





# THE INNER CIRCLE

# PROBATIONER GRADE

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#### **Introduction To The Inner Circle**

Congratulations on joining my Inner Circle.

Members share one thing in common. They all desire to become WEALTHY, POWERFUL and FREE. I only accept people who I think have a good chance of achieving these things.

Now that you have been accepted into my group, let me tell you a little more about **Inner circle**.

The **Inner circle** is a group of people under my personal instruction. It is a 'secret' group in the following sense:-

- **1.** The members never meet each other.
- **2.** Details of members are kept strictly confidential.
- 3. 'Normal' people do not suspect the existence of this group.
- **4.** Membership is by my personal invitation only.
- 5. The teaching materials are kept segregated into 'power levels', or grades. This means that information is only revealed to you a bit at a time, as I feel you are able to absorb it.
- **6.** All members swear to keep the teaching materials secret.

To be a member of my **Inner circle** is something very special. Together, we will build a bridge of trust between us. You will come to trust me, and to believe that the information I will be giving you is true. I will come to trust you not to reveal our secrets to just anyone.

### Secrecy

Why all this secrecy? Is this something Masonic? Are we like the Loyal Order of Moose?!! No. It's nothing like that. Let me start by explaining one of the basic tenets of my philosophy:-



People are NOT equal. They never have been, and they never will be. Any attempts to make them equal are doomed to failure. Some people are superior to others - they always have been. Most people are like sheep - they always will be. This is just a plain, simple fact of life. We are not sitting in judgement here, just stating the obvious. Despite protestations to the contrary, society seeks to penalise the intelligent and successful and 'redistribute' the loot to the inept, lazy and weak. It does this through force of arms. This I consider to be one of the biggest evils in existence and one which should be resisted with every fibre of your being.

There, you see! I've shocked you a little already! But remember, this is only PROBATIONER level material. As you rise through the grades, I intend to shock you a great deal more! This is essential if I am to help you part the veils of illusion which have prevented you from achieving your full potential up until now.

So, you see, **Inner circle** is by its very nature elitist. It is only for the 'chosen few'. People like YOU who have set foot upon the path of power, freedom and wealth.

You have chosen that path, haven't you? Perhaps you have some doubts at this stage? Doubts about 'saving the world' or 'helping the starving millions', that kind of thing? Don't worry. These doubts are normal at your power-level. It will take time for you to understand the various illusions which block your pathway to power and wealth. A lot of my instruction will be concerned with identifying those blocks, helping you to understand them, and finally blowing them away so that you can reach undreamed of levels of wealth and power.

Because one of the basics of **Inner circle** philosophy is that people are NOT equal, it therefore follows that **not everyone can become rich, powerful and free!** Let me say that again, in case you missed it:-

# Not everyone can become rich, powerful and free.

In fact, I would go further and say that very, very few people will ever achieve this state.

For example, you, at the moment, are not rich, you are not powerful, and you are not free. Agreed? In fact, let's cut to the core here and state that you're broke, trapped and powerless. Remember, it's only you and me here, so we don't have to pretend. In contrast, I am very rich, quite powerful and almost totally free! But that's OK because I'm the master, and you're the pupil, right? You wouldn't bother listening to me if the situation was different, would you? There are few things worse than receiving a manual on 'How To Become A Millionaire' which has been written by some poor, broke moron who never made more than a few thousand in his entire miserable life, right?

It is my aim to help you to become, like me, rich, powerful and free. This should be YOUR aim too. You must have a *burning desire* to achieve these aims. A wishy-washy half-hearted approach *simply will not do*. You must be committed. Committed to WEALTH. Committed to POWER and committed to FREEDOM.



Returning to the subject of secrecy for the moment. Do you now start to see why **Inner circle** is so restricted and secretive? It's because the fewer people who know how to become RPF (Rich, Powerful and Free), the better it is for those of us who DO know! We can have more fun. We can be richer. We can have more power. We can enjoy more freedom.

Do you have a problem with this? Some lingering doubt that we should be SHARING all this stuff? Handing it out free in an orgy of altruism? On some kind of crusade of enlightenment? Well let me tell you that these feelings are the *complete opposite* of **Inner circle** philosophy. But I don't just expect you to swallow my instruction wholesale. That would be just as sheep-like as the sheep! No. Instead, you will become convinced of the truth of my philosophy as you rise through the power levels.

Let me make another statement about Inner circle:-

It is NOT my mission or the mission of an **Inner circle** member to 'change the world'. He is NOT on any crusade of enlightenment. He is NOT trying to 'save souls' or 'preach the good message'.

Why?

Because this would be:-

- 1. A completely and utterly hopeless task. Absolute futility akin to trying to move Mount Everest six feet to the left using a teaspoon. The sheep do NOT want to be woken up. They would be resentful and angry if you attempted such a ridiculous stunt. They are happy to doze their lives away, rarely thinking and rarely acting to improve their situation.
- 2. It is completely against the interests of any **Inner circle** member to spread the word, even if such a thing was possible. If you knew of a dead-cert method of winning on the horses, would you spread it around? You bet your life you wouldn't!

Now already this material is getting quite hard-hitting. Many probationers drop out even at this rather weak and pathetic level of personal power instruction. After centuries of having altruistic self-sacrifice elevated to the status of the number-one 'good', many people refuse to even question this trap, and why others might seek to get them to sign up for it. That's fine. I would rather you dropped out and made way for someone truly committed to Wealth, Power and Freedom, rather than struggling on, only half believing in my message.

Let me state here and now that if the going gets too tough for you at any stage, then you are absolutely free to drop out and return to your previous life of poverty, restriction and powerlessness. I won't write and ask you to come back!

But if you stick with this course, then as you progress through the power-levels, you will gradually become enlightened. The scales will fall from your eyes as you become ever more powerful, ever more wealthy and free.

If you are feeling uneasy at this point, and think that selfishness is really evil, perhaps I can reassure you with the following statement:-



A strong, wealthy, powerful and free person is far, far better equipped to REALLY help someone, or to improve a bad situation, than a weak, pathetic, poor and trapped sheep!

**Inner circle** members of higher grades move into every situation with <u>power</u> and <u>true</u> <u>integrity</u>. They bring about real and lasting changes in their own lives, and in the lives of those around them. Just to be near to one of these people is enough for you to see and feel their very real power.

The sheep, in contrast, only whine and bleat and bleat about how awful everything is, and then DO ABSOLUTELY NOTHING ABOUT IT!

Enough. We are touching upon higher grade material.

So what are the aims of **Inner circle**?

Quite simply, by joining this circle you are trying to make a very great deal of money, you are trying to achieve real power over your own life, and you are attempting to become free from the restrictions which others seek to place over you.

How is this achieved?

Every month, you will receive teaching materials appropriate to your grade. You will receive one release every month along with your :-

Release One will contain teaching materials on FREEDOM and POWER.

Perhaps I should make a statement here concerning why I have chosen to link POWER + WEALTH + FREEDOM. Why, for instance, do I not concern myself purely with making you wealthy?

The answer is that over many years I have come to realise the inextricable link between these three aspects of human development. You <u>cannot</u> become wealthy if you are trapped by various stultifying belief systems. If you are completely and utterly un-free, you will *never* become rich. I can promise you that.

You must become free before you can become wealthy.

Similarly, if you are totally powerless (and this is obviously linked with lack of freedom), you cannot become rich and free. If other people are in control of your life, then you cannot make serious money or gain personal freedom. If you let others pull your strings and make you dance like a puppet, then **it is absolutely impossible to become wealthy.** There is a circle of power involved here. Almost a "Catch 22" situation, unless you tackle it properly, my way.

The *negative* circle of power goes something like this:-



You are poor, so you are trapped (e.g. in a badly paid job which you hate). This means that you are not free. This makes you are 'flat' at best or depressed at worse and this stifles your creative energies. You become listless and cannot find the energy to go out and challenge, to dare and to win. Your lack of money makes you powerless (for money truly does equal power). Your powerlessness can be spotted at fifty paces and so no-one treats you with respect, let alone awe. This prevents you mixing with other powerful and rich people - moving in higher circles if you will - which in turn helps prevent you from achieving power.

It looks a bit like this:-

#### POVERTY=POWERLESSNESS=LACK OF FREEDOM=POVERTY=ETC. ETC.

You cannot break out of this cycle by yourself simply by changing *one* element of this vicious cycle. Notice I say "by yourself". Obviously if someone were to hand you ten million pounds, then the cycle would be broken immediately; but the chances of you achieving great wealth whilst still being trapped and powerless are almost zero. You have to tackle <u>all three</u> at once. This is what I will teach you to do.

By tackling all three elements at the same time, you will spiral slowly upwards and gradually become free, powerful and rich. Perhaps you are spiralling DOWNWARDS at the moment! The first thing to do is to reverse this trend.

Incidentally, it is why 'get rich quick' schemes don't work. Often there is nothing really wrong with the schemes themselves, it's just that trapped and powerless people try to use them to get rich. They cannot do this because of their situation. They all give up sooner or later and sink ever deeper into hopelessness.

So we will be tackling all three elements at the same time. This is absolutely essential if you are going to improve your lot in life. This is the UPWARD spiral which **Inner circle** members seek to attach themselves to, with my help.

Now on a more positive note, when you move up through the power-grades, tackling all three of these elements at the same time, you find yourself on this upward spiral! It goes something like this:-

You start to realise that others have been controlling your life. You begin to break free of these controls. This releases your creative energy. You start to tackle new wealth-creating projects. You start to make a bit of money. The money you make brings increased confidence. This is noticed by others. You become more powerful. People seek you out for business deals. You make more money, you become more free, you become more powerful, etc. etc. You slowly spiral UPWARDS through the various levels of WEALTH, POWER and FREEDOM.

It looks a bit like this:-

POWER=WEALTH=FREEDOM=POWER=WEALTH=FREEDOM ETC. ETC.



#### The Path Of Freedom

You are about to embark upon the path of Personal Freedom. By being a member of **Inner circle**, and moving through the power grades, you will eventually emerge into the light of TOTAL FREEDOM.

To attach yourself to this spiral, and reverse your current (possible) downward spiral, you need to take some pretty radical decisions about your life. You also need to **WAKE UP** and **STOP DREAMING!** 

This is why my material is so shocking - some would even say offensive. I cannot help you to achieve your dreams and desires by tiptoeing around you and making my every statement bland, inoffensive and acceptable to all. It is precisely for this reason that I chose the format of **Inner circle**. To put it bluntly, I am tired of wasting my energies trying to convince hopelessly entrenched and negative sceptics of the truth of my message. *It is a waste of my personal energies*. I only want people who are prepared to <u>listen</u> and prepared to <u>act</u> on what I say. In order to help you, I must do the equivalent of taking you by the shoulders and giving you a jolly hard shake! I need to shake you until your teeth rattle. Only by doing this will I get you, possibly, to open one bleary eye and look in my direction!

You don't believe me? You feel that you're a pretty free sort of dude, all things considered? You reckon that you are modestly powerful in your own quiet way? You reckon you've got a bit of money? Well read on!

It is an axiom of **Inner circle** that not everyone can become Rich, Powerful and Free. Therefore, **Inner circle** is elitist. There is nothing 'wrong' with an elitist system. Most universities, for example, are 'elitist' because they exclude the 98% of the population considered too stupid to join.

Years ago, when I wrote my best-selling book *The Midas Method*, I was on a crusade to help everyone to realise their true potential through positive thinking. I wanted everyone to experience the freedom, joy and happiness which comes when you take a powerful grip on your own life. Although the message in that book still holds true, I have moved a long way from this evangelistic stance.

The reason is that I had grossly underestimated the degree of entrenchment in negative thoughts which most people experience.

I came to the conclusion that the vast majority of people, who I affectionately call 'sheep' throughout these materials, are deeply, soundly asleep **and have no intention whatsoever of waking up.** I further realised that it was arrogance on my part to even think that I *could* wake them up, or that it would even be *valuable* to wake them up!

I was expending a lot of life-energy in arguing with negative, hopelessly entrenched, depressed sceptics, and getting nowhere fast! By narrowing the field down to people who apply to **Inner circle**, I am able to reach those people like you who are poised on the threshold of personal power, and eliminate most of the dreamers and sceptics.



#### Chained

It is a complete waste of human effort to attempt to 'improve' yourself, or your circumstances, whilst you are shackled and manacled by the chains of control with which others seek to enslave you. It is imperative that you first start to break free of controls, and then move towards your life-goals. **Inner circle** shows you how to break free of these controls.

To achieve this end, I will need to devote space to exposing, or explaining the various **artificial controls** which are placed on your life. I will also be telling you exactly how people try and get you **to sacrifice your talents to their advantage.** It is through removal of these controls - by becoming free - that you gain great personal power. In short, the power to be whatever it is *you* want to be.

In order to 'wake you up', I will have to devote a lot of time and effort to exposing the various 'con-tricks' which you will encounter. This leaves little time and space for dwelling on the happy, loving and joyous 'straight' transactions which people frequently enjoy. Because I do not focus on these issues, does not mean that they are not present! To criticise me for not giving equal weight to the positive side of human nature, is akin to criticising a book on gardening as being 'obsessed with plants', or 'not giving equal weight to the animal kingdom'!

**Becoming free is quite scary.** You suddenly have to start thinking about what it is you *really* want to do. All that stuff you've been putting off for years because you allowed yourself to be trapped by external controls, suddenly comes back home to roost. You have to examine your talents, or lack of them (!), and ask yourself if you *really* have it in you to write that book, compose that song, start that company. You've been making excuses for years, but suddenly <u>it's time for action!</u>

But above all, it's hugely exciting to be free and powerful, in a world where the 'sheep' are fast asleep! There is nothing quite like the daily 'buzz' you get when you know that you are one of the few people who are 'awake'. Call it smug, call it elitist, call it what you will, once you have experienced it, I guarantee that you will never fall asleep again!

#### **Degrees Of Freedom**

There are degrees of personal freedom.

Quite simply, the extent to which you believe and apply the teachings of **Inner circle**, is the extent to which you are free. Put another way, the less you believe and apply **Inner circle** material, the less free you are. The choice is yours - and it *is* a choice. You can choose to remain locked away in the darkest dungeon, never seeing the light of day; or you can transfer yourself to another cell,

which has a small window; or you can move yourself to an 'open' prison, or....you can walk out of jail into the full light of the day. The latter person has spiralled upwards through all of the grades of **Inner circle**; the other people are 'neophytes' or learners who are some way along the path. I will guide your way along the path, but it is you who will provide the energy and discipline required to see you through to your goals.



#### **Style Statement**

We have entered into a bargain.

You have applied to join my Inner Circle, and I have accepted you. I also promise over the next few months to give you the most detailed, step by step guide to personal power, freedom and wealth ever published.

I am *not* on a 'crusade', and I am *not* out to 'change the world'. You will understand why, after you have progressed some way along the path. If you don't want to stay in my **Inner circle**, then I am not going to try and persuade you! If you whine and moan and complain and whinge, then I am *not interested* in nurse-maiding you through. The reasons for this will become self-evident as you rise through the grades. This is a tough course, and only the exceptional survive.

Joining has given you a chance. A chance of real power and wealth. If you decide not to take that chance then that is entirely up to you. I won't be hurt, I won't be upset, I won't try and change your mind. If, after a few lessons, you want to revert to your previous life of powerlessness, then fine. I repeat, I am not out to 'change the world'. In fact the fewer people who know about the secrets of **Inner circle**, the better for those of us who DO know.

#### No Crusades

I want to make this point absolutely clear, so excuse me if I labour it somewhat.

**Inner circle** will bring you everything you want in the world, *if* you decide to apply the teachings. If you *don't* want to apply the teachings, then fine. Just don't write and tell me why, because I'm not interested!

This isn't belligerence on my part. My attitude stems directly from the principles of **Inner circle** teaching. When you have reached a certain stage of initiation, you will understand exactly why I take this stance.

It is not my intention to embark upon a 'one man crusade' to wake people up. I am not interested in changing the world, and I am certainly not arrogant enough to believe that I could do so, even if I wanted to. **Inner circle** is elitist. It is aimed at a tiny fraction of one percent of the population - people who are prepared to 'wake up' and take firm and powerful control of their lives.

Are you ready to do this?

I am not 'God' so I cannot judge whether waking the world up would be desirable. I certainly know that it is impossible, and so there is little point in trying. The release of **Inner circle** material to interested people such as yourself, does not constitute an attempt to wake up the masses.

I hope that you are feeling a little bit shocked. Believe me, that is *nothing* compared to the shock you will experience when you receive higher grade materials. **Inner circle** material is shocking because it blasts away all of your previously held convictions, morals, beliefs and limitations, **replacing them with personal freedom and unlimited personal power.** 

#### **Shock Horror**

The normal person responds to **Inner circle** material initially with outrage and shock, followed either by a gradually dawning awareness of the truth of the material, or a violent and vocal rejection of it. The former group gradually become empowered - they become **Inner circle** Initiates, whilst the latter group rapidly revert to living their lives exactly as they used to, that is in poverty and helplessness.

The trick is to get through the shock you might receive when reading IC materials. This is the biggest stumbling-block because the weak person will read something shocking, instantly dismiss the whole system and then reach for pen and paper to dash off letters to anyone and everyone in an attempt to get 'them' to 'do something about it'! For this reason, I suggest you use **Inner circle** material as follows:-

- 1. Read through the material from cover to cover, in as few sittings as possible. Make a *mental* note of any questions, strong disagreements, severe shock, examples which you think violate the system, and so on. Don't worry about these until you have read the whole release. This way, most of your questions will have been answered by the time you have completed the release.
- 2. KEEP AN OPEN MIND. This means that if you read something with which you strongly disagree, then just hold onto it as something to be looked at in the future; don't just reject everything else out of hand because of one sticking-point. You don't have to agree with every single word I say, in order to become an Initiate, although you DO have to expose all of the illusions and contricks (see later) if you want to rise to the highest levels of wealth, power and freedom.

I would be amazed if there were not quite a few things which you found shocking, disturbing or offensive in this material. This is quite intentional!

#### **Making A Start**

Let us now start upon the task in hand - namely the beginning of your **Inner circle** training to make you FREE. As I stated earlier, only by becoming free can you become wealthy and powerful. Trapped people do not achieve wealth and power - in case you hadn't noticed!

## **Attaining Personal Freedom**

Let us talk a little bit about personal freedom.



If you went up to a man living in any Western Democratic Country and asked him: "Are you free?" he would almost unhesitatingly reply "Yes, I'm free." A few more thoughtful souls might qualify their answer by saying something like: "Yes, I'm reasonably free," or "Well, I'm as free as anyone else." Most would agree that they enjoy a tremendous amount of personal liberty in their private and public lives.

Well let me tell you, absolutely, categorically, they are all completely WRONG!

The vast majority of people are about as trapped or 'un-free' as it is possible to get without being manacled to the wall of some dank cell.

They have almost zero freedom in every area of their lives. **They have allowed themselves to be absolutely and rigorously controlled by outside forces** - other people - to the extent that they can barely shuffle around and make grunting noises through their gags! And this means <u>YOU</u>. Only those who have correctly understood and applied the principles of **Inner circle** (whether they call it that, or not), can be said to be truly free, the rest are, to a greater or lesser extent, slaves.

You don't agree?

Consider the 'normal' person:-

Of course, nobody wants to be considered 'normal' or 'Mr/Mrs Average', but I'll wager that the following statements apply in quite a few details to you:-

#### Work

The 'normal' person works for a living in a job which they either actively dislike, or just tolerate. A few 'lucky' souls occasionally enjoy some aspects of their job - on a good day. The 'normal' person has to get to work at a certain time every single day of the working week. They dare not be late or leave before a certain time under penalty of a demerit.

Thus, approximately forty hours of every single week - week in, week out - are governed and ruled by the dictates of someone else. No matter how 'liberal' the company, no matter how 'nice' the boss, no matter how much 'flexitime' is worked, the stark truth (and I only deal with stark truths) is that for around forty hours every week, the 'normal' person hands over complete control of his life to other people, who make him sing and dance more or less like a puppet.

Does this sound a bit like you?

Yet this same person would claim to be free.

#### **Debt**

The 'normal' person has barely enough money to live on, because their outgoings either exactly match, or *exceed* their income, leaving them drifting into debt. In fact the 'normal' person is **in** 



**debt** to a considerable extent, typically owing tens of thousands on a mortgaged home, having finance on one or more expensive items (car, furniture etc.) having a bank overdraft, and owing money on one or more credit cards.

The burden of these debts, together with an 'unchangeable' lifestyle, ensures that Johnny Average always operates with the tip of his nose *just* above the water. The effect of this is to lock him solidly into the freedom-removing system of work. It prevents him from exploring his full potential and living a joyous life - because he is *scared* of losing his job due to the debts and commitments that weigh him down.

#### Does this sound a bit like you?

Yet this same person claims to be free.

#### Relationships

The 'normal' person in a relationship, engages in the same, identical, mind-stifling routine day after day, year after year. It doesn't matter what the *detail* of this routine is, but it might go something like this:-

Come in, kiss your spouse.

Make cup of tea.

Sit down and read paper for half an hour whilst spouse makes meal.

Eat meal, chat about pointless things.

Bicker for a while.

Wash up.

Watch television.

If 2nd Thursday of month, then go for steak at local restaurant.

Go to bed.

If 3rd Thursday of month, then make love.

Go to sleep.

Repeat until you die.

Okay, I know that this is stereotyped, but the real point is that married or not, the 'normal' person follows almost exactly the same routines, with very slight variations, every single day, week after week.

If he is in a relationship, then these routines are largely *dictated* by the partner (in the nicest possible way, of course). For example, Friday is laundry day, Saturday morning is supermarket time, Sunday morning is mowing the lawn and washing the car, Sunday 3 p.m. is taking the kids swimming, Sunday 5 p.m. is picking them up again, and so forth.



Women who have children under five years old, have no time at all during the average working day. A day which starts at 6 a.m. and ends at midnight! Because most women allow their entire waking lives to be structured for them by children and male partners, this makes it very hard for women with children to become free. They often have to wait until their children are grown up.

*Huge* blocks of people's time are structured for them by other people (spouse, children) leaving them almost *zero time* for personal development.

#### Does this sound like you?

Yet these people would claim to be free!

#### Religion

The 'normal' person believes, either overtly, or covertly, that there is some sort of all-powerful God or supernatural being, watching over him, and taking a personal interest in his drab, pathetic little life! This same being has a kind of book, in which it marks the times when you've been a *good*, and the times when you've been a *naughty* boy. When you die, if the GOOD BOY points don't outweigh the NAUGHTY BOY points, then you will be SEVERELY PUNISHED - possibly for all eternity! So the 'normal' person struggles all of his life to try and live by rules imposed by other <u>people</u>, or groups of <u>people</u>. He worries if he transgresses their laws, and he spends a certain amount of time agonising, looking over his shoulder or confessing his 'sins'.

Even those who profess atheism still retain a nagging doubt in the back of their minds that somewhere a score is being kept of their 'good' deeds vs. their 'bad' deeds. **There are very, very few people who are free of this somewhat silly and childish belief.** 

#### Does this sound even a little bit like you?

Yet this person claims to be FREE!

#### The Law

The 'normal' person believes that, because he lives in a democracy, he has freedom of choice! Yet he hands over huge blocks of his personal power to other human beings (politicians, policemen, bureaucrats, judges etc.) and asks them to rule his life. He *begs* them to make laws which will control his movements; **he moans and whines if someone appears to escape the law.** 

#### He wants the law tightened up, with no loopholes, and no possibility of escape.

He wants laws which prevent him from driving too fast, that restrict the films he can watch, or the magazines he can buy. He wants laws which prevent him from taking drugs if he so desires, or watching a pornographic movie if he desires, or visiting a prostitute or building a car in his back yard and driving it, or owning a boat without a licence, or extending his own house. He wants tough laws



restricting the investments he is allowed to make. He demands that rules are passed granting access to his bank accounts and to video him wherever he walks or drives.

He wants all these laws and more.

He gladly hands over almost *all* of his personal power to the lawmakers and enforcers, until he has almost none left, and he is forced to abide by society's every rule and regulation. A politician only has to chant "tuffoncrime" and he will nod energetically and sign over another personal freedom to the state.

#### Does this apply to you?

Yet this same person will tell you that he is free!

#### **Country**

The 'normal' person is prepared to fight and die for 'his country', often with little or no information about the true nature of the conflict. He is prepared to march off to some foreign field, and get his head blown off on the whim of another human being. Someone only has to trot out a few platitudes about 'sacrifice' or 'sense of honour' or 'duty' to get normal people queuing up in droves to be first over the top. Furthermore, he accepts as normal, laws which allow agents of force to imprison him if he refuses to recklessly expose himself to death in this manner.

This, he considers acceptable and reasonable.

Yet he claims to be free!

#### The Government

The 'normal' person believes that the government is a 'good thing' and absolutely necessary. He gladly hands over all responsibility (personal power) to a group of third-rate human beings, and then lets them get on with ruling his life. He willingly accepts an almost complete lack of accountability on their part, whilst believing that he has 'choice'. He never recognises that the real choice is between **grasping personal power**, and **handing over personal power**. The choice he exercises is simply the choice between exactly *who* will take his personal power away from him.

This same 'normal' man knows almost nothing whatsoever about the mechanism of the government to which he has so willingly handed over power. If closely questioned, he could only

come up with a mere handful of childish facts concerning the workings of governments. He knows and cares little about the 'secret machinations' which go on behind closed doors, and the decisions which are taken about his life. He willingly trots off to the polling booth each time, secure in the knowledge that he is exercising his little bit of personal power and mouthing the benefits of living in a democracy.

Does this sound like you?



But this person claims to be 'free'!

#### **Taxes**

The 'normal' person willingly hands over at least **FIFTY PERCENT** of his personal wealth, in the form of taxes, **to other people to spend as they see fit.** He neither asks for, nor expects accountability. He doesn't know where his money is spent (except in the vaguest way), and he doesn't care. He doesn't ask for facts and figures, or expect accountability, honesty or efficiency. **If he tries to withhold his money, then agents of force will come and take him and throw him in jail.** The state has the absolute right to confiscate half of his life efforts and uses brute force to do so. Resist and his door will be kicked down and his possessions forcibly looted for redistribution to non-producers.

He accepts this as reasonable and normal.

He is taught nothing whatsoever in school about how his own government handle the country's finances. The government judge that the geography of the Appalachian mountains is of far more practical use - strange thing, that! He does not question this lack of knowledge, or the possible reasons why it is withheld.

If he were to ask the government for an itemised bill of where his money (taxes) had been spent, he would be met with blank stares and vague answers. Some of the items on which his money is squandered are not even discussed *or discussible* in parliament - the secret services for example. If he pushes too hard his name will be added to a 'trouble maker' list and he will be put under surveillance for daring to question of speak out. Yet he accepts this as reasonable.

This person claims to be free!

#### The Media

The 'normal' person reads newspapers, watches television news and current affairs, listens to radio news broadcasts and actually *believes* many of the items he hears.

More importantly, he spends a significant amount of his time debating these issues with friends, and pontificating about the rights/wrongs of the particular issue in question. In this manner, his emotions are controlled by whatever news story the media decide that they will release to

him that day. He holds a huge collection of *opinions* and *views* about every conceivable topic from nuclear power to abortion, and spends a significant amount of his time explaining and defending these views.

This, despite the fact that he often has <u>almost no knowledge at all</u> about these topics, and is merely repeating 'information bites' released by the media. Furthermore his beliefs are confused and self-contradictory; he would be absolutely unable to defend them in any rational argument.

He watches televised debates about a certain topical issue, and **actually takes one side or the other!** - even becoming hot under the collar when the opposition view is being expressed. In this way, his opinions and views are safely polarised into one camp or another, and firmly away from any *real* choices/decisions/debates.

#### Does this sound like you?

Yet this person claims to be free!

So how free do you feel now?

If even *one* of these situations is similar to your own, then you are not free. If you were honest with yourself, you would realise that many, if not all of the situations described above, apply more or less directly to you. The exact detail might vary, but that is not the point, is it? If you are to make headway in your studies, then you must become ruthlessly honest with yourself - starting from now! Admit that I touched a raw nerve or two there.

Understood from the perspective of the **Inner circle Initiate**, the 'normal' person described above is a truly pathetic specimen! This person allows himself to be controlled by others for almost every single minute of his waking life. He is pathetically grateful for a 'few minutes' to himself once or twice a week, and will, like a puppy dog, seek to 'make up' for this time generously allowed him by his masters. He actively *seeks* to be controlled (for reasons which I will explain), and *panics* if controls are relaxed. **If too many controls are released, then he will run around like a headless chicken, desperately trying to find someone - anyone - to control him.** 

#### **What Controls The Normal Person**

He is controlled by MONEY. The Initiate controls money.

He is controlled by BOSSES. The initiate *is* the boss.

He is controlled by LAWS and GOVERNMENT. The Initiate operates from his own set of internally generated guidance principles.

He is controlled by RELIGIOUS FEAR. The Initiate is not religious in any commonly understood meaning of the word and sees religion as the single biggest force for evil on the planet.

He is controlled by IMAGE and behaves in a manner which he believes others will find acceptable. The Initiate takes no notice whatsoever of IMAGE and behaves in a way which he or she finds acceptable.

He is controlled by RELATIONSHIPS. The Initiate only involves himself in mutually beneficial, un-controlling relationships.

He is controlled by the MEDIA and allows the media to influence his thoughts. The Initiate takes no notice whatsoever of the media.

He is controlled by the illusion of 'country' and exposes himself to serious danger in times of 'National Crisis'. The Initiate never places himself in this kind of danger.

#### **Removing Controls**

**Axiom #1:-** In order to become free, the **Inner circle** Initiate must greatly reduce the external controls placed on his life.

As an Initiate, you will not allow yourself to be controlled by anyone. You will learn to recognise the various controlling tactics of certain individuals, organisations and institutions for what they are, and <u>not allow them to influence your life</u>. These people and institutions are referred to as Controlling Artists, or Con-Artists, by **Inner circle** members.

You will learn that these Controlling Artists have a vested interest in trying to control you, for in this manner **they can maximise the volume of life's pleasures which come their way.** By bending the talents, energy and time of the mass of people to their will, such individuals and organisations seek to profit with minimum effort on their part.

This can be summarised in the following axiom:-

**Axiom #2:-** Many people seek to maximise the volume of life's pleasures which flow their way, by 'conning' money, energy, time and talent from other people.

#### **Eight Weapons - Six Illusions**

As an **Inner circle** member, you will learn about the eight weapons which the con-artists use to extract value from you. You will learn how these eight weapons are mercilessly used by the controlling artist in an attempt to get you to sacrifice your life-energies to the controlling artist, who is operating one of the six illusions. You will learn to laugh in the face of these confidence tricks, and unmask them for the hollow sham that they are. In this manner you will gain great freedom and personal power, because no person or institution will be able to control you.

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