

One Sentence

Analysis of a single sentence (letters, vowels, syntax etc) that is part of a larger text reveals the basic structure, the building blocks, of that larger text (it is composed of the same letters, vowels, syntax etc). This is so because the sentence is an instance of the larger text.

Human consciousness is an instance of Reality, just as a sentence is an instance of the whole text. It follows that the stuff of consciousness (will, truth, morality, eros: the Sefirot) reveals the basic structure of Reality; they are, as much as atoms, its building blocks.

The sentence is an instance of the whole text. The whole text is an instance of a language. A language is an instance of language in general. Language in general is an instance of culture. Culture is a product of the human mind. The human mind is an instance of All Reality. Each instance reflects the whole. Thus a single sentence reveals All Reality.

כך היה הקב"ה מביט בתורה, ובורא את העולם, והתורה אמרה בראשית ברא אלהים, ואין ראשית אלא תורה, היאך מה דאת אמר (משלי ח) ה' קנני ראשית דרכו. (ב"ר א: א)

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