receive. We would be completely ineffective and unable to perform any work or realize His blessings.

Therefore, my mind will always face God and perfectly receive the flow of His life and His broadcast of wisdom; and under the protection of His magnanimous love, I will receive His universal and infinite ideas. I will always lead a life with the goal to realize the bountiful, beautiful, and shining world where God's love and wisdom are being manifested.

I now appreciate my sacred mission in life, and with great joy I offer my heartfelt gratitude to God.

Thank you very much!

—From *Hikari No Izumi*,  
"Fountain of Light," March 1972, pp. 20-21