

Duty

“Do what thou wilt shall be the whole of the Law.” – L I:40

“thou hast no right but to do thy will. Do that, and no other shall say nay” – L I:42-43

“Every man and every woman is a star” – L I:3

“A NOTE ON THE CHIEF RULES OF PRACTICAL CONDUCT TO BE OBSERVED BY THOSE WHO ACCEPT THE LAW OF THELEMA.”

– Aleister Crowley, *The Revival of Magick and Other Essays*, pp. 135-144

A. YOUR DUTY TO YOURSELF–see L II:6, II:70-71, II:22, I:51, I:41-44, I:61, II:9, II:34-35, II:41-44, II:64, II:66, & II:19.

- Find yourself to be the centre of your own Universe.
- Explore the Nature and Powers of your own Being.
- Develop in due harmony and proportion every faculty which you possess.
- Contemplate your own Nature.
- Find the formula of this purpose, or “True Will,” in an expression as simple as possible.
- Extend the dominion of your consciousness, and its control of all forces alien to it, to the utmost.
- Never permit the thought or will of any other Being to interfere with your own.
- Do not repress or restrict any true instinct of your Nature; but devote all in perfection to the sole service of your one True Will.
- Rejoice!

B. YOUR DUTY TO OTHER INDIVIDUAL MEN AND WOMEN–see L I:12, II:59, II:24, I:3, III:18, II:21, & III:62.

- “Love is the law, love under will” (L I:57).
- “As brothers fight ye!” (L III:59).
- Abstain from all interference with other wills.
- Seek, if you so will, to enlighten another when need arises.
- Worship all!

C. YOUR DUTY TO MANKIND–

- Establish the Law of Thelema as the sole basis of conduct.
- “The word of Sin is Restriction” (L I:41).

D. YOUR DUTY TO ALL OTHER BEINGS AND THINGS–

- Apply the Law of Thelema to all problems of fitness, use, and development.

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