

## *On the Way vs. In the Way*

Those who serve others  
are on the Way;  
the selfish are  
in the way.

People of compassion  
and concern  
are on the Way;  
the indifferent are  
in the way.

Seekers of virtue  
and goodness  
are on the Way;  
evildoers are  
in the way.

Those who help  
and collaborate  
are on the Way;  
obstructionists are  
in the way.

On the Way  
you boldly go forward;  
timidly hesitating,  
you get in the way.

On the Way  
you proceed with alacrity;  
lacking enthusiasm,  
you stand in the way.

On the Way  
you look far and wide;  
failing in vision,  
you sit in the way.

If you turn to God,  
you are on the Way;  
neglecting the Lord,  
you are in the way.

When you promote the Kingdom,  
you are on the Way;  
guarding your own turf,  
you are in the way.

Should you trust in graciousness,  
you are on the Way;  
relying on calculation,  
you are in the way.

Therefore,  
those who are  
in the way  
had better  
find the Way!

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