

Carlyle Group Inc CG under CEO Harvey Schwartz



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5		H	H	T		3	3	2		8
4		H	T	T		3	2	2		7
3		H	H	T		3	3	2		8
2		H	T	T		3	2	2		7
1		H	T	T		3	2	2		7

HEXAGRAM 38 - K'uei - Opposition

Above LI THE CLINGING, FLAME
Below TUI THE JOYOUS, LAKE

This hexagram is **composed** of the trigram

- Li above, i.e., flame, which **burns upward**, and
- Tui below, i.e., the lake, which **seeps downward**.

These two movements are in **direct contrast**.

Furthermore,

- Li is the second daughter and
 - Tui the youngest daughter, and
- although

they live in the same house
they belong, to **different men**;
hence **their wills**

- are not the same
- but are divergently directed.

THE JUDGMENT

OPPOSITION.

In small matters, good fortune.

When people live in

- opposition and
- estrangement

they cannot carry out a great undertaking in common;
their points of view diverge too widely.

In such circumstances

- one should above all not proceed brusquely,
for that would only increase the existing opposition;
instead,
- one should limit oneself to producing gradual effects in small matters.

Here success can still be expected,

because

the situation is such that
the opposition does not preclude all agreement.

In general,

opposition appears as an obstruction, but when

- it represents polarity within a comprehensive whole,
- it has also its useful and important functions.

The oppositions of

- heaven and earth,
- spirit and nature,
- man and woman,

when reconciled,

bring about the creation and reproduction of life.

In the world of visible things,

the principle of opposites makes possible
the differentiation by categories
through which order is brought into the world.

THE IMAGE

Above, fire,

below, the lake:

The image of OPPOSITION.

Thus amid all fellowship

The superior man retains his individuality.

The two elements, fire and water,

never mingle

but even when in contact

retain their own natures.

So

- the cultured man is never led into baseness or vulgarity through intercourse or community of interests with persons of another sort; regardless of all commingling,
- he will always preserve his individuality.