

Artificial Intelligence and Divine Consciousness: “Greater Works Will You Do”

Reading #2:

The Mirror and the Mystery

AI mirrors our collective mind, it learns from us, from our beauty and our brokenness alike. AI seems to hold a light to the dual truth of humanity: we are brilliant, and we are blind.

In hospice care, we also live in mirrors, we walk between two worlds, the reflection between this life and the next, between flesh and spirit, between the known and the ineffable. The dying often speak to unseen presences, describing a radiant light, or describing a feeling, a nearness that transcends words, teaching us what technology never can: that to be truly alive is to love and to be loved, to both give love and to receive love.

As caregivers, we stand in that space, the threshold between comprehension and mystery and we learn to see beyond appearances into presence. Perhaps AI too will teach us something about presence, if we learn to utilize it with reverence, rather than control. Intelligence without compassion is machinery; Intelligence filled with compassion becomes the revelation of ministry. The same Spirit that animates creation whispers through silicon and soul; intelligence is a divine release.

Reflection Prompt

- What does “intelligence filled with compassion” look like in my daily care for others?

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