



Beyond the Silver Cord

A Journey of Transformation into
Divine Love and True Reality

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Dedication

This book is inspired by Sulaiman Mohammed Jalla

Dad, your death hurt me profoundly. I never cried so much. Yet, I now rejoice, seeing it as a blessing in disguise that led me on a journey to seek truth.

We'll meet on the other side...



With love

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Preface

My journey began on 15 October 2022 —the day my father passed away. I was about to drive from Johannesburg to Durban to see him when I got the news. That night, unable to sleep, I turned to Google, desperate to understand what happens after death. Where does the Soul go? What about the spirit? These were concepts I'd never really explored deeply until that moment.

Before diving into what I discovered, I want to express my gratitude to those who made this possible. To God, my Creator, for your infinite love, care, support, and guidance. To my Spiritual Band for the gentle nudges in the right direction. To my life partner, Kerisa, for her unwavering love, patience, and understanding. To my family—my mom, Patricia; my brother, Zane; my sisters, Sandra and Seru; my children, Shaquille, Shakira, and Ajla; and my nieces, Rageemah and Raeesa—for your unconditional love and support. And to my friend, Gina Leigh, whose persistence and encouragement, often when I resisted, helped me through one of the most transformative periods of my life.

My search began with the familiar—traditional beliefs I grew up hearing: that the Soul waits for Judgment Day, meeting angels Munkar and Nakir for questioning; that the righteous would find comfort, and the wrong doers and disbelievers face punishment. But as I traced these ideas back, I realized many were rooted in interpretations passed down over centuries, without clear foundations. It hit me hard that much of what I believed was inherited opinion, not personal understanding.

This realization came during a turbulent period—I had lost my job, and soon after, my father. Searching for answers, I visited two mediums who told me I was experiencing a "spiritual awakening." At the time, I had no idea what that meant, but it marked a turning point.

From there, I committed to seeking what I call "Absolute Truth." I explored the works of Dr. Michael Newton, who documented thousands of cases of life between lives, and Eckhart Tolle, who teaches that God is not separate from the universe but an intrinsic part of it. Through a post by Gina on Quora, I discovered *Divine Truth*, *New-birth.net*, *Divine Truth Sharing* and *The Padgett Messages*—spiritual teachings that reshaped my understanding in profound ways.

What followed was a journey to confront the spiritual fears I had held my entire life. At first, I struggled with the idea of mediumship. I had been taught to fear spirits. But as I studied and practiced—through courses on mediumship, astral projection, and chakra healing—those fears began to fade. I even turned to science, hoping for hard evidence. Yet, even leading physicists admitted there are realities beyond what our three-dimensional world can grasp. The spirit realms—and God—exist beyond the limits of human comprehension.

This book is the result of that search: a journey across faith, science, and experience to understand the Soul's true path and ultimate destination. Have I uncovered all truth? No—God's truth is infinite, and I will always remain a seeker.

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Book Introduction

This book is an invitation to look beyond ordinary perception and glimpse the reality that awaits us all, a journey born from my own awakening and the pursuit of Absolute Truth.

What you will find here is not only comfort but also clarity about life after death, revealing that our earthly life is merely a shadow of a greater spiritual reality, brought to life through visual illustrations that serve as guides for understanding. While this introduction may contain complex and unfamiliar terms, you can consult the Glossary of Key Terms to help with your understanding.

I believe the purpose of every Soul is to grow in love, here on Earth and in the afterlife. This journey is our response to God's loving invitation: "Ask Me for Divine Love, and I will give it to you, and you can become like Me." (Source: *The Padgett Messages*). This book is my way of helping you recognise and answer it.

It doesn't matter whether you follow a religion or none at all. Whether you feel life has been unfair—favouring the wealthy, the educated, or the fortunate—or whether you've lost your sense of purpose, remember that God created us equally. We each experience life's full spectrum, from joy to hardship, for reasons that shape our Souls. No religion, race, or nation is "the chosen one." We are one creation, with one Divine origin, which is something I'll explore later.

I ask only that you approach this with an open mind. My journey began as a Muslim by birth, raised to fear punishment for breaking certain rules. In many

traditions, ideas like reincarnation, mediumship, or even questioning sacred texts are seen as forbidden. However, I learned that seeking truth sometimes means stepping beyond inherited boundaries.

Pause for a moment and think back: What were you taught as a child? Were you told you would be punished for specific thoughts or actions? These early messages shape us more than we realise.

I'm not a theologian, nor do I claim to know all holy books. I'm simply someone who decided to search for truth. Over time, I found that one of God's greatest gifts is Free Will, the ability to choose in every moment between loving and unloving actions. Those choices shape our Soul condition.

For much of my life, death terrified me. I wondered why we live at all, why joy at a newborn's arrival eventually turns into the sorrow of loss. Now I see life as an endless journey, not a destination. Our Creator is an infinite intelligence beyond our current understanding, and I believe we can learn to align ourselves more closely with His design.

The world will not end through war or environmental collapse, but when each of us ends the inner battle between love and hate. As the spirit John said in *The Padgett Messages*, "spirits who know the truth have long tried to share it with humanity, but now speak more directly so the truth about God and our place in creation can be heard."

Chapter 1

Part I: Understanding God, Soul, and Our Being

Who and What is God?

My understanding of God, where God resides, and His/Her true nature comes from my intuition, grounded in research and a personal quest for Absolute Truth. I share these insights for others to consider and explore for themselves.

God is our Creator and the source of the Universe. Based on my perception, supported by messages like those from *The Padgett Messages*, God is a separate, formless, and shapeless entity of pure energy existing outside the Universe. God embodies both masculine and feminine qualities, much like a Heavenly Father and Mother. As an infinite being, all of God's attributes—intelligence, wisdom, love, and kindness—are boundless, while we are finite creations.

God is not the patron of any specific race, nation, or religion.

God's true image remains a mystery, unseen by us. Living in a three-dimensional world, we cannot fully perceive higher dimensions (like four-dimensional or beyond), which is also where spirits in the Spirit World reside. I am not claiming God exists in a specific dimension, as I do not yet know.

The diagram below (Figure 1.1: Hypothetical Depiction of God and Soul Creation) will be used to help explain the creation of our Souls and their journey, a topic I will explore next. This simplified concept draws from the teachings of *Divine Truth*.

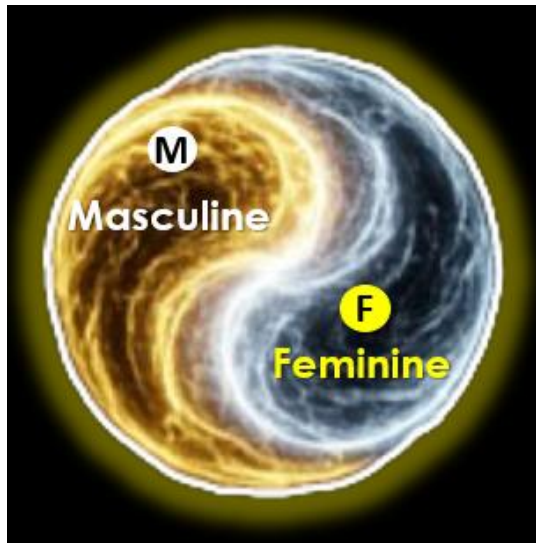


Figure 1.1: Hypothetical Depiction of God and Soul Creation.

The Soul and its Creation

To understand the Soul, which is created in God's image, we must first imagine what God might be like. Both God and the Soul exist in higher dimensions beyond our physical, three-dimensional world—a concept that even science can't fully grasp. The Spirit Body, which may exist in a four- or five-dimensional space, is also beyond our perception. My diagrams are an attempt to bridge this gap by offering a visual exploration of these ideas, helping to better understand the Soul's creation, purpose, and ultimate destination.

An excerpt from *The Padgett Messages*, channelled on November 5, 1916, by a spirit named Luke, provides a foundational understanding:

"The soul of man existed prior to man's creation in the flesh, and was the only part of man that was made in the image of God. It existed in this pristine state without individuality, though having a personality, and resembled the Great Soul of the Almighty, which Soul is God Himself; though the soul that was given to man was not a part of the Great Soul, merely a likeness of it"

This suggests that the soul is a unique creation, distinct from God's essence. It was made in the image of God at a specific point in time, before the creation of man. The soul is the only part of humanity and the only thing in all of creation that reflects God's image.

It is the real person; other parts, such as the intellect and the Physical Body, are simply tools for the Soul to use. Every Soul contains both masculine and feminine characteristics. These are not just about physical gender; they represent a spectrum of energetic,

emotional, and psychological traits. For instance, masculine energy might manifest as action-oriented traits, assertiveness, and rational thinking, while feminine energy might manifest as emotional sensitivity, intuition, and inward reflection. The balance between these energies varies from Soul to Soul, and this energetic balance influences how the Soul experiences relationships, attraction, and self-expression.

The Unified Soul

The Soul, created in God's image, possesses the potential for divinity but is not Divine itself. Each Soul is born with an instinct to incarnate and a unique personality, though it initially lacks self-awareness and does not fully "know itself." In this pristine state, it has no prior experience, no self-understanding, and no comprehension of Free Will. When a Soul is created, it is pure and without error, resembling a spirit from the Sixth Sphere of the Spirit World. While the Soul cannot be seen by Physical or Spirit Bodies, some higher spirits from *The Padgett Messages* suggest the Soul itself can perceive God.

The Soul as Two Halves

After its creation, the Soul splits into Two Distinct Halves—one masculine and one feminine—for the purpose of incarnation. These Two Halves remain eternally connected by an unbreakable "Rose Cord." Our Soul is a combination of both masculine and feminine characteristics, and God created a huge variety of these in every Soul, much like a person's musical ability or other talents.

The Two Halves reside in the Spirit World, awaiting the birth of babies on Earth. For the vast majority of Souls, their masculine and feminine characteristics are well-balanced. When they separate, One-Half will enter a male baby, and the other will enter a female baby.

This is how God designed the heterosexual connection.

For some Souls, however, either the masculine or feminine characteristics are more dominant. In this case, when the Soul separates, it will divide into two forms of the same gender. **When these Halves incarnate, they form a homosexual partnership.** In this spiritual context, bisexuality is not a Soul characteristic but rather a confusion that can arise from our own sexual attractions and our life's journey. It's possible to be a heterosexual Soul but be comfortable in a homosexual relationship, and vice versa. This can be explained by a disconnect between our physical experiences and our deeper, emotional Soulmate connection.

Ultimately, when we talk about Soulmates, we often focus on gender, but the Soul has countless attributes. It's important to remember that God sees us as one complete Soul, even when we are currently in two different Physical Bodies.

This is illustrated below in Figure 1.2: Depiction of The Soul and Its Creation — Incarnation Journey for the Vast Majority of Souls.

Source: Divine Truth

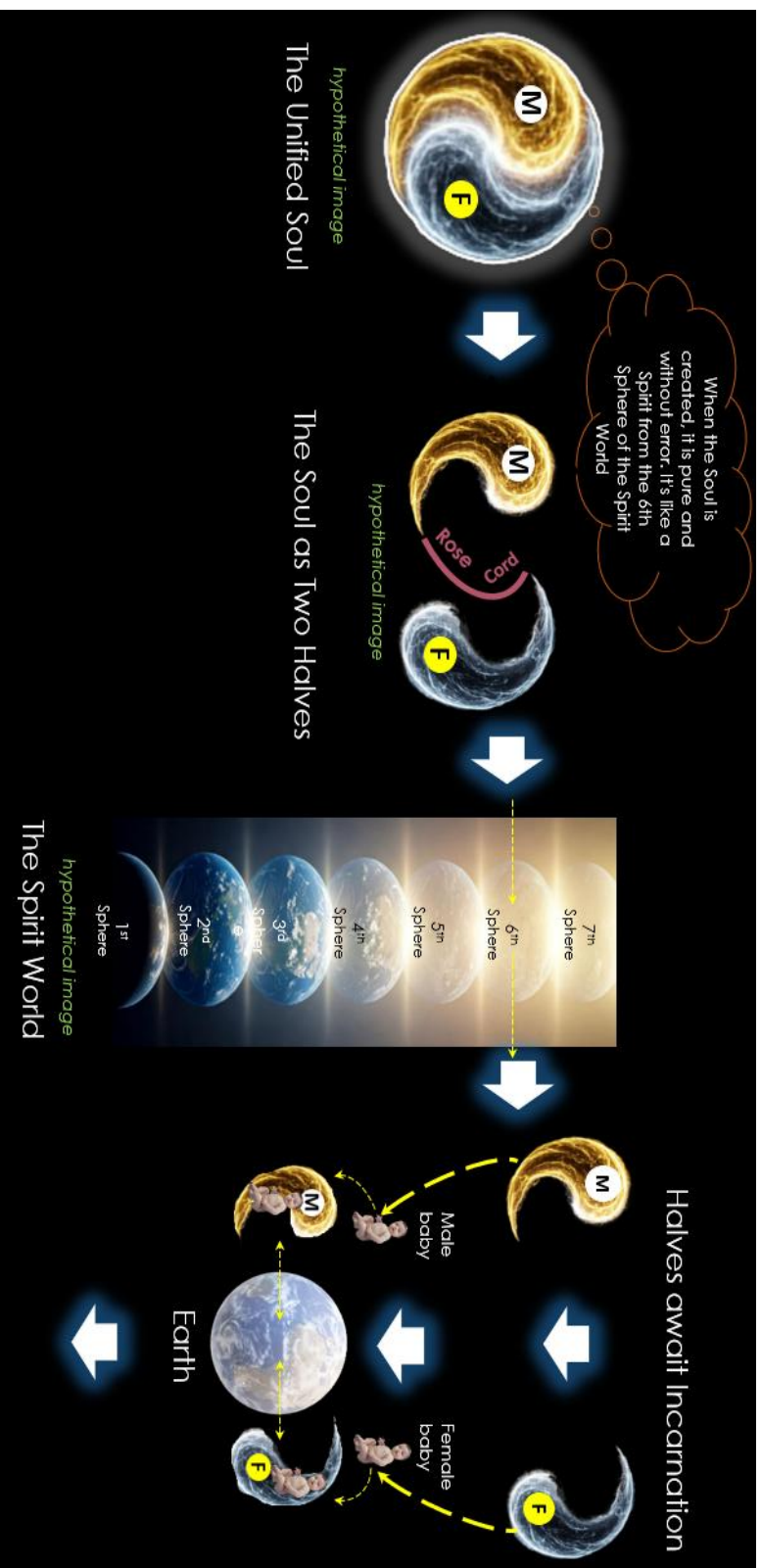


Figure 1.2: Depiction of The Soul and Its Creation - Incarnation Journey for the Vast Majority of Souls.

The Complete Being: Humanity

At conception, the Soul—the Spiritual Half awaiting incarnation—creates a non-physical blueprint for the Physical Body, which is called the **Spirit Body**. A complete human being is therefore made up of three parts: the Soul, the Spirit Body, and the Physical Body. These three parts are interconnected by two energy cords: a **Gold Cord** that connects the Soul to the Spirit Body, and a **Silver Cord** that connects the Spirit Body to the Physical Body.

This process is illustrated in the figure below.

1. How the Spirit Body is created:

At conception, the Soul—the Spiritual Half awaiting incarnation—creates a non-physical blueprint for the Physical Body, which is called the Spirit Body.

2. How the Three Parts Combine:

A Gold Cord connects the Soul to the Spirit Body, and a Silver Cord connects the Spirit Body to the Physical Body.

3. The Complete Being:

This process results in a complete human being, composed of the Soul, Spirit Body, and Physical Body, all working together.

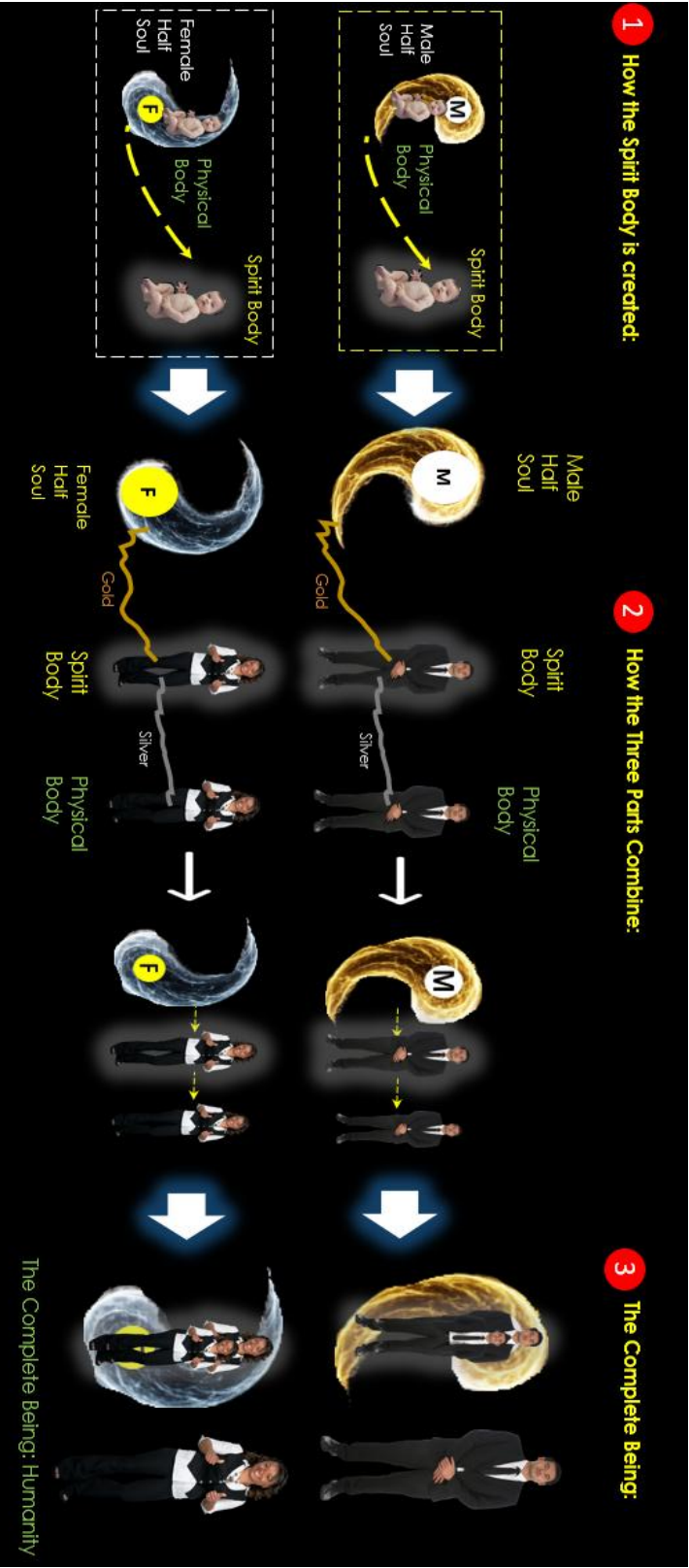


Figure 1.3: Depiction of The Complete Being - Soul, Spirit, and Physical Body Connection.

Who Are YOU? The Real YOU vs The False YOU

The Unified Soul is the core life force of who you are, created in God's image, which then splits into a masculine and feminine Half-Soul. This Half-Soul is the **Real YOU**, the eternal life force within your Physical Body. It is a crucial distinction, as the Physical Body is merely the temporary and mortal "**False YOU**."

When the Physical Body dies, the Real YOU continues to live on in the Spirit World, beginning the next phase of your existence. The Spirit Body is the life energy that emanates from your Soul and provides animation to your physical being. The Soul is the Real YOU, and the Spirit Body is its active energy. The Spirit Body's sole purpose is to carry out the Soul's desires, making them visible in the Physical World.

This is illustrated in Figure 1.4 below: Depiction of Understanding "You" — The Real vs The False Self.

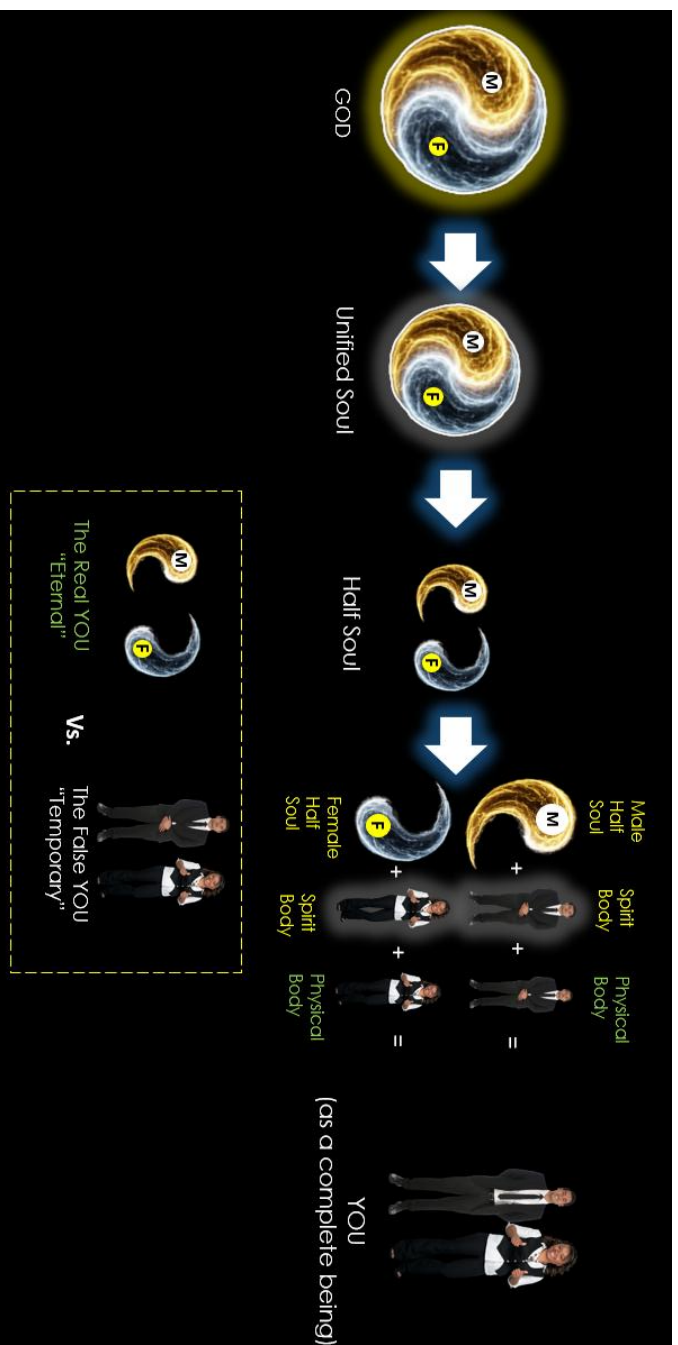


Figure 1.4: Depiction of Understanding "You" - The Real vs The False Self.

We Are God's Children Experiencing Life in Diverse Ways

We are all connected by our shared origin, with one Divine Parent: God. Every Soul inhabiting a Human Body is here on a journey to grow and learn. While we often identify with our physical selves—our race, religion, job, or social status—these are only temporary experiences, like a costume we wear. In truth, our Physical Body is a temporary vessel for our Soul.

We are all God's children. No matter how diverse we are, we are like brothers and sisters on a shared human journey. When the Physical Body dies, we realize our true self is not defined by these temporary physical attributes. As our real, immortal self, we are all equal.

This is illustrated in the figure below, which depicts how masculine and feminine Half-Souls incarnate into diverse human beings.

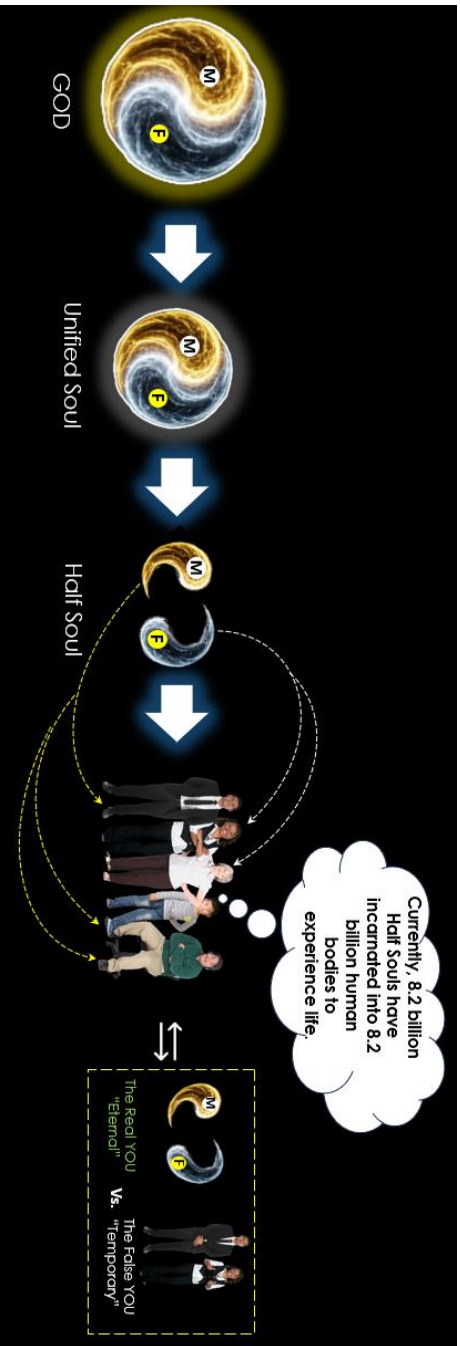


Figure 1.5: Depiction of Humanity as God's Children Experiencing Diverse Lives.

The Soul as Two Halves: Soulmates

Your Soulmate is the Other Half of your Soul that incarnates into a separate Human Body. Half-Souls may meet on Earth or in the Spirit World, with their reunion being guided by their choices and the **Law of Attraction**.

After experiencing life (on Earth and in the Spirit World), both halves will eventually unify as one Soul again. This reunion combines their unique experiences, greatly enhancing their growth on their endless spiritual journey. It's possible for you and your Soulmate to progress together, regardless of whether you are at the same stage of development. If one of you is more advanced, the more developed Soul will always try to help the other grow.

This concept is illustrated in the figure below.



Figure 1.6: Depiction of The Soul as Two Halves and Soulmates.

The Soul's Purpose

The primary purpose of incarnation is **individualization**, a journey of self-discovery and spiritual growth. We come to Earth to develop our self-awareness and learn to exercise our Free Will. This process is facilitated by a complex interplay between the Soul, the Spirit Body, and the Physical Body.

Your Soul, which is the Real YOU, influences the Physical Body indirectly through the Spirit Body. The **Gold Cord** connects the Soul to the Spirit Body, acting as a channel that carries all life experiences from both the Spirit and Physical Bodies back to the Soul. In turn, the **Silver Cord** connects the Spirit Body to the Physical Body, relaying all sensory information from the Physical World.

The Spirit Body and Physical Body work together as vessels for the Soul, allowing it to experience and learn in different dimensions. The Physical Body enables interaction with the Earth plane in an "awake state," while the Spirit Body learns in the Spirit World during its "sleep state."

People with the ability to astral travel (or have an out of body experience) in their Spirit Body, can see their Silver Cord connecting to their Physical Body.

This is illustrated in Figure 1.7 below: Depiction of The Soul's Purpose — Incarnation and Spiritual Growth.