

# **Our Innersight on the Holy Compass**

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## **1 Introduction: A Journey Toward Divine Guidance**

Beloved congregation, today I share a testimony of God's grace, a journey from what I believe is misguided curiosity to the wisdom found in His Holy Compass—the divine guidance of the Holy Spirit. This story begins with a fleeting chapter of my life, where I dabbled in forbidden arts, only to discover the sacred path of agape love. We will explore my interpretation of God's warnings against sorcery, His mercy for our ignorance, and the transformative power of agape, which aligns us with His kingdom, fostering our experience in faith through pure, boundary-honoring love. Let us open our hearts to the Holy Spirit's guidance.

## **2 A Misstep in Scrying: The Lure of Forbidden Insight**

Years ago, I stumbled upon a peculiar gift. Lying down without my glasses, my eyes slightly crossed, I noticed patterns forming in flickering light, responding to my thoughts. Years later, in a meeting, a man identified this as scrying—gazing into lights to discern hidden truths. Intrigued, I tested it with a friend who asked, “How many children do I have?” Gazing at a streetlight, I saw patterns and answered, “Five.” She asked, “How many are girls?” The shapes revealed three triangular forms and two slender ones. “Three,” I replied, and she confirmed my accuracy.

For a time, I offered “scry therapy,” helping people with their permission to uncover insights. It seemed harmless, even helpful. But this practice was short-lived, for I soon discerned its dangers. To foresee destinies risks shortchanging the experiences that shape us. In my fleeting wisdom, I glimpsed potential outcomes, but I failed to see the broader canvas of God's design.

## **3 The Divine Prohibition: Honoring God's Order**

My turning point came when a couple, soon to be married, sought my insight. I scried, charting patterns that suggested their union would not endure. Hesitating, I handed them the charts, saying, “These are for you to interpret.” Their grief-stricken faces haunted me. That was the last time I scried, for I realized I had disrupted their God-given journey of discovery through marriage.

Scripture is unequivocal in Deuteronomy 18:10–12: “There shall not be found among you anyone who . . . practices divination or tells fortunes or interprets omens, or a sorcerer or a charmer or a medium or a necromancer or one who inquires of the dead, for whoever does these things is an abomination to the Lord.” I believe sorcery disrupts God's natural order, attempting to bypass the eternal moment—His all-encompassing now, where time, space, and purpose converge in His kingdom.

## **4 Mercy in Ignorance: God's Overlooking Grace**

We humans are limited in perspective and prone to fallibility. In my ignorance, I grasped at insights without understanding their harm. Yet God's mercy shines in Acts 17:30: "The times of ignorance God overlooked, but now he commands all people everywhere to repent." My misstep was driven by curiosity, not rebellion. When the couple's grief revealed my error, I repented, turning to the Holy Spirit as the true source of insight.

It can be clouded by environmental toxins, yet our direct access to it through forbidden arts can sometimes be ego-driven desires. Instead, our Innersight channel to God can be seen as a clear channel for divine wisdom. In my curiosity error, I disrupted a couple's path, but God's agape turned my misstep into a testimony.

## **5 Our Innersight: The Holy Compass**

This experience unveiled what I call our "Innersight"—a God-given antenna, often symbolized as the third eye or pineal gland, through which the Holy Spirit speaks. Unlike scrying, which draws from fractured light, Innersight flows from the eternal light of God's kingdom. It is not clouded by ego-driven desires but is a clear channel for divine wisdom.

## **6 The Essence of Agape: Love as the Reckoning Force**

This journey leads us to agape—the unconditional, divine love that transforms both heart and world. In John 13:34–35, Jesus commands: "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." Agape is a reckoning force, purifying our actions and aligning us with God's purpose.

Agape extends beyond personal relationships to communal harmony, manifesting as a commitment to inner respect through understanding. It does not demand self-sacrifice to depletion but calls us to set boundaries with care and compassion. Announcing our truths with love, fosters this understanding—the bridge that spans divides. Whether in personal conflicts or societal injustices, agape-driven understanding dismantles barriers, creating a world where justice flows from a mutual respect.

## **7 Conclusion: Walking by the Holy Compass**

We can heed the Old Testament's warnings about sorcery, embrace His mercy, and walk by the Holy Compass of agape. Curiosity, when surrendered to the Holy Spirit, leads to divine wisdom. May we advocate for justice with love, honor boundaries with compassion, and trust God's eternal moment. Let us pray: Heavenly Father, cleanse our Innersight, forgive our missteps, and guide us by Your Holy Compass to live in agape love. Amen.