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Radionics, Reality and Man by George L. Kuepper

A Personal Journey

I first heard of the word radionics in the early 1980's. My wife Dee, unlike me, was interested in mysticism and parapsychology, and had attended a workshop on *kundalini* meditation at a small institute in the Arkansas Ozarks. On returning, she related that one of the instructors had actually monitored the effects of kundalini exercises using something called a *radionic instrument*! I took little note of this at the time. But the fact, nevertheless, lodged itself somewhere in the recesses of my mind because several years later I would remember it clearly.

Toward the middle of the 1980's we found ourselves in southeastern Oklahoma. I'd undertaken management of a small fruit and vegetable farm for a regional foundation. The farm was principally a demonstration and research project focused on direct marketing and alternative agricultural enterprises.

A key enterprise centered on three newly-planted acres of highbush blueberries. A mere 50 miles to the northeast, on the Ozark plateau, blueberries had already proven to be the most profitable (legal!) crop to come along in decades. There was every reason to believe that it would become the cornerstone of our farm. How wrong we were! The bushes proved to be a textbook example of almost every disease and insect pest problem known to blueberries in the Mid-South! Roughly 20% of the plants died. We tried to replace these, but their replacements were faring just as poorly.

Location **was** part of the problem. But more important, it turned out, was how the plants were being grown. The blueberries had already been established before I got on the scene, and pesticides and commercial fertilizers were routinely used. When the original manager saw that the planting was not thriving as it should, even more pesticides and fertilizers were applied, worsening the situation.

When I took the reins, we immediately reduced the use of synthetic pesticides and began to introduce Organic farming techniques. The planting continued to stumble along, however, with disappointing yields and little new growth. The plants continued to die – often quite suddenly.

I've always believed strongly in the power of prayer, and especially in prayer for guidance. I did a lot of praying in those days.

As I recally, it happened quite suddenly. References to “radionics” came from a number of different people, in very different locations, and under very different circumstances. In one instance, while attending a Natural Farming Conference in New York State, a young couple we'd just met invited my co-worker and myself to their home where they gave us a very convincing demonstration. We spent all evening with these very dedicated and very Christian-spiritual people. I was convinced, in spite of some trepidationj, that **this** was how my prayers were being answered.

Did I say trepidation? To be honest, I was upset to the point of physical illness. I understood very little of the physical mechanics of, or explanations for radionics; but I had little doubt I was about to involve myself in something quite *metaphysical*, and I dreaded it! I read an excellent book: *Radionics: Science or Magic* (Tansley, 1982). Unfortunately, it only confirmed my fears, leaving me awake at night with anxiety attacks.

My fears were not simple paranoia. During the 1970's, with an agronomy degree in hand, I'd joined a research team which was investigating Organic Farming. Since Organic farms did not use polluting pesticides and fertilizers, I thought I was making a most responsible, not to mention "interesting", choice in my career. The Institute I worked for was reputable; the scientists well back-grounded; and the research was beyond reproach. Nevertheless, this is not how my choice was received in the professional community. Relations with other agronomists became decidedly chilly, our presentations and writings were attacked simply for "being", and more than one professional actually characterized us as "dangerous". The real personal trial began when I set out to find another job once our research project ended. When I was able to get an interview, it often became surreal as interrogators learned the details!

I had little doubt about the cold shoulder I would receive choosing to work with radionics! It would lead not only to banishment from the conventional agriculture community, but considerable isolation within the Sustainable/Organic movement also!

Despite these fears, one should not pray for devine guidance unless there is intent to act on it; and what is life anyway, if not an opportunity to learn and grow?! So a few months later I was in south Texas, attending the first of many radionics workshops and classes.

I spent the four agonizing days of that first class trying to learn skills and a way of thinking I was still quite ill-prepared for. It wasn't until the last day that I thought I was really getting a response from an instrument. And that was questionable. I returned to Oklahoma with my notes, cassette tapes and a brand new radionic instrument.

Despite my lack of confidence I did not waste much time. Field samples from the blueberries were taken, and I clumsily worked my way through analysis procedures. From that point on, we began farming in a new way with a different perspective.

Our results were immediate and astonishing. Most noticeably, the disease and insect problems vanished. We lost no more bushes and most began to grow vigorously. We even weed problems were greatly reduced. Yields climbed and our farm project was back on track. If yours is a background in agriculture, you will be most amazed to learn that this was all accomplished without the use of pesticides, and with about 1/8 to 1/10 the amount of fertilizer recommended by conventional soil and plant tissue testing!

Good fortune was also had with a two acre blackberry field. In this case, we were not only able to eliminate pesticides and reduce fertilization, but also introduced production practices hitherto considered unsuitable in the region!

By 1990 I had left my farm management position and was working as a contract consultant for my previous employer. Radionic applications shifted from agricultural applications to family health, environment, and personal growth. We made enormous problems with chronic problems that had plagued us for years. Included among these was candidiasis, a systematic yeast infection, recognized as a medical condition but seldom diagnosed or even acknowledged by physicians.

Considerable time was also spent exploring a metaphysical condition referred to as a "hole or tear in the auric field". Auric holes may occur from a number of circumstances ranging from emotional outbursts, to head injuries, to exposure to strong electromagnetic fields. The consequences often appear as migraine-strength headaches, feelings of disorientation, and personality changes. My wife Dee, who is a psychiatric social worker, has often suspected that many of the conditions she deals with daily, derive from, or are complicated by, this condition. These could be more successfully treated if the metaphysical dimensions were recognized, and modalities like radionics brought to bear.

Additional work has also brought about an increased awareness of earth energy fields and their impact on human health and ecology. Just as humans and animals have energy meridians and chakra, the planet has energy lines (often called ley lines) and vortices. Understanding their nature and effects is a giant step in the progress toward living in harmony with the Earth.

In recent years I have also undertaken the teaching of radionics, and have a small number of students in the region. It was during teaching that I realized how poorly I understood the scientific and metaphysical explanations that underlie radionics. I also found myself without the useful teaching analogies so useful in transferring knowledge and skills. Writing a book is one of the most useful means of addressing such deficits. I hope other instructors will also find it useful.