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As indicating in the story of Adam and Eve knowledge is an opening of the mind to both good and evil. So knowledge is the knowing we have both good and evil within us. Evil not in the sense as one would define evil – an intention of causing harm or destruction to something or someone.²³ Evil in the sense of our ability to be of self. To think we are God and can create anything that he can. In the opening of this Chapter we cited from A Course of Miracles four statements about the “Distortions of our Creation.” It tells us

1. First, we believe that what God created can be changed by our own mind.
2. Second, we believe that what is perfect can be rendered imperfect or lacking.
3. Third, we believe that we can distort the creations of God, including ourselves.
4. Fourth, we believe we can create ourselves, and the direction of our own creation is up to us.

It is in this distorted view about creation where we use our self-evil (EGO) to live our lives. A choice given to us by God in the ability to think with free will about those things we know as truth and those things we know as false which man has created. It is like living with two personalities – one that is of God and the other is of us. Both can drive the bus at any point in time but with only one giving us Life and the other giving us hardship, frustration, loneliness and death in the sense of not living - what we know to be Life. It is through this knowledge that we know of opposites (Law of Duality) – light and darkness, love and hate, prosperity and poor, healthy and unhealthy, cold and hot, appreciation and resentment, etc. etc. This is the Law of Knowledge.

A Course of Miracles tells us that, “The Garden of Eden, or the pre-separation condition, was a state of mind in which nothing was needed. When Adam listened to the ‘lies of the serpent,’ all

he heard was untruth. You do not have to continue to believe what is not true unless you choose to do so. All that can literally disappear in the twinkling of an eye because it is merely a misperception. What is seen in dreams seems to be very real. Yet the Bible says that a deep sleep fell upon Adam, and nowhere is there reference to his waking up. The world has not yet experienced any comprehensive reawakening or rebirth. Such a rebirth is impossible as long as you continue to project or miscreate. It still remains within you, however, to extend as God extended His Spirit to you. In reality this is your choice, because your free will was given you for your joy in creating the perfect. All fear is ultimately reducible to the basic misperception that you have the ability to usurp the power of God. Of course, you neither can nor have been able to do this. Here is the real basis for your escape from fear. The escape is brought about by your acceptance of the Atonement, which enables you to realize that your errors never really occurred.”