ARE WE VACUUM WAVES? Are our lives a form of emergent then decaying vacuum energy solitons? Does immortality reside in the empty space? Why is it that we can be tuned into and feel certain signals like the remote death of a loved one yet we don't feel the deaths of people who are unknown to us? It may be that our presence as live matter in the vacuum sea is more deeply connected to the universe as a whole in a way we have not understood before. It could be that our consciousness is a soliton like perturbation or wave on the deep energy sea that we call space. Space is more than a vacuum with occasional islands of matter. It is a seething quantum sea of energy. When solitons of energy interfere with each other constructively then perhaps we can look over the ocean of space to allow the universe to see itself. In this view 'heaven' and 'timeless' eternity are all around and inside us. The great 'hidden' sea of vacuum energy upon which we appear as transient soul-soliton rafts appears as 'empty space' to us. The atoms and molecules of which we are made are merely the causal networks for the expression of transient soliton energies. The local vista we call 'reality' is our temporary view over the surface of the infinitely deep cosmic sea. After all we are always part of the vacuum.