The Aspiration:

an aspiration 
vigilant, constant, unceasing — 
the mind’s will, 
the heart’s seeking, 
the assent of the vital being, 
the will to open and make plastic 
the physical consciousness and nature;

Sri Aurobindo
The Truth & the Mind

To see the Truth
does not depend on
a big intellect
or a small intellect.
It depends on
being in contact with the Truth
and the mind silent or quiet
to receive it.

Sri Aurobindo

( CWSA Vol : 31 "Letters on Yoga — IV" P- 12 )
The development of the emotions is ... the first condition of a sound human evolution. Unless the feelings tend away from the body and the love of others takes increasingly the place of the brute love of self, there can be no progress upward.

Sri Aurobindo

(CWSA Vol: 13 “Essays in Philosophy and Yoga” P-20)
To discover the obstacles, the failings, the resistances in one’s own being, in one’s own consciousness, isn’t a defeat, it’s a great victory.

And one shouldn’t lament, one should rejoice.

January 31, 1966

The Mother
Mother’s Agenda Vol. 7 - “1966” P. 15.
Impatience does not help
--intensity of aspiration does.
The use of keeping
the consciousness uplifted is that
it then remains ready
for the inflow from above
when that comes.

21 April 1937

Sri Aurobindo

(CWSA Vol. 27 "Letters on Poetry and Art" P- 12 )
All Nature is an attempt at a progressive revelation of the concealed Truth, a more and more successful reproduction of the divine image.

Sri Aurobindo

The Divine, for us, is always the perfection not yet manifested, all the marvels not yet manifested, and which must keep on growing, of course.

8 January, 1964

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