

*NAMASTE GLOBAL VISION'S SOUL OF LEADERSHIP (SOL) FOR PHILANTHROPISTS*

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**CO-CREATE THE NEW FUTURE**

*You have to understand that when you are having that difficult conversation with your boss, you are not simply working out a logistical problem. In the presence of that all-knowing authority, that life-or-death control over your wage, your mortgage, car payments and future, the soul is actually trying to make a break for its own life and destiny in the presence of an authority figure.”*

*David Whyte*

Soul lives are at stake daily in the work-a-day world. The old ideas and structures of paternalism are rife in philanthropic dealings whether its stakeholders are seeking them or not. Old structures and old paradigms do not easily die of their own accord. SOL development can open you to taking stands and evolving through your own courage a new future that is based on mutual empowering interactions and dynamics when it comes to money, shared vision and values, and the art of best partnerships. It is not simply a shared vision that is being contracted here but a shared sense of power. Being empowered at all phases of giving and receiving is the new future that yields the results.

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*"I think that people will give up anything to make a profound difference in their lives. I think that it is an unknown secret of humanity. What can I do? How can I make a difference?"*

*Lynne Twist*

**SOL FOR PHILANTHROPISTS** consultation and programs help those in the philanthropy world awaken to their own vitality and deepening to make that profound difference. It also lets you take that work many steps further. When you awaken more deeply to the difference that you make, you inspire others to do the same. And you can learn the communication practices that reliably validate or invalidate your stakeholder and recipient organizations.

**SOL** work allows you to develop relationships across divides that let the soul of everyone come to life. When you are there, there is less fuss about who is contributing in what way. There is more consideration given to the exhilaration found when everyone has a stake together. The shared future is actually driven by validation, appreciation and celebration of successes. When you are recognized for the difference you are making in the world, there is joy in that. There is a deep sense of satisfaction.

