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From the day that God made man, male and female, and commanded them to multiply and replenish the earth, the race has been propagated by the separation of a certain portion of the substance of a pre-existing living body by organs especially created for that purpose.

That is, by means of the contact of the *sperm* cell with the *germ* cell, *conditions* are evolved, from below, which admit of the individualizing of the UNIVERSAL on the physical plane in the form of *man*. Thus, not only is man made in the image of his Maker, but he has within himself a part of the creative force from above, in proportion as the conditions from below permit of its manifestation.

Life on any plane is *motion, activity* on that plane. It is a product of force from the plane above operating through *media* or *conditions* from a plane below. It is both a creation and an evolution, all effort, however, must be directed to the evolutionary forces from below; *vital* force obeying the same law as physical, flowing in the line of the least resistance.

Life on the physical plane might be a never ending creation and evolution could the *media* for its manifestation remain the same. A knowledge of creative laws