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The Sacred Meaning of Words and Experiences

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In Sufism the sacred meaning of words can be found in the word, “Tawhid” which means, asserting the Oneness of God’s Holy Name in all things. Sufis try to find the nature of unity in all diversity and in all attributes that appear in human character and in words that define God and Nature, (pantheism). The contemporary and Medieval mystical Sufis attempted to contemplate the essence of unity through religious mystical experience and Divine vision. The lecture today will focus on how we can find Divine Oneness (Tawhid) in words and experiences.



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