

Ground Zero September 11, 2015

Reminders & Remembrances

Fourteen years have passed since the unfathomable attacks
that occurred on the morning of 9-11-01

A Global Voice of Peace has been sent out on the 11th of every month
since then & will continue A Reminder, A Practice, A Belief That A New
Way Will Be Realized

Two weeks ago, I visited Ground Zero, a Memorial organically evolving out of the decay. I sensed surrealistic moments of feeling utter loss and determined resiliency with a spirit of purposefulness. And maybe the energy I felt was a powerful tsunami of Peace and Love ready to wash over us; *A Global Voice of Peace* empowering us with faith and hope and I was there to hear its echoes.



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Visions of grey steel grids piercing
the air 14 years ago swirled around
me with the chill of ghosts.

Approaching
the area, a
white speared
grid jutted out
from behind a
building.
I recoiled,
transfixed by
its energy.



Walking on, the rest of the structure
came into full view. Still in
construction, its humongous,
double-sided curves of spears
spread out & up, hovering & consuming the airspace across from the open plaza of the memorial site

An intensely emotional rush brought me to tears as I stood on the plaza, mesmerized by the massive embodiment of the elements of 9-11



The angled steel and glass museum houses the images & artifacts of 9-11

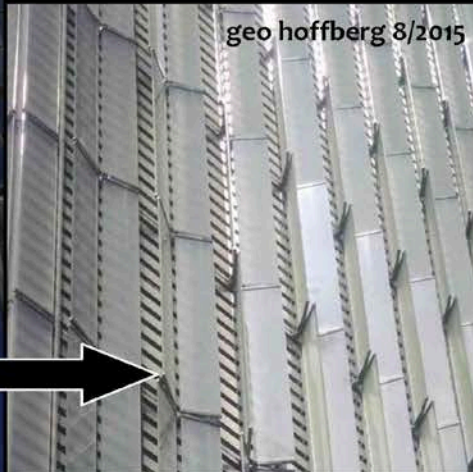
Reflections of The White Sculpture & One World Trade Center in its windows



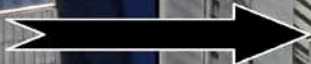
The One World Trade Center building pinnacles into the sky while finger-like steel prongs poke out from the window seams on the lower part of the building reminiscent of those struggling to survive. 9-11



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A masterpiece of reflection is the black granite square where water walls flow on all four sides onto a flat wide rim continuing its flow towards a deep black hole in the center.



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To me, the watery sides represent the tears gushing from those who remain, mixing with the tears of those who disappeared into the black hole on 9-11

Edging the outside square is black granite engraved with the names of all who perished in 9-11.

Each letter of each name is cut into the granite for the insertion of a flower stem. Life continues on.....



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Viewing the white sculptural behemoth structure from this vantage point, I envisioned the wings of a bird, a white dove, a peace symbol or the phoenix rising from the ashes.

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Standing with me, my boyfriend Geo experienced the sculpture as the human spine broken open, the ribs exposed, the skeletons of all those gone but not forgotten.



Depicted with elegant and tasteful dignity, I'm still spellbound by the design's acute sensitivity to this unfathomable tragedy.

Had I stayed all day, I would have cried all day...

9-11-15

On this day
May we hear the sounds of Peaceful Silence
As we pray
For all Countries, Lands, Cultures, and Peoples from all walks of life,
To lay down the arms of battle
and
Lift up their arms of Peace...
Embrace the wondrous Diversity of us all
and
Behold the awesome Oneness of Creation....

A Global Voice of Peace

Invites You to
11 minutes of Prayer at 11 am New York Time ...
11 represents the date and is a symbol of the 2 World Trade Towers standing side by side,
11/11 is also a symbol of Peace
EVERYONE, EVERYWHERE
SEND OUT every ounce of your LOVE'S LIGHT as ONE PEOPLE.
to the sites in New York, Pentagon, Pittsburgh,
and wherever there is war

A GLOBAL VOICE of Love's Light EMBRACING
all those spirits buried there,
those who are injured,
their families, and the planet
who have suffered a great loss.

Let the RAYS OF OUR LOVE'S LIGHT
EMANATE from those sites out
to the far reaches of the UNIVERSE
with an energy so powerful
that it will shift the planet's axis
to one of PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE

Blessings on our Planet...In Peaceful Spirit...Gylian Solay,MS
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