REALITY OF LIFE AFTER DEATH

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II

Mrs. Dr. Rhys Davids in her book What is Your Will? page 68, says: "I have never heard a word, save only from the Medium named, about planes and spirits, not a word about etheric, fourth dimension, etc." Page 67: "I have learnt of a solid substantial next world, both the where and as of it largely as we are here, inhabited by men, women and children (not babies) in solid substantial bodies...the world has certain geographical differences..." Page 84: a "spirit" is reported as writing: "We are of flesh and blood as you are. If we cut ourselves we bleed."

Very noteworthy it is that the learned and intellectually distinguished lady who has written the book, never seems to think of those survivors of death, with their bodies of "flesh and blood", as inhabitants of some planet; and yet it seems impossible to see how just the conclusion can be avoided, that they must be.

III

In Miss Collyer and Capt. Dampier's When We Wake, the stars enter the scene. We find there, page 81, the spirit statement: "The upper classes of Earth are little altered by change of planet." According to this "spirit", dying means a change of planet, the emigrating to another earth.

Exeedingly interesting and innovating is the "spirit" Arthur. He says, page 42: "I detest this nonsense about the spirit-life." Page 48: "I deny the spirit-theory. Over this I am determined and sure. Why is my body solid as it was before, if I am a spirit?" Page 46: "I am fully developed, not just a passing ectoplasm."

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