THE ART AND PRACTICE OF OPHIEL

A Collection Of Monologues On Working With His Materials

In particular, techniques and practices for working alongside, and with, the Malkuth Earth/Hades body

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Here is what Ophiel writes, in his book: Talismanic Magic, his chapter; Charging a Talisman:

"I laid out in my third book and also in my fourth, some detailed information about the Tree of Life and the "Gods" of the Tree. The books were The Art and Practice of the Occult and The Art and Practice of Clairvoyance. If you had read these two books (if you did not, then you had better read them soon) you will recall that in the conception/idea of the Tree of Life you found that, with a little creative thought, practically every physical thing in the Physical Plane Universe can be linked, or filed away, as Dion Fortune said, to one of the Sephiroth. And as I showed in the two books mentioned, each of these Sephiroth's was linked to a "God" or "Goddess," which God or Goddess "ruled" the subject/object being treated. (To rule a thing means to make the rules under which the thing is governed; I can also use the word governed in this same sense.) Therefore, when you desire to create a Talisman for a definite purpose, you should know automatically, as a form of magic thinking, that you must get in touch with the God or Goddess that rules the object you are trying to influence and "persuade" him, or her, to help you accomplish what you desire." End quote.

The 'root' meaning, of the word 'Faith', is/means; to persuade, to convince. AND THE 'WAY', 'METHOD', 'PROCEDURE' = THAT IS/WHICH IS, SUGGESTED/RECOMMENDED FOR THE INDIVIDUAL, BEGINNING STUDENT, TO TEST, TRY AND USE = THE/THIS/THEIR = FAITH = IS THAT OF THE/THEIR 'OWN' PSYCHOLOGICAL TACTILE-FEELING, DEFINING, THREE-DIMENSIONAL-ISING, SYMBOL-ISING, #1, MALKUTH EARTH/HADES PLANE! And this 'faith' building/making/creating, you practice, enhance, develop and increase, through/by/with = THE/YOUR #0, OUTER, OUTER PHYSICALLY PHYSICAL BODY = ACTIONS/DOING!! (Developing a/an; Art, Skill and/or Technique.) Ophiel next writes;

"So then let us consider that you want something that lies under the jurisdiction of Zeus. Suppose you want guidance in the selection of a superstock in the stock market. You will find by consulting the section at the end of this chapter, called "The Categories of Physical Existence," that stocks, speculation, and gambling are governed/ruled by Zeus. Then you will find where Zeus is located by looking at the diagram on page 118, and you will see that Zeus is located, on the Tree of Life diagram, in the Fire section under the Water column, which makes him Water of Fire. Then if you will consult the diagram on page 119 of this book, Water of Fire is the diagram in the fourth column over from the left and three down from the top, and is thus a triangle, red and green, with a half white circle and the other half black." End quote.

The present writer has no idea why Ophiel choose to put Zeus, in/on the/this sphere, when he writes, that the three brothers who drew 'lots' to decide, who would rule which plane; Zeus picked Air; Poseidon picked Water and Pluto picked Earth and to the elemental plane, of the element of Fire, it was the God Hephaestus, who was in charge? (As indicated by Ophiel, in another chapter of this/his same book: Talismanic Magic.) Anyway... the symbol that a person/individual would/should/could, work 'with', is that of the Inverted Pyramid (torso), with a Bowl 'inside' it (chest cavity), with the point/apex just below the naval, so that it's 'point/apex' is 'touching' the lower intestines.

Side note: several members of this particular Ophiel Magic Group, have asked about the elemental symbol, of the element, of elemental 'Fire', being 'inverted?' or 'up side down?', which 'idea' (up/down, left/right, in/out) is from the general wider occult field and simply implies/means, a particular 'direction/flow'. There is no such 'thing?', as up/down, in/out, good/bad, etc, etc. The 'Inner Planes' are a 'homogenous fluid', in which 'everything is'. You can read this for your selves, in Ophiel's writings. It is only when the/this 'fluid' reaches the elemental plane, of the element of, elemental earth, that you, the individual, can 'grasp', 'grip', 'grab', 'hold', 'contain', 'define' = IT!! Assume/Polarity/Duality = are all directions!! So, the 'natural' day to day 'flow', of/for the/this 'Pyramid', is!! Downwards/Outwards. Please try to remember/recall that; no one is

asking you, or anyone else/other(?), if this is O.K. or not!! It just 'is!!', so please 'go' with the 'flow'!?! End of side note.

Ophiel writes, farther on: "You can practice as follows, BUT these illustrations I am giving AND all the other illustrations you see in the books that are listed at the end of this book are only guides and suggestions, they are not to be copied and attempts should not be made to use them. Another person cannot make a Talisman for you; it would be no good. You must make your own no matter what, as only your own is a personal Talisman and can work for you. Let yourself go!

Follow the basic directions but add whatever suits your fancy and is your personal touch. Let us proceed with the Zeus Talisman example. The main idea here is that you KNOW that Zeus is a combination of Forces and not a personalized "God." The ordinary ancient Zeus worshiper considered him a "real" God and acted and "felt" accordingly. You might feel at a little disadvantage because you know Zeus is not a personalized God being, but you are more educated, and your mind is trained, and you know things that the ancients did not know. You KNOW that the Forces that make up Zeus are: (1) The Elemental Force of Fire. (2) The Elemental Force of Water. So, he is Water of Fire. You know that Fire and Water are Elemental Forces and are part of the "existence Forces" of which the Physical Universe consists of, and you know that changes in the functioning of these Forces are what constitutes "good" or "bad" effects on this Physical Plane according to how these changes affect you, and the object of your Talisman is to persuade. (Along with all kinds of prayers, supplications, petitions, pleas, calls, beseechments, implorations, invocations, and entreaties.) All these actions are made basically for the purpose of altering physical circumstances which are present manifestations of the present action patterns of the, can we say, "local" Astral Light combinations." End quote.

Context:

Following the basic directions, you have decided to add your psychological tactile-feeling, to the example, of the/your #1, Malkuth Earth/Hades 'principle' to your Zeus Talisman. The main idea here, is that you KNOW that Zeus, is a combination of Forces and not a personalised 'God'. The ordinary ancient Zeus worshiper considered him a 'real' God and acted and 'tactilely-felt' accordingly. You might feel disadvantaged because you know Zeus is not a personalised God being, but you are more educated, and your mind is trained, and you know things that the ancients did not know. You KNOW that the Forces that make up Zeus are (1), The Elemental Force of Fire. (2) The Elemental Force of Water. So, he is Water-of-Fire. That is/this = ELEMENTAL FIRE = looking like, working like, operating like, acting like, tactilely-feeling-like!!! Elemental Water, but... it is 'still!!', all elemental Fire!!

Therefore!!! Your passion, desire, want, need and broodings; are/will be = REFLECTED (Elemental Water principle!)

Therefore!!! Your passion, desire, want, need and broodings; are/will be = $\underline{REPEATED}$ (Elemental Water $\underline{principle}$!)

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The 'experience?', <u>is</u>, <u>INTENSELY</u> = <u>VISCERAL</u>!?! (Viscera = Inward) See/read Ophiel's vignettes: Assistance from the Gods, parts 1 and 2.

Context continued:

"You know that Fire and Water are Elemental Forces and are part of the "existence Forces" of which the Physical Universe consists of, and you know that changes in the functioning of these Forces are what constitutes "good" or "bad" effects on this Physical Plane according to how these changes affect you, and the object of your Talisman is to persuade. (Along with all kinds of prayers, supplications, petitions, pleas, calls, beseechments, implorations, invocations, and entreaties.) All these actions are made basically for the purpose of altering physical circumstances which are present manifestations of the present action patterns of the, can we say, "local" Astral Light combinations."

You know that Fire and Water are Elemental Forces, and are part of the 'existing Forces', of which the Physical Universe consists of, and you know that changes in the functioning of these Forces are what constitutes 'good' or 'bad' effects, on this Physical Plane according to how these changes affect you, and the 'object' of your Talisman, is to persuade. One of the simplest/easiest of 'ways', to enhance, increase, develop and strengthen, the 'power and glory of' the/this/your Talisman, is to sense/feel/handle it, each day, in the basic cosmic egg way!

To sense/feel 'it', the/your Talisman, in/on the/your #1, malkuth earth/hades body! and the/your #0, outer, outer physically physical body!?! Each day! You, the occult student, should be able to 'check' round about you, in your 'world?' = life/living! Where!?!?! The/these elemental <u>forces</u> are?? In the/a Cosmic Cycle, Environmental Cycle and Individual/Personal Cycle? This is just plain/simple every day, common sense!?! With regards to your Prayers; Supplications; Beseechments; Implorations, Invocations and Entreaties, you, the reader/occultist, should now KNOW ENOUGH? TO KNOW? THAT UNTIL AND UNLESS?? THE/YOUR #1, Malkuth Earth/Hades Body = <u>TACTILELY-FEEL</u>, <u>BELIEVES</u> = <u>TRUSTS</u>!?! Then any and all #0, Outer, outer physically physical = verbalisations, visualisations, that are 'tainted?', 'influenced?', 'corrupted?', 'distorted?' and 'disrupted', by/with the/your #3, Ego Body, Present Incarnation, Personality Body = <u>are doomed to failure!?!</u> (See/read Ophiel's book: Clairvoyance, his chapter: Counterparts and the 'OTHER' World, read what he writes about 'prayers'.)

If your #3, Ego Body 'stares?' the 'wrong way?' = this is me! Me! Me! = #3!! = I am 'doing this??' = whatever! Then the/your #0, outer, outer physically physical body and #1, malkuth earth/hades body, is/are 'crushed down'! (Ophiel vignettes; Why do you let the Devil 'USE' you; The 'OTHER' you; Your 'OTHER' you.) Your #3, ego body, must 'step aside!', and let the/your #1, and/plus, your #0, bodies, work/harmonise 'together'!?! Ophiel explains this, in his book; Clairvoyance, his chapter; The Two Minds;

"Now in your experimental sub-mind work you will have to evolve your own types of exercises, like the examples given, and carry them out successfully. You have to release all conscious-mind control and practice allowing the sub-mind to take over, and this gives rise to a very queer feeling, as if, you seem to be losing control over your objective world. Practice this, until you note a degree of entry of the sub-mind into the objective world, which is all you want, a degree of entry, and a degree is all you need to greatly improve and sharpen up your life." End quote.

In your 'egg' practice, you have Zeus, at your torso, <u>touching</u>, your lower 'intestines', this is where you a '<u>rush</u>' of electrical (Zeus = <u>thunderbolt</u>!!!!!) activity = butterfly's in the tummy! Nerves before interview! Anxiety before exam! Nerves before asking for a date? Nerves being on a date? Nerves that makes you never 'ask' for a date? Fear, nerves, at you wedding speech! Nerves when being pulled over? Nerves, nerves, nerves!!! <u>ALL LOWER INTESTINES</u>!?! Remember this; When ye consciousness pray, then (<u>tactilely</u>-<u>feel</u>) <u>believe</u> (<u>trust</u>), that ye = #1, have <u>received</u> (<u>tactilely</u>-<u>feel</u>) = <u>it</u> = object, circumstance, thing = '<u>already</u>?' and you #0, shall <u>receive</u> <u>it</u>, in due time/season!

The present writer has 'no' knowledge (nor wishes 'to' know!!), how far or how much, your basic cosmic egg exercise is or isn't progressing for you the reader/occultist, as that is entirely up to the individual, and where they are 'at', in their personal/individual life/living. But... as you do/practice these things, there should 'be??' an element of, excitement/fun = ANTICIPATION!?! Which is (tactilely-felt), in the lower intestines = WHICH IS A, 'SURE', SIGN!?! THAT THE/YOUR #1, MALKUTH EARTH/HADES BODY = IS ENGAGED!?! IS INVOLVED!?! IS INTERESTED!?! AND NOT!! NOT!! JUST YOUR #3, EGO BODY!!

Example: The present writer 'knows/feels' that Zeus 'things' are in the upper chest, of the #0, outer, outer physically physical body, but... the 'THUNDERBOLT!?!', of Zeus, is 'IN', the Lower Intestines!?! Where the apex/tip of the Inverted Pyramid sits, is located!?! Good and fair enough!! Say's the present writer!! But... the Lower Intestines, are the Domain, of the Element of Water!! So, when this = Water-of-Fire?? = comes down/out from 'above', to the lower plane? It = the/this force = Elemental Fire behaving like, working like, etc, etc; Elemental Water = changes!?! The Elemental Fire, continues into/onto the lower intestines 'as' an Inverted Pyramid! But... it (the pyramid) = IS NOW 'INSIDE!!' THE 'BOWL'!?! Ta Dah!! (Magical!?!).

So now! We have elemental water = looking like, acting like, behaving like, operating like, (tactilely-feeling) like = ELEMENTAL FIRE!! = BUT... IT IS 'STILL' = ALL ELEMENTAL WATER!! SO!! IT IS NOW!?! THE FIRE-OF-WATER!! IT IS NOW!!! = THE MESSENGER?? = OF/FOR ZEUS!?! As the inverted pyramid with the bowl 'inside' it, moves down your #1 &+ #0 bodies, it changes to; Inverted Pyramid 'inside' Bowl! And now! You, the operator/magician(?), can/do, tactilely-feel 'IT's, power (and glory).

All these actions are made basically for the purpose of altering physical circumstances which are present manifestations of the present action patterns of the, can we say, "local" Astral Light combinations.

When the Fire-of-Water, becomes the Fire-of-Earth = Inverted-Pyramid 'inside' Cube; the <u>tactile-feeling</u>, defining, three-dimensional-ising, symbol-ising, is/becomes, so much? That the 'whole' of the #0, outer, outer physically physical body = moves!!

Please study carefully:

The/your #0, outer, outer physically physical body = can only use!!

The/your #0, outer, outer physically physical body = <u>cannot change/alter!!</u>

The/your #1, malkuth earth/hades body = <u>cannot change/alter</u>!!

The/your #2, etheric plane body = <u>can</u>, <u>does</u>, <u>change/alter</u>!! #1!!

The/your #2, etheric plane/body = is above, over, higher, before and in-front-of = #1!

The/your #1, malkuth plane/body = is below, under, lower, after and behind-of = #2

The/your #1, malkuth plane/body = is above, over, higher, before and in-front-of = #0!

The/your #0, physical plane/body – is below, under, lower, after and behind-of = #1!

The/your #0, outer, outer physically physical body = <u>can</u> <u>only use!!</u>

It is your #3, ego body, present incarnation, personality body = who thinks/believes?? = that it - #3, can change/alter the/your #0, outer, outer physically physical plane!?! And, it = #3, will 'do?', anything/everything, to <u>prove this!?!</u> But... there is/are those individuals, who have, for whatever reason, natural or learned, mastered the 'technique' of staring, looking, watching and <u>observing</u>, without inhibiting, hampering, disconnecting, the 'flow', of the Light, in all of its 'aspects'.

Change/Changing?? = <u>FIRST</u>! We = consciousness – <u>separate-visualise</u>? = the white-light, from the, dark-light = Then we = consciousness – <u>along-with</u> - #3, ego body, present incarnation = <u>observe(?)</u>, <u>stare(?)</u>, <u>look(?)</u>, <u>see(?)</u> Read familiar, crazy book talk! Genesis; chp 1 v 2, 3, 4?? <u>NOTHING-HAS-CHANGED</u>!?! <u>ITS STILL ALL THE SAME ONE THING!?!</u> The <u>only thing</u>?? That 'is'? Different(?), is the, long-winded explanations (like this monologue), which is/are different.

So, if you are 'working' in/on the/your #2, etheric plane = visualise = your basic cosmic egg!

So, if you are 'working' in/on the/your #1, malkuth plane = tactilely-feel = your basic cosmic egg!

So, if you are 'working' in/on the/your #0, physical plane = use = your basic cosmic egg!

And this 'use', is 'what' your talisman is 'for!' = a <u>focal point to</u>, <u>observe(?)</u>, <u>stare(?)</u>, <u>look(?)</u>, <u>see(?)</u> = elemental earth '<u>principle</u>!!?!' = in/on <u>ALL</u> planes!?! = <u>even/especially</u>!!! = the/this/your #0, outer, outer physically physical earth!!

Test! Do you, can you 'see?', the above 'process?', in the opening verses of chapter one, of Genesis?? Well!! Here you are!! TODAY! = THIS-DAY!! DOING THE EXACT SAME 'ONE' THING!?! = WITH!! = THE/YOUR = Tattva? Talisman? Treasure Map/Chart? Ritual? Egg/Chair? = NOTHING-HAS-CHANGED!!! ITS STILL ALL THE SAME ONE THING!?! The only thing? Different??! Is, you!!!? Reading this. Here is how Ophiel continues;

"Also, do not forget that there appears to be strong evidence that present unwanted adverse actions of the present Astral Light combinations in your life *are of your own ignorant doing* or of the doing of others about you.

So therefore many answers to prayers, and answers to successful Talisman workings, are often merely a stopping of what you are doing wrong, or influencing the Astral Light in the wrong way, and this stopping can be brought about by you by preparing the Talisman and studying all the factors involved, and thereby gaining some conscious insight into what is wrong and making conscious connections." End quote.

This is what is 'meant' by/with <u>discipling</u>, the/your #3, ego body, present incarnation, personality body, to simply '<u>observe</u>?', not as 'easy' as so many people/persons think! Also, once your #1, malkuth earth/hades 'makes', a 'symbol', that 'symbol' = will/shall 'call forth!', no matter what!!!

Are of your own ignorant doing = <u>Blind</u>-<u>Tactile</u>-<u>Feeling</u>-<u>Believing</u>!?! = Earth-of-Earth!!

Thank you.