# Spring-Summer Living Tao Essential Tai Ji Series — Session Two (June 2023) ~ STUDY MATERIALS ~





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Master Huang's teaching encourages a holistic approach to Body, Heart/Mind & Spirit practice and study through the practice of Living Tao philosophy, metaphors, and forms.

Over the course of this Series, Master Huang will introduce new material in the following areas:

- \* Nature Bathing Meditations; (session two) The Six Healing Sounds or Liù Zì Jué (六字訣);
  - \* Classics, Culture & Music; (session one) "The Five Principles of Peaceful Coexistence

和平共处五项原则 Hépíng gòngchǔ wǔ xiàng yuánzé; (session two) QingMing 清 明 (Pure Brightness)

#### **Ancestral Tomb Sweeping Festival;**

- \* Calligraphy & Metaphors; and
- \* Continued articulation & development of the Tai Ji Forms.

### FOREST BATHING – MEDITATION

The Six Healing Sounds or Liù Zì Jué (六字訣)

## 治病的六字訣氣功

嘘 xū - 'deep sigh' or 'hiss' - Level the Liver /Gall Qi [Yang]

肝臟:發「嘘」音(需,XU),(治肝與膽的疾病)

ig hē /ah- 'yawn' or open throat AH - Supplement the Heart and small intestine Qi [Yin]

心臟:發「呵」音(喝, AH/HE, (治心與小腸的疾病)

 $\underline{\mathbb{F}} h \bar{u}$  - 'to sigh,' 'to exhale,' or 'to call' - Cultivate [or Shore Up] the Stomach, Spleen, Pancreas Qi [Yang]

**脾臟:發「呼」音(**忽, HU), (治脾與胃的疾病)

嘶 sī - 'to rest' - Supplement the Lung/Large Intestine Qi [Yang]

肺臓:發「呬」音(四,SI),(治肺與大腸的疾病)

吹 chuī - 'to blow out,' 'to blast,' or 'to puff' - Supplement the Kidney/Bladder Qi [Yin]

腎臟:發「吹」音(炊, CHUI), (治腎與膀胱的疾病)

嘻 xī - 'mirthful' - Regulate the Triple Burner/Triple Regulators and / Pericardium Qi [Yin]

三焦:發「嘻」音(西,XI),(治三焦與心包的疾病)

# **DEEPENING PRACTICE**

# New variation of combined Centering/Balancing movement practice



**GUI SHAN** 



**BAO HU** 

Embrace Tiger 抱虎 (Bao Hu)—

Chen 沉(Sinking) Fu 浮(floating)

Ti 提(lifting) Piao 飄(riding the wind)

Fei 飛(take flight) Xiang 翔(soaring)

—Return To Mountain 歸 山(Gui Shan )

# QingMing 清 明 (Clear & Bright/Pure Brightness) Ancestral Tomb Sweeping Festival



Image from "Quantum Soup" by Chungliang Al Huang

Han Suyin: The subject of the movie "Love is a Many Splendored Thing"



**Brother David, Han Suyin, Chungliang** 

# **SUPPLEMENTAL REFERENCES**

### Music

- 1. Luciano Pavarotti: Nessun Dorma from Turandot by Puccini
- 2. Maria Callas: La mamma morta from Andrea Chenier by Giodanno
- 3. J.S. Bach: Concerto for Two Violins in D Minor (Double Violin Corcerto): Largo ma non tanto, used in the movie "Children of a Lesser God"
- 4. Nat King Cole: "Let There Be Love"



5. Nat King Cole: "Love is A Many Splendored Thing", Oscar winning title song from the 1955 movie based on Han Suyin's novel, "A Many Splendored Thing"

