

Fanning the divine flame

Spiritual Wisdom

Someone inside of us is now kissing the hand of God, and wants to share with us that grand news. —Hafiz

Spirituality is a calling from your soul that ignites a wick that has been sitting inside of you for a long time. The flame in your heart may have glowed at times from the sight of a new lover, the love of your children, or other joyful accomplishments. Perhaps your flame has shined especially brightly during times when you've risen to a challenge with passion and vigor. These kinds of flames can wax and wane depending on outer events and inner interpretations.

However, once the *spiritual* flame is lit and blazing inside you, it becomes like one of those magic candles that you just can't blow out. Oh, it may appear to fizzle here and there, or seem to wane when you blow worldly or negative airs towards it, but your spiritual flame always reemerges to shine as brightly as ever, if you have the spiritual eyes to see its radiance.