



BRIDGING THE GAP BETWEEN TECHNOLOGY & SPIRITUALITY

*But there is a spirit in man:
and the inspiration of the
Almighty giveth them
understanding
– Job 32:8 (KJV.)*

*“But there is [a vital force
and] a spirit [of
intelligence] in man, And
the breath of the Almighty
gives them understanding.”*

– Job 32:8 (Amp.)

What is Technology?

This is seen as a device, contrivance, or process originated after study and experiment; OR a product of the imagination especially. It can come in form of inspiration.

Inspiration is the platform for provoking supernatural insight

– 2 Tim. 3:16-17

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

**By redemption, we
possess the mind that
created the universe**

Jer. 10:12

He hath made the earth by his power,
he hath established the world by his
wisdom, and hath stretched out the
heavens by his discretion.

- **We live in a thinkers world.**
- **Thinkers mould, shape and rule the history of the world.**

- Pro. 8:15-16

➤ Creativity

– Gen. 24:63/ Gen. 26:1-14

➤ Innovation

– Gen. 30:30-43

➤ Invention

– 2 Chr. 26:1-14

- **The world of science has been moulded and ruled by great thinkers, all through history**

(Ref. The invention of the Digger)

**SPIRITUAL LAWS
TO ENGAGE IN
CREATING A RIGHT
PLATFORM FOR
INSPIRATION**

THE LAW OF SEPARATION

– Pro. 18:1

Through desire a man, having separated himself, seeketh and intermeddleth with all wisdom.

THE LAW OF PRAYER WITH FASTING

✓ **Jam. 1:5-7**

If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him.

But let him ask in faith, nothing wavering. For he that wavereth is like a wave of the sea driven with the wind and tossed.

For let not that man think that he shall receive any thing of the Lord.

THE LAW OF SEARCHING OF SCRIPTURES

Dan. 9:2

In the first year of his reign, I, Daniel, perceived in the books the number of years that, according to the word of the LORD to Jeremiah the prophet, must pass before the end of the desolations of Jerusalem, namely, seventy years. (English Standard Version)

The Law of Meditation

-Gen. 24:63

And Isaac went out to meditate in the field in the evening; and he lifted his eyes and looked, and there, the camels *were* coming.

The Law of Praise

Psa. 16:11

You will show me the path of life; In Your presence *is* fullness of joy; At Your right hand *are* pleasures forevermore.

Inspiration is our access to ultimate wisdom for invention

– *2 Tim. 3:16-17/ Job. 28:7-28*

From the story of *Albert Einstein*, we understand that he was a very poor boy in school.

- One day his teacher had to invite the mother. And in the course of speaking with her on his poor performance of her son, the teacher made a sharp remark,

- **‘your son has no brain’** his mother reacted violently **‘my son has got more brain than you’ve got.’** This was the first time it dawned on Albert that he’s got some brain.

- Today, Albert Einstein occupies a prestigious place in the history of scientific development in the world.

**THREE HIGHLY
INSPIRED MEN OF
EXPLOITS WITH A
ROOT IN CHRIST**

MICHAEL FARADAY



- **Michael Faraday had only two years of formal education. Later became a laboratory attendant with *Sir Humphrey Davies* – a professor, in no time, he became the envy of his master.**
- **He was a vast reader of spiritual materials.**

Michael Faraday was said to have extended his own scientific education by the most **formidable programme of reading.**

Faraday found an understanding of life's purpose by studying and believing the teachings of the Bible

He was a devoted
Christian and he became
an elder in his Church
and a **very celebrated**
preacher in his
congregation.

Whenever he traveled out for scientific lectures, the first thing he would ask in any city where he arrived was, “Where is the church?”

Not surprisingly,
Faraday, at forty-four,
was recognized by all
as the leading man of
science!

- Michael Faraday invented electricity.

Truly?

***Divine wisdom dwells with
prudence, and finds out the
knowledge of witty inventions.***

- Pro 8:12

JAMES CLERK MAXWELL



- James Clerk Maxwell was a fantastic scientist, of the 19th century.
- This great scientist read volumes of spiritual books. Every time he was studying, his Bible was by his side, and everywhere he went, he had a Bible in his hand.

- He read books written by the likes of James Owen and Jonathan Edwards, and how they imparted positively on his life and mind!
- Maxwell led his family, servants and guests in fervent praises every morning!

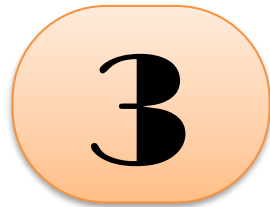
One of his biographers noted, “There is no doubting the fact that James Clerk Maxwell’s spiritual involvement was what was responsible for his fertile mind.”

James Clerk Maxwell
never missed Sunday
worship and spent
hours in the
enjoyment of his
Bible.

His commitment to building his spiritual life, like Faraday's, had a very important relation to the course of his intellectual life.

James Clerk Maxwell
was universally
regarded as the
greatest physicist of
the 19th century.

Isaac Newton



While still an undergraduate was taking a rest under an apple tree and one of the apple fruits fell on him and then he began to **THINK** why was it not suspended in the air

And what kind of force was pushing it down, to cut the long story short, this young student founded the law of gravity and subsequently the 3 laws of mechanics, which are very fundamental to most engineering feats today.

**Isaac Newton
worked and worked,
until he forgot to eat
at times.**

One day, when he got to the table to eat, his wife had cleared the table, having left the food there for hours.

But on seeing the empty table all Newton said was, “Oh, I forgot I had eaten”, and went back into his laboratory!

**EXAMPLES OF MEN
THAT ENGAGED THE
POWER OF
ANALYTICAL THINKING
IN COMMANDING
ACADEMIC**

ARCHIMEDES – 287 BC



- A scientist and mathematicians of extraordinary accomplishment
- One of the biographers wrote;
“Archimedes, one man and one intellect – a host in itself”

He **THOUGHT** through
and arrived at the idea
of specific gravity today
called *Archimedes'*
principle – while in the
Bathroom.

**This was how
the law of
floatation came
to light.**

Today, the water ways has become a major means of transportation for man and more especially for goods and services. Millions earn their living through water-way industries today.

BILL GATES

2

A story was told in his
growing up days how that
his mother was looking for
him in the house, 'Bill, Bill
where are you?

But the mother who was in desperate search for the boy, headed for the basement still shouting Bill where are you? but when she opened the door, Bill screamed back at her,

‘Am Thinking, Don’t You Think?’.

Bill Gates, the thinker
has suddenly as it
were become Bill
Gates the *'ruler'* of
the scientific world.

THE WAY FORWARD

As we all know, all human beings are made up of same number of organs.

That is, all organs of the human body, the lungs, the heart, the liver, the kidney, and of course the brain; all the organs that make up human beings are all the same in size and content.

That is the reason why all transplantable organs are transplantable from one to another irrespective of race or colour such as the kidney.

- Most importantly of course is the human brain, which defines the limits of a man's worth in any field of human endeavour.
- It is absolutely the same in all ramifications and that for all men.

It is interesting to note that the human brain for all humans is:

➤ ***Same size***

➤ ***Same content***

➤ ***Same number of cells***

➤ ***Same number of
nerves running
through***

➤ ***Same colour***

- ***Same potential, which implies***
- ***Same capacity***

Where then is the Difference?

- It is in the robustness of the engagement of the brain.
- It is the active engagement of this 'principal gift' of nature that defines the limits of anyone's worth.

First, we must recognize that we share same capacity of brain with all other humans and that consciousness should arouse the confidence in us to engage this precious gift most pragmatically.

In his book, *Empire of the Mind*,
Dennis Waitley wrote, ***“the
empires of the future will not
be built of concrete stone walls,
turrets, armies and gates. The
empires of the future will be
empires of the mind.”***

CONCLUSION

**Thomas Jefferson, one of
the great American
president said, “Every
*Generation Needs a New
Revolution*”**

Show me a creative
thinker and I will show
you another leader, and
another solution-
provider in the making.

As I once noted,

**One cannot be
committed to a
course and not be
creative**

- **One cannot be creative and not be productive**
- **And one cannot sustain productivity and not be impactful**

- Someone has said:
 - ***Only 5% of humans think,***
 - ***25% think that they think and***
 - ***70% would rather die than think***

*Thank you
and
God bless*