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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The dark-ness; black-ness; blind-ness = antagonist? Has been unfairly dealt with, in ancient history, in many cultures, where it (psychological blind-ness), has been 'made' Evil, and has been presented as a; personal, individual, evil. (Both Hebrew and Gnostic), but... in the original(?), earliest teachings, the psychological dark-ness; black-ness; blind-ness, was is = the brother/sister = twin!?! But... because the 'early' experiences and explanations, followed by/with the advent of writing/literature, the LAWS, RULES & GOVERNANCES, of/for the/this, first/last = inner plane = were made/perceived, as adverse, oppositional = intentional = EVIL!?

Even when/if, you have been told this; the actual, factual, literal 'experience of/for' this, can be/is = still the same, for you, the reader/occultist = frightening? Especially in the way/terms of the <u>tactile-feeling-of</u>, the 'OTHER', in/on you = #3, ego body, present incarnation, personality body! In whatever you have been 'brought-up' in, it will be 'reflected back' at you = conscious-ness = as the = Adversary/Opposer/Slanderer.

Thus, in ancient times, people/persons were taught, not to be 'afraid' of, the/their, psychological dark-ness; black-ness; blind-ness, and this was/would be, taught/teach, to them, in the/their, folklore; mythology, rituals, but it became lost once orthodoxy, took hold and calcified, artistic expression/interpretation. The/their/these, images/expressions = symbols = became Idols!?! (See/read Ophiel's book; Contacting the Demiurge.)

An 'Eidolon' is a; mental, visualised, tactilely-felt = apparition/phantom, which is displayed/shown/revealed, as a/an, physically physical material = image/symbol. From the word; Eidos = form; shape; resemblance; like-ness. From; oid = word forming element, with the meaning/meanings of; like-ness; that-ness; of-ness; is-ness; to/of/for. This is the Latinised form, of the three syllable Greek word; oeides; from eidos = form of; related to; idein = to 'see/percieve'; eidenai = to know from, literally 'to see'. From the Proto-Indo-European Root word; weid-es/weid = to see/perceive. The 'o', is a connective stem/vowel, from the previous element, and often implies = an 'incomplete/imperfect' = resemblance to = the 'original' = meaning/perception = object, circumstance, thing and/or it = being 'indicated' = THE PSYCHOLOGICAL/PSYCHICAL = TACTILE-FEEL-ING EXPRESSION OF!?!

Talismans; Treasure maps/charts; Rituals; Tokens (from PIE Root word 'deik = to show), etc, are all 'Idols', so when the orthodox establishment, set foot, in a region/area, the first thing they did/do, was to, decry, all the native symbols as, <u>FALSE IDOLS/TOKENS!</u>?!, and that the/their 'God?', was/is, <u>the only one true</u> 'God' and/or, the, <u>highest, most powerful God!</u>?! Etc, etc. This was done/achieved because of, advanced technology and <u>not</u>, because of any <u>advanced</u> religious informing/instructing/teaching. The methods of/for 'seeing/observing/perceiving' in/on each of the planes is/are 'different', even though, it is the same/one 'conscious-ness', which is doing the 'perceiving'. (See/read Ophiel book; Clairvoyance.)

Side note: perceive (verb), is from circa 1300, and means; to become aware of; gain knowledge of; especially = to come to know by/with <u>direct experience of/with</u>. Perceive comes from the Anglo-French word; 'parceif'; Old French; perceive = perceive – to notice; to see; to recognise; to understand. From the Latin; percipere = obtain; gather; seize entirely; take possession of; figuratively = to grasp with the mind; to learn; comprehend. Literally; to take entirely (Wholistically/Holistically = <u>Tactilely-Feel</u>!?!) From; per = thoroughly/through; in front of; before; ahead of; first; chief; toward; near/around/against/next to + capere = to grasp; to grip; to grab; to hold (tactilely-feel)

#0, outer, outer physically physical 'perception' = use, used, using = action/doing.

#1, malkuth earth/hades 'perception' = tactile-feeling; defining; three-dimensional-ising; symbol-ising.

- #2, etheric 'perception' = repeating; reflection; reverse-ness.
- #3, ego body, present incarnation, personality body 'perception' = observing; piggy-backing.
- #4, astral 'perception' = emoting, projecting, directing.
- #5, archetypal 'perception' = foundation; first stamp; first imprint; first mould.
- #6, akashic 'perception' = cause; causing; caused.

Please note: in the above methods of perceiving = seeing, 1 to 6, the/your = #0 outer, outer physically physical, bi-focal eyes = are not involved/engaged!?! Please think/feel, about this 'fact'!

In each of the above; there is/are 'specific' = actions/doings = which leads on to = 'specific' results/experiences!?! And, meeting & greeting, the/your #1, malkuth earth/hades self!?! Is/are 'amongst them'!! Pease think about this.

Please look at the standard tree/map, in any of Ophiel's books/vignettes/courses, and observe, that the first/last = $\underline{inner plane}$ = \underline{is} ! = the/your #1, malkuth earth/hades plane!

Please note; any/every/all 'things' = objects, circumstances, its = either 'enter' or 'exit' the/this #1, malkuth earth/hades plane = first - going up/in = last - coming down/out!

Please note, very, very carefully! The/your #1, malkuth earth/hades plane = <u>IS NOT! NOT!</u> = #0, Outer, outer physically physical!?! Therefore? The only, only way/method/procedure that is 'open' to/for you = the reader/occultist = <u>IS THROUGH/BY/WITH</u> = <u>PERSUADING/CONVINCING</u> = THE/YOUR #1, MALKUTH EARTH/HADES PLANE = THAT YOU = CONSCIOUS-NESS = <u>ARE WORTHY!?!</u>

Worth (verb) = to come to be! A subjunctive of Old English weordan = to become; to befall. (Proto-Germanic; werthan = to become). Literally 'means' = to turn into? From the Proto-Indo-European Root word; wer = to turn/bend.

The word used, of/for this/these, #0, outer, outer physically physical, actions/doings, is; Faith = to persuade/to convince:

The word used, of/for the 'recipient' = #1, malkuth earth/hades; of the/your #0, persuasion/convincing is; Belief = to trust:

Trust (noun) = from Old Norse; traust = help; confidence; support; protection. From the Proto-Germanic noun; traustam/treuwaz. Source of the Old English = treowian/treowe = believe; faithful; trust. From the Proto-Indo-European Root word; deru = to be firm; to be steadfast; to be solid.

All of the above, is contained/used, in the basic cosmic egg exercise and/or basic chair exercise, and there has to 'be' slightly 'more', than just 'mere' etymology! The actions/doings that 'go/come' with, the words, must be learned, mastered and then skilfully and artfully = applied! Through 'technique'.

The recommended reading book; 'The Secret Science Behind Miracles' by Max Freedom Long, as explained by Ophiel, it came about, when the author checked out, the origins/meanings, of the Hawaiian native language, as this language must have been; 'used to explain', the subtleties/nuances and meaning of, the language. Well, this has to be 'true', of all languages? So,

the etymology of a 'word', should yield/give, some sort of 'meaning', to the action/doing of it? It is then, up to the reader/student to then 'apply' the appropriate technique/skill, to it/them. Much of what an 'occult' student does, falls 'largely' into this/these category/categories, of recognition and application. (See/read Ophiel's book: The Occult.)

The #3, ego body, present incarnation, personality body, is a 'construct', of the 'now present condition', and has been 'formed and formatted' over the years 1½ to 4, before that, is the 'archetypal' state/stage where the biological and emotional identity of 'mother/father = food/reward/punishment' have been established. Now comes the time of the #3 = 1½ to 4 ego tantrums/traumas of = have/have not; me/not me; mine not mine; etc, etc. The task/job, of/for the #3, ego body, is that of = observation-of-self!?! But... unbeknown to the #3, ego body = THERE IS/ARE = TWO SELVES!?! = #0, Outer, outer physically physical self 'and/to/also' #1, malkuth earth/hades self!?! (The #3, Ego Body 'feels nothing!')

If, #3, ego self, identifies with, #0, outer, outer physically physical self = then = #1, malkuth earth/hades self, starves/atrophies/deforms, and this can, cause/create/make a, life 'difficult', for #0, outer, outer physically physical you! This is where the basic cosmic egg and/or basic chair exercises, come into practice. These two exercises are 'for', the/your #0, #1, #2 and #3, bodies; to bring each of them into a 'harmonious' virtuous cycle/circle.

The first three 'bodies' is/are, of course; #0, #1 & #2. Following the Laws, Rules & Governances of, the/your #1, malkuth earth/hades plane. There is much, in the way of 'ancient history', for the #1, malkuth earth/hades body; but basically, they 'described' the/their/our/your = sub-conscious-ness = as a dark-ness; black-ness; blind-ness, but... it wasn't until later, that they made it 'Evil', through 'ignorance' because of a 'lack' of proper initiation/education. Instead of learning/understanding, it was/is, as Ophiel writes, every time something/anything went 'wrong?', it was 'blamed' on the 'Devil' the/this dark-ness; black-ness; blind-ness, until eventually everything was/is, lost, the break was complete, and now there is nothing there, but empty-ness. Here it is, from Ophiel, from his book: Contacting the Demiurge, his chapter; Opening:

In this first chapter-section we must make a start at clearing away some of the rubbish of misunderstandings and ignorance that clutter up our lives, and prevent us from progressing along the path of self-power, and self-knowledge; and self-advancement. One of the worst misunderstandings is the idea that there is abroad, in the whole world, an ignorant idea that there is a something called Evil, along with something called good, LIGHT and DARKNESS, etc. Good and Light have been equated with God, and Evil and Darkness have been equated with a thing called the Devil. Nothing, in any religion writings, is very clear, or very logical as to just exactly HOW the evil Devil darkness came into existence against the wishes and power of the Good-Light, when the Good-Light has always been proclaimed to be the most powerful of the two contending Forces." End quote.

The Dark-ness; Black-ness; <u>Blind-ness</u>; <u>was there from the first</u>! Here is the old crazy book (Bible), telling it; Genesis; chapter 1: verses; 2, 3, 4.

And the earth was without form and void;

And dark-ness was upon the face of the deep;

And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters;

And God said; Let there be light;

And there was light;

And God saw the light; that it was good;

And God divided the light from the dark-ness.

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The earth = #1, malkuth earth/hades plane!
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Dark-ness = black-on-black, lowest point of/for the Demiurge!

Face of the deep = conscious-ness!

Without from; void = empty = no $\frac{\text{tactile}}{\text{feeling}}$!

Spirit of God = #2, visualisation!

 $Moved = \frac{tactilely}{felt}$

Face = Conscious-ness!

Waters = #2, Etheric Plane!

Said = Let there be Light!

There was Light = everything above/over #1, malkuth earth/hades!

Saw the Light = reflection!

That it was good = what was wanted!

Divided the Light = visualisation!

From the dark-ness = $\frac{\text{tactile}}{\text{feeling}}$!

It is not until we reach verse 10, that they are actually talking/describing #0, outer, outer physically physical earth! But... there is/are 'no techniques?', 'no explanations?', 'no rationalisation?', you = the reader? = just have to take 'their word?', at face value??? (No! Don't think so!!). Ophiel continues:

"In the Christian religion, and other religions, there are a number of creatures named such as – the talking Snake in the Garden of Eden, Satan, thru Adversary, Mammon, Beelzebub, Lucifer, Ahruman (Zoroastrianism), Shartan (Muslim), all of which are not the same creatures. Except, where noted, all are different from each other, but all are associated with EvilDarkness, or, in another way, this the World is said to be dual, half white and half black, whereas the Truth more likely is – the World is grey, a mixture – there is no such thing as "pure" white or "pure" black." End quote.

As you can see/read, the 'idea of'; black = Evil, was/is, wide spread, and had 'taken over', everything, so that any 'association' to/with the dark-ness; black-ness; blind-ness, was/is, by/with, association = <u>ALSO CONNECTED TO/WITH = THE/THAT</u> 'EVIL'!?! And so = must be destroyed/shunned/avoided!?! Thus, keeping those in power; in power!?! = Sociopaths! Messiahs! (Everybody 'knows?', that priests and nuns don't make the 'best' babysitters!?!) Ophiel continues farther on:

"The concept of the other evil creature was just as bad. This evil creature had wings too, a sort of bat-like membrane type. In point of fact, this creature pictured was Pluto, the conventional picture of Pluto, the brother of Zeus. Pluto ruled the underworld. Zeus ruled the Sky. Neptune, the other brother, ruled the ocean, (not the physical ocean, but the other ocean, on the inner planes – (more of this latter).

But Pluto is not the devil. Have I gone into this idea of the Black Arts enough, if not to convince you, at least to get you to stop, and think, and experiment? To experiment, to test your Powers, (you never considered you/or your powers to be Black, did you?)

It would seem to me that the time has come, in the course of the history of the world, to realize there is no such thing as active evil oppositions; and that what appears to be such is an illusion born of our ignorance and misunderstanding. There exists, on this Earth plane, a dual-ness, but it is more or less only a give and take, an ebb and flow, a rising and a falling, and

a coming and a going.

When all things are on the upswing then God is in his Heaven, and all is right with the world. When all things are on the downswing, then the devil reigns and all hell break's loose. And yet all is the same one thing – not two things – just the way the One Thing is functioning. And that is all there is to it. No matter how many devil's men create to fill the "evil" void, to explain the fallbacks, it is only the duality of the physical world which is to blame for life being what it is.

When, and ever, mankind, in bulk, will emerge from the mind's "dark ages" of thinking, and perceive that duality IS existence, and, in fact, is necessary; that there is no such thing as black and white, then he will control, and then will an understanding of this physical world come about; and what has been called Evil, for thousands of years will become the salvation of people – especially those who are in advance, put themselves in advance of the race, in their Thinking. So again, to repeat, for emphasis, while there are dual Forces, these dual Forces are not evil, or bad, or good, or pure, or holy, but are supremely natural" End quote.

Hades, is the older name for the/your #1, malkuth earth/hades, it then became/changed later to Pluto! (Conflated with = Pluton/Ploutos = giver of wealth) Hades was/is = <u>THE</u> 'INVISIBLE ONE'!?! = and people did not mention his (Hades), name, for fear of invoking him, as he 'Hades' was also, the 'personification' of death!?

And then, will an understanding of this physical world come about; and what has been called Evil, for thousands of years will become the salvation of people – especially those who are in advance, put themselves in advance of the race, in their Thinking = let us hope(?), that you, the reader are/can be/become 'one of them - advanced!?'.

You can also read in Ophiel, wherein, he (Ophiel), writes, that 'resistance' is the 'life/blood', of/for the/this #1, malkuth earth/hades 'force'! And, as you/if you(?), progress, in the work of the basic egg/chair exercises, you, the operator/occultist(?), will/shall come to 'meet & greet?', the/this = dark-ness; black-ness; blind-ness!

And what has been called Evil, for thousands of years will become 'YOUR' salvation!?! (See/Read letter of Augustine of Hippo = what a 'friend' thou hast found!!)

All because you, the reader/practitioner/occultist(?), have; <a href="Put YOURSELF!?! In 'advance' of others, in YOURPSYCHOLOGICAL 'TACTILE-FEELING' DEFINING; THREE-DIMENSIONAL-ISING; SYMBOL-ISING OF/ABOUT YOUR 'SELF = #1'!?!"

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Thank you.