

Morality vs. Spirituality

Which is closer to the
heart of religion:
morality or spirituality?

Morality asks:
what should I do?
Spirituality queries:
who could I be ?

Morality likes
laws;
spirituality looks to
life.

Morality is a
stream;
spirituality is its
source.

Morality governs
my actions;
spirituality generates
my values.

Morality is concerned with
right and wrong;
spirituality cares about
depth and surface.

Morality satisfies
the obligation;
spirituality seizes
the opportunity.

Morality does good
and avoids evil;
spirituality fosters fullness
and eradicates emptiness.

Morality makes you
correct and proper;
spirituality makes you
warm and complete

In the journey of life
morality steers and brakes,
but it is spirituality
that keeps the motor running.

Spirituality without morality,
I admit,
is suspect;
morality without spirituality,
I submit,
is stifling.

The enemies of Jesus
considered themselves
very moral;
it would have been better
had they been
more spiritual.

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