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The Abundance of Games

by Marilyn Routsong

Looking as we have been lately on Siberia Bills, atom bombs, crime, insanity, high cost of living, and ingrown toenails, we may have lost sight on what's coming up in our future, happen what may....the solid, irrefutable fact that this planet IS going to have a GOLDEN AGE. This is certain. This is as certain as you're right now reading this.

Now, a Golden Age isn't a time when everything is tied up in pink ribbon and everybody goes around smiling at everybody else. It is a time when there is lots of freedom (not freedom from), lots of problems and havingness, lots of awareness and lots of interest. In essence - lots of games - along all the dynamics, with everyone playing. It is a time of abundance of adventures, of achievements, a time when creation and origination is an everyday occurrence and degradation is something that you might read about in history books..... a time when one man can tell another man from a machine.

There are games in progress today on Earth, full real games with freedom, problems and havingness, awareness and interest. But, it's a funny thing - when someone is being processed, and finds more and more problems, and more and more problems, and finally invents some problems and then some more, and

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then some games, and then some more, he ends up handling the most fabulous kind of problems you could think of, and dozens at a time and has a confidence in himself that sort of shines, and he gets into the wildest games with the most fun. He's a wonderful fellow, too, and you get two of these guys together, and WOW what a team!

There are also games around today that people spectate. Games like football, basketball, baseball, etc. There are some players, but the bulk of people spectate these games, rather than play them. Now spectating is all right. It's good entertainment. And you got a lot of other people spectating, too, and you can take sides, and it's good for a lot of yak, and some side bets, too. But it IS somebody else playing the game. The guy who is watching the game isn't really PLAYING that game. Someone else is playing it for him. You could say that spectating is playing a game by via. Now the guy that goes to a stadium or an arena to watch is still pretty close to the game. He's in there pitching. I've seen three people pushed off the end of a bench at a football game because one guy in the middle of the bench was trying to help his team make a touchdown. But, nowadays, we've got Professional Watchers and more people spectate games via a TV set than go to coliseums. And then they don't see the whole game - only what the guy who's running the camera wants to point it at. But a lot of people don't even see this much. They don't see the game at all - just read about who won in the next day's newspaper. You can see that the more vias between you and this game, the less real the game would be. Less reality, less affinity, less communication, less awareness, until that game doesn't exist for you. And when a guy gets down to no games, existence gets awfully dull, and sort of slips into automatic. Just a IAAah. So spectating is OK. But it can lead away from games. And it's the guy who plays the game that gets most of the fun.

Then, there are the things that you are doing in your daily livingness. If you are doing these things out of your free choice and out of your interest, then flags up to you! If you are not, then for your information, Scientology is a game that is being played TODAY. It is a game that you can spectate if you wish, or that

Dissemination

by Don Breeding

The very least goal of dissemination is that the knowledge and understanding that SCIENTOLOGY exists be present with people everywhere. People who KNOW that life and mud are not the same, that something CAN be done, that man CAN get better. That things can be changed if they are TOO bad. SCIENTOLOGY, THEN, AS A STABLE datum in their lives. To do this we do not find it desirable to plaster the name of SCIENTOLOGY over everything or to associate it with just anything. We are disseminating a meaning here, not a word. Psychiatry is well known and through television and other media is almost a household word. Yet it hardly serves as anyones stable datum. It is not a desirable stable datum. Almost anything can be made to serve as a stable datum, but just anything is not desirable for the state of man's sanity. Scientology injects stable data which have much greater than usual aligning power. And Scientology's stable data are much closer to TRUTH.

There are a very many thousands of people who know about Scientology, not as a word, but a very definite hope and meaning. These people, many who have never gotten any processing or even any reading, are happier and more secure in their jobs, family and general existence simply because they know something exists which does not regard man as a totally stimulus response being and rather, regards him as a spiritual being of some ability and self determinism. This then permits them to engage in life's activity without a total discouragement and with a confidence that tomorrow may be better. This then becomes a very high goal of dissemination.

People do not have to be made to know. They very naturally do know. Because of this MANY will probably never consider processing at all but WILL welcome something which naturally and truthfully aligns their fellow man's activity.

It is a fact that PROBLEMS do not truly exist for oneself alone. "MY problem is: my problem WITH my fellow man". One has problems with and about and for mother, father, wife, kids, boss, Joe and Bill. One has goals for all these but not always and in fact seldom for himself alone. In this MEST universe LIFE has the dynamics along which to align and ex-

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press its activity. Failure of the dynamics is a failure of life itself and is non-survival and non-existence. Thus we see that Scientology by injecting the stable data of LIFE itself into the situations of men actually gains a sanity and survival for mankind without further effort.

As the Truths of Scientology are further disseminated, many will not desire to become auditors in the usual sense. That is they will not become specialists in Scientology. They WILL however audit. Audit their communities; their group, their friends, simply through the use of CERTAINTIES gained from the understanding of LIFE'S STABLE DATA.

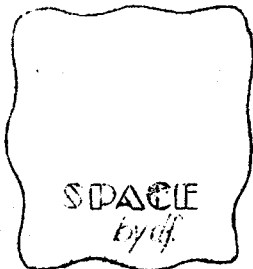
Very probably, as Scientology is successfully and broadly disseminated, there will be a day when Scientology itself ceases to exist as a subject but instead is known and understood in the minds of everyone as THE SIMPLE TRUTH of LIVING. When this day arrives the people of this planet will have been rehabilitated in the GAME of LIFE. SCIENTOLOGY itself can be said to be the GAME of rehabilitating the GAME, or the Game of understanding LIFE.

Naturally, Scientology desires and needs players. We will continue to need players so that everyone on the planet will have a chance at LIFE, the game.

Many of the present games of man will use our knowledge and understanding. Quite a few already do. But, there will come a day when man reaches for the stars and gets them. And this will have been made possible by Scientology.

There are directions that you can go in life and some are good and some are bad. Good and bad, right and wrong, are alike considerations. But we know what we mean by good and bad. We mean what makes a game better and what makes it worse. What is better survival and what is worse survival.

If we look at the "wrong" end of the tone scale we find ever increasing solidity and identification or sameness. In terms of lessening ability we discover people have less and less power to differentiate, to know a right from a wrong. Lessening awareness, lessening responsibility. You can trace the game down the scale, too until it becomes, not a game, not even a problem, but simply a chaos or confusion. So, people can be crazy and games can be crazy. It is our job to rehabilitate either and both. Take a sane man in a crazy game (no-game) and give him a new game, a game which makes sane again other games and you'll see him spark! Life will again be a pleasure. It is no wonder Scientology at-



tracts participants.

The very best participation comes as a member. Be one an Associate Member, General Member, Special Member or Professional Member, he is auditing and being audited. Whichever level of data one uses, whatever degree he gets into action he has a higher understanding of life and greater ability to live than his fellows who do not yet know that Scientology is at hand.

We have a goal for the HASI of many hundreds of thousands of members. The HASI wants its people to reach a hand further out to the society and by so doing ultimately gain for this civilization the highest and best of activity for all of man.

Each active member represents dozens of new people helped. It is for the member that ABILITY, CERTAINTY AND THE PABS ARE published. It is for the member that we have books and tapes. It is for the MEMBER that we have MEMBERSHIPS.

We have today over twenty thousand people who stay in contact with the organization. Only a tenth of these people are active members. Many look to the periodic mailing of free newsletters to keep in touch with us and their friends. Yet all are, because of Scientology leading fuller lives. In a couple of years we shall undoubtedly have increased this 20,000 ten times. And this will still be but a tenth of the people who KNOW of Scientology, its purpose and meaning. We shall not hazard the effects of this in the society, but they will be GOOD and the game of LIFE on this planet will thus be continued and in much, much higher spirit than before possible. And it will be to the member that credit for this is due.

Almost all of the income for this great activity comes from the members. The majority of auditors trained were first members and of course stay members so long as they are Auditors. It is to the members that we look for the broadest dissemination of Scientology and it is the members who will gain the fort.

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The boys and girls looking for adventure come in and take the Courses, and light out of here to achieve things. They know that confidence doesn't come out of a hair oil bottle, and that one year's worth of TV watching isn't worth one ounce of adventure. They do know that confidence comes from an awareness that they can handle just about anything that comes their way, and that adventure comes from participation.

Of course you can spectate. You can also go out and buy a steak, work up a good appetite, and then let someone else eat the steak, and you sit there and watch. But, what's the fun of it? And doing something for fun is the proper and fitting activity for a thetan.

So a Golden Age is coming. With the Axioms floating all over the planet (there's a copy of them in all the major universities all over the world), with as much basic knowledge on life and news that something can be done about anything, as has already been disseminated, there is no chance of there not being a Golden Age. And there is this big game being played right now. If you're participating right now, -Hi! If you're spectating, come on in and join the game.

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ABOUT BRIDEY MURPHY

by Dick Steves

Being in New York, then arriving here in Washinton to teach the HAA Course turned a new page in my life - "The vorpel sword went sniker snack" and the Auditor says, "OK" - well, that was my introduction to the Indoctrination Course.

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And "Bridey Murphy", well, that's old hat. The ivy now hangs on that part of the track, as we've known for a long time that the past works badly upon the person.

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I've heard a lot of guys and girls say they don't need training. Training is for those who want to be auditors. I agree with them. They don't need training because when a person is trained he knows how to fix up those kids running around lame for life, those broken homes put back together, people headed for the spin-bin put back on their feet, people with no hope subscribing to mass radiation. We don't need a new planet - we got one. A good one. It has color, life and YOU. Training is here in Washington - how about you joining us.



WHERE THEY ARE

We just received a stack of the ABILITY DUPLICATE ISSUES, printed in MELBOURNE for the Australian and New Zealand membership. Since Issue 16 we have been Air Mailing ABILITY to JOHN FARRELL, he sets it up for mimeo, and out it goes to the kids Down Under. SCIENTOLOGY, AUSTRALIA, with JOHN FARRELL, RON CHITOCK, STANLEY RICHARDS at the helm is getting ready to kick off some big projects, and is already started with the Basic Course.....TUCK WONG, HAA, made the hop over to Washington for a two week Academy refresher. He's now back in HONOLULU with the new material and is going full blast with the biggest Basic Course yet.....D.ScN. SYLVAN STEIN got a mimeo machine - we've got an awful lot to say to people, says Sylvan, so let's get saying it.....DUANE NELSON, HCA of ESPANOLA, NEW MEXICO (a town which gets more than its share of radiation) is getting things organized in that huge state. We hear he is picking a bigger town for his base.....JUDY BREEDING of the Distribution Center is taking a week for her Hubbard Guidance Center Intensive. (Each and every one

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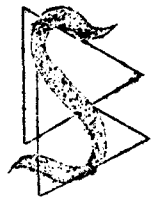
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