

Key phrases in the INTRODUCTION to UR website



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There are several significant phrases or expressions that appear in the INTRODUCTION section of the UR website. Here are some of them and we contrast them with "their opposite", so that everyone can draw their own conclusions...

unchanging, infinite and unique Ultimate Reality behind all existence

in contrast to: the transient reality of multiple, finite, changing [physical] existences...

the transit of the human being through the ephemeral earthly life

in contrast to: the immortal and infinite Universal Life...

the knowledge of the Everlasting Universal Life

in contrast to: the knowledge of partial, individual, circumscribed and impermanent life...

to unify concepts that give consistency to the knowledge we want to present

in contrast to: the dispersion of the amalgam of ideas and approaches that can lead to confusion...

ancient and modern messages of the highest inspiration

in contrast to: thoughts and reflections limited by the human intellect...

Ultimate Reality of the Universe

in contrast to: the passing phenomenal appearance revealed through time and space...

Ultimate Reality of the human being: the Higher Self —our immortal, fundamental, absolute inner reality—

in contrast to: the immediate appearance: our finite, limited, transitory, relative physical self...

the Highest Purpose of human life

in contrast to: the "lower" purpose of the mere preservation and enjoyment of the physical body...

the only means of "attaining" true permanent happiness and the smiling, unshakeable inner peace...

in contrast to: the limited and finite happiness of the "material" world, and the fragile peace of the "outer" world...

the Impersonal Love (and its authentic compassion) that flows from this Overself...

in contrast to: the "personal love" as a superficial emotion from the ego its false compassion (sentimentality)...

from this Overself, the divine Soul, our "pristine state", our true timeless Self....

in contrast to: the lower self (pseudo-self), the "altered" present state, our temporary false self...

the texts should provide genuine Universal Knowledge

in contrast to: a "distorted" personal, local, sensory knowledge...

the unerring universal law of consequences (the law of Karma)

in contrast to: the "mere coincidences" of life, and to the "good or bad luck" of worldly circumstances...

helps us to understand our own destiny

in contrast to: the incomprehension of "where we are going"...

"If there is no contradictory impression, there is nothing to provoke reflection."

(Plato, 427 B.C. - 347 B.C.)