



## June 13th, 2026 Second Saturday Chat Transcript

[participant] : Hi Jackie!  
[participant] : Yay!  
[participant] : Hi Stephen!  
[participant] : They actually do.  
[participant] : It's a hymn.  
[participant] : They were already using it.  
[participant] : Looking at the gallery, is there anyone under 50 here?  
[participant] : I'll rejoin Sept. 12th. See you on Tuesday, Stephen and Jackie!  
[participant] : I thought the same thing. Wayne. I'm 62.  
[participant] : Thoe young are all too busy living to worry about this stuff...  
[participant] : @[participant] I'm 31  
[participant] : Can we not judge please  
[participant] : Aren't we perpetually surrounded by resurrection?  
[participant] : Babysitting duties call. Apologies for having to leave the session. Wishing you all a good summer! See you again in September.  
[participant] : Must leave. Glad it is being recorded so I can hear it later.  
[participant] : Glad it is recorded so I can begin to understand. It's like reading Tillich.  
[participant] : Marianne and all, thank you for persisting and allowing us to show up, be fed and digest.. Must run.  
[participant] : Thanks, for re casting this conversation. Having heard and thought about these themes again allowed me to listen and reorganize my understanding.  
[participant] : The big question is what does it mean to have Faith on Earth (title of H. Richard Niebuhr posthumous publication). How do we (humans) relate to existence, to what is given?? Most seek to escape from it. A real Christianity helps us face what is here and now!!  
[participant] : and stay in Life, resisting temptations of abandoning ourselves and one another.  
[participant] : If our actions matter, post-Super Theism, as Jack has said, it comes to axiology (values), not ontology (being).  
[participant] : Amazing conversation... thanks!

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[participant] : So, it comes down to 'hoping against hope'?

[participant] : Thank you!!

[participant] : Where would the astro-physicist's comment that we are all made of stardust fit into the discussion?

[participant] : Please give us a link to the poem so we can hear it again later. Thank you.

[participant] : An event...an experience of The More...

[participant] : Three things: Are there other words to use for poesis and poema? The possibility of the impossible; everything and everyone evolves. Humans have a brief history on earth. Ilia Delio has written extensively on this topic. No supernatural being - the book by Joe Paprocki: "Did you know that Catholics do not believe in a supreme being? God is not a being, but is the very ground of being" (A Well Built Faith).

[participant] : Thank you for the poem ❤️

[participant] : Thanks for it all, Marianne....

[participant] : \*many times

[participant] : Tripp Fuller said in a podcast yesterday that the problem with Christianity in the US is not unbelief but widespread indifference