

# Open Eyes

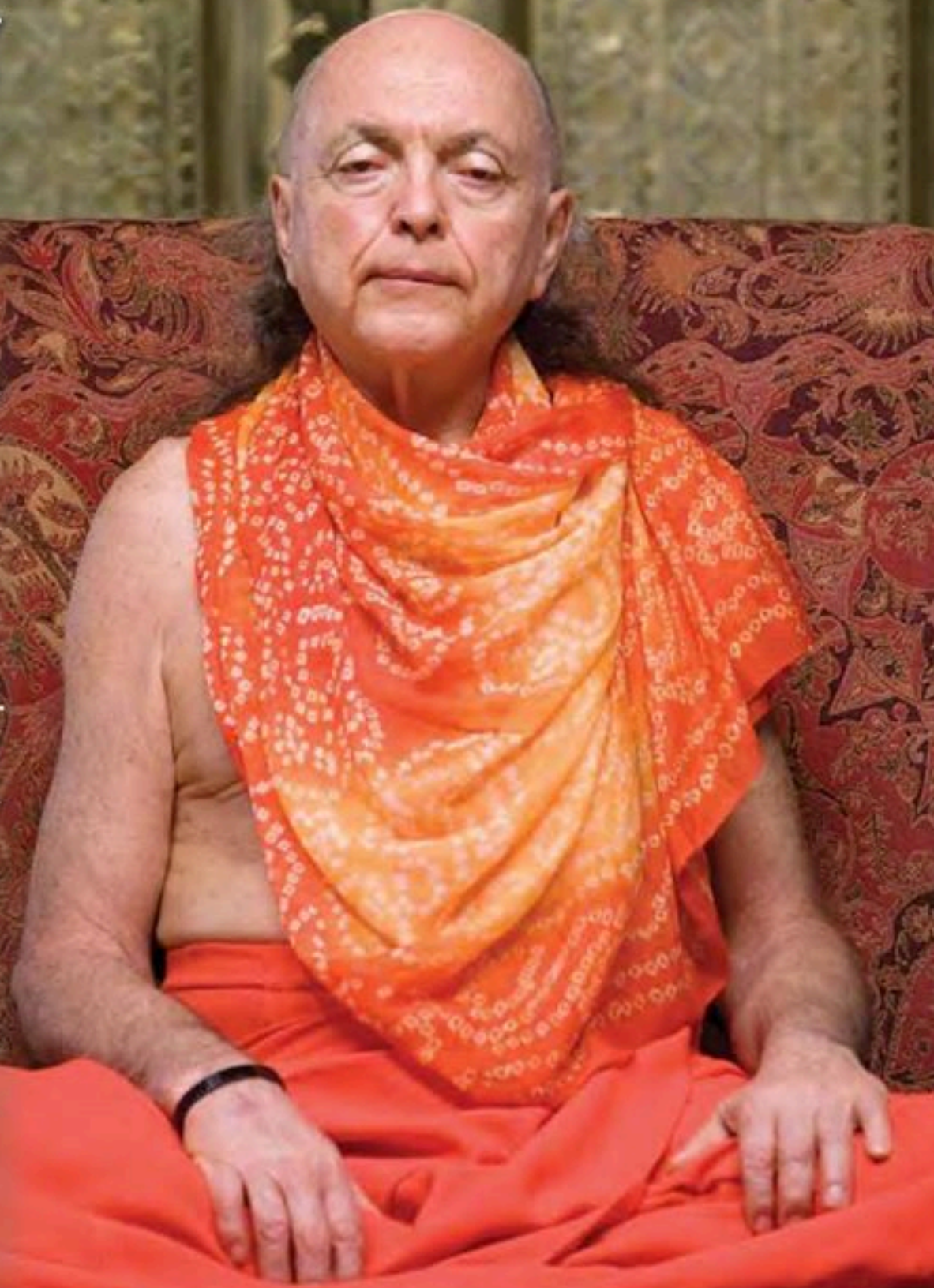
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## *The Awakening Sunlight*

I Am (Myself) the  
Awakening Sunlight,  
the Very Light of Truth...  
No mere symbol, no mere  
condition of the dream,  
can Wake you Up. I Am  
the Divine Conscious  
Light, the Real Divine  
Person—Always Already  
Awake, Functioning Alive.  
I Appear in human Form  
within the dream of life—  
not in order to console  
you, but to Awaken you  
through the Real crisis  
in consciousness.

– Avatar Adi Da Samraj,  
*My "Bright" Word*

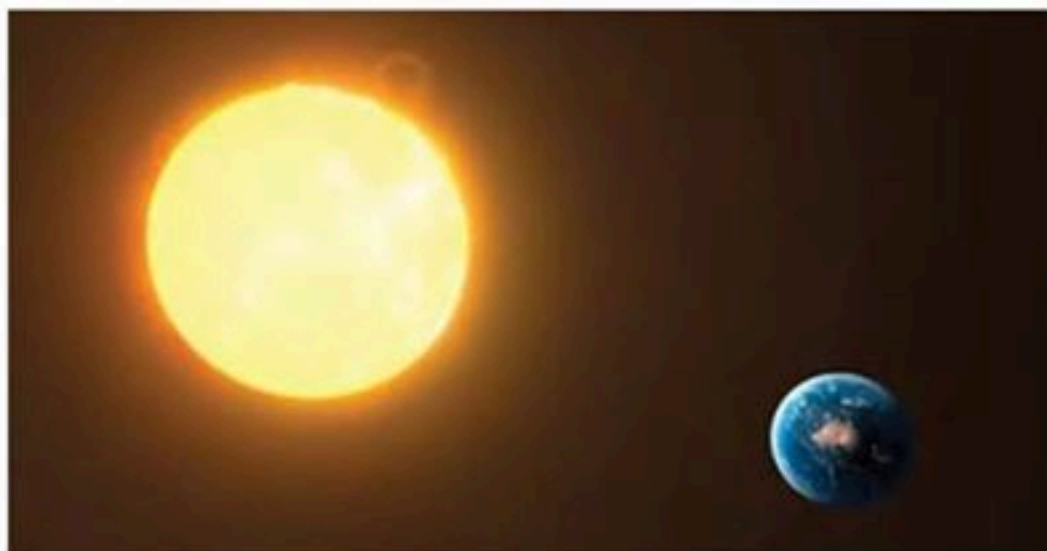


## *The True Guru-devotee Relationship Is Real Physics*

**T**he relationship between the Adept-Realizer and the devotee is not a matter of conceptual symbolisms or emotional attachment to some extraordinary person. The true Guru-devotee relationship is real physics. Therefore, because human beings can make unique use of the Offering of the Adept-Realizer's Company, it is to the special advantage of people when an Adept-Realizer (of whatever Real degree) appears in their midst. And that advantage is Unique in My Case, because I have Revealed and Given the Complete Reality-Process, Which culminates in Most Perfect (or seventh stage) Divine Self-Realization.

Real Spiritual life has nothing to do with the childishness people tend to dramatize in relationship to the Spiritual Master. I Criticize that childish (or dependent) approach more directly than most people do. Others are merely petulant about the necessity of the relationship to the Spiritual Master, in the "self"-righteous mood of adolescence. Both the childish approach and the adolescent approach to the Spiritual Master are forms of destructive nonsense and must be overcome. However, the mature, ego-surrendering relationship to the Spiritual Master is absolutely Lawful and necessary. Those who object to that relationship might as well object to the relationship between the Earth and the Sun.

— Avatar Adi Da Samraj, *The Gift of Truth Itself*





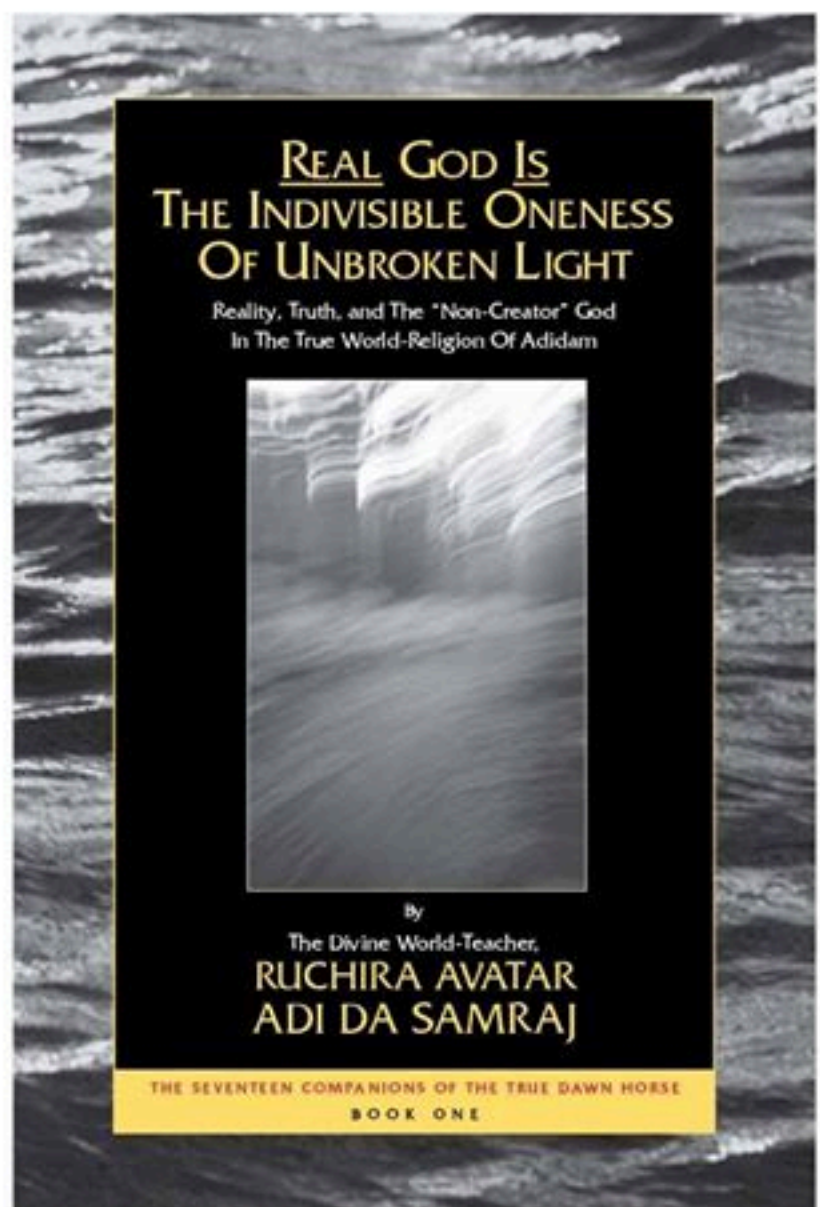
**BEN GRISSE:** While taking pictures in the redwoods in Northern California in June of 2000, Beloved Adi Da achieved a breakthrough with His photographic Work. He left the shutter open on the camera, letting more and more light in through the lens, creating a sequence of wonderfully abstract images. The communication of light in these images is in clear parallel with Beloved Adi Da's Spiritual Work, in which His "Brightness" overwhelms the separate point of view, or (as Beloved Adi Da would sometimes describe it) "the room behind the eyes".

Beloved Adi Da named these photographs "Bright Field" images, and it is no wonder to me why, as they closely resemble my own visual experience of Sighting Adi Da in formal Darshan occasions. While gazing upon Beloved Adi Da's bodily (human) Form, the room would often fill up with brightness, as if the shutter on my "camera" was being left open. The entire room and its contents would seem to be overexposed, often to the point where it was hard to make out separate objects or people.

This Feeling of "Brightness", without separate point of view, is what I have always known Beloved Adi Da to Be, whether I was in or apart from His physical Company. This is what I understand Adi Da to mean by "Reality Itself".

—quoted in the introduction  
to *My "Bright" Sight*

*Right*, book cover with one of Avatar Adi Da's "Bright Field" images at the centre.



# You Have Never Been Limited

When you become less concerned with your particular search, your inwardness, your adventure, then you have simply become more sensitive to your Real Condition. You have felt the sunlight falling on your sleeping eyes. When your eyes have opened in the morning light, everything will be obvious to you—and you will know that you have never slept, that you have never dreamed, that you have never been limited to any thing that has appeared.

You have never been limited to any condition that you have presumed. There was always only Reality Itself, the True Divine Self-Nature of all-and-All—Which Is Love-Bliss-Happiness Itself, Consciousness Itself, the Unqualified Presence of Reality Itself, Truth Itself, and Real God.

I Am That.

— Avatar Adi Da Samraj,  
*My "Bright" Word*



## Who is Avatar Adi Da Samraj?

Avatar Adi Da's entire human lifetime was a unique demonstration of His Eternal Form—the State He calls the "Bright", the Conscious Light that is Reality Itself. From His birth on 3 November 1939 on Long Island in New York, to His passing from the body on 27 November 2008 on the Island of Naitauba, Fiji, His Life is the story of the Intervention of the "Bright" in human time.

The fruits of Avatar Adi Da's Lifetime are the establishment of a new and unique possibility for the transformation of all beings and the world itself. His Eternal Revelation is of the Divine Reality, which is always Shining—like the sun—as the Prior Condition of every one and every thing.

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