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HEXAGRAM 34 - Ta Chuang - The Power of the Great

Above CHEN THE AROUSING, THUNDER
 Below CH'IEN THE CREATIVE, HEAVEN

The great lines, that is, the light, strong lines, are **powerful**.
 Four light lines

- have entered the hexagram from below and
- are about to ascend higher.
- The upper trigram is Chen, the Arousing;
- the lower is Ch'ien, the Creative.
- Ch'ien is strong,
- Chen produces movement.

The union of movement and strength **gives** the meaning of THE POWER OF THE GREAT.

The hexagram is **linked with** the second month (March April).

THE JUDGMENT

THE POWER OF THE GREAT.
Perseverance furthers.

The hexagram points to a time when inner worth

- mounts with great force and
- comes to power.

But its strength has already passed beyond the median line, hence there is danger that one

- may rely entirely on one's own power and
- forget to ask what is right.

There is danger too that, being intent on movement, we may not wait for the right time.

Therefore the added statement that perseverance furthers.

For that is truly great power

- which does not degenerate into mere force
- but remains inwardly united with the fundamental principles of right and of justice.

When we understand this point –

namely, that greatness and justice must be indissoluble united – we understand the true meaning of all that happens in heaven and on earth.

THE IMAGE

Thunder in heaven above: The image of THE POWER OF THE GREAT.

Thus the superior man

does not tread upon paths

That do not accord with established order.

Thunder - electrical energy - mounts upward in the spring.

The direction of this movement is in harmony with that of the movement of heaven.

It is therefore a movement in accord with heaven, producing great power.

However,

true greatness depends on being in harmony with what is right.

Therefore in times of great power

the superior man avoids doing anything

that is not in harmony with the established order.

THE LINES

0 Nine in the fourth place means:

Perseverance brings good fortune.

Remorse disappears.

The hedge opens; there is no entanglement.

Power depends upon the axle of a big cart.

If a man goes on quietly and perseveringly working at the removal of resistances, success comes in the end.

- The obstructions give way and
- all occasion for remorse arising from excessive use of power disappears.

Such a man's power **does not show** externally,
yet it can move heavy loads,
like a big cart whose real strength lies in its axle.

- The less that power is applied outwardly,
- the greater its effect.

MOVING HEXAGRAM

Hexagram 11 - T'ai - Peace

Above K'UN THE RECEPTIVE, EARTH
Below CH'IEN THE CREATIVE, HEAVEN

- The Receptive, which moves downward, stands above;
 - the Creative, which moves upward, is below.
- Hence their influences meet and are in harmony,
so that all living things bloom and prosper.

This hexagram belongs to the first month (February-March), at which time the forces of nature prepare the new spring.

THE JUDGMENT

PEACE.

- The small departs,
 - The great approaches.
- Good fortune.
Success.

This hexagram denotes a time in nature when heaven seems to be on earth.
Heaven has placed itself **beneath** the earth, and so their **powers unite** in deep harmony.

Then **peace and blessing descend** upon all living things.

In the world of man it is a **time of social harmony**;

- those in high places show favor to the lowly, and
- the lowly and inferior in their turn are well disposed toward the highly placed.

There is an **end** to all feuds.

- Inside, at the center, in the key position, is the light principle;
- the dark principle is outside.

Thus

- the light has a powerful influence, while
- the dark is submissive.

In this way each receives its due.

- When
 - the good elements of society occupy a central position and are in control,
 - the evil elements come under their influence and change for the better.
- When
 - the spirit of heaven rules in man,
 - his animal nature also
 - comes under its influence and
 - takes its appropriate place.

The individual lines

- enter the hexagram from below and
- leave it again at the top.

Here

- the small, weak, and evil elements are about to take their departure, while
- the great, strong, and good elements are moving up.

This brings good fortune and success.

THE IMAGE

Heaven and earth unite: the image Of PEACE.

Thus the ruler

- Divides and
- completes

the course of heaven and earth;

He

- furthers and regulates the gifts of heaven and earth, And so
- aids the people.

Heaven and earth are in contact and combine their influences, producing a time of universal flowering and prosperity.

This stream of energy must be regulated by the ruler of men.

It is done by a process of division.

Thus men

- divide the uniform flow of time into the seasons, according to the succession of natural phenomena, and
- mark off infinite space by the points of the compass.

In this way

nature in its overwhelming profusion of phenomena is

- bounded and
- controlled.

On the other hand,

nature must be furthered in her productiveness.

This is done by adjusting the products to

- the right time and
- the right place,

which increases the natural yield.

This controlling and furthering activity of man in his relation to nature

is the work on nature that rewards him.