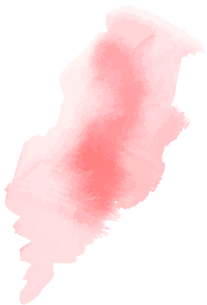
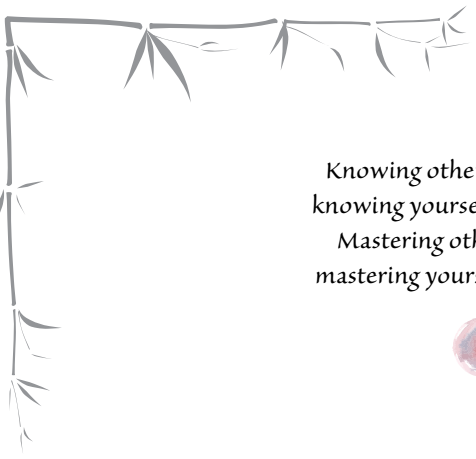


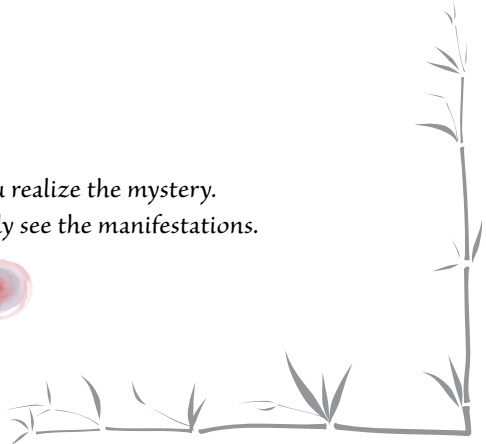


In the beginning was the Tao.
All things issue from it;
all things return to it.





Knowing others is intelligence;
knowing yourself is true wisdom.
Mastering others is strength;
mastering yourself is true power.



Free from desire, you realize the mystery.
Caught in desire, you only see the manifestations.



If you keep your mind from judging
and aren't led by the senses,
your heart will find peace.



Failure is an opportunity.
If you blame someone else,
there is no end to the blame.

