

The whole purpose of separation is union - thoughts to ponder

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The whole purpose of separation is union. A divine paradox? We are born into the physical world as separate from the Oneness for the sole purpose of individuation. Without there first being separate individuals there is no love, no relationship. Oneness cannot experience love but two separate individuals can experience the oneness which is love.

The whole first half of our lives is all about separating from Oneness, individuation, establishing a self, an identity, using tools like the material world, things, ego, body, image, form, status, etc. This is the most vulnerable time when falls, mistakes and failures happen.

The second half of our lives is all about coming to the essence of what individuation is all about: surrender back into Oneness, but this time consciously, not like the unconscious embryo.

I was thinking about this as I ponder the fact that when I die, I won't be able to take anything material with me so then, what is it that gives my life its meaning, it's purpose? That's the genius of life; that we eventually come to realize the futility of physical stuff and ego satisfaction and we start seeking the true meaning of life.

Just some thoughts to ponder.