

Our beloved facilitators have Great Code

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The developmental structure of a Loquate Smart® group is freedom to live your deepest beliefs in harmony with all. Trained facilitators make this possible. Each Smart® group member in turn is facilitator. Through them a sponsoring organization becomes a best place to work and the local community becomes a best place to live.

Have you ever gone to another country and seen how people live. Culture is their Code. Another word for Code is norms. Norms are expected behavior to remain a member of a group.

The “ahh, hah” experience of a traveler to another culture is realizing something can be done differently than the way you knew. For example, journeying in Spain from Pamplona to Santiago, a traveler on foot can experience a slowed down pace and realize “ahh, hah - that slowed down pace is possible.”

So too the facilitator leaves behind bad code and replaces it with good code verbatim by following the Facilitator Guide. Once you do this, you want to keep doing it more. It is refreshing. One leads to another because it is so good. For example, the “Odd Rule” is to call on others when the facilitator most wishes to speak. The Loquate small group is designed as a flat group. A flat group has no hierarchy.

Actually, what is going on is this. Your spiritual domain is changing at its core. You are facilitating others. This is good code to have a flat group. You as facilitator are not in charge. You and all members surrender to a caring presence outside of yourself. Facilitators practice the Odd Rule, giving power back to the members. The aroma is fragrant to the Spirit. Feedback shows the degree to which the Spirit

is present. With Loquate feedback, you can see the presence of the Spirit.

Man was meant to live in community. And the best community is Spirit-centered community. But it would take good members and a good leader who is a facilitator for wellbeing to flourish thru community. The facilitator takes the “hit or miss” out, by following the Facilitator Guide verbatim. As skills grow, a good facilitator fears nothing.

The twelve steps of Loquate, another written protocol, keeps refining the group, found in a book called God’s Will On Earth, especially Chapter 1.

We must risk being human if we are to grow as human beings. Any beautiful person is no different than a giant oak viewed one sunny day in all its splendor and majesty as a thing of wonder and beauty and great depth. If we could but see how it became itself, its suffering of many seasons, if we could but see the vastness and intricacies of its root system and the obstacles it overcame, we would begin to understand its greatness. What a good facilitator does, is to let us see our roots.

The ideal viewpoint is as follows: honesty manifests itself in our communication with others. It is as though our communication were a natural physical process, containing all the moods of the ocean and a total absence of fear that what we are doing is wrong. It is spontaneous and deep, creative and engrossing. The direction of honesty is to bring ourselves closer to others, and to ourselves, our genuine desires, our strengths...and our weaknesses.

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