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You have reached the home page and introductory pages of The Lightning Path™, a sophisticated, powerful, grounded, rational, and effective resource for helping you awaken, empower, and ascend (i.e., successfully complete “the shift”).

The Lightning Path is different than anything you may have looked at in the past. The Lightning Path truly sets the bar for spiritual discourse and Truth higher than it has ever been set before. The Lightning path is direct, logical, intellectually rigorous, politically sophisticated, empirically verifiable (you don't have to take anything on the word of some guru, messenger, or priest), accessible to everyone, and free of the fluff, fuzziness, and confusion that characterizes blindfolded discourse (to see what I mean by “blindfolded discourse, read my [Parable of the Blindfold](#)).

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If you want to learn more you are welcome to browse around. The links in the top menu provide you with an overview of the Lightning Path including more detailed information about the nature of [The Lightning Path](#) and some information on me, [Michael Sharp](#). There is also a [FAQ](#) that answers some common questions that people have at the start and some information on the process of awakening, empowerment, and ascension that is the stated goal of the Lightning Path teachings. If you want to get a broad overview of what's available, the [LP Websites page](#) provides an overview of the LP Web of Light. Finally, if you have any questions, feel free to contact me, Michael Sharp. My contact information is available at the bottom of all Lightning Path websites and I am always happy to answer any questions, or address any concerns, that you may have. If you do not get a response, try again. I respond to all queries but sometimes emails go into the spam bucket and I miss them.

I am Michael Sharp and I bow to and welcome the divinity that is now awakening within you.

Authentic Spirituality

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If I was to describe the Lightning Path in only two words I would describe it as a path of authentic spirituality.

And just what is *authentic spirituality*?

Well, in a world were every individual, no matter how blocked or *blindfolded*, can make philosophical, cosmological, or theological pronouncements about the nature of creation...

...In a world where every pundit with a drug experience, every professor who has read a book, every person with the arrogance to claim a special connection with “Jesus,” “Maitreya,” or some other high

ranking official in the “local spiritual hierarchy,” where every new age guru/prophet with a self help tour and a buddy pic with the Dalai Lama can tell you what you need to know no matter how lost and damaged they may be...

...In a world where no standards currently exist for judging spiritual wheat (i.e. spirituality that reflects truth and reality) from the damaging chaff that blocks you up, keeps you spinning in circles, and perpetuates your bondage...

...Authentic spirituality is spirituality that works. Authentic spirituality tells you the Truth, enhances your understanding, facilitates enlightenment, empowers you, and teaches you the knowledge and skills you need to return yourself to full awakening and empowerment. And this is key. Authentic spirituality puts the knowledge and power *in your hands* so you won't have to stand around waiting futilely for grace, God, cosmic rays, or some magical evolutionary “shift” to get you where you need to go.

Sounds straightforward and, in a world unencumbered by the pernicious effects of The Blindfold, it would be. The problem we experience is that too many people claim too much of themselves. Too many people believe they know while they yet remain blindfolded and confused. The questions for you are simple. How do you tell an authentic spirituality from the non-authentic? How do you avoid being led down blind alleys? How do you avoid being intentionally distracted by those seeking fame and profit at your expense? How do you avoid wasting your precious end-times time?

Without critical standards and without criteria of assessment, how do you know when we are being told the truth or sold just another useless bottle of snake oil?

Well, I have some ideas about that and I've written those out in my book The Rocket Scientists' Guide to Authentic Spirituality. The book is your map and guidebook to the confusing world of Terran spirituality. The book gives you ideas, tools, and helpful guidance that will help you decide for yourself when you have encountered true spiritual mastery, and when you are dealing with just another blindfolded profit looking to control your thinking, manipulate your actions, maintain the status quo, and take your money.

You can download the e-Book for free by clicking this link or if you want a print copy, follow the link below to Amazon.com. If you want more than one copy of the book, bulk discounts on two or more copies are available from the Lightning Path Store.

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About the Lightning Path

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The Lightning Path is a system of authentic spirituality developed by Dr. Michael Sharp. The Lightning Path provides everything you need in order to awaken, empower, and ascend. It includes a completely specified cosmology and theology, a complex and powerful guide to archetypal revision and right thinking, and authentic spiritual techniques that encourage proper and rapid spiritual growth and empowerment. Several features of The Lightning Path distinguish it and make it worth perusing. The Lightning Path (LP) is:

Direct. The LP provides direct and unequivocal guidance for you. It teaches what you need to know, what you need to do, and how you need to do it. The LP does not beat around the bush or equivocate. If your goal is awakening and enlightenment, if your goal is to remove the blindfold, empower, and ascend, the LP will tell you exactly what you need to do to achieve this goal *in this lifetime*.

Consistent and Logical. The pieces of the LP fit together and work as a logical and coherent unit. On The LP you will find no contradictions in teaching, no illogical constructs, and no leaps of faith. The LP is rigorous, intellectually satisfying, and empirically sensitive.

Fully Specified and Exposed. All concepts and ideas provided on the LP are fully specified, defined, and exposed. There are no cryptic metaphoric mazes, no secret teachings aimed only at the "worthy," and no "inner circles" where power is held and people are excluded. All aspects of the LP are accessible to all and open to examination. In this context the [SpiritWiki](#) provides the canonical repository of all things LP.

Non Threatening. The LP does not threaten with visions of hell or intimations of karma (i.e. punishment). You may step onto, or off of, The LP as you see fit with no fear of punishment or sanction. The only motivation for following an authentic spiritual path is the intrinsic reward that comes from awakening and empowerment. An awakened and empowered individual is in control, happy, well adjusted, healthy, and present. An awakened and empowered individual rises above the drama, pathology, and illness of "normal" existence and takes direct control of their existence. An awakened and empowered individual is *whole* and *aligned* with their own higher consciousness. The vessel is filled. What other motivation is there?

Open to Empirical Verification. The LP specifies concrete and observable goals and expectations. When you follow this path of authentic spirituality (or any path of authentic spirituality) you should expect observable differences and quantifiable changes. For example, your health and well being should improve dramatically. You should also experience *enlightenment*, i.e. an expansion of consciousness outside the narrow confines of your normal existence *and* a dramatic increase in your ability to *understand*. Traveling the LP you will, amongst other things, come to understand the nature of God, creation, and your role in it. You will also come to understand the nature of this Earth, why it exists the way it does, and what we can do about the current sad state of affairs. In other words, the Blindfold should drop and the world should be revealed to you for what it is.

Accessible to Everyone. The primary goal of the LP is spiritual transformation of you and this planet. In order to accomplish that goal the LP must be accessible to everyone regardless of background. In that regard LP teachings are grounded, sensible, accessible, and eschew rocket science and [EPMO](#). LP teachings are understandable to everyone. And yet, the LP does not sacrifice explanatory efficacy. Even the most complex topics, like money and the economy, are specified and exposed so that everyone may see the Truth.

Easy to Translate. Because the LP is consistent and logical, fully specified and accessible, The Lightning Path teachings are easy to translate into other languages.

Lightning Path Websites

[UNIVERSE]

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Piecing together a comprehensive system of spiritual enlightenment is, as you can imagine, no easy task. The effort here moves beyond a paper back or two (or even twelve) and requires the construction of an integrated, sophisticated, and powerful *Web of Light*. The LP websites function as that web of light. On this web you will find everything from introductory materials to curriculum lists to fully specified glossaries of LP concepts and ideas. The content is vast, interlinked in a complex manner, and broaches spiritual, political, social, economic, and psychological topics and practice. Below you will find a brief overview of each of the LP websites and its function in the system. You can approach this system either in a linear fashion (in which case you would read the materials on this website and then proceed to *curriculum.thelightingpath.com*) or you can browse around in a non-linear fashion and let your intuitive sensibilities be your guide. However you choose to approach the LP materials, relax and take your time. Despite what the pugnacious prognosticators say, you are not running under a 2012 deadline. As long as you maintain the intent to move forward you will be just fine.

www.thelightingpath.com

This is the basic introduction to The Lightning Path (LP). This site, the one you are currently reading, provides basic orientation and key definitions (i.e. authentic spirituality, awakening, empowerment, etc.). In addition, the site specifies the philosophical and pedagogical parameters of the LP, distinguishes the LP from other spiritual systems, and summarizes goals and techniques. This main website is the *temple door* through which the Joyful Master of creation walks as they begin their rapid journey back to full awakening and empowerment.

curriculum.thelightingpath.com

This site is the “meat” of the Lightning Path. This site provides basic through advanced LP curriculum and is organized into five levels of study: core, intermediate, advanced, mentor, and post secondary. Each of these levels is accompanied by a study guide, book and article list, commentary, and other resources designed to orient you to the material.

The LP is *self paced* and *self assessed*. Each level of study comes with some guidelines that you can use to decide when you are ready to “graduate” to the next level. Read these guidelines and apply them to decide when you are ready. If you are not sure, feel free to ask.

Be aware that on the LP nobody stands in judgment of your progress, no rewards are offered for speedy work, and no punishment is meted out for “failure.” I, Michael Sharp, believe that everybody can “make it” as long as they are provided quality information, honest guidance, and authentic support when they need it. The LP provides the information, guidance, and support that you need. All you have to do is be honest with yourself about where you are in your awareness and reach out for guidance and assistance when you feel it necessary. If you can do that, everything else will fall naturally into place.

forums.thelightingpath.com

Speaking of support and guidance, the Forums Site provides authentic and sophisticated spiritual forums. On the forums you will find all sorts of interesting and aware individuals, at various stages on

the Lightning Path, ready and willing to answer your questions, provide support, and offer guidance if you request. The forums are also a great place to meet people who share with you a deep understanding of the nature of this world, and a sophisticated and empowering view of spirituality.

institute.thelightingpath.com

The Lightning Path Institute is the home of our (my wife and I) home based counseling practice. We offer traditional psychological services but with a spiritually sophisticated twist. We have had success with domestic violence, pharmaceutical dependency, addiction, self esteem issues, and difficulties caused by gender (and other forms) of energetic suppression. If you live close by us and need personal or family assistance, contact us. As an online alternative we do offer mentor counseling. See the website below for more information on mentor services.

subscriber.thelightingpath.com

This is a site for Lightning Path supporters. There you will find additional articles, commentary, healing resources (for example, an expanding section on overcoming chakra blockages), an LP newsletter that you can participate in and write for, and access to weekly dialogues and chats with Michael Sharp. The curriculum site is aimed at those who have recognized the power and sophistication of the LP and who want to explore the depth and breadth of LP teachings.

tarot.thelightingpath.com

The Halo/Sharp tarot system is an important part of the Lightning Path Curriculum. It is the only non-masonically [blog link] derived tarot currently in existence and an essential part of the LP system. Information on how to use the tarot is provided at the LP Curriculum site. This site provides a more in-depth overview and analysis (both theoretical and practical) of the revolutionary Halo/Sharp tarot/archetypal system.

mentor.thelightingpath.com

This site provides information on Lightning Path mentor support and training.

www.thespiritwiki.com

The SpiritWiki is the canonical glossary of all things Lightning Path. The SpiritWiki fully exposes LP internals to critical scrutiny. The SpiritWiki provides definitions for every single idea, concept, and phrase used on the LP, totally eliminating guesswork, confusion, and poorly specified spiritual ideas.

www.michaelsharp.org

This is my main space. Not much there now, but keep an eye on it.

blog.michaelsharp.org

The blog of Michael Sharp. Provides Sharp commentary for a transforming world.

www.crystalchildrenbooks.com

I write children's books and this site is where you can learn a bit more about them. My children's books are specially designed to help you enlighten, uplift, and protect the special and powerful innocence of all this world's children.

Michael Sharp

Awaken

[CALLING]

One of the primary goals of authentic spirituality is awakening. On the Lightning Path™ (LP) *awakening* is conceived of using the [Water Glass Metaphor](#). Your body, your *physical unit*, is like an empty water glass and consciousness is like water poured into the glass. The more consciousness you manage to get into the glass, the more *awake* you will be. The goal of awakening (empowerment, and ascension) is full consciousness and full expression of the divinity that lies dormant within you.

The LP notion of awakening as the process of *filling the vessel with consciousness* is compatible with other spiritual conceptualizations. It is compatible with the notion of the descent of the Holy Spirit, compatible with notions of enlightenment and the attainment of nirvana, and compatible with psychological notions of "shifts in consciousness." If you consider high levels of consciousness in the body as "Christ-like" or "Krishna-like," then the LP helps you attain Christ consciousness or Krishna consciousness. It does this by:

- Helping you to prepare the vessel to handle and accept your powerful higher consciousness.
- Showing you how to encourage the descent of consciousness into the physical body.
- Helping you manage and control what can be a surprising, powerful, and transformative process.

LP guidance on awakening can be summed up as encouraging [right thinking](#), [right action](#), and [right environment](#). You will come to understand as you progress through the LP teachings, right thinking, right action, and right environment are the cornerstones of your awakening (and empowerment) process.

In terms of right thinking, the LP encourages you to shed old world ideas and concepts that keep you locked in the limited consciousness of "normal." The LP also encourages you to adopt new world ideas that empower and transform. The LP provides a lot of resources to help with this mental transformation including the revolutionary [Halo/Sharp tarot/archetypal deck](#). The Halo/Sharp deck is a completely revised set of archetypes designed specifically to help you shed the dogmatic and limiting ideas of old world spirituality, and to help you replace them with the liberating and empowering ideas of new world spirituality. Note that the Halo/Sharp tarot deck is the only non-Masonic tarot deck currently manifested on this world. For more information [view my blog post](#) on this topic or visit <http://tarot.michaelssharp.org>.

The LP also encourages right action, that is action aligned and compatible with the expectations of your higher consciousness. As you will learn, right action is not about pretending negativity, violence, and injustice doesn't exist, nor does it mean accepting all the bad things that happen all around you. Right action is about compassion, healing, support, and transformation. Right action is about creating warm,

supportive, loving, and prosperous environments for everybody, not just a special “chosen” few.

Finally, the LP insists upon right environment. Right environment is an environment attuned and aligned with your higher self and free of violence, abuse, and suffering. The reality is you cannot heal and transform your physical body while you are subjected to ongoing abuse. Neither can higher consciousness, which is extremely aware and sensitive, abide pain and suffering.

Working towards right thought, right action, and right environment are the keys to spiritual awakening and empowerment. The LP provides a wealth of guidance in this regard.

Empower

[POWER]

In addition to [awakening](#), i.e. filling up the glass with the water of your higher consciousness, authentic spirituality is also about empowerment. The reality is, your body is much more than a lump of flesh and bones. Your body is a sophisticated energy system, a *manifestation device*, designed to facilitate manifestation and creation. When healthy and activated properly, your body is a powerhouse of manifestation. With a properly activate physical body, energy flows through us and the world is created in our collective image. The problem is our bodies are not healthy and activated properly. Subject to the toxins of daily living, damaged by the violence and disregard of those who have cared for us, suppressed by fears and misconception, we exist in the creative impotence of "normal" consciousness, causing our physical body to shut down and slowly deteriorate. The Lightning Path (LP) can help with that. The LP shows you how to heal the damage, reawaken blocked energy flows, and empower your physical body. The LP does this by:

- teaching you about your body's energy system
- showing you how to activate your body's energy system
- helping you to overcome blockages and fears that force energetic shutdown and prevent ongoing activation.

The LP is unique in its focus on the power and potential of full activation of your physical body. The LP does not scare you away from your own power and divinity with tales of demons, devils, and kundalini emergency. Neither does the LP prognosticate about the dire difficulties associated with spiritual empowerment and the extended lengths of time needed to activate and empower. Finally, although we recognize the critical importance of money, home, and life security, the LP does not limit empowerment by attempting to associate it merely with the attraction of money and “prosperity.” As I note in my *Rocket Scientists Guide to Money and the Economy*, while money is critical, and all people should have enough money to survive and thrive regardless of their ability to “attract,” money is only [spiritual] energy. As activated, empowered, and ascend beings of light and divinity our real concern is not with the “attraction” of , but with re-distribution of, spiritual energy that, on this planet, is currently blocked up, hoarded, and misused.

If you want you can download *The Rocket Scientists' Guide to Money and the Economy* for free by [clicking this link](#). If you want a print copy, follow the link below to Amazon.com. If you want more than one copy of the book, [bulk discounts on two or more copies are available](#) from the [Lightning Path Store](#).

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Ascend

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The Lightning Path (LP) offers a system of spirituality with deep and empowering purpose and that purpose is ascension! The Truth is, we are not subjects of random evolution, we are not the impotent and abused children of some patriarchal and abusive Father God, we are not incarnated on this planet to learn our lessons, and our goal is not “graduation” from some cosmic school house. We are active masters of creation. We are co-participants in the task of accomplishing the ascension of the physical universe and we are important and blessed beyond your wildest imaginings. Our goal is nothing less than ascension of the physical universe. The Earth is just the first pop in this trans universal process.

And just what does this word "ascension" mean? Well, starting at the LP Intermediate level you will learn all about the nature of creation and our task of ascension. For now let me just say that ascension is nothing like you may have heard up until now. Ascension has nothing to do with evolution or morality or “being good” or being lucky enough to be “chosen.” Ascension is not something that happens to your soul nor is it about “raising your vibration” or reconnecting with anything. Ascension is merely an energetic event, like charging a battery. Ascension is The Great Work. It is the denouement of the purposeful plan of Spirit and the re-creation of The Garden, only better.

You can find out more about The Great Work and The Garden by reading my [Parable of The Garden](#). I have also completed a [video of The Parable](#), but the video desperately needs the touch of a professional!

LP FAQ

This is the general LP FAQ. This FAQ answers general LP questions, and also addresses some of the [Big Questions](#) you may initially have. If you have a question not addressed in this FAQ, check out our [LP Curriculum FAQ](#). It contains specific questions about LP concepts, philosophy, technique, etc. that may arise as you read the LP Books. If you have a question not addressed in any of the FAQs, contact Michael with your question(s). Contact information is provided at the bottom of this webpage.

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Ready for More?

I have found that the materials here and the support from Michael and everyone else is better than any “treatment” or support I had from psychologists because it is in line with what we are feeling as the truth deep down, it is not healing from inside the twisted System. Any eating disorder treatment counseling I ever received was about the food, never about figuring out the cause of the eating disorder and healing that. You are in the right place for real healing.

K. Morris

[THE PROMISE]

Curriculum: If you like what you have read so far and are interested in checking out the Lightning Path™ curriculum in more detail, please visit <http://curriculum.thelightningpath.com>. That website outlines the Lightning Path™ course of study and includes all available LP curriculum resources (i.e. meditations, interviews, parables, and books).

Forums: If you have questions or want to meet some people who have been studying the LP, visit our [Lightning Path forums](#). There you will find many loving and supportive individuals trained and ready to answer any question you might have, and provide with whatever support you need on your journey to awakening and empowerment.

A Note on Intent

If you are serious about moving forward, *intent is key*. As I explain in my book *The Great Awakening: Concepts and Techniques for Successful Spiritual Practice*, you cannot drive your car without willing it to go in a certain direction. It is the same thing with spiritual awakening. If you want to encourage your physical vehicle, your body, to awaken and empower, you have to will it or intend it. It's not that hard. A simple statement like “I wish to move forward” or “I wish to move forward as quickly as possible” or “I only want to read/access the highest truths communicated for the greatest good,” repeated as often as you remember throughout your day, will help. Be careful though. If too many things and too much information starts coming too fast, simply reverse your intent by saying “I wish to slow down.” or “I wish to stop to integrate and process.” and it will slow things down.

If you want you can download *The Great Awakening* for free by [clicking this link](#). If you want a print copy, follow the link below to Amazon.com. If you want more than one copy of the book, [bulk discounts on two or more copies are available](#) from the [Lightning Path Store](#).

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About Michael Sharp



Michael Sharp playing Gaia at a local children's festival

So you want to know who I am? Well, I'm honored.

My name is Dr. Michael Sharp and I'm an academic with a PhD in sociology and undergraduate degrees in both psychology and sociology. I am the husband of Gina, parent of Stephen, Niko, Vayda, and Tristan, and the caretaker of two cats and two dogs. I teach at a university and at one time did research in scholarly journals and scholarly communication. I even started the world's first electronic sociology journal all those years ago. Now, however, my interests have changed. These days my research and writing is based in a cross between psychology, sociology, and dyed in the wool mysticism.

About ten years ago I had a series of powerful mystical experiences that led me to question both my childhood religious training (I was born and raised Catholic) and also my adopted scientific atheism. Shortly after having these mystical experiences, actually shortly after clearing some rather deeply buried and profound *fears* that I had struggled with my entire adult life (fears partly the result of my Catholic indoctrination, and partly the result of past life experiences), I began writing spiritual books.

When I started to write, or rather a few months after I started, I thought that I'd write two or three books on chakras, ascension, crystal children, and cosmology. Unfortunately, my unambitious aspirations soon disintegrated because the more I explored the mystical hallways of creation, the more I learned, and the more I wrote about what I was learning, the more dissatisfied I became with current (and past) spiritual offerings. In fact, as time passed it quickly became clear to me that our collective understanding of all things spiritual was incomplete and corrupted. The glorious truths of spirituality, God, and our place and purpose in creation that previous spiritual teachers had brought to this world had been turned against us. Truths that should have empowered and freed us were now factors in our energetic and spiritual oppression. And what was worse, the corruptions and inaccuracy were ubiquitous. From the big religions of this world right down to our modern new age alternatives, all we heard was the lie of how imperfect, flawed, and unevolved we were and how much we deserved (or, if we had adopted a more "progressive" religion/spirituality, had chosen) the world as it currently existed. I soon realized that all these "[old world](#)" systems of spiritual thought did was provide excuses and justifications for the political, economic, and social nonsense of this world and for me that was not only unacceptable, but a wholly inaccurate farce of the the high Truths of creation. Having "touched the face of God" more than a few times I bloody well knew that in the eyes of God (or consciousness if you prefer), none of the war, suffering, violence, poverty, and shit and abuse that passes for "life" on

this world was acceptable. In fact, to be perfectly honest, it was all a blasphemy in the eyes of God and it all had to be fixed.

So where did that leave me?

Well, to make a long story short I basically had two choices I could make, or two roads I could follow. I could either write my two or three books and walk away from what I knew to be true, or I could buckle down and confront, remove, and replace the old world systems of spirituality with something I knew and better. This second choice wouldn't make for an easy road of course. If I wanted to do a good job at replacing the old world systems not only would I have to unpack all those places where the old systems had been corrupted and debased, root the cancer out, and expose it to the healing light of day (a significant task all by itself) but I'd also have to provide a suitable alternative. And what's more, since I wouldn't want this alternative to be weak and susceptible to the same corruption and/or misinterpretation I had noted in all the others system, I'd have to be very careful. I wouldn't be able to rely on two books or three books or even a dozen. If I wanted my system to be strong, if I wanted foundations that would last for generations and that would not be turned against us, I'd have to be extremely thorough. I'd have to take time to check and recheck, define, specify, and make absolutely clear what I was talking about at each and every step of the way. I'd have to link it all together and I'd have to build it into a spiritual edifice unlike anything the world has ever seen. My intent would be to build an emancipatory spiritual system that freed us from the limitations of The System and put us back in touch with our true power and divinity and I would not make the same mistakes that had been made in the past. It would be a gargantuan task, and one that had never been undertaken before by any single world teacher (primarily, I think, because the technology simply didn't exist before), but if I wanted to take the second road, it would have to be done.



So what path did I choose?

Well, since I'm now into my ninth or so book, with plans to write another half dozen (most of which are already in draft form), with an evolving [SpiritWiki](#) where I carefully specify every idea and term I use, and with this website which pulls it all together into the world's first "open" system of mysticism and spirituality, broader in scope and more clearly specified than any of the old world systems you might care to mention, I guess you could say I chose the later path. I've been at it about ten years now and I have to say it has been a significant amount of work and unfortunately, I'm still not done. As of this writing (April 30/2010) I figure I'm about 70% of the way finished. I have the basic outline of the Lightning Path (as I call it) system in place, have written about 75% of the basic through advanced curricula, and have mapped out in my own mind the university level work I need to do. It has been an interesting experience, and a lot of work, but that's what I came here to do, so that's what I'm going to do.

And why am I telling you all this?

Well you wanted to know more about me and there you have it. My name is Michael Sharp and I am a world teacher. I am building a new spiritual system that is totally self-contained, contains none of the justifications, hierarchies, exclusions, and disempowering archetypes of the old world, and that puts you (gradually and by safe degrees) in touch with the awesome light, power, and glory of your true inner divinity. It really is like nothing you've ever experienced before and if you're ready to [remove the blindfold](#) and cast off the chains that bind, visit [the Lightning Path curriculum](#) site and start reading from there.