

Ethics – A Perspective for The Practice of Esoteric Healing

There are differences of opinions in the world about what is right and wrong on almost any issue. With Esoteric Healing, the use of ethics is important not only when working with the energetics of another person but in creating our part in right human relationships. This is the reason we are creating a series of short articles focusing on points of ethics that truly need to be acknowledged and discussed.

Recently I had a gentleman who was needing help with his depression, anger and fear. He was in town for just a week or so and was wanting Esoteric Healing as well as a Shamanic style of healing. A friend of mine who took Parts 1-4 many years ago with me also does a Shamanic style of work. With limited time, we choose to work together holding the space for each other as we did our thing. All went well until after the sessions and I was talking to the gentleman about his anger. I saw / sensed that his fear was fairly dormant and his anger was feeding itself. There is a feeling of power in anger. Knowing this gentleman, I knew if I brought up his fear – which we understand is an underlying cause of anger – it would ignite and that I did not want.

While I was talking to him, my friend who was still in the same room, started yelling about his fear. Saying anger always comes from fear and it is his fear he needs to look at. Well, he went off like a helium balloon on fire. Exactly what I was trying to avoid. I calmed him and was able to wrap up the appointment.

The specific NAEH Code of Ethics I would like to address with this scenario is “Honoring the value in every person by refraining from behaving in a prejudicial manner or discriminating against clients and/or colleagues.”

What I believe would have been the ethical thing to do is to wait until the session is over and discuss any questions between the practitioners of the session.

It is not OK to call someone out in front of a client and disrupt the session – period. According to DK, group work is the path we are moving towards and is an attribute of Ray 7 - the Ray of the Age of Aquarius. Group work is not necessarily easy. We all have different Ray makeups and tend to work differently. One of the best ways to deal successfully with the fires of group work is to honor each other, hold questions until appropriate and then discuss any issues and learn from each other. Let us keep the peace and move forward with the work.

Alice Bailey writes in “From Bethlehem to Calvary,” page 279, quoting Dr. Schweitzer: “Civilization originates when men become inspired by a strong and clear determination to attain progress, and consecrate themselves, as a result of this determination, to the service of life and of the world. It is only in ethics that we can find the driving force for such action, transcending as it does, the limits of our own existence.”