

## CRE SUCCESS AND NATURAL LAW

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A MAN LOOKED HEAVENWARD AND SPAKE  
UNTO THE UNIVERSE, INSISTING: "I EXIST! I  
INSIST!"

WHEREUPON THE UNIVERSE (AFTER A WHILE)  
REPLIED: "YES, I'LL ACKNOWLEDGE THAT AS  
FACT, KIND SIR; HOWEVER, DON'T PRESUME ME  
TO POSSESS ANY PARTICULAR SENSE OF  
RESPONSIBILITY IN THAT REGARD."

- Stephen Crane (circa 1810) -

'Sorry Steve, this is probably a bad recital of  
your stuff but, hey, you died 200 years ago  
(At about the time I got out of college...)

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Let's take a look at the rules that control our *role* and *circumstances* within the order of the cosmos, and at the part that the Universe plays in getting you and me exactly what we need out of life. Bear in mind, however, that *Universal Law* lies totally beyond our control just beyond the quantum physical realm and is absolute, incontrovertible and pertinent to every aspect of our existence. A too oft disregarded fact is that Universal Law controls not only matter (the stuff we can see and touch), but also sound waves, light waves, radio waves and the thought waves generated by the written and spoken human word. In other words, if we 'want' something we can just say so and hope for the best, but if we truly 'need' something (big difference), we say so and it is given to us. This

phenomenon is the result of the unerring ‘functional objective’ of the Universe itself: i.e., to fulfill every need on every level without regard to you and me as individuals. The Universe (‘God,’ if you wish) simply will not and cannot allow any true necessity to go unfilled. Neither will it honor every idle hope, prayer, wish or desire uttered by those who are unconvinced that what they’re asking for is truly ‘needed.’ It’s only when something cannot be lived without, that it is absolutely guaranteed to be given to us.

*Nature Abhors a Vacuum.*

Did you ever squeeze more toothpaste out of the tube than you meant to and felt a twinge of having wasted something? Were you aware that when that happened, you could have positioned the tube’s opening against the extruded portion and sucked it right back up? In order to do so, all you needed do is gently and (very) patiently apply pressure to the sides of the flattened part of the tube. In this process, if we don’t get in a hurry and trust natural law, the accidental spurt is siphoned back into the tube? Obviously, this natural phenomenon occurs because our squeezing creates a negative pressure within the tube and therefore a vacuum *allowing* nature to do its job by filling that vacuum with whatever is closest at hand.

Given preparation (moving the opening adjacent to the spill), time (patience) and expectation (knowing how natural law works), any vacuum we create within this quantum physical existence of ours—anywhere in the universe—will inevitably be filled with whatever we introduce it to. It’s only when we attempt to short-circuit that “Law” and deign to force our will upon something as uncaring and perfect as the cosmos, that our hopes and prayers remain ineffective. Note that despite the fact that we don’t always

get what we want, none-the-less the vacuums we create are ALWAYS re-filled: although more often than not with very little of value.

We cannot *control* the Universe. We can only seek to understand more and more about it, and to develop an absolute faith in it. For example, a sea captain can't control the Sea, but by understanding it, yielding to its power and working with it without question or attempt to change it, he remains in perfect control of how it provides the necessities of his life. It's only when the good captain would doubt or challenge the power of the Sea that it would fail to assist him in his bidding. As they say: "A red sky at morning means 'Sailor take warning': and wearing Blue-Blockers won't change a thing."

When we insist on trying to control and direct natural law (i.e., deciding how soon, how much, what color, what size, etc.), the voids we create can only be re-filled with whatever may be at hand at that moment. In our toothpaste analogy above, it's only positioning and applying the proper pressure that fulfills our desire to undo our mistake. Anything else results in the vacuum being filled with plain old air. That's the *Law*!

The Universe can only hear us and provide for us. When we ask for a "red one with a white stripe down its side" and it finds only a red one with a gold stripe, it merely replies: "Sorry but your request cannot be fulfilled at this time." It doesn't tell us why: it just fails to yield what we asked for...it doesn't offer substitutes. If we were less specific in our needs, we may end up with two of what we ask for, allowing us to give one away...thereby creating another void to be filled with something else of even greater value.

That's just the way it works! Understand it and use it! It's there for you every single second of every single day of your life. Idle prayers, wishes, hopes and daydreams

don't do a thing until they are converted to Necessity...that's the hard part: persuading yourself that you deserve what you are asking for. It sounds too simple, I know, but to do that just plan in advance for what you'll do with the abundance that comes your way when it does, and know for sure that it will.