Wednesday, August 23, 2000 - 4:00 p.m.

Birthday Anniversary of François

Don't despair; this problem is painful. We will actually end up finding a solution to help you more effectively. You have always been so courageous. You kept filling me with admiration since we met. I had seen you fighting so much during all these years when I lived with you. I had a limited view of your problems and the sufferings you endured. I know now and I am trying, together with all those who love you here, to soften your way, but we are not as effective as we would like to be. It is necessary to go through terrible tests on Earth. They are initiatory and, if properly endured, they make one advance considerably. Even if that cannot comfort you, you have all our compassion and our love. We try to embellish your life on other aspects. There is love around you. You have been doing your level best for a long time to help your fellow man, and you benefit from the return of all these finer feelings that drive you. Being with you was always happiness. Nothing has changed even if my presence has not been effective for fourteen years. You sense me in your heart and these messages testify to my ever-faithful thought. We will meet again here; that is one thing gained. You will not be able to escape it, unless you change your mind, which would surprise me much. You often surprised me in the positive sense in some aspects of your personality. But as concerns what we have just mentioned, I feel easy in my mind; there will be no surprise, and we will be the two of us at this ultimate appointment.

"Another life will start for us, very different, but which will please you, since we will be serving together under the control and Love of your 'Beloved'. Thank you for not forgetting this birthday."

"Yours,"

François