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A selection of '160 Aforismen van Maria Talis' translated from Dutch to English by Maria Talis.

You do not need to be a star, just radiate.

You can pick up happiness anywhere, just bend down once in a while.

Be warm yourself, and walls will disappear like snow in the sun.

The key of the door between alone and ALL-ONE is simply in your own heart.

It is only useful to live your own dream.

If you are having a dream, then nicely dream it yourself.

For-giving is giving attention to the fact that there is only One who'll understand everything.

Believe in the Go(o)d, then you'll find it everywhere and in everyone.

The only certainty you have, is that you'll feel more certain as soon as your need for certainty will decrease.

Besides everything that is not possible, all possibilities are there.

Someone can only see you if you take off your mask.

You can only see someone if you do not cover him up with your self-made picture.

Just show your true colour if you like to see the rainbow.

What ever colour glasses one is wearing, the truth will show itself as truth.

As soon as you recognise truth, it does not matter what colour glasses you wear.

Truth comes from all directions, just hear it and you'll re-call!

When giving of our abundance, every one will soon have what he needs.

If you do not eat slowly, you better take small bites.

Usually someone will understand it all by himself, if you just ask the right question.

Is it really allowed to love yourself as long as we are not perfect?

Is it really allowed to love myself as long as you do not love me?

The power of similarity is that we can go for the same purpose.

And then, the power of diversity is that our talents can be used for different purposes.

Equality means that every chain is equally important, colour does not matter.

Convincing smells like commanding, giving testimony is for sharing.

The urge to convince someone usually comes from not being so convinced yet yourself.

Convincing is trying to take away someone's freedom.

Believing needs faith, the urge to convince comes from lack of faith.

(*Note: in Dutch: convincing= overtuigen, giving testimony= getuigen*)

To awaken someone, one needs to be awake.

The more you get that there's a lot to learn still, the wiser you have become.

Speak from the heart and anyone will understand, anyone will feel safe.

Mind: "You do not agree with me!". Emotion: "I feel denied". Heart: "I love you".

Mind: "You do not understand me!". Emotion: "I feel lonely". Heart: "You are so sweet".

Mind: "You are not perfect!". Emotion: "I hope you don't hurt me". Heart: "You are here to be loved".
Emotion: "You intend to hurt me!". Mind: "I need some distance". Heart: "Healing is there for all of us".
Mind: "You are different!". Emotion: "I feel uncertain". Heart: "We are brothers".
Mind: "You only think of yourself!". Emotion: "I cannot take that any more". Heart: "God loves us".
Mind: "Nothing than the bible and J.C.!". Emotion: "I cry for the lost souls". Heart: "God forgives everyone".

A mustard-seed says: "Open your heart and you'll see the world around you changing".
Mustard-seed: "Not everyone has to be able to walk on the water, swimming or floating will do".
No need for drowning if you can swim, no need for swimming if you can float".

If life would be like a black and white movie, but you would see colours, then you'll probably get burned as a 'claire voyant'.

If life would be like a reality-show, but you would see fairies and angels, then you'll probably be put in a mental hospital for 'seeing them fly'.

If most would believe money rules life, but you would believe Love is, then at least we all believe.

As long as you cannot tolerate yourself, you cannot tolerate another.

As long as you fight another, you are fighting yourself.

See Go(o)d around you and you won't need a mirror.

Crying is not so bad as long as you can also laugh.

Especially for you I am the way you see me, who ever you are.

Especially for you I am saying the thing you hear, who ever you are.

Especially for you I am smiling with all my heart whether you are looking or not, who ever you are.

Especially for you I pray for Peace, who ever you are.

Especially for you I go for the Good for everyone, who ever you are.

Especially for you I dream your whole being is Love, who ever you are.

Especially for you I see you in the highest healing Light, who ever you are.

Especially for you I believe you can be healed and whole, who ever you are.

Especially for you I will call you my brother or sister, who ever you are.

Especially for you I can sing silently or out loud, who ever you are.

Sharing or collecting, which would you choose?

Being thankful for what is possible or complaining about what is not possible, which would you choose?

Natural grace or artificial beauty, which would you choose?

Doing something useful or being bored, which would you choose?

Letting go and receiving again or holding on, which would you choose?

Create some light around you and it will be less dark.

Go for the Light network of the 'HEART of Hearts', plug in, and you'll shine yourself.

How do you treat people who do not understand you?

Do you always understand yourself?

If you, like me, will believe that God loves me, will I feel that right away?

After how many prayers you felt loved; and after how many could you love another?

Don't you sometimes have the feeling that you could embrace the whole world?

You can run all week and pray on Sundays or you just can do everything with devotion.

Did you ever find an answer to a question that you did not have found yet?

Is it easier for you to start something or to finish it?