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### HEXAGRAM 35 – Chin - Progress

Above LI THE CLINGING, FIRE  
Below K'UN THE RECEPTIVE, EARTH

The hexagram **represents** the sun rising over the earth.  
It is therefore the **symbol** of rapid, easy progress,  
which at the same time **means**

- ever widening **expansion** and
- **clarity**.

### THE JUDGMENT

PROGRESS.

The powerful prince

Is honored with horses in large numbers.

In a single day he is granted audience three times.

As an example of progress, this pictures a time when a powerful feudal lord

- rallies the other lords around the sovereign and
- pledges fealty and peace.

The sovereign

- rewards him richly and
- invites him to a closer intimacy.

A twofold idea is set forth here.

1. The actual effect of the progress emanates from a man

- who is in a dependent position and
- whom the others
  - regard as their equal and
  - are therefore willing to follow.

This leader has enough clarity of vision

- not to abuse his great influence
- but to use it rather for the benefit of his ruler.

2. His ruler in turn

- is free of all jealousy,
- showers presents on the great man, and
- invites him continually to his court.

- An enlightened ruler and
- an obedient servant –

this is the condition on which great progress depends.

## THE IMAGE

The sun rises over the earth: The image Of PROGRESS.

Thus the superior man himself

Brightens his bright virtue.

The light of the sun as it rises over the earth is by nature clear.

The higher the sun rises,

the more it emerges from the dark mists,

spreading the pristine purity of its rays over an ever widening area.

The real nature of man

- is likewise originally good,
- but it
  - becomes clouded by contact with earthly things and therefore
  - needs purification before it can shine forth in its native clarity. 1

## THE LINES

Six in the third place means:

All are in accord.

Remorse disappears.

A man strives onward, **in association with** others whose backing encourages him. This **dispels** any cause for regret over the fact that he **does not** have enough independence to triumph unaided over every hostile turn of fate.

Nine in the fourth place means:  
Progress like a hamster.  
Perseverance brings danger.

**In times of progress**  
it is easy for strong men in the wrong places to amass great possessions.  
But such conduct

- **shuns the light. And since**  
times of progress are also always  
times in which dubious procedures are inevitably brought to light,
- **perseverance in such action always leads to danger.**

## **MOVING HEXAGRAM**

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### **HEXAGRAM 52 – Ken - Keeping Still, Mountain**

Above KEN KEEPING STILL, MOUNTAIN  
Below KEN KEEPING STILL, MOUNTAIN

The image of this hexagram is the mountain,  
the youngest son of

- heaven and
- earth.

The male principle is at the top,

- because it strives upward by nature;

the female principle is below,

- since the direction of its movement is downward.

Thus

there is rest

- because the movement has come to its normal end.

In its application to man, the hexagram turns upon

**the problem of achieving a quiet heart.**

It is very difficult to bring quiet to the heart.

While Buddhism strives for

- rest through an ebbing away of all movement in nirvana, the Book of Changes holds that

- **rest** is merely a state of polarity that always posits **movement** as its complement.

Possibly the words of the text embody directions for the practice of yoga.

## THE JUDGMENT

KEEPING STILL.

Keeping his back still

So that he no longer feels his body.

He

- goes into his courtyard And
- does not see his people.

No blame.

True quiet means

- keeping still when the time has come to keep still, and
- going forward when the time has come to go forward.

In this way

- rest and movement are in agreement with the demands of the time, and thus
- there is light in life.

The hexagram signifies the end and the beginning of all movement.

The back is named because in the back are located all the nerve fibers that mediate movement.

If

- the movement of those spinal nerves is brought to a standstill,
- the ego, with its restlessness, disappears as it were.

When

a man has thus become calm, he may turn to the outside world.

- He no longer sees in it the struggle and tumult of individual beings, and therefore
- he has that true peace of mind which is needed
  - for understanding the great laws of the universe and
  - for action, in harmony with them.

Whoever

- acts from these deep levels
- makes no mistakes.

## THE IMAGE

Mountains standing close together: The image of KEEPING STILL.

Thus the superior man

Does not permit his thoughts To go beyond his situation.

1The heart thinks constantly.  
This cannot be changed,  
but the movements of the heart - that is,  
a man's thoughts -  
should restrict themselves to the immediate situation.  
All thinking that goes beyond this only makes the heart sore.