

October 23rd 2018 Tuesday class outline short notes.

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Ref. Book: "The Buddha & His Teachings" The Origin of Life (Chp. 22) Pages 392, 393.

1. Sister Yoon Chun mentioned that based on certain Buddhist texts written, Human Life on earth started when beings from the Brahma realm descended on Earth. These beings are attracted to the sensual life on earth, they remained to start life here after they are 'trapped' in the sensual realm (Kamaloka). The other 2 Realms are Rupaloka and Arupaloka.
2. This book states that such knowledge is not essential. So Buddha did not teach this but the 4 Noble Truths to escape from Samsara and dukkha.
3. The Theory of Rebirth is generally accepted by many prominent scientists, poets and philosophers. But their theory is mainly about the **transmigration of a Permanent unchanging Soul**. However, Buddha's Rebirth is that Kamma conditions rebirth through just **a simple single rebirth consciousness** that arises **immediately** after the **death consciousness** or **Cuti Citta**. A new form and mind or Entity is reborn which differs from the previous Being but it is still connected to the same karmic nature.

(Above outline short notes draft was prepared by Sis. Yoon Chun)