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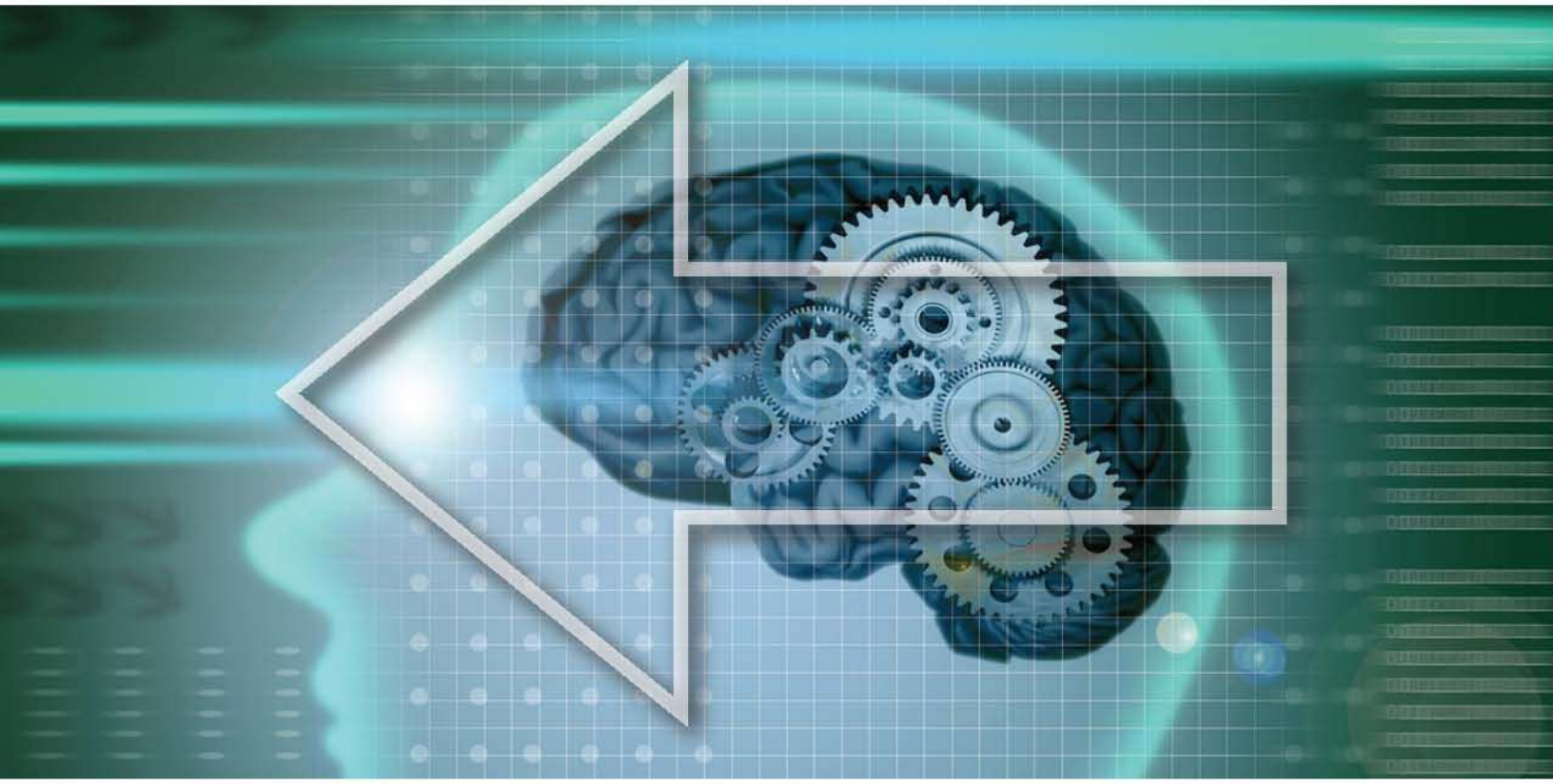

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INTRODUCTION TO *FROM THE LEFT*

Strategic Cognition

This is both a course and a clinic investigating Left Strategic Cognition. The live 5-week course was open only to those with Personality Sun/Earth Left orientation. The perspective Ra gives the Left is their approach to what it means to have a strategic Personality as a learning process. Ra describes the structure of the Left Personality overall, the themes of the Left's focus and all of the quadrants that carry the Left Personality, including the "intersection."

When the course was completed, it was made available for audit by those who have a Personality Sun/Earth Right orientation.

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Lecture One

The Structure of the Left Personality

Hello to all of you. Welcome to this *From the Left* and *Strategic Cognition.* I want to begin from a rather different perspective. The perspective I want to give you is your approach to this as a learning process, what it means to have a strategic Personality. We're going to look at that in detail.

A Strategic Personality Must Have a Focus

But the thing to recognize about a strategic Personality just from the simplest level is to understand it is about a conceptualizing process that must be focused. A conceptualizing process—this is what the Personality is all about—that must have a focus. Everything about the conceptualizing process is rooted to a focus. It doesn't mean that the focus has to remain the same. There can be focuses in sort of the mechanical sense of one-after-the-other, but everything about the nature of the strategic Personality is that it is designed to focus.

Think about the process of taking any kind of course if you have a Left Personality. I'm going to be speaking more or less for the next 60 minutes. Of the material that I'm going to cover in the next 60 minutes, somewhere along the line your focus is going to get locked in. And no matter what you think you're listening to after that, even if you're not aware that the focus is hooked in, and it has, the fact is there is a great deal of information I'm going to share with you today that is simply not going to be available to you. It just won't, because you have a strategic Personality.

Your strategic Personality based on your design is going to be attracted to this or that; it's going to resonate to this or that. There is going to be some *thing* it's going to resonate to in the course of this particular class, and that's where it's going to focus in. It's the nature of what it is to be strategic. Everything about the power of the strategic is rooted in the depth of the focus.

The Left Personality Does Not Take Everything In

One of the things about mastering any subject as somebody who is Left, as an example this particular class, I guarantee you being Left Personalities, that when you listen to this again, if you listen to this again, your focus will be someplace else.

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There is always something else that you can focus on, that you can go deep into, depending again on the nature of your particular configuration. This is what it's about.

So, don't be concerned in this process about getting everything. Strategic Personalities are always trying to get everything. I guess it's the influence of the fact that in terms of the way in which the evolutionary process is moving, we're moving towards the Right. It's sort of a way in which the Left is trying to pretend, in a sense, that it's Right. We're not about taking everything in.

It is possible for us as strategic Personalities, and I say "us" because I'm like you. That is, I have a strategic Personality. It is possible for us to cover a great deal of territory, one focus after the other. But never assume in any kind of situation, whether it is a formal learning situation or it's a social interaction, that one is actually taking in all the information or all of the nuances. One is not.

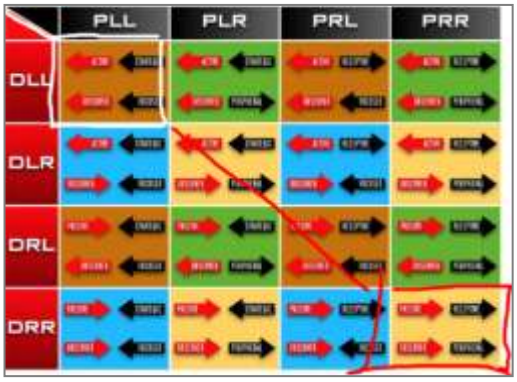
Again, when one is strategic, the way in which one is focused denies all kinds of other things. Ah, what a strange thing it is to be a human being. If you have a Strategy and Authority, the thing about that is that it gives you the perfect opportunity to be able to experience your strategic power instead of being held in slavery to its dreams, the not-self dreams, and the dysfunction that is out there and there is so much dysfunction.

So remember something that is so important about taking in knowledge. You're here to enjoy the flow of data, but you're here to focus on something specific. And each point of focus is relative to where you are at any given moment. What you're going to focus on depends on whether you're emotional or not, depends on the kind of definition you have or not, depends on the kind of circuitry you have or not.

So, don't get caught up in thinking that you need to take it all in. This is what the Right does. But the dilemma for the Right is it doesn't know what to do with it. Yes, it takes it all in. But it's not equipped to do something with it. They are not strategic. Focus is everything for us and focus is what we have inherited.

The Variable Table

This is the all-Left *[upper left]*. This is the only link that there is to the past; the only link. Down here is the all-Right *[lower right]*. It is the link to the future. And it is along this line that we have our evolutionary movement. Now, what you're looking at is the variable table. Variable is a way for us to understand the potential of awareness in a human being.



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