

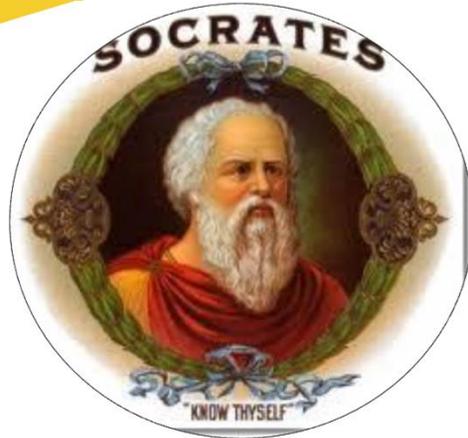


Tree of Life (Sephirot) and Its Mystic Ties to Masonry

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Lexor Temple: Delphic Maxim



“I cannot teach anybody anything. I can only make them think. -Socrates



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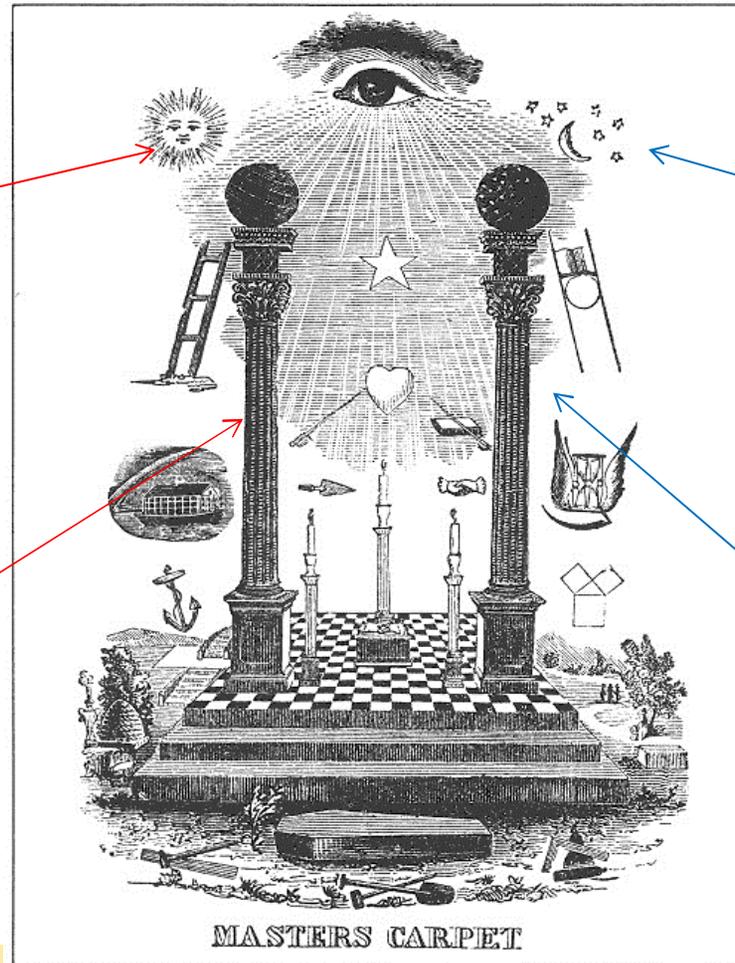
Concept of Masonic Tracing Board: Symbolism of Opposing Forces

Sun rules the Day
Day Brings Light
Light Brings Heat
Heat = Life
Life = Good

Moon rules the Night
Night Brings Dark
Dark Brings Cold
Cold = Death
Death = Evil

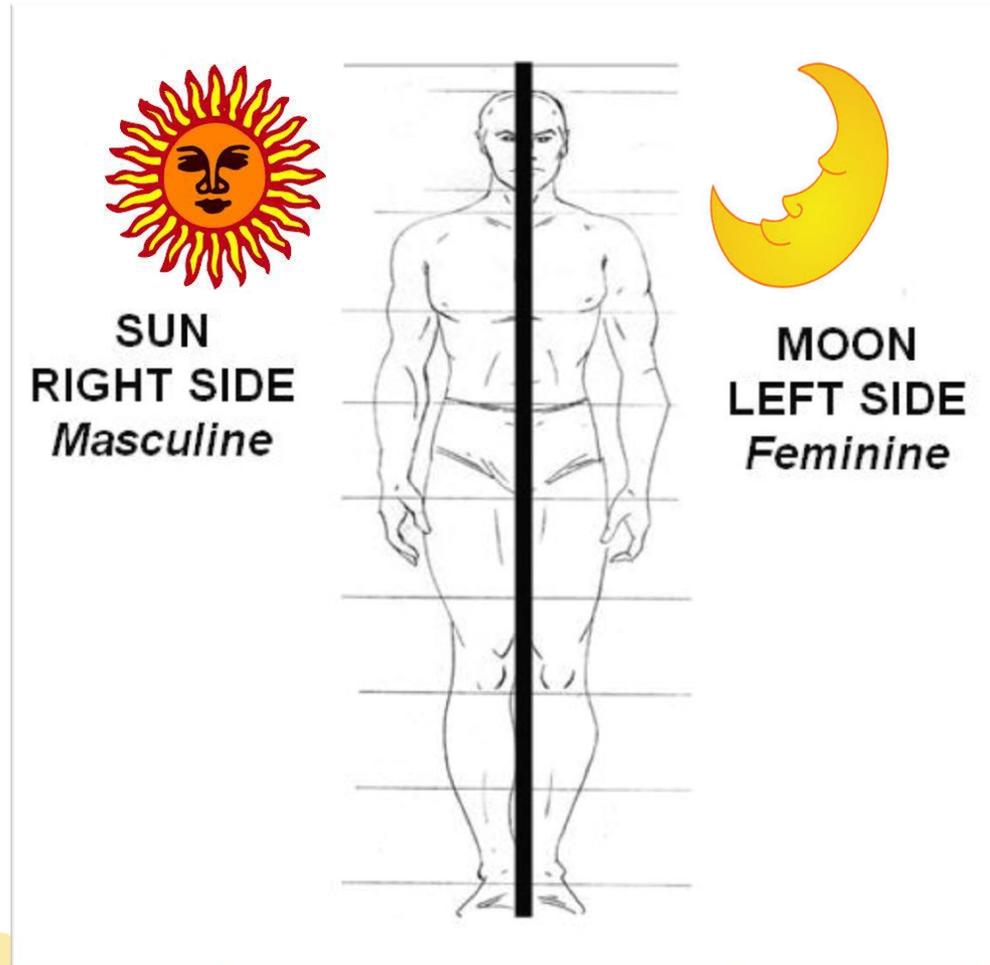
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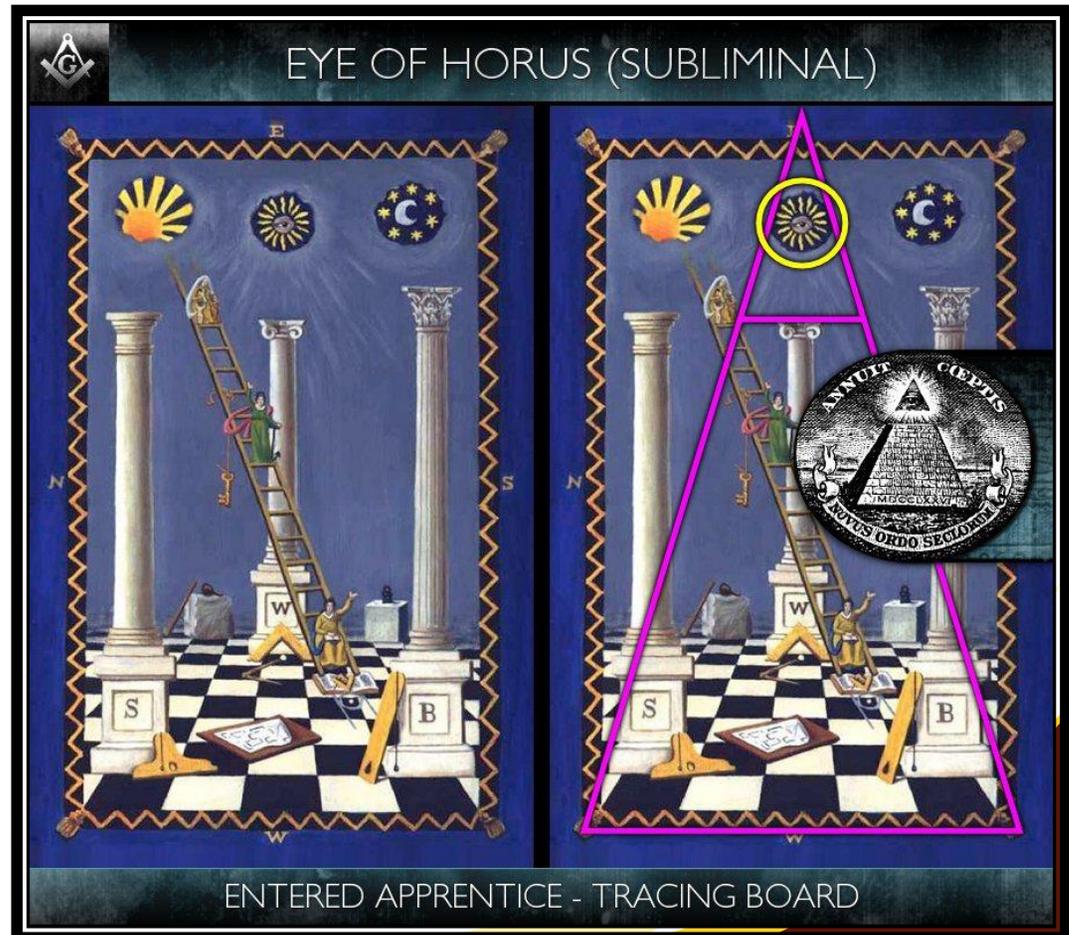
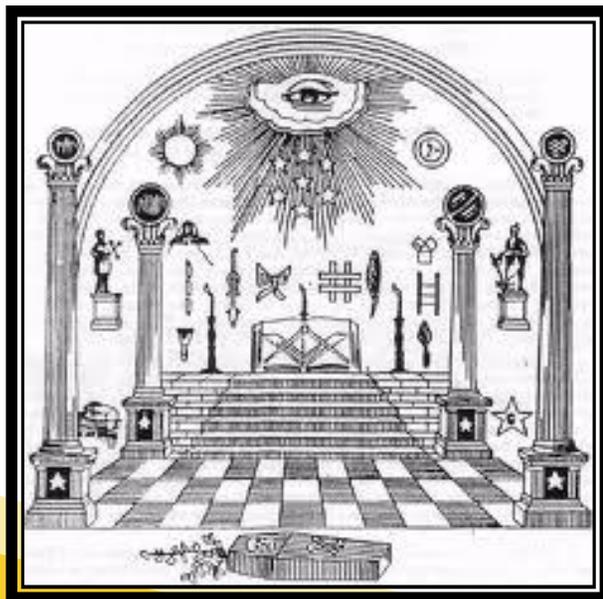
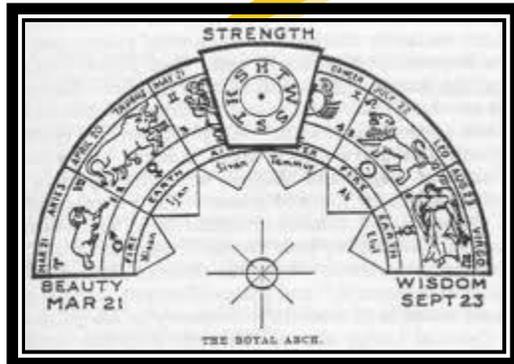
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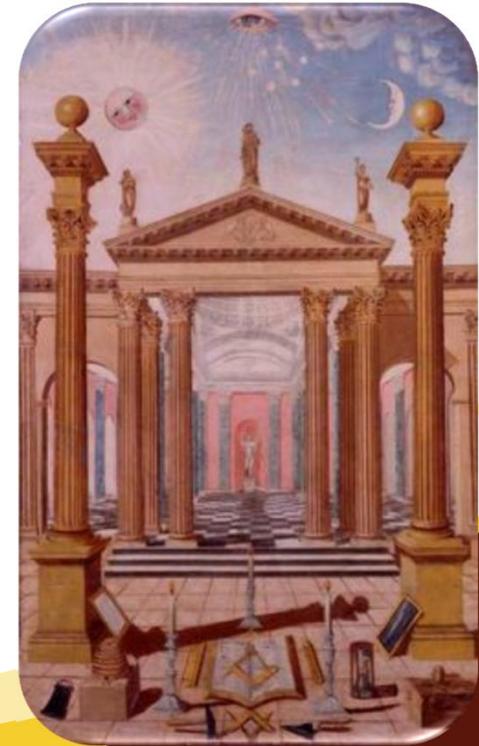
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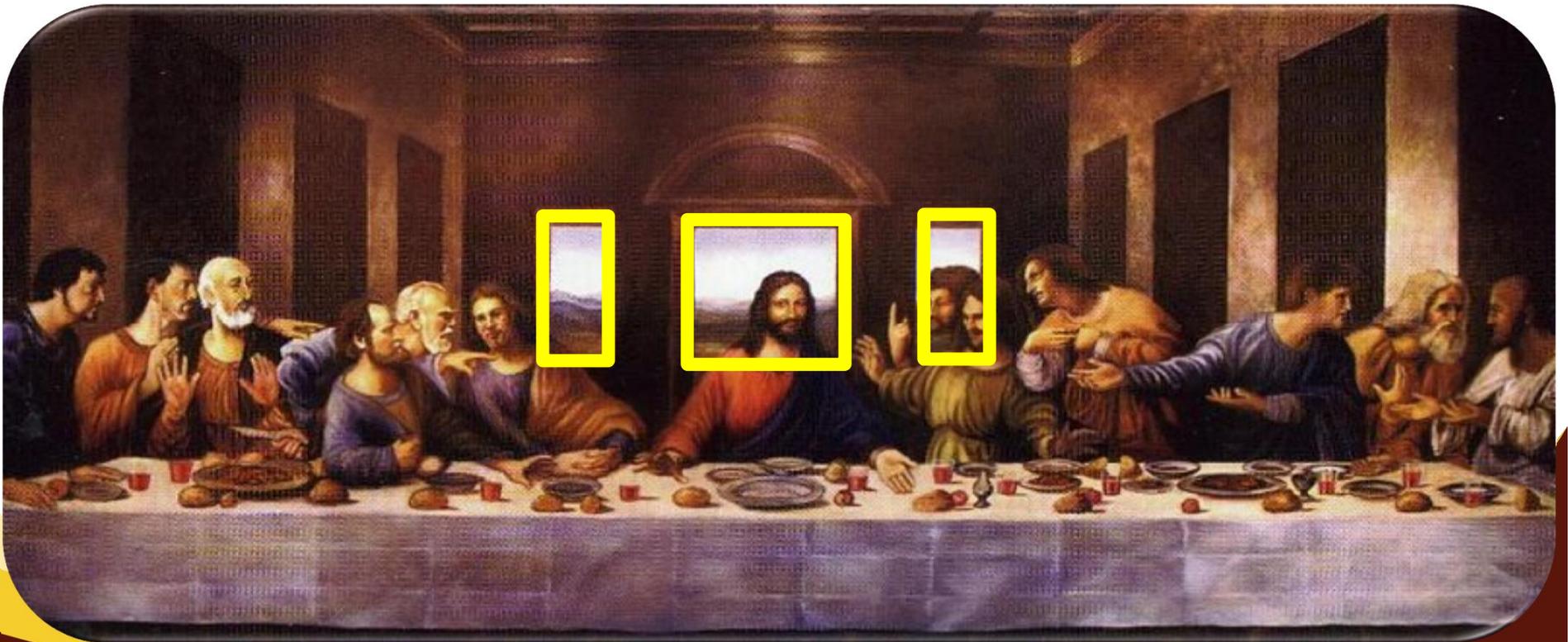
Triptych: Symbol of Three Columns

The Triptych: An architectural, symmetrical illustration of three masonic columns. The triptych is an advanced spiritual doctrine based upon the number three. It is the “Sacred Science of the Soul – the meaning of life itself.”—Richard Cassaro, 2011.



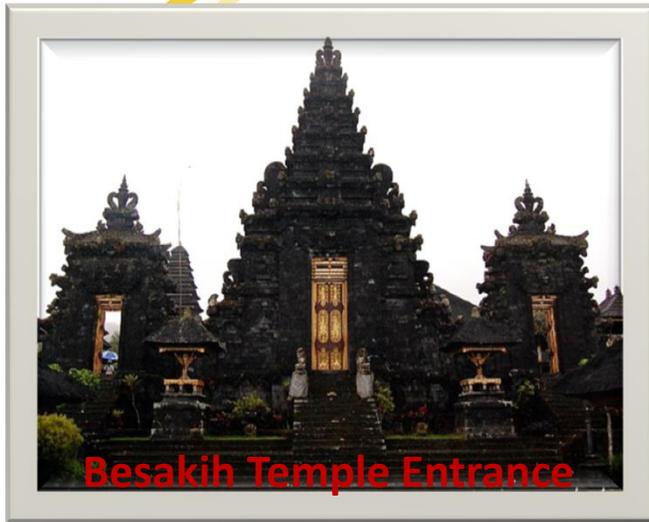
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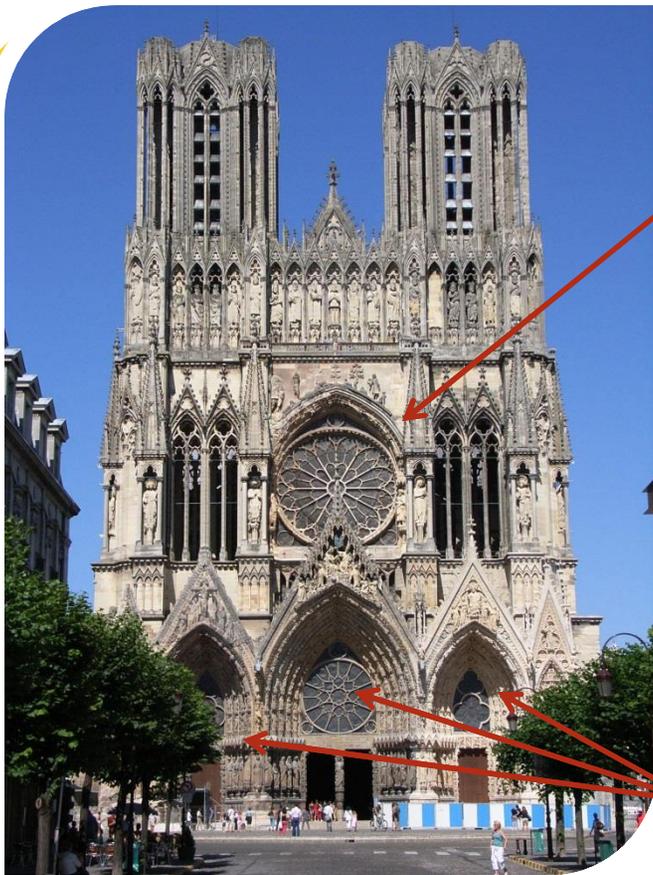
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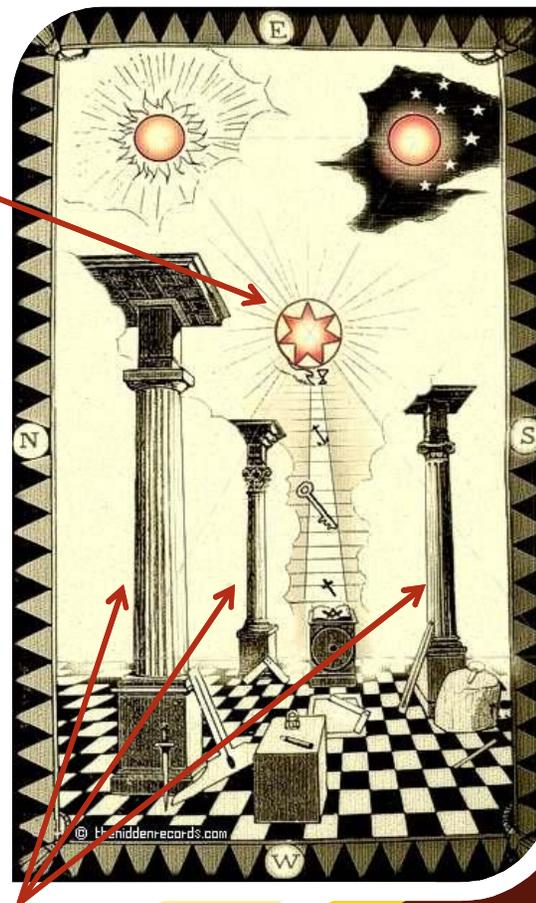
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Circle = God

Three Columns
Wisdom
Beauty (Balance)
Strength



Kabbalistic View: Enhance Your Dimension of Thought.....

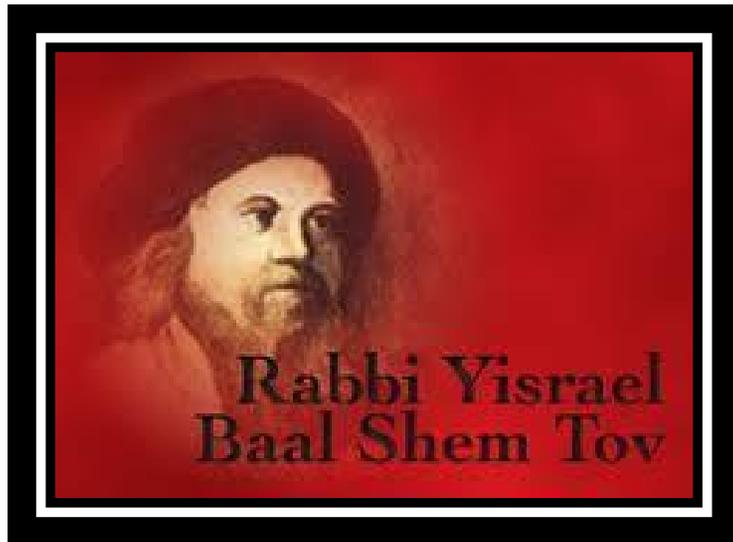


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Baal Shem Tov and Free Will

Chronology of Israel



- ” Born in 1700s in Ukraine
- ” Yisroel ben Elizer
 - . “Good Master of the Name
 - . Nickname: *Israel*
- ” Founder of Hasidic Judaism
- ” Left NO Books
- ” Teachings relayed to his disciples
- ” Died in 1760 in Poland

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“Is this of your own *free will* and accord?”



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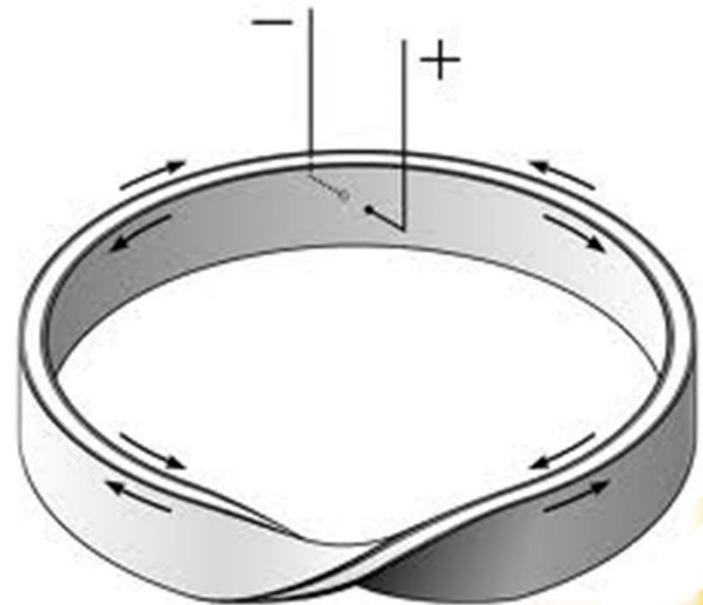
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- “ Torah - first five books of the Bible, given to Moses
- “ Numbers and Letters have various meanings
- “ Sephorit is the “Tree of Life.”
Composed of ten spheres, three columns, and triangular shapes.
- “ Supernal Triad: Top Triangle
- “ Twenty two Netivot or Paths; Represent Twenty two letters in alphabet
- “ Interpretation is based upon the reader’s ability to accept and concede to truth

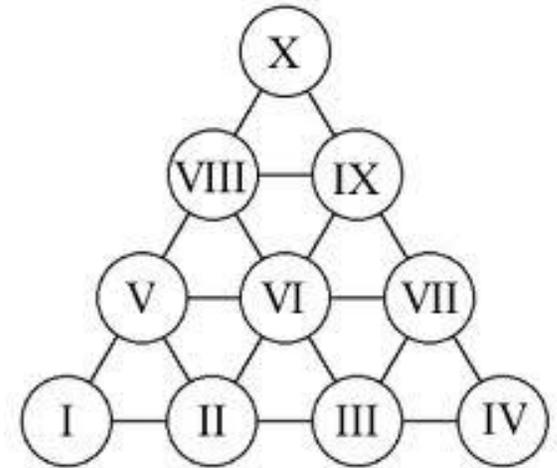
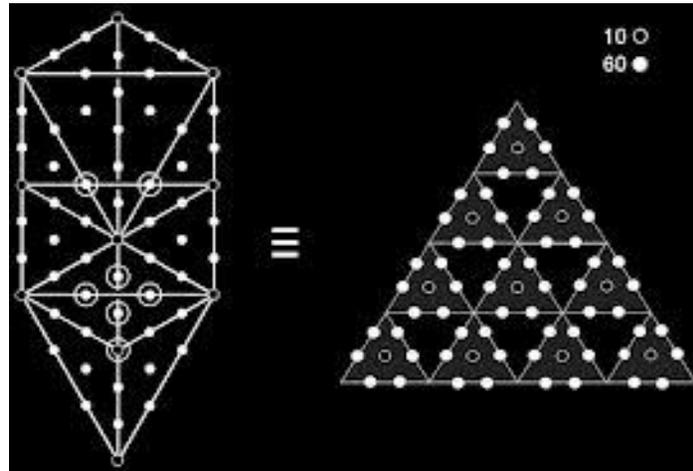
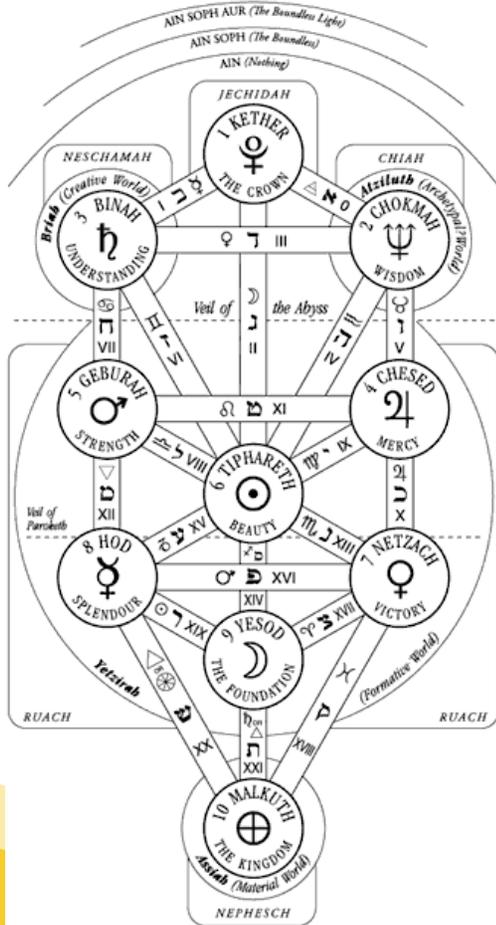
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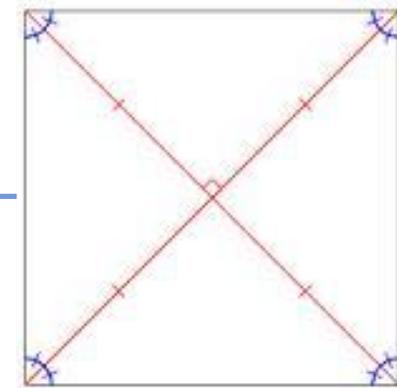
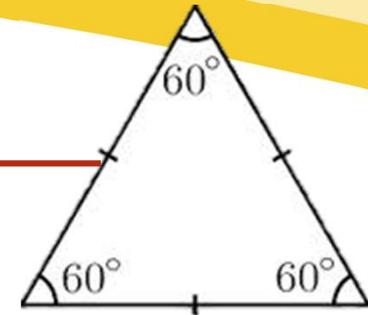
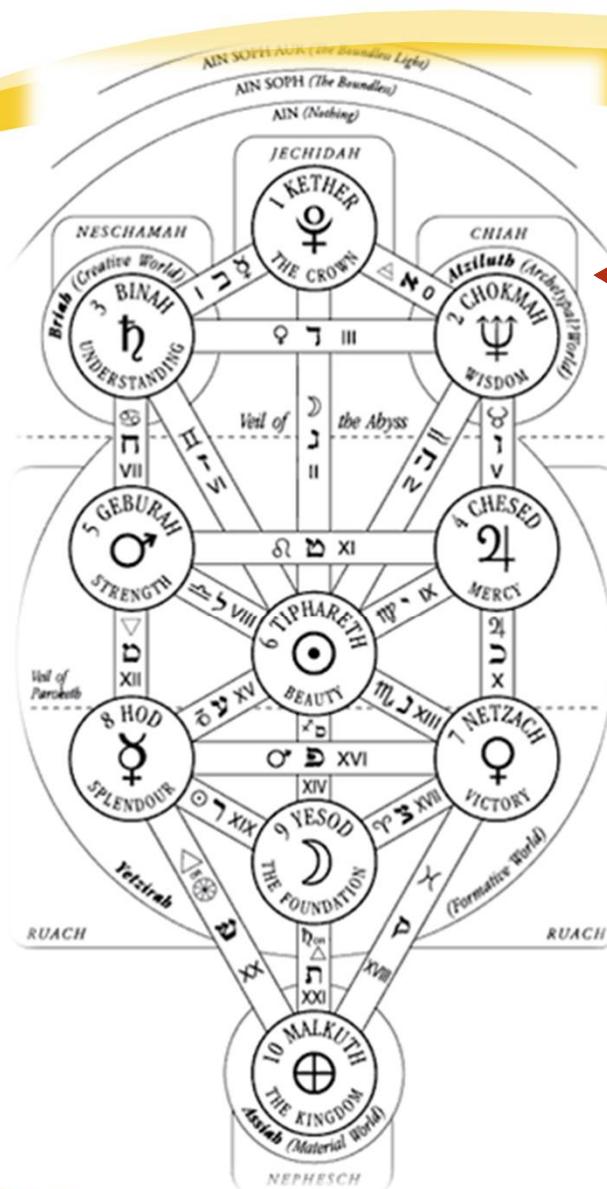
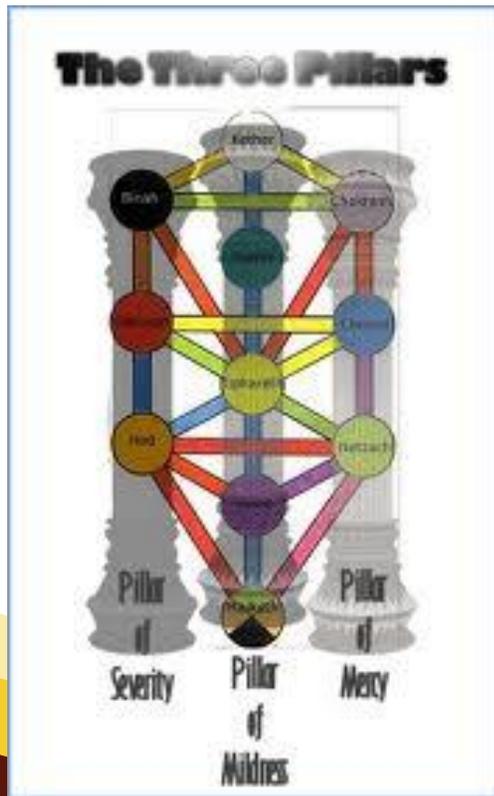
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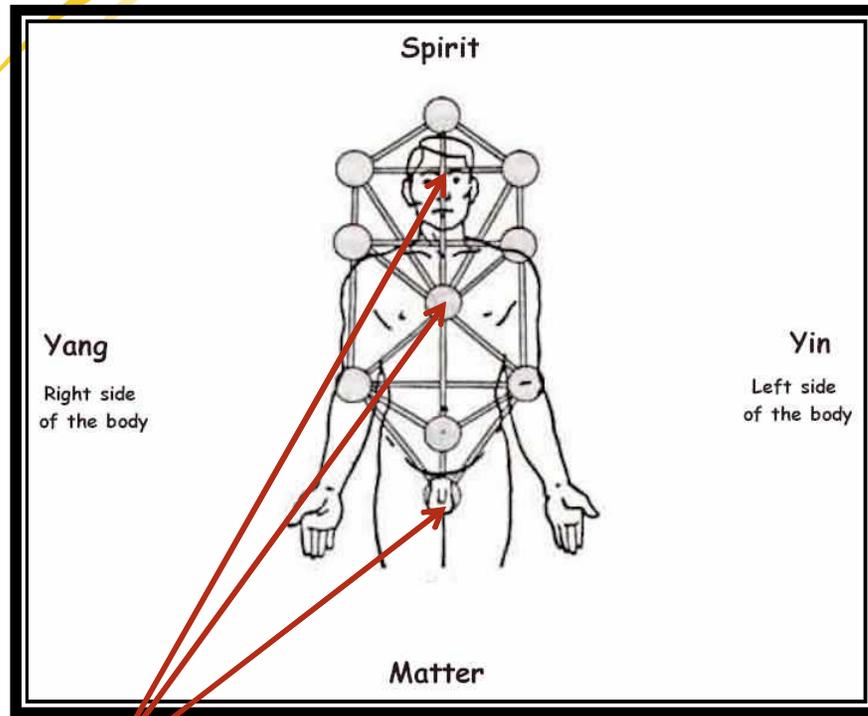
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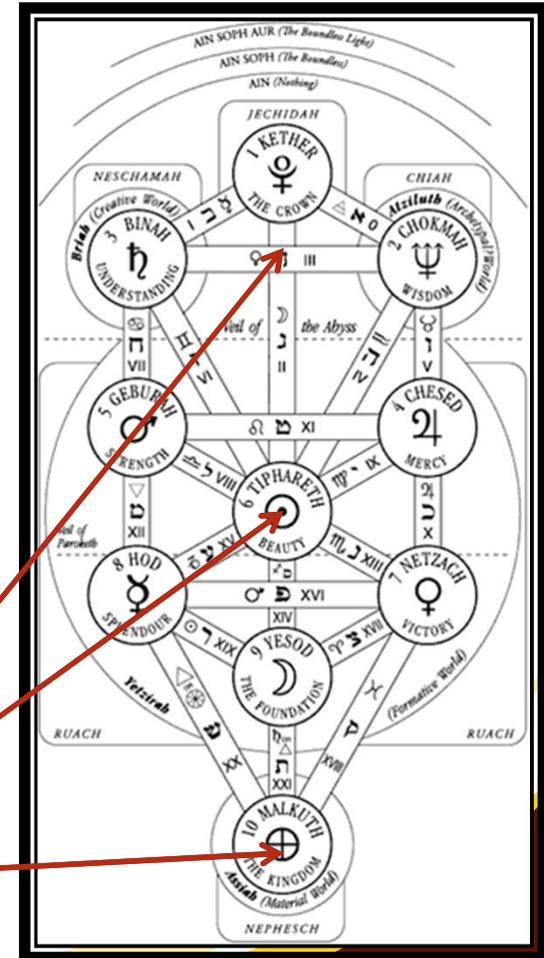
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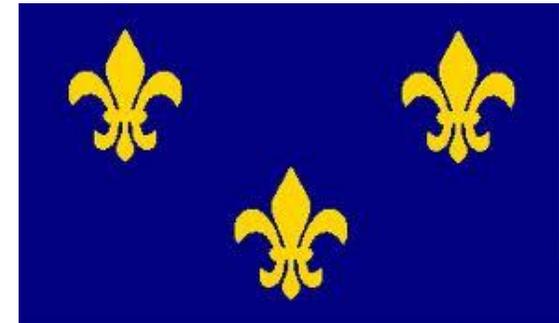
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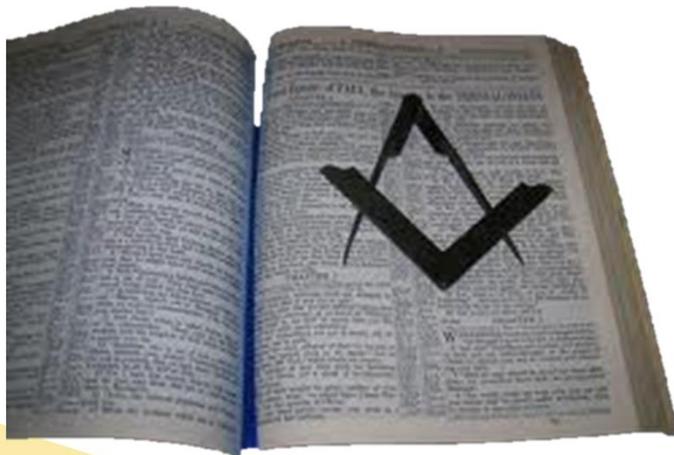
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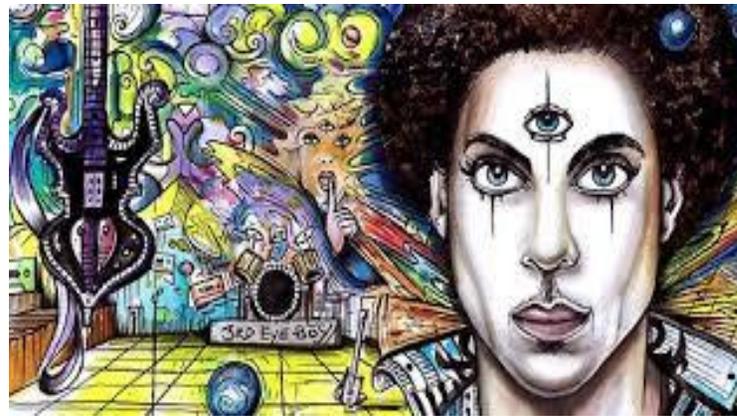


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