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HEXAGRAM 57 – Sun - The Gentle (The Penetrating, Wind)

Above SUN THE GENTLE, WIND, WOOD
 Below SUN THE GENTLE, WIND, WOOD

Sun is one of the **eight doubled** trigrams.

It

- is the eldest daughter
and

- **symbolizes** wind or wood;

it has for its **attribute** gentleness,
 which nonetheless penetrates

- like the wind

or

- like growing wood
with its roots.

**The dark principle, in itself rigid and immovable,
 is dissolved by the penetrating light principle,
 to which it subordinates itself in gentleness.**

1. In nature,

it is the wind that

- disperses the gathered clouds,
leaving the sky clear and serene.

2. In human life

it is penetrating clarity of judgment that

- thwarts all dark hidden motives.

3. In the life of the community

it is the powerful influence of a great personality that

- uncovers and breaks up those intrigues
which shun the light of day.

THE JUDGMENT

THE GENTLE.

Success through what is small.

- It furthers one to have somewhere to go.
- It furthers one to see the great man.

Penetration produces

- gradual

and

- inconspicuous

effects.

It should be effected

- not by an act of violation
- but by influence that never lapses.

- Results of this kind are less striking to the eye
than

- those won by surprise attack,

but

- they
 - are more enduring
 - and
 - more complete.

If

- one would produce such effects
- one must have a dearly defined goal,

for only when

- the penetrating influence works always in the same direction
- can the object be attained.

Small strength can achieve its purpose

only by

- subordinating itself to an eminent man
- who is capable of creating order.

THE IMAGE

Winds following one upon the other: The image of THE GENTLY PENETRATING.
Thus

the superior man

- Spreads his commands abroad

And

- carries out his undertakings.

- The penetrating quality of the wind depends upon its ceaselessness.

- This is what makes it so powerful;
- time is its instrument.

In the same way

- the ruler's thought should penetrate the soul of the people.
 - This too requires a lasting influence brought about by
 - enlightenment
 - and
 - command.

Only when

- the command has been assimilated by the people
- is action in accordance with it possible.

Action without preparation of the ground only

- frightens

and

- repels.

THE LINES

Nine in the fifth place means:

Perseverance brings good fortune.

Remorse vanishes.

Nothing that does not further.

- No beginning,
- but
- an end.
 - Before the change, three days.
 - After the change, three days.

Good fortune.

In the situation described in Ku, WORK ON WHAT HAS BEEN SPOILED (18),

- an entirely new point of departure must be set

whereas here

- it is only a question of reforms.

- The beginning has not been good,

but

- the moment has been reached when a new direction can be taken.

Change and improvement are called for.

Such steps must be undertaken

- with steadfastness,

that is,

- with a firm and correct attitude of mind;

then

- they will succeed,

and

- remorse will disappear.

But

it must be remembered that

such improvements require careful consideration.

Before a change is made,

- it must be pondered over again and again.

After the change is made,

- it is necessary to note carefully for some time after how the improvements bear the test of actuality.

Such careful work is accompanied by good fortune.

Nine at the top means:

Penetration under the bed.

He loses

- his property

and

- his ax.

Perseverance brings misfortune.

A man's understanding is sufficiently penetrating.

- He follows up injurious influences into the most secret corners.

But

- he no longer has the strength to combat them decisively.

In this case

any attempt to penetrate into the personal domain of darkness would only bring harm.

MOVING HEXAGRAM

Hexagram 46 – Sheng - Pushing Upward

Above K'UN THE RECEPTIVE, EARTH

Below SUN THE GENTLE, WIND, WOOD

- The lower trigram, Sun, represents wood, and
- the upper, K'un, means the earth.

Linked with this is the idea that wood in the earth **grows upward**.
In contrast to the meaning of Chin, PROGRESS (35),
this pushing upward is associated with **effort**,
just as a plant needs **energy** for pushing upward through the earth.
That is why this hexagram, although it is connected with success, is associated with **effort of the will**.

- In PROGRESS the emphasis is on **expansion**;
- PUSHING UPWARD indicates rather a **vertical ascent** - **direct rise**
 - from obscurity and lowliness
 - to power and influence.

THE JUDGMENT

PUSHING UPWARD
has supreme success.
One must see the great man.
Fear not.
Departure toward the south
Brings good fortune.

The pushing upward of the good elements

- encounters **no obstruction** and
- is therefore accompanied by **great success**.

The pushing upward is made possible

- **not by violence**
- **but by modesty and adaptability**.

Since the individual is borne along by the propitiousness of the time,
he advances.

He must go to see authoritative people.

He need not be afraid to do this, because success is **assured**.

But

he must set to work, for **activity** (this is the meaning of "the south") brings good fortune.

THE IMAGE

Within the earth, wood grows: The image of PUSHING UPWARD.

Thus the superior man of devoted character

Heaps up small things

In order to achieve something high and great.

- Adapting itself to obstacles and bending around them,
wood in the earth grows upward without haste and without rest.

Thus too

- **the superior man**
 - **is devoted in character and**
 - **never pauses in his progress.**