

# The Hanshi Reader

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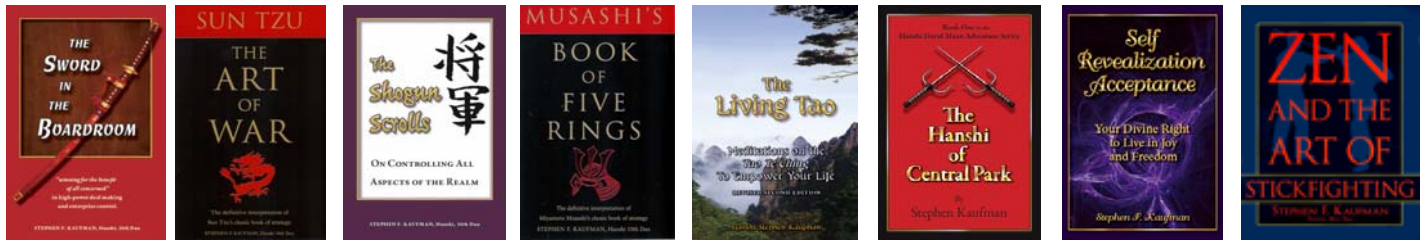
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## **This Week's Self-Revelization Acceptance**

### **I am Healed and Cleared**

I rid myself of any and all conflict in my heart and mind. No longer does confusion or misunderstanding about my self and my spirit and my relationships interfere with my forward movement to live my life by My Divine Right to Live in Joy and Freedom. I feel wonderful and this by my own authority regardless of appearances. A wonderful knowingness about my total well-being pervades my entire persona. Any corrections that have to be made to bring about this great change in my self is immediately and without delay put into action by the **Spirit of the Thing Itself** via the authority of my own **Self-Revelization Acceptance**. I repeat whatever words for productivity that come to my clear mind and with clear thinking I am able to envision the life that I want to experience and I say it, I don't pray it. I deny any authority to any and all forms of dis-ease or disease in my life experiences taking whatever measures necessary for me to realize my own perfection. This is a marvelous state of being and I give profound thanks to the Creative Power of the universe for the intelligence within me to understand the authority of my own words and for the revelization that I will override any form of distress and any form of anxiety and accept with full conviction the healing power of the universe to correct any anomaly in my life. All of my relationships are in order and enhance my life. All of my finances are in order and enhance my life. My creativity burns with great accomplishment. Great pleasure is mine to enjoy and to share with others. I do not put myself into any form of harm's way and consider all decisions before acting. My mind is clear and my spirit is uplifted. What a joy and pleasure it is to be me.

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***Think well of yourself and let that be your answer.***

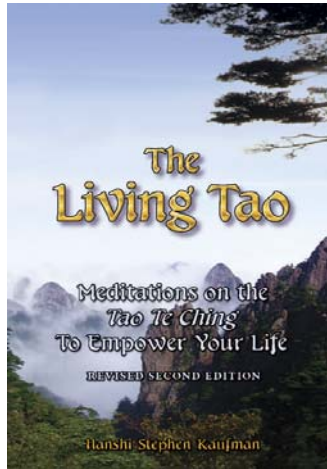
Readers have asked me to list the table of contents in the *Self-Revelization Acceptance* book. My next book project is a collection of SRAs that I have composed over the years. Some you will be familiar with. The length of the earlier SRAs are extended for the reason that I needed to come to terms with my own understanding of the profound gift given to me by the Creator. They are included so that you can attain the same level of understanding. The book will contain more than 100 SRAs that will be completely edited and structured for your own personal use. I will tell you when the work is completed.

- 1 - The Universe is a Complete and Total Success
- 2 - Selfishness
- 3 - Coming to Terms with Abundance
- 4 - The Intelligent Use of Faith and the Spirit of the Thing Itself
- 5 - Intuitive Knowingness
- 6 - IT is Whole and Complete
- 7 - Igniting the Fires of Passion
- 8 - Annihilating Negative Sentiment
- 9 - Deconstructing Manipulative Grace
- 10 - You Will Now or You Won't Later
- 11 - burning Your Bridges
- 12 - Say It—Don't Pray It
- 13 - You Reap What You KNOW—Not What You Sow
- 14 - Clarity of Purpose, Clarity of Thought, and Fullness of Acceptance
- 15 - Escaping the Morass of Indifference and Mediocrity
- 16 - Accepting Complete Lavishness, Lotsness and Limitlessness
- 17 - Cosmic Authority and cosmic Transition
- 18 - Floating Acceptance into Floating Dreams
- 19 - Multiple Acceptance—One Goal, Two Targets
- 20 - Accepting the Power of Healing
- 21 - Healing Acceptance for Others
- 22 - Knowing God as ITS Own Pleasure
- 23 - Expressing Freedom and Joy at the Insistence of the Named
- 24 - Knowing IT is Done By Virtue of Being
- 25 - Enjoying Your Good Bounty
- 26 - Ascension to the Next Point of Being
- 27 - Absolute Nextness

## **How to use a Self-Revelization Acceptance**

A Self-Revelization Acceptance is constructed for the simple purpose of bringing a specific result into a practitioner's life. Any of the ideas presented in my weekly example can be structured for your own desires. When the ideas of relationships, creativity, love, and finances are addressed you should use your own definitions to enhance the positive acceptance of an ever-growing good in your life. REMEMBER, *Self-Revelization Acceptances* are NOT affirmations. They are based on your positive acceptance of the good you want to experience in your life and therefore only YOUR words and YOUR authority activate the *Spirit of the Thing Itself*. *Self-Revelization Acceptance* is a philosophical approach to reality facilitation. Your reality and not the reality of someone else. *Self-Revelization Acceptance* absolutely is for an individual and personal manifestation REGARDLESS of what anyone outside of you thinks in relation to what you are accepting for. Fill the blanks with your own ideas and feel free to forward any questions or comments.

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**Stanza 29**

Thinking you can take the world  
Shaping it to your own desire  
You are mistaken  
It will not last  
The earth is its own thing and will serve its own nature

If you try to change it  
It will laugh in your face  
If you try to spoil it  
Time will transcend your being  
Not to mention Heaven Itself  
Which will not even laugh or know that you tried  
Things move forward, things move back  
It is the Nature of Things  
Not of Heaven

Not knowing time space or motion  
Never will the sane man  
Expect the world to do his bidding  
Expect Heaven to part on his behalf  
Work in harmony with all beingness  
And reap the rewards thereby

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Regardless of the power and strength of anyone who has gone before, the changes they wrought have not remained through the millenniums because they are measured in time. Man can foul his place and throw his debris into the sky but it will not remain. Change necessitates invention and invention is required for change. That is why the body changes and shifts with age. What was strength becomes power to the wise. What was speed must become quickness, also to the wise. Better to know this when you are a youth expecting pleasure to come with ease and grace.

The Universe knows what IT must do for ITS own enjoyment. Perhaps indulging a man now and then and perhaps not, IT does what IT wants done and although offering suggestions to a man, still IT directs ITS ownness.

We are Heaven's pawns regardless of our self-esteem and only reap the joy we can accept. Heaven does not know good or evil. IT only knows perfection.

## Stanza 30

The wise counselor advises the ruler against the use of arms  
Men cost more than the weapons they choose  
Governed through fear the land turns to chaos  
The people will despise the king

The wise general knows when to march and when to halt  
Knowing when to rest his troops  
And when to force them onward  
He understands their value  
When they must be fed  
When they must be entertained  
When they must be rewarded  
When they must be punished

A wise man attaining that which he sought for  
Does not make more of victory than it is worth  
The accomplishment of a goal  
Is the accomplishment of the goal  
To force it to produce more than it should invites disaster

If you would command troops you must know their value and use them properly. You must know when to advance your men and when to restrain them. If you delegate the realm to another then that person will see its growth or demise according to his desire and not the needs of the people. This will cause you to lose control as well as the throne. Once your goal is attained you should proceed further along your path of desire and not force temporary conditions to subject themselves to what you think because of your ego.

Thinking erroneously causes teachers to lose students. It makes rulers lose their domains. Forgetting the nature of the goal, they forget that their students and subjects were its vehicle. When the teacher has done his work he must release the child to be the man. Wisdom comes with age and experience — not before. A person should have a desire for great knowledge when still a youth. He will attain it and then, understanding it, he will accomplish many great things further on in life. Sometimes he is incorrect in Universal Mind and must be able to make his changes in stride. There is nothing incorrect in making change for the ideal of the goal but never for the value sought to be derived for personal gain.

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