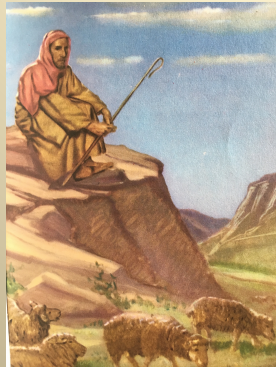


## Kabbalah, Genesis & Exodus Part Six.



**The (Reluctant)  
Hero's Journey  
from Slavery to the  
Promised Land.**

(With pictorial help from my childhood Ladybird Book)

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## Remember the Two Versions?

This continues when we  
examine the Book of  
Exodus

1<sup>st</sup> Version: First Temple  
with angels and Divine Feminine  
(cereal sacrifice/eldest son)

2<sup>nd</sup> Version and extra laws:  
Second Temple  
(animal sacrifice)

Does it actually matter?



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# Men and Angels

1 Enoch and Book of Jubilees

- Four classes of angels:
- Angels of the Presence
- Angels of sanctifications
- Guardian angels
- Angels of nature

Fulfilled humans become half human, half Angel. High Priest Human/Angel  
 Fallen angels mated with humans to create 'Nephilim'



Islamic depiction of Metatron 'Angel of the Veil'

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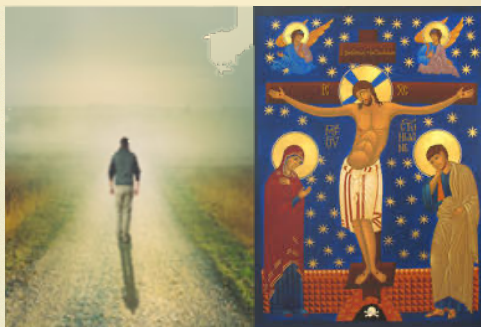
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# Kabbalah Holds Steady to the Structure

Jewish Tree



Christian Tree



The STORY is the important thing.

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## All humans are children of Adam Kadmon First Human-Angel was Enoch/Metatron



'Messianic' status means to become an Angel as well as a human

Judaic mysticism says there is always an Anointed One alive in the world, including Enoch, Noah, Moses, and Esther

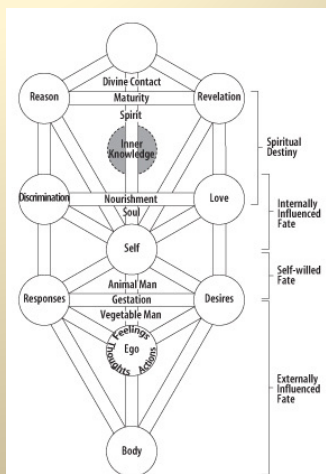
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## Why was an Exodus necessary?

Jacob's descendents lost connection with the higher worlds and begin to feel the bondage of their body.

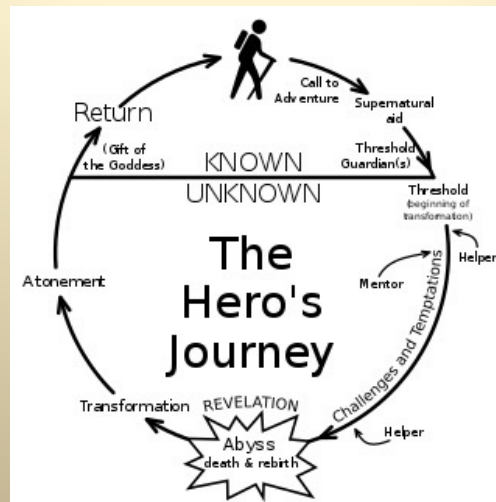
"And there arose a new king who had not known Joseph." Ex 1:8.



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## Joseph Campbell



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## Exodus is the Story of *Every* Human Soul.

Israelites in bondage to  
the physical world

Siphrah and Puah

“Cast every son into the  
water; every daughter  
shall stay alive”

Shekhinah is “the  
Daughter of the  
Voice”

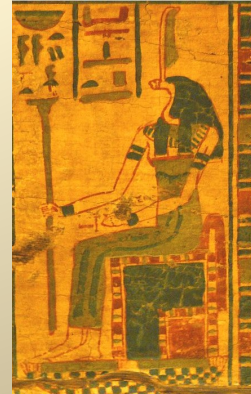


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## Moses's Mothers

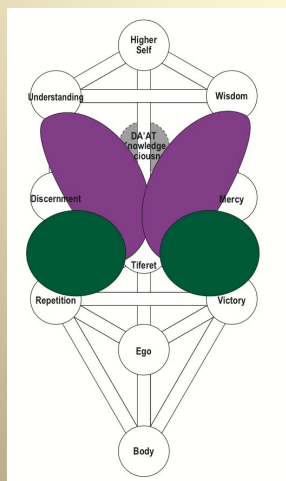
- Jocebed (the Lord is Glory)
- Also Moses's Great Aunt (Ex 6:20)
- Obeyed Pharaoh – laid basket in reeds in the Nile. Miriam stayed to watch
- This part of the story is mostly feminine – working with Elohim not Yahweh
- Pharaoh's daughter: Jubilees 47:5 and Josephus both name her as *Thermouthis*, the Greek name of the Egyptian *Renenūtet*, goddess of nourishment and the harvest, and depicted as having a cobra's head
- 'When she opened it, she saw the child, and the boy was crying. And she had pity on him and said, "This is one of the Hebrews' children.'



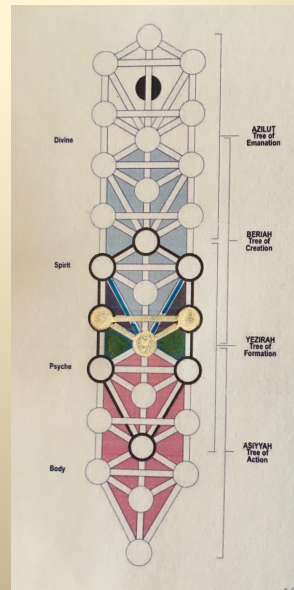
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## The Basket is a Ship of the Soul



A clear Soul can ride on the waters of Yezirah because it is inspired (air-filled) from Beriah. A Soul overwhelmed by negative belief and emotion cannot.



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## Shekhinah & the Law of Three

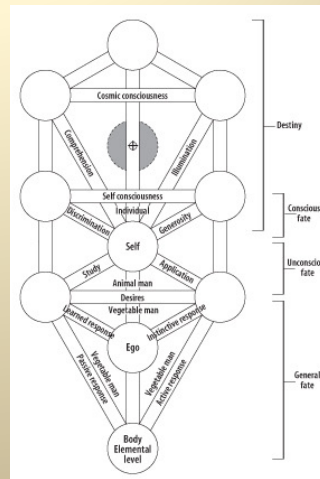
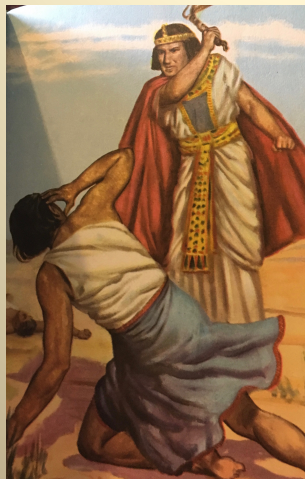


Childhood needs Safety, Identity and Love

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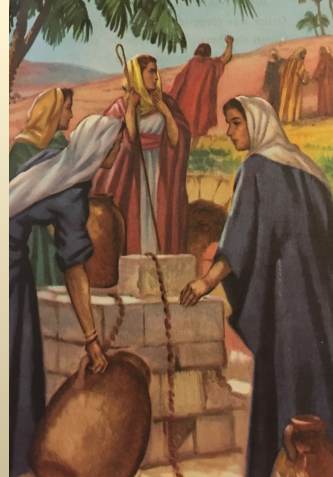
## Our First Attempt to Individuate Nearly Always Fails – Driven by the Animal Level



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## “Necessary” Suffering and Humility



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## Reul or Jethro?



*The Friend of God*  
*The Abundant One.*

Priest of Midian

“Why did you not invite him back?”

Moses works for Jethro as a shepherd, just as Jacob did for Laban and Jethro gives him his daughter, Zipporah (bird).

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## The Staff of Moses: The Oral Tradition of the Staff of Sapphires

- Raziel
- Eve (Sir Thomas Malory)
- Jacob (Heb 11:21)
- Moses and Zipporah
- Jeremiah (almond)
- Netzer
- Revelation (Latin)
- Bishop's Crozier



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## This Staff of Sapphires in Fiction and Myth

- The Magician's Nephew
- The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe
- King Arthur
- Norse Witches - *völva*. "Wand-Wed" or "Staff-Carrier"
- Gandalf
- Harry Potter



The Sword in the Stone

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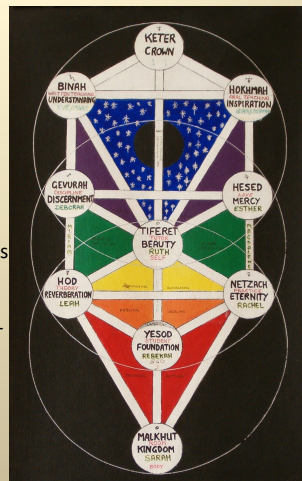
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## The Burning Bush



I AM - Crown  
 Bush – Third Eye  
 Angel - Throat  
 Moses - Heart  
 Pharaoh – Solar Plexus  
 Israelites & Egyptians-  
 Gonadic  
 Egypt - Base



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## I Will Be That Which I Will Be. (Ex 3)

And when the LORD saw that he turned aside to see, God called unto him out of the midst of the bush.

The LORD said, "I have surely seen the affliction of my people who are in Egypt, and have heard their cries ...

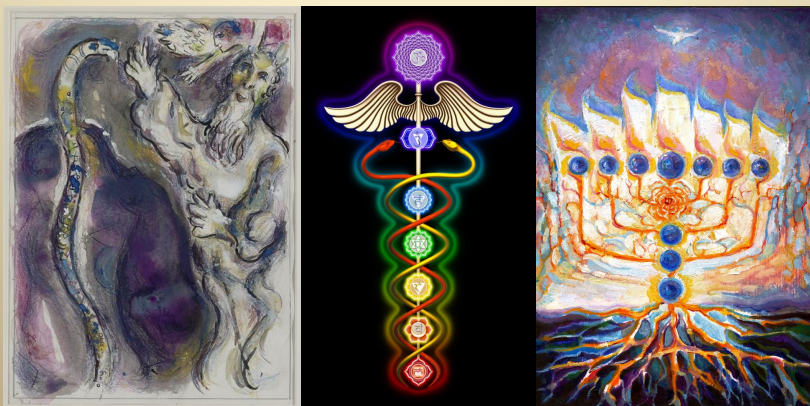
And I have come down to deliver them."

God also said to Moses, "Say to the Israelites, 'The Lord God [Yahweh Elohim] of your Fathers — the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob — has sent me to you.' *This is my name forever, the name by which I am to be remembered from generation to generation.*"

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The LORD said unto him, "What is that in your hand? And he replied, "A rod." The Lord said, "Cast it on the ground." He cast it on the ground, and it became a serpent; and Moses fled from it. (Ex 4)

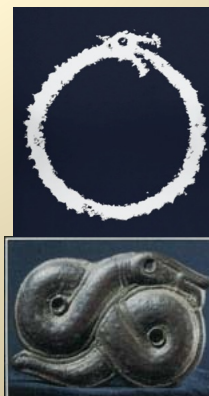


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## Serpents and Creation

- Hopi: Snake Youth (a Sky spirit) and Snake Girl (an Underworld spirit).
- Ouroboros, the Greek symbol of eternity, was a snake curled into a circle, biting its own tail.
- In Egypt, Apopis, serpent demon of chaos attacked Ra, the sun god each night. But Mehen, another huge serpent, coiled himself around Ra's sun boat to protect him.
- The Aboriginal people of northern Australia tell how the Great Rainbow Snake, Julunggul, shaped the world.
- Diegueño Indians of California: The serpent Umai-hulhlya-wit lived in the ocean until people called him onto the land. They set him on fire. The serpent's body exploded, showering the earth with the knowledge, secrets, songs, and other cultural treasures he had contained.



Jormungand, that which encircles the world in Norse Mythology.

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## Three Signs of Power

- Staff to serpent
- Leprous hand
- Water from Nile into blood on land

Excuses... *O my Lord, I am not eloquent ... I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue (4:10).*

*O my Lord, send another (4:13).*

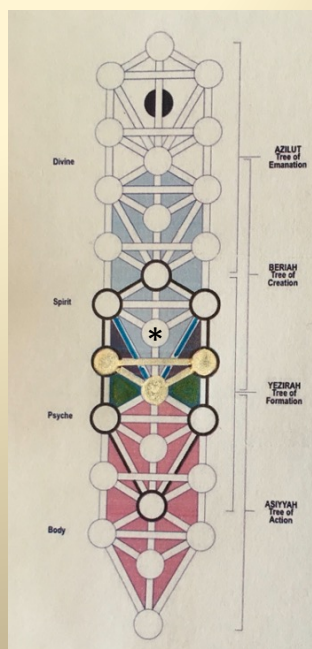
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## Why Does the LORD Harden Pharaoh's Heart?



- Exodus 8:15 & 8:32
- Resonance



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## The LORD Tries to Kill Him on the Way

*Kill whom and why?*

*Gershom*: The LORD has already threatened to kill the firstborn if Pharaoh won't let the Israelites free

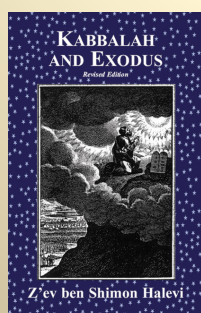
Zipporah and circumcision

If you don't do the Work, having committed to the Work, it is a form of self murder

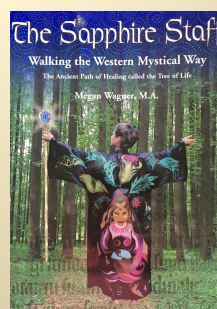
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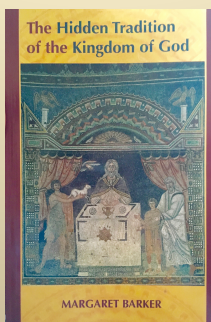


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**Next Time**

**The Ten Plagues of Egypt**

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