

GLOSSARY OF TERMS

ABOMINABLE SNOWMAN –

ABRACADABRA – It is the name of the supreme god of the Assyrians of the third century. A magical word used in amulets (such as healing) to diminish the condition.

ABYSS - In Qabalah the Abyss is a Sephiroth (sphere) on the Tree of Life, which separates the top three Sephiroths from the bottom seven. It represents the phase an individual must cross on the path of transformation in order to achieve wholeness. In the Abyss one must confront and overcome fears, isolation, depression, falsehoods, lies, secrets, or untruths. (See the Dark Night of the Soul).

ACUPRESSURE - This is a healing therapy where finger pressure is applied to certain energy points or meridians in the body to release the flow of energy (Chi) in the body, thereby creating a healing effect. This technique originated in the Far East (i.e. China).

ACUPUNCTURE - This is the precursor to Acupressure, instead of using finger pressure, needles are inserted into the applicable energy meridians of the body to release the flow of energy. Thereby, creating a healing effect on the body. This procedure is found to be effective as an anesthesia, and is now recognized and accepted by most health insurance plans. This technique originated in the Far East (i.e. China).

AFFIRMATIONS - Positive life affirming statements said or written to replace or reprogram negative messages in a person's mind.

AGAPE – This is a Greek word for giving love to self or self love. It is now used to mean divine love.

AGE OF AQUARIUS – *This* is a time period where the focus will be on spiritual enlightenment, great love, humanitarian causes and advancements in health and technology (which will encompass the New Age principles). Some thought the Age of Aquarius started in the 1960's, others thought it started as of the year 2000 and still others feel it will not start until much later in the 21st century. Biblically, this would be the period described as the 1000 years of peace.

AGRIPPA, CORNELIUS HENRY – He lived from 1486 to 1535. A German philosopher and magician. He wrote several works but the most famous is the Three Books of Occult Philosophy.

AIVANHOV, MASTER OMRAAM MIKHAEL – He live from 1900 to 1986. He wrote on subject matters pertaining to Cabala, God, Angels, Magic and the Cosmos. His writings include Angels, Cosmic Balance and The Book of Divine Magic.

AKASHA - It is the Etheric or Astral substance.

AKASHIC RECORDS - All memories or knowledge is contained in the Etheric World. Some psychics are able to read this information.

AKKADIAN – CHALDEAN INSCRIPTIONS – These are magical writings from the Royal Library of Nineveh of 7th century BC. They are said to be the oldest documents on magic, and are mostly about exorcising evil.

ALCHEMY - The predecessor to chemistry. The process of transmutation of physical and chemicals, such as transforming lead into gold. The example of changing lead into gold is symbolic of the spiritual transformation, in order to achieve enlightened consciousness. This is also known as the Philosopher's Stone, which was an elixir of immortality. Alchemy is the combining of spirituality with chemistry.

ALPHA AND OMEGA - A statement found in the Christian Bible. I am the Alpha and the Omega. This means I am the Beginning and the End. This refers to God being infinite; there is no beginning or no ending of God, for God is energy or spirit. Each person is a part of God, or is a reflection of God's spirit, which means we each are made of God's spirit or energy, and therefore there is no being or end to us (meaning our spirit). This statement has been also made in regards to energy. Energy cannot be destroyed, but it can be transformed.

ALPHA STATE - Is a level of consciousness a person is in when they meditate, dream, day dream, sometimes during driving, exercising, dancing, or repetitious activities. It is a physical state that the mind achieves when mind and body is relaxed.

AMAZONS – Amazon society was stringently matriarchal. Males were used for mating purposes and as slaves Amazon warriors fought and died in the Trojan War.

Greek mythology describes the Amazons as descendants of the god of war, Ares, and the sea nymph, Harmonia. They worshipped Artemis, goddess of the hunt. The Amazons' territory has always been disputed. Herodotus believed they may have occupied the steppes of Southern Russia. Other stories claim they lived in Thrace or along the lower Caucasus Mountains in Northern Albania. The Thermodon River, in Asia Minor, known today as the coast of Turkey, seems to be the most frequently mentioned territory of the Amazons.

Spanish adventurer, Francisco de Orellana, is said to have named South America's greatest river, the Amazon, after a fierce tribe of warrior women he encountered along its banks.

AMORC – These are the abbreviations for the Ancient and Mystical Order Rosae Crucis, which is based in San Jose, CA. It also is known as a Rosicrucian order.

ANGELS - They are spiritual beings who are usually thought of as God's messengers, each having a specific purpose and dominion.

ANOINTED - To be blessed, or charged with the energy of God, Holy Spirit, or the energy of the one who is doing the anointing.

ANOINTING - The action of blessing or charging an object with one's energy, God's energy, or the Universes energy.

APPARITION - The appearance of a shadow, foggy image, or physical view of a partial or complete spirit or ghost.

ARBULARIAS – Spanish term for Witches who heal.

ARCANE – This means something old or ancient.

ARCANA – This means ancient wisdom or ancient knowledge.

ARADIA – Is not only the name of an Earth Goddess, but is also the title of the Gospel of the Witches, which was collected and published by Charles G. Leland, in 1899.

AREA 51 -

AROMATHERAPY – The use of aromas to activate a healing response, to relieve stress and to soothe the body, mind and spirit. Essential oils (i.e. Orange, Lavender, Rose, Tea Tree or Eucalyptus) are used in aromatherapy; each fragrance has its own particular healing effect.

ARTHUR (KING) – Believed to be a mythical King who reigned in the time of Merlin. He is the King who created the Kingdom of Camelot and the Knights of the Round Table. His sword was Excalibur (which represented truth). His Queen was Guinevere. His quest was for the Holy Grail, which was a quest for body, mind and spiritual wholeness. His lifetime would have been during the evolution from the age of Paganism to the time of Christianity. See Hu Gardarn.

ASPECTS – These are the geometrical configurations between the planets in the astrology chart, in Western Astrology. These aspects indicate areas of challenge, harmony, ease, luck or power. The following are the different aspects; Conjunction, Trine, Sextile, Opposition and Square. The minor aspects are; Quincunx, Semisquare, Sesquisquare and Semisextile.

ASTRAL BODY - Also known as Body of Light. An energy which links the emotional, intellectual, and spiritual bodies to the physical body.

ASTRAL LIGHT – Light energy that vibrates at a higher rate and is not visible to the physical eye, but is still very much a part of the physical plane.

ASTRAL PLANE – A dimension beyond the physical plane, where the soul or spirit is free from the physical body.

ASTRAL PROJECTION - The ability of a person's Astral Body leaving the physical body, to travel into the Astral Plane.

ASTROLOGY - There are different methods of Astrology. There is Western Astrology, Eastern Astrology, Hindu Astrology and Indian Astrology to name a few.

ATLANTIS - A mythical continent similar to Lemuria. The inhabitants of this continent were far advanced in technology, using the energy from crystals and light. However, greed for power destroyed this continent and its people.

AURAS - Each layer has its' own color. Layers of energy which surrounds the physical body, and radiates out from it.

AUTOMATIC WRITING, ART, OR MUSIC - A form of Channeling, wherein either the person's Higher Consciousness, Angel, Spirit Guide, or Spirit's energy flow through a living physical person's hands to write messages, or create music, or create art. Sometimes in the creative world known as being inspired by a Muse.

AVATAR/AVATARA – Avatar is the male version, while Avatara is the female version of an evolved spiritual being who takes on a physical form to help people in times of great distress.

AVIDA – A belief that after we die nothing remains.

AWAKENING - Refers to a Spiritual Awakening. When a person is connected to their Spirit and/or the Universe.

BACH FLOWER REMEDIES – Developed by Edward Bach, who believed that all diseases are caused by moods or emotions. He utilized flowers to treat these emotions, thereby treating the disease.

BAILEY, ALICE – An esoteric, philosophical and spiritual author of the early 20th century. She wrote several books including A Treatise on White Magic and Esoteric Philosophy (1922).

BANISHING - A ritual to get rid of negative or unwanted energies, including spirits.

BAPTISM – A rebirth ritual and a purification ritual, where a person or a child is immersed in or sprinkled with water.

BELTAINE – Occurs on May even or may 1st. It is one of the four major Celtic festivals and Wiccan Sabbats.

BERMUDA TRIANGLE – An area located in the Atlantic Ocean near Florida, Cuba, Bermuda. This is an area where there have been mysterious disappearances of ships and planes, and where weird occurrences have occurred. Some metaphysicians believe these occurrences have a connection to the legendary city of Atlantis.

BESANT, ANNIE – She was born in London, England in 1847. One of the main leaders of the New Age Metaphysical movement.

BHAGAVAD – GITA – From India. A Vedic literature. Veda means knowledge, and Lord Krishna is the origin of the Vedas, and is the author of the Bhagavad-Gita. Its purpose is to illuminate us. It speaks of the importance of love and devotion.

BIBLE – There are different Bibles: 1) Christian bible (there are several versions of the Christian Bible. The most popular version is the King James. 2) Witch's Bible 3) Satanic Bible 4) Buddhist's Bible. Bibles contain prayers, ceremonies, and spiritual writings on how to live life.

BIBLE CODE –

BIG FOOT - Sasquatch,

BILOCATION – The appearance of a person in two places at the same time.

BIRTH DAY - The day of the week a person was born on, or the month, day and year a person was born on.

BLACK ARTS – Another name for Black Magic.

BLACK HOLE -

BLACK MAGIC - The use of the power of thought and/or ritual to manifest a particular intent, for one's own gain. In black magic this is done regardless of the harm to others and against their will.

BLACK MASSES – S parody of the Catholic Mass done by Satanist.

BLAVATSKY, HELENA PETROVNA - She lived from 1831 to 1891. She was a well-known Russian Spiritualist. In 1875, she started the Theosophical Society in New York, with Colonel H.S. Olcott. She is known for bringing the ideals of Hindu mystical practice to the West.

BODY, MIND, AND SPIRIT - The concept that to have optimum health and well being one must take care of and balance the body, mind and spirit, not just taking care of the body.

BOOK OF SHADOWS - Book of Spells.

BRIDGIT – A Celtic Maiden Goddess, of healing, fertility and poetry.

BRUJA – A Spanish term for someone who is a Witch or Medicine Person.

BRUJERIA – A Spanish term for Witchcraft.

BUDDHA - Refers to Gautama Buddha, who was born and lived in India, from 563 to 483 BC. He is known as the Awakened One. His teaching was based on the belief that enlightenment could be attained by suppressing worldly desires.

BUDDHISM - A philosophy based on the teaching of Buddha.

CABALA - (Kabbalah; Qabalah) - See Kabbalah.

CANDLE MAGIC - The use of burning candles, as a tool for mental focus to achieve a particular purpose. Candles can be selected by color and anointed with oils, as a way of connecting more with the intent.

CARDINAL – This is one of the modalities in Western Astrology. Cardinal signs show initiative and are action oriented. The four Cardinal Astrological Signs are; Aries, Capricorn, Libra and Cancer. These four signs represent the four Astrological Elements of Fire, Earth, Air and Water.

CARLLEACH – Refers to the Crone Goddess. Means old woman or hag.

CASTENADA, CARLOS – A popular author in the seventies, with his tales of his life with a Yaqui Medicine Man. Books include a Yaqui way of Life, A Journey to Ixland, Silence of Power and Tales of Power.

CAYCE, EDGAR – He was an American Psychic who lived from 1877 to 1945. He is known as the Sleeping Prophet. He would go into a sleep like trance. While in these trances he was able to do Psychic Readings on client's illnesses and the needed remedies. He also received information on Jesus Christ and Atlantis.

CELTIC (KELTIC) – Divided into two groups, the Brythonic Celts (who are Breton, Cornish and Welsh) and the Gordelic (who are Irish, Scottish and Manx).

CELTIC FEAST OF THE DEAD - See Samhain

CELTIC TREE CALENDAR – A system used by the Druids, and is based on thirteen lunar cycles. Each cycle represents a month, and a Sacred Tree represents that month.

CENTERED - Focus on one's self in meditation as the center of all space, time, and Universe.

CEREMONIAL MAGIC – This form of Magic consists of rituals calling forth spirits to do the Magicians requests.

CHAKRAS - From Eastern belief's, Hindu, Tibetan, and Taoist. These are energy vortexes (wheels) found in living beings. The seven along the spine and head are the most known.

CHALICE - A cup used in Ritual Magic. It is used in cleansings and scrying. Represents the element of water, the cauldron, the womb, and the Holy Grail.

CHANGELING – A Faerie left in exchange for a human child.

CHANNELING - Is when a spiritual being communicates through a living person. These spiritual beings (people who have died, Guides, Angels, Master Teachers, Higher Consciousness and God) come through the individual through the use of Psychic Tools, Psychic Senses (Clairvoyance, Clairaudience, Clairsentience), or they can actually take over part of the person (such as their arm to write, or paint) or their whole body to communicate their message (trance channeling). The living person being used as the channel does have control of what happens, or if they will allow the spiritual being to channel through them. There are different forms of channeling these include using tools, automatic writing, art or music, conscious trance channeling, unconscious trance channeling, mediumship, and séance. Tools for Channeling include the Ouija Board, Pendulums, and Dowsing Rods. Other items can be used as well including the Tarot Cards and the Crystal Ball.

CHANTS - Chants can be statements that are repeated over and over again, or it can be sounds that are repeated over and over again. Chants are used to focus the mind, to release stress, to create healing effects or energy and to harmonize the body, mind and spirit of a person with the spiritual energy of the universe. Chanting of sounds like Om have been used for centuries in Transcendental Meditation.

CHAOS MAGIC – CHAOS – It is the force responsible for the origin and continued action of events. It is the force, which caused life to evolve itself out of dust. Chaos magic takes this force and manipulates it so that real thoughts materialize. Read Peter J. Carroll's books "Liber Null and Psychonaut" or "Liber Kaos".

CHI - Chinese word, which means breath or wind. It is the vital life force in all things.

CHI GONG (ALSO QI GONG) – The Chinese term Chi means breath or wind. The vital life force in things. Chi Gong is the manipulation of this energy (sometimes through, energy work through hands, exercise, herbs, and meditation). Qi-Gong Chinese form of exercises help balance the body's Qi (Chi or life energy). There are also practitioners of Qi-Gong who heal or balance their clients Qi, to promote physical healing.

CHIROPRACTOR – A health practitioner who creates healing by the use of their hands physically manipulates the spinal column of their client. Realigning the spine in its proper alignment, this can release pain and other physical difficulties.

CHRIST, JESUS - He lived from 4 BC to 0 AD. The Christian faith is based on the teachings of Jesus Christ. In the Christian faith Jesus is the son of God, or The Word of God made flesh. He was born through the Virgin Mary. He was Jewish. He performed many miracles. He stated he had another commandment to give to the people. It was the greatest commandment above all others. That commandment was about love (unconditional love without judgment). He was later crucified and three days later he arose from the dead. The Christmas holiday is in remembrance of his birth and Easter is in remembrance of his resurrection.

CHRISTIAN – This is the name given to those who follow the spiritual teachings of Jesus Christ. This would include some of the following, Catholics, Greek Orthodox, Baptists, Charismatics, Lutherans, and Mormons.

CHUPACABRA -

CLAIRAUDIENCE – Clear Hearing. A person who hears information being given to them about past, present or future events regarding people or objects.

CLAIRSENTIENCE - Clear Feeling. A person who is able to sense through feeling past present, or future events regarding people or objects.

CLAIRVOYANCE - Clear Seeing. A person who is able to see past, present, or future events regarding objects or people.

CLEANSING RITUAL - A ritual to get rid of or dissipate unwanted energies, or negative forces, or spirits that have attached themselves to a place or being.

COINCIDENCE - Something that happens by chance rather than by intention. See Synchronicity.

COLOR - Colors reflect a light that has been proven scientifically to generate a sensation of heat or coolness. Red being hotter, while blue is cooler. In Metaphysics colors are used to create a healing effect, help with moods and stress, focus on and the growth of one's desired goals. It has been shown in a prison study that aggressive and violent inmates become non-violent in a room painted all in pink. In candle magic or other forms of magic the color green would be used to attract growth and money, while the color pink would be used to attract love and harmony. In healing pink would be used to nurture and expand or open the heart area, while green would heal hurts in the heart area. Each Chakra (Spiritual Energy Vortexes) of the body has a color associated with it.

COLOR THERAPY - In this therapy the use of different colors or different color lights are used to create healing within a person.

CON GAME - PSYCHIC READING CON GAME - There are two types of Psychic Con Readers. There are the Psychic Con Readers who have actual psychic abilities, and then there are Psychic Con Readers who have planned scripts that they use, depending on the wish or question their client has. There are ways to identify these cons: 1) they usually work out of a small store front or home with signs that say Psychic Readings for a small amount of money 2) they will in some cases ask you to make a wish 3) they will tell you not to speak of the particulars of the reading to anyone as your wish won't come true 4) with individuals they feel are vulnerable, they will gear the reading in a negative direction by saying statements such as "you have a curse on you", "someone is jealous of you and is sending you bad or negative energy", "someone is planning to harm you" 5) they will state they can remove these negative conditions by the use of prayer, candles, oils, spells, it will only cost the client anywhere from \$50.00 to \$150,000, and maybe more if the client continues to come back, 6) instead of money they may tell the client to bring them a TV, designer clothing or shoes, jewelry (things of value). These cons are illegal. Charges can be made against such people. Some areas require legal permits and business licenses. It is always good to ask to see these. It is usually safer to go to a Psychic Bookstore that has been around for awhile or be referred to a psychic. However, this is no guarantee that you will get a good Psychic, but your chances of avoiding a con are better.

CONFUSIUS - He lived from 551 to 479 BC. He was a Chinese philosopher and moralist.

COURSE IN MIRACLES (THE) - A channeled book on the spiritual values of unconditional love and forgiveness.

COVEN - This is usually a group of Witches. The standard number is twelve plus either a High Priest or High Priestess. If there are more than thirteen in a group, then thirteen members including the High Priest/ess become the inner circle.

CRONE - Third aspect of the Goddess as an old woman. One of these Goddesses is Ceridwen.

CROWLEY, ALESTAIR – He lived from 1875 to 1947. He was a member of the Magical Order of the Golden Dawn, also the Ordo Templi Otrientis. He wrote many books and articles on Magic, including The Book of Law, The Beast 666, Prophet of a New Aeon, The Equinox. He liked to call himself the beast, and was known as the most evil man. Some of his peers thought he was crazy.

CRYSTALS AND STONES – A mineral believed to have healing, magical and spiritual energy or power. Quartz Crystals are used to generate energy in watches. Rose Quartz is used to attract love. Malachite is for healing and Hematite is used for grounding one's own energy and warding off negative energies.

CRYSTAL HEALING AND STONE HEALING – New Age Healers, who use various Stones and Crystals to align the body, mind and spirit to affect a healing process. This healing process maybe physical, emotional, psychological or spiritual. Rose Quartz might be used to open the Heart Chakra that has been closed, while Malachite or Bloodstone might be used to heal the Heart of any emotional trauma.

CULTS – These are usually spiritual groups that use methods of brainwashing to obtain complete unquestioned obedience from its followers.

CUSPS – A point at which a Western Astrology sign begins. Those individuals whose birthday fall near the beginning or at the end of a sign are said to be born on the cusp, and therefore may exhibit some of the qualities of the sign before it or after it. Such a person should have a Natal Chart run to find out what their actual Sun Sign is.

CUANDERO/A - A Spanish term for a Medicine Person or a Witch.

DARK NIGHT OF THE SOUL - St. John of the Cross used this statement to describe the depression and isolation, which some spiritual individuals feel prior to realization or enlightenment. This is the process of most paths of transformation or rebirth process (psychology, spiritual, and religious). (See the term Abyss). Same as phrases "It is darkest before the dawn" or "There is a light at the end of the tunnel".

DEAD SEA SCROLLS - Discovered in 1947. Found in the Judean desert Qumran, they are Biblical manuscripts about Jesus, his Apostles, and commentaries on the Old Testament. These manuscripts are said to be written by Jesus' Disciples.

DEE, DR. JOHN – He lived from 1527 to 1608. He was the Court Magician to Queen Elizabeth I. He was also an Astrologer. He had a large library on demons and the Magical Arts. He is known for founding the school of High Enochian Magic. His favorite tool for divination was the Crystal Ball.

DÉJÀ VU - It is a French term meaning something already seen. Most individuals have experienced a feeling of Déjà Vu at least once in their life. It is the feeling of having already experienced a situation, when in reality it is the first time for the experience.

DELTA STATE - A brain wave, which occurs in deep sleep.

DEMON – Christians believe that Demons are the same as Satan or Devils. However, the Greeks believed Demons were Mini Gods. The Greek interpretation of the word Demon is complete with wisdom. Another belief is that Demons or Devils are a creation of one's own mind, such as negative thoughts or negative energy.

DEOSIL – A Pagan term meaning clockwise or sunwise.

DEVA - Is an Angel form in charge of trees.

DEVIL - Another name for Lucifer, the Fallen Angel or Satan. The image of the Devil was taken from the image of the Greek God Pan. The Christians who were trying to convert the ancient Greek people to Christianity selected Pan as the image of the Devil.

DIANETICS – A group founded by L. Ron Hubbard, who later founded Scientology. The basic principle of Dianetics or Scientology is the erasure of psychological traumas experienced in the past. L. Ron Hubbard wrote the book Dianetics prior to the founding of the group. During the 70's, 80's and even today some people view these groups to be cults.

DHARMA - This is a Sanskrit word, which means Law of Nature. It is also a word, which means a Spiritual Code of Behavior.

DIVINATION - Methods or tools used to foretell the future.

DOPPELGANGER – From the German meaning double walker. This is a human double, an ethereal double, astral double or a spirit resembling a living person. These double's are usually visible to the human eye, but may appear as apparitions.

DRAGON - Associated with water, lightening, earth energy, and great primal power.

DRAGON'S BREATH - Represents the life energy force. See the terms "Chi" and "Kundalini".

DRAGON TRACKS - Chinese term for Ley Lines. A term referring to lines that earth's energy flow.

DREAM ANALYSIS - Interpreting the symbols within the dreams, to provide insight into the messages from the subconscious mind. Dreams occur in the REM (Rapid Eye Movement) portion of sleep. See REM sleep.

DREAM CATCHER -

DRUIDS – Priest or Medicine Man of the ancient Celts. Today's Druids have adopted many of the ancient practices, but have also added new ones. This is a Pagan Religion.

DUALITY - Western Astrology the twelve Astrological Signs are divided in masculine and feminine energies. The six Masculine Signs are: Aries, Gemini, Leo, Libra, Sagittarius and Aquarius. The six Feminine Signs are: Taurus, Cancer, Virgo, Scorpio, Capricorn and Pisces.

DUKE UNIVERSITY -

ESP - See Extra Sensory Perception.

ESP CARDS -

EASTERN ASTROLOGY - Associates animals to a person's date of birth. Example: the year of the dragon. Each animal has characteristics associated with it, which are used to describe a time period or a person's personality.

ECKANKAR – Paul Twitchell founded this group in 1965. It is said to be the secret path to the Deity.

ELEMENTALS, ARTIFICIAL - An energy created and given life, through Ritual Magic, to fulfill a specific purpose of the Magician.

ELEMENTALS, NATURE - Nature Spirits. Water Spirits are Undines, Sprites, Naiads or Nymphs; Earth Spirits are Dryads, Gnomes and Brownies; Fire Spirits are Salamanders and Sylphs; Air Spirits are Fairies and Pixies.

ELEMENTS - The forces of the physical universe (Water, Air, Fire and Earth). These elements are important in Pagan belief systems, Western Astrology, Tarot, Magic and Feng Shui.

ELEMENTS IN ASTROLOGY – Also known as Triplicity. The twelve signs of the Zodiac (in Western Astrology) are divided into four different elements. These elements, their attributes and the Astrological Signs associated with them are as follows:

The Element Of Fire – Attribute is action, energy and power – Aries, Leo and Sagittarius

The Element Of Air – Attribute is communication and the analytical mind – Gemini, Libra and Aquarius.

The Element Of Earth – Attribute is stability and practical – Taurus, Virgo and Capricorn

The Element Of Water – Attribute is emotions, creativity and intuitive – Cancer, Scorpio and Pisces.

ELIXIR OF LIFE - An Alchemy term. The Elixir comes from the Philosopher's Stone. It restores youth and gives immortality.

EMERALD ELIXIR - See Elixir of Life.

EMERALD STONE - See Philosopher's Stone.

EMERALD TABLET - See Philosopher's Stone.

ENERGY - There are different types of energies in this world. Energy flows through every molecule. Energy cannot be created or destroyed, it can be transformed. This energy remains throughout time. Occasionally these energies which comprised past, present, and future, or other supernatural situations can be sensed by individuals who are sensitive to these energies, or have Psychic Abilities.

ENERGY HEALING - There are various forms of Energy Healing. The principle is for the healer to send healing energy through their own hands to their client, or manipulate and balance their client's energy. See the following forms of Energy Healing: Laying on of Hands, Reiki, Tai Chi, Qi Gong, Chiropractor, Crystal Healing and Stones, Acupressure, Acupuncture and Polarity Therapy.

ENNEGRAMS - Identifies people's personalities by nine different personality types, which are The Perfectionist, The Helper, The Achiever, The Romantic, The Observer, The Questioner, The Adventurer, The Asserter and The Peacemaker.

ENOCH - Enoch was a Prophet who allegedly lived from 3284-3017 B. C. Biblical figure. Enoch was the son of Jared (Gen. 5:18), the seventh generation after Adam. Prophet Enoch and his followers left Babylon for Egypt. Enoch was the first to invent books and writing, much like Thoth the scribe. The ancient Greeks declare that Enoch is the same as Mercury / Hermes Trismegistus writing the Emerald Tablets of Thoth. Enoch taught the art of building cities, and enacted some admirable laws. He discovered the knowledge of the Zodiac, and the course of the Planets.

ENOCHIAN - The secret language or alphabet of Angels, per Edward Kelly and Dr. John Dee (1527 - 1608). This language is used in Enochian Ceremonial Magic.

ENTITY - The energy of a ghost, or a spirit of a deceased person or animal, which can be seen or sensed, and has the ability to affect the physical environment.

EQUINOX - It occurs twice a year where the amount of day compared to night is equal. This is due to the crossing of the sun over the equator twice a year, once in each opposite direction. It occurs approximately March 21 and September. Some of the Pagan religions celebrate these days, such as the Wicca, which has the Equinoxes as part of their Minor Sabbats.

ESBAT – Celebrated monthly when the full moon occurs. A Wiccan and Pagan Full Moon Celebration.

ESCHATOLOGY - Ernest Holmes studied Eschatology before he started Science of Mind. The religious doctrine regarding the human being, life, god, heaven and hell are the same. The difference is that Eschatology is not taught in the format of a church, as Science of Mind is (The Church of Religious Science). Eschatology is taught privately in small groups in the homes of its teachers and members. They believe in the power of positive thinking, and that by retraining or reprogramming our thoughts that we can change our lives.

ETHER - Refers to the spirit or Spirit World (Ethereal World).

ETHEREAL PROJECT - Out-of-body experience, where instead of traveling into the Astral Plane, the traveling is done by the Ethereal Body, in the Material or Physical World.

EXCALIBUR - The sword given to Luther Pendragon from the Lady of the Lake. Later Arthur would withdraw this sword from a stone, and become King. Arthur would later create the Knights of the Round Table and Camelot. The Sword Excalibur represents spiritual truth or law of truth.

EXORCISM - A ritual to banish an energy or entity that is inside a person, similar to a cleansing or banishing ritual.

EXTRA SENSORY PERCEPTION - Senses beyond the five normal physical senses (touch, smell, hearing, sight, and taste). Some of these extra senses are Clairvoyance, Clairsensient, and Clairaudience. Also known as ESP.

EXTRATERRESTRIALS - Also known as ET's. This is a name given to beings that are not from our planet earth. They are aliens from space.

FAIRIES (FAERIES) – Are a part of the Angel Hierarchy, but are Nature Spirits (also known as Nature Elementals). Fairies are Air Spirits. In 1917 two little girls in Bradford, England had taken pictures of supposedly real Fairies. These pictures were accepted as being true until 1945. There is still doubt today as to the legitimacy of these pictures. The Fairies in these pictures were called the Cottingley Fairies.

FAIRY RING – (SIDHE RING) – A ring of mushrooms or a circle of darker appearing grass, which is the Faerie Mound (where the Faeries live).

FENG SHUI – A Chinese practice of affecting the flow of and the balancing of energy by placement of objects in the home, office or on the person. The clothes one wears effects how one feels, the same is true of the placement of furniture and plants.

FINDHORN – A mystical and spiritual community in Northern Scotland, supposedly with special powers.

FIXED SIGNS – Part of the modalities in Western Astrology. Fixed Signs are usually slow to action, more conservative, more determined and more stubborn. The Fixed Signs are; Taurus, Leo, Scorpio and Aquarius. These four signs also represent the four Astrological Elements in Western Astrology of Earth, Fire, Water and Air.

FOLK MAGIC – Also known as Practical Magic or Low Magic. Uses herbs, amulets, wax images and other material objects along with incantations and visualizing to bring about desired results.

FORTUNE, DION – She lived from 1890 to 1946. Her real birth name was Violet Mary Firth and her married name was Violet Penry-Evans. She was born in Llandudno, Wales. She was a well-known Occultist. An Occult Adept named Moriarty initially influenced her. She became a member of the Hermetic Order of the Golden Dawn and Helena Blavatsky's Theosophical Society. She later founded the Theosophical Society and later founded the Fraternity of the Inner Light and The Guild of the Master Jesus. She has written many occult works, which include The Mystical Qabbalah, Glastonbury and Sea Priestess.

FOX, EMMET - A well-known author on the power of the mind. His books included the Laws of Thought, Sermon on the Mount and Find and Use Your Inner Power. These books were copy written around 1937.

FREEMASONS – Also known as Masons or the Masonic Order. It is a worldwide organization of men that is known for their charitable works and their secret rites. Men throughout history have been members of the Freemasons, men such as George Washington and Ben Franklin. It is a Christian mystical and spiritual organization.

FREUD, SIGMUND – He lived from 1856 to 1939. He was a physician who developed the practice of Psychoanalysis. He was the first Psychiatrist. He is known for his theories on human sexuality and dream interpretation. Carl Jung later worked with Freud. See Carl Jung.

FULL MOON - when the Moon appears as a complete circle, which happens when the surface of the Moon is fully illuminated by the Sun, as seen from the Earth. This occurs approximately once a month.

GARDENER, GERALD BROSSEAU – He lived from 1884 to 1964. He is the father of modern Wicca. He has written several books including High Magic's Aid and Witchcraft Today. Gardener was connected to the Rosicrucians, the OTO, and The Holy Order of the Golden Dawn. He started The New Forest Coven.

GENII - Also known as Djinn, Genn or Ginn in Arab. This is an Islamic term referring to spirits that are between Angels and people, who were on Earth before Adam.

GHOST - A spirit of a person who has died.

GLASTONBURY – Located in England. It is part of the Holy Grail legend and the legend of King Arthur.

GLYPH – A Greek term meaning a symbolic figure or character.

GOD - A masculine term or aspect of the One Universal Force or Supreme Being.

GODDESS - A feminine Deity or Supreme Being.

GOLDEN DAWN (THE) – A magical, mystical and philosophical order of the 19th and 20th century. People such as Aleister Crowley and Dion Fortune have been members.

GRAPHOLOGY – Handwriting analysis. The ability to describe a person by studying their handwriting.

GRAY MAGIC - The use of one's will and thoughts, with or without the use of spells, prayers, affirmations or rituals, to achieve a certain desired outcome for oneself or another. The difference between Gray Magic and Black Magic is that the intent or desired outcome is for the good of all, but still does not have all affected parties knowledge or consent.

GRAYS – A term used regarding Extraterrestrial Beings whose skin tone is gray.

GREAT WHITE BROTHERHOOD – This is a group of spiritual and physical beings which dealt with mystical and esoteric doctrines. This name has also, been used for the knowledge of Lemuria. The Rosicrucians have been also known as The Great White Brotherhood.

GREAT WHITE BUFFALO - An American Indian belief that when a White Buffalo is born, it is a sign from the Universe indicating that a New Age is at hand. An age of peace, plenty, the Buffalo return. The Buffalo is believed to be connected to the Great Spirit. A few White Buffalos have been born in the last few years in South Dakota.

GREEN MAN – A Pagan Spirit of the Trees. He is also known as Jack in the Green.

GREEN TABLET - See The Philosopher's Stone.

GRIMOIRE - A Book of Spells. Refers to Medieval book of Spells such as "The Key of Solomon", "A Ritual Workbook of a Magician".

GROUNDED/GROUNDING - When the mind is very focused or connected to the Physical World. After any spiritual work the person may need to do something, perhaps a ritual, to bring their mind back to the Material World. Carrying a Hematite Stone is said to keep a person grounded.

GURDJIEFF – A Metaphysician who wrote on the power of thought. His writings were published between 1923 and 1949.

GYPSY – Someone who has a Nomadic or unconventional lifestyle. An offensive term used for a member of the Romany People (middle of the 16th century).

GYPSY CON – SEE CON

HALL, MANLY P. -

HALLOWEEN – (ALSO KNOWN AS ALL HALLOWS EVE AND SAMHAIN) - Halloween is the evening (October 31st) prior to the Christian's All Saints Day. Originally a Celtic holiday, it is still an important day for Wiccans and Pagans, and is known as Samhain one of the major Pagan and Wiccan Sabbats. It is a day that the general public in the United States celebrate by dressing up in costumes (Ghosts, Gypsies, Pirates, Witches, etc.), by decorating houses like haunted houses, and the children go out tricks and treating from door to door (getting candies or treats). This is a time when the Veil separating the Physical World from the Spirit World is very thin, which can allow for easier contact with the Spirit World.

HAUNTING – Is excess energy that is caused by some major or dramatic event, which leaves this energy imprinted on the location where it happened. Thereby, playing the event over and over again. Almost like watching a film. Individuals who are psychically open or sensitive may see, hear or feel these events or the energy.

HEBREW - One of the official languages of Israel. There are also the Hebrew Scriptures in Judaism.

HERBOLOGY – The study of herbs. The use of herbs does not only season food, but is used for their medicinal properties to affect good health and nutrition. The result being good health and a sense of well being. Herbs are also used in Magic practices for smudging (such as Sage), for protection (such as Angelica) and for other purposes.

HEXAGRAM - Figure made up of six lines (either broken or unbroken) representing Yin and Yang. There are 64 Hexagrams possible. This is part of the Chinese Divination called the Book of Changes or the I Ching.

HIGH MAGIC – This is another name for Ceremonial Magic.

HIGHER CONSCIOUSNESS/HIGHER SELF - There are four levels at which each person functions. 1. Is the Deep Self - (subconscious mind and dreams); 2. Younger Self - (emotions, instinct, desires); 3. Talking Self - Older Self - (talking, intellect, logic); 4. Higher Self - (spirit evolution, attainment of truth)

HINDUISM – It originated in India. It is the oldest of worldwide religions. It has many Gods and Goddesses and believes in reincarnation. Part of this belief is the belief of the caste system or different social levels. The oldest documents are the Vedas which were written approximately 1000 BC to 500 BC.

HOLISTIC MEDICINE – Does not just treat the physical body of the patient, but considers and treats all aspects of the patient. This includes their physical body, their emotional, spiritual well being, psychological, their nutrition, their home and work environment, and their social life.

HOLY GRAIL - A symbol for wholeness, or of being connected to our spirit, God, and the Universe. The Holy Grail is the cup used by Jesus Christ at the last supper. The Holy Grail is a major theme in the story of King Arthur and Camelot.

HOLY GHOST (SPIRIT) - A Christian term, which refers to the third part of the Christian idea of the Holy Trinity (the Father, which is God; the Son, which is Jesus Christ; and the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is sometime symbolized by the image of a dove. In the Christian Charismatic Church they speak of the energy and heat of the Holy Spirit in their healing work through the laying on of hands. The description could be said to be the Christian equivalent of Kundalini Energy or Chi Healing Energy.

HOLY WATER - Water which has been blessed and purified. Used in ceremonies to purify, cleanse, protect and banish.

HORARY CHART - Western Astrology chart, which is based on calculating the time a question is asked to achieve an answer or prediction.

HORNED GOD – In Wicca he is the consort of the Goddess. He rules over nature and wild animals. He is known by many names including Pan, Cernunnos, Herne the hunter, Tammuz and Dionysus. He has never been worshipped by Pagans as an Evil or Demonic God. The early Catholics in an attempt to convert Pagans to Catholicism turned the horned God into the Devil.

HOUDINI -

HOUSES – In Western Astrology the chart wheel used to graph a chart is circular and is divided into twelve segments called Houses. The following are the Houses and their attributes:

The First House – Represent the self.

The Second House – Represents the person's home, money and possessions.

The Third House – Represents brothers, sister, small trips, communication and creativity.

The Fourth House – Represents childhood and home environment.

The Fifth House – Represents amusement, sex, love affairs, pleasure, real estate and creativity.

The Sixth House – Represents work (job), service and health.

The Seventh House – Represents partnerships and marriage.

The Eighth House – Represents what the partner brings to the partnership or marriage, divorce, taxes, occult, death and transformation.

The Ninth House – Represents long distance travel, learning, philosophy, mental exploration, astral travel and higher consciousness.

The Tenth House - Represents career, fame, fortune, public standing and recognition.

The Eleventh House – Represents friends, associations, hopes and wishes.

The Twelfth House – represents secrets, institutions, sorrow, self undoing, karmic lessons and transformation.

HU - an egyptian god born from a drop of ra's blood. he signifies the pharaoh's authority, word, or command. also god's word (vibration).

HU GARDARN - (HU THE MIGHTY) - a welsh culture hero, who was the ancestor to cymry. he brought eastern tradition (from ceylon and constantinople) to wales. some believe he is the basis for the king arthur leagian.

HUNA - a hawaiian nature religion or nature magic.

HYPNOSIS - a state where the persons body and mind are very relaxed, so that access to information which is stored in the subconscious mind can be accessed much easier. this state can be induced by a hynotherapist, or by the person them self, utilizing sound, or voice, or meditation to relax the person.

I CHING - the chinese book of changes. a form of divination using yarrow sticks or coins to develop a hexagram, which is then interpreted. see hexagram.

ILLUMINATI -

ILLUMINATES OF THANATEROS – a magical order based on the principles of chaos magick.

IMBOLC – IMBOLG – a celtic holiday for bridgit and a wiccan sabbat celebrated on february 1st or 2nd.

INCENSE - these are scented sticks, stones, powders, herbs or cones. when lit they give off an aromatic fragrance. incense is used in ceremonies, rituals, meditation or to create an atmosphere. all belief systems use some type of incense in the ceremonies or rituals.

INQUISITIONS - the papal inquisition was during the 1200's, the spanish inquisition was during the 1400 and 1500's. the purpose of these inquisitions was to ferret out heretics and those practicing witchcraft. these inquisitions used torture to get confessions and executed those found guilty. this is where the burning of people who were found guilty of witchcraft. both of these inquisitions were connected to the catholic church.

IRIDOLOGY - diagnosing the health condition of the physical body of a person by reading the marking in the eyes.

ISLAM - the muslim religion, based on the teachings of muhammad during the 7th century.

JEWISH - relating to the practice of judaism or relating to the people descended from the ancient hebrews.

JUNG, CARL GUSTAV – he lived from 1875 to 1961. he was psychiatrist, and worked with freud. he is known for his work concerning the paranormal, dreams and symbolism.

KABBALAH - (QABALAH, CABALA) - a body of mystical, esoteric, mysterious teachings based on the interpretation of the hidden meanings in the hebrew scriptures. it has also been called the teachings of hebrew magic, and teachings of how the universe was created and how it works. see also abyss.

KABBALAH – 72 NAMES OF GOD – The ancient Kabbalist Rav Shimon bar Yochai wrote in the Zohar that it was Moses, not God, who parted the Red Sea. Moses combined the power of faith (certainty) with a formula that gave him access to the subatomic realm of nature. This formula was only known to a only a handful of Kabbalists. This formula to overcome the laws of nature was hidden in the Zohar for 2000 years. The formula is called the 72 Names of God. These names are 72 sequences composed of Hebrew letters that have the power to overcome the laws of nature in all forms, including human nature. The 72 Names are each 3 letter sequences that act like an index to specific spiritual frequencies. By looking at the letters, as well as closing your eyes and visualizing them you can connect with these frequencies.

KARDEC, ALLEN – lived during the 1800's and died in 1869. he was a famous spirit medium and spiritualist. he wrote on this subject.

KARMA - a hindi term meaning action. the law of cause and effect. for every action there is a reaction or another action. so what you put forth in this lifetime or prior lifetimes as far as action will either be rewarded or disciplined in this lifetime or the next lifetimes. like the saying "what you sow so shall you reap".

KEY OF SOLOMON – this is based largely on the testaments of solomon. it is the one of the most important manuscripts on magic. its original title is clavicula solomonis. it has been translated into latin, french, italian and german, dating back to the 16th century. it contains information on the hebrew qabalistic traditions and a formula for conjuring spirits for both white and black magic. the best-known english version is that by s.l. macgregor mathers in 1889.

KORAN – it is the sacred book in the moslem faith, which is written in arabic.

KNIGHTS OF TEMPLAR - founded in the holy land in 1118ad by hugues de payens (hugh of the pagans), burgundian knight. they professed to be christians. they were known as protectors of women, the grail temple, christian pilgrims, merchants, and their properties. the papacy recognized their order in the 13th century, and then they were persecuted in the 14th century.

KUNDALINI ENGERGY - a sanskrit term meaning serpent power. this energy is located at the base of the spine where the root chakra is. the energy can be activated and risen to transform the chakras (energy centers). this energy can also transform into healing or attainment of higher consciousness. the color of this energy is pink and yellow.

LAMMAS – (SEE LUGHNASADH) - This is the Christian name for the Celtic Holiday Lughnasadh.

LAYING OF HANDS - energy healing through the hands of the healer. heat or light is transmitted through the hands of the healer. the healer places their hands on or over the ailing person's body.

LE VAY, ANTON – founder of the church of satan in san francisco during the mid 1900's (late 1960's and early 1970's). he is since deceased and his daughter is now the head of the church of satan.

LEEK, SIBIL – she died in 1992. she is one of the most famous british witches. she gain notoriety in the 1960's and 1970's with her books diary of a witch and the complete art of witchcraft. she is a witch by heredity instead of by initiation. due to her books popularity there was an increase in the creation of covens.

LEFT HAND PATH - the path said by some to be black magic. other say it is the spiritual path of action instead of the right hand path of meditation of stillness. an example of the left hand path would be the actions of doing ceremonies or rituals, while the right hand path would be meditation. most belief's systems use both.

LEMURIA - the lost continent of mu. this continent existed prior to atlantis.

LEVEAU, MARIE - she lived from 1794 to 1881, and she was known as the voodoo queen of new orleans.

LEVI, ELIPHAS ZAHED – he lived from 1810 to 1887. his real name was alphonse louis constant. in 1850's he published his paper called dogma and ritual of high magic. helena blavatsky republished much of his occult work in work called isis unveiled in 1877. he is noted more than any other occult author is, with popularizing the occult in the 20th century.

LEY LINES - term for lines that the earth energy flows. chinese term for this is dragon tracks.

LILTH - this refers to adam in the old testatment of the christian bible. lilth was adams first wife. she was made of earth, as was adam. she was his equal. whereas, eve was made of adam's rib. some say christian ministers say this was god's way of showing that women should look to men to be in charge of the household. lilth is not mentioned in the christian bible. she is

mentioned judaism. in psychology she represents those suppressed parts of the individual, this is known as the shadow.

LOCHNESS MONSTER -

LUGHNASADH – A Celtic holiday also known by Christian name of Lammas, First Harvest. It is celebrated on August 1. The name of this festival is Irish Gaelic for "Commemoration of Lugh". A feast in the name of the Sun God Lugh. The modern Irish Gaelic name for the month of August is Lúnasa. In Scottish Gaelic Lunasda means the 1st of August.

MABON – a wiccan and pagan sabbat observed at the autumn equinox. it is associated with thanksgiving. it is a second harvest festival.

MAGIC - the process of making something disappear, reappear, change form, or be created through the use of illusion, distraction, and manipulation. the idea that the magician's hand is quicker than the observer's eye.

MAGIC - (MAGICK) - the use of one's will or thoughts, with or without pray, spells, affirmations, talismans or rituals to manifest a desired outcome. there are different levels of magic and different types of magic some of these are as follows: white magic, black, magic, gray magic, high magic, low magic, celtic magic, egyptian magic, wiccan magic, huna magic, fairy magic. however, even christian prayer, positive thinking, eschatology, science of mind, the kabbalah, voodoo, santateria, enochian magic, a strong belief or strong desire are all forms of magic. magic is the combination of a strong desire or belief, combined with a strong thought, and sometimes taking physical action based on that belief.

MAGNET THERAPY -

MALLEUS MALEFICARUM – written in 1486. the translation means the hammer against witchcraft. the german inquisitor heinrich institoris, along with dominican jakob sprenger compiled this document. pope innocent viii approved of this paper. this document told how to identify witches, and the majority of witches were women. the criteria used in this paper was the criteria of the catholic church, and was used in the persecution of people accused of witchcraft.

MANHATTAN PROJECT -

MANITOU – (MANITO , MANITU OR MANITO) - In Algonquian religious belief, a supernatural power that permeates the world, possessed by nature, spiritual and human beings.

MANTRA - a word, an idea, or a sound which is repeated during meditation, or on its own to facilitate transformation of the spirit, or the consciousness.

MARDI GRAS - the last day (known as shrove tuesday or fat tuesday) before lent begins (ash wednesday starts lent), in the christian calendar. Some countries, celebrate mardi gras by having carnivals, which start usually three days prior to lent and end at midnight of the first day of lent. the celebrations consist of parades, floats, dancing, food, drink, costumes, masks, and balls. it celebrates the things that gratify the physical, for as of lent it is a time to focus on the spiritual.

MASONS – see freemasons.

MASTERS -

MATHERS, COTTON – lived from 1663 to 1728. he was a puritan minister in boston, massachusetts. he wrote on many subjects including history, science, theology and the subject of witchcraft. his papers on witchcraft included providences relating to witchcraft, possessions and wonders of the invisible world. his writings upheld the belief in witchcraft and he and his writings had an important part of what happened in the famous witch trials of salem village.

MATHERS, SAMUEL LIDDELL MACGREGOR - he lived from 1854 to 1918. he was a member of the masons, the rosicrucians, became one of the founders of the hermetic order of the golden dawn, he established the second order of the golden dawn. he and aleister crowley were both contenders for the title of chief magician in europe. he was deeply interest with ancient egyptian tradition and developed the rites of isis. his important contribution was his translations into english many medieval magical texts including the key of solomon, the lemegeton or the lesser key of solomon and the sacred magic of abramelin the mage.

MAYAN CALENDAR – 2012

MEDICINE MAN –

MEDICINE WHEEL -

MEDITATION - a method of total relaxation for the mind and body through stillness. allowing one to connect with the divine. there are different types of meditation: 1) zen 2) chanting 3) creative visualization 4) Transcendental or TM.

MEDIUM – a person who has the ability to channel or communicate with the dead, spirits and guides. however, this term is mostly used when talking about someone who communicates with the dead.

MEN IN BLACK - this refers to men, who work secretly for the u.s. government. their purpose is to go out on reports of ufos to suppress the evidence of the ufos.

MERLIN - believed to be the last of the druids. he was king arthur's teacher, mentor, and advisor.

METAPHYSICS - the branch of philosophy which studies the nature of being and beings, existence, time, space, and causality.

METHUSELAH - Oldest person in the Bible. He lived to be 969 years old. He was the son of the Prophet Enoch and father of Noah. Some say Methuselah never died that he was ascended.

MICHAELMAS – celebration of st. michael the archangel, september 29. also known as fomhar na ngeanna.

MIDSUMMER – one of the four minor wiccan or pagan sabbats and is observed at the summer solstice, when the sun has reached its highest point in the sky.

MIDWINTER – one of the four minor wiccan or pagan sabbats and is observed at the winter solstice, when the sun has reached its lowest point in the sky.

MILLENIUM - a period of 1000 years. this term is also associated with the prophecy that jesus christ made that the new millenium would have 1000 years of peace. many individuals thought that the year 2000 ad was the being of that new millenium. many metaphysical people believed the year 2000 ad to be the being of the age of aquarius. actually the millenium did not start at 2000 it will start as of 2001. see also age of aquarius.

MIRACLES - an amazing or extraordinary event. an act which appears to be contrary to the laws of nature, and appears to be an act of god.

MODALITIES – this is a term used in western astrology. there are three modalities in western astrology: 1. cardinal 2. fixed 3. mutable. this is also known by the terms quadruplicity and qualities.

MOHAMMED - he lived approximately from 570 to 632 bc. the prophet of god's divine word. the prophet of islam. he made mecca the religions capital. he wrote his visions and his teachings in the koran.

MOSLEM – the followers of islam or mohammed.

MU – the legendary lost continent of lemuria. this continent existed prior to atlantis.

MUMMING – an old custom where people dressed in costumes would go and perform ritual plays, from house to house.

MUTABLE SIGNS – one of the modalities in western astrology. the key attribute of a mutable sign is its flexibility. the astrological signs associated with this modality are gemini, virgo, sagittarius and pisces. each one of these signs belong to a different element (air, earth, fire and water), but they are the most flexible or the ones most willing to compromise of the twelve signs. see modalities.

NLP - neurolinguistic programming. the linguistic manipulation of one's neurophysiology to produce maximum results, and model the behavioral and physiological patterns of excellence in any field. techniques based in the manipulation of linguistics (speech patterns), psychology, and neurology to achieve a desired outcome, such as overcoming phobias, dealing with difficult people, negotiations.

NAME DAY – celebration in some cultures of the day a name is given, instead of the birthday. also, refers to the day someone is initiated into a pagan group and takes a new name.

NAMES OF GOD IN THE CHRISTIAN BIBLE - the following are the names of god and their meanings:

Elohim means god creator

Abba means father

Adonai means master, lord

Jehovah means our eternal god or father

Jehovah El Shaddai means god or father our supplier

Jehovah Jireh means god or father my provider

Jehovah Rapha means god or father my healer

Jehovah Nissi means god or father my protector, my victory

Jehovah Mikkadesh (M'kadesh) means god or father my sanctifier

Jehovah Shalom means god or father of my peace.

Jehovah Tsidkenu means god or father of righteousness

Jehovah Rohi means god or father my shepherd

Jehovah Shammah means god or father my abiding presence or divine presence

NATAL CHART - in western astrology this refers to a persons birth chart. this chart is done by using the person's month, day, year, time, and place of birth. this chart will indicate the possible traits of the person, and the possible events which may influence or occur in the person's life.

NECROMANCY - the use of the dead, corpses or the ghost of the dead in magic or in divination. a person who uses this practice is called a necromancer. this was more common in the 1600's and 1700's.

NEW AGE – a period of leaving the age of pisces and moving into the age of aquarius (age of aquarius). it is a movement of new religions, new beliefs in science, mysticism, spiritual, ecological, health, nutrition, psychological, parapsychology, occult and magic.

NEW MOON - this occurs at least once a month. it is the time of the month when the moon is not visible. it is the opposite of a full moon. it is the beginning of a new lunar cycle.

NIKOLA TESLA - he lived during from 1856 to 1943. he is credited with many inventions including, the alternating current system, induction motor, tesla coil transformer, ac polyphase system. he had more than 700 patents, and was thomas edison's competition.

NOSTRADAMUS, MICHAEL DE – he lived from 1503 to 1566. he is famous for his 1000 predictions he wrote in quatrains. it is said that about half of his predictions so far have come true. his predictions reach all the way up to the year 3797.

NUMEROLOGY - there are different methods of numerology (traditional numerology, kabbalah or abracadabara method, chaldean method, the divine triangle, which edgar cayce used, etc). these methods convert the names into numbers, and use the birthdate numbers, then use different calculations to provide information on the personality, past, present, and future trends of that name and birthdate. numerology can be used to change a name, or pick a new name which would change the present and future trends.

OASPHE – this book was channeled by john newbrough. it is considered to be the bible of the new age or metaphysical bible. it speaks of human kind starting on the continent of pan, which is similar to lemuria. it starts at this point and records history to 78000 years prior to jesus christ's birth.

OCCULT - means hidden, mysteries, and secrets. involving the supernatural, magic, or witchcraft.

ORACLE - a tool or a person who foresees, or predicts future events.

ORBS -

OSIRIS – he was the ancient egyptian god of transformation and rebirth. he was husband to the goddess isis and their son was horus.

OSTARA – one of the minor wiccan and pagan sabbats, which is celebrated at the vernal or autumn equinox.

OUIJA BOARD - ouija is a combination of the french “oui” for yes and the german word “ja” for no. the ouija board is a board that has numbers, the alphabet letters, yes, no, maybe printed on it. it is used to receive messages from the spirit world, but it can also channel messages from a persons higher self, subconscious mind, or another living person’s mind. parker brothers games was the first company to manufacture the board, and it is the most popular. there are several other board available today that are offshoots of the ouija board (psychic circle, angel board, romance board). the original method of channeling spirits, was using paper and a planchette which had a hole in it to place a pencil, so that the spirit could write out it message, or by using a wine glass upside down, as a planchette), and if the glass went in one direction the answer was yes, if it went in another direction the answer would be no.

OUSPENSKY, P.D. – a metaphysician who expanded, clarified and wrote on gruidjieff ideas and theories. his books were published between 1922 through 1949.

PSI - paranormal scientific investigation.

PAGAN - in latin pagani means country dweller. these were people in the past who worshipped the old gods and goddesses. today pagans are individuals who choose to worship these ancient gods and goddesses. many holidays and symbols that are celebrated by christians originally came from pagna rituals and holidays. a gernal term used for anyone who practices an earth religion.

PALMISTRY - the study of the outside of the hand, the shape of the hand and the lines in the palm of the hand to foretell future potential events and to tell about the person’s life and personality.

PALSMS - a portion of the new testament in the christian bible. palsms are prayers. two popular palsms for protection are palsms 23 and palsms 91.

PARANORMAL - beyond the normal physical realm of life’s experience.

PARAPSYCHOLOGY - the study of mental phenomena (extrasensory perception and telepathy), which cannot be explained by normal psychological or scientific principle. the branch of science that deals with psi or paranormal research. max dessoir (from 1867 to 1947) introduced the

word parapsychology (means beside psychology), the study of occult or paranormal phenomena, which normal scientific methods cannot explain.

PAST LIFE REGRESSION - to regress a person's subconscious to a previous life time, through the use of meditation or hypnosis. this is based on the idea of reincarnation that our souls have been reincarnated and have experienced more than one lifetime on this earth.

PENDULUM -a weight swinging from a fixed point so that it can swing freely. it swings freely so that it can change direction. the pendulum has been used in dowsing to locate water, oil, missing items. it has also been used as a tool for channeling to receive responses, or yes and no type answers to questions asked.

PENTAGRAM – a five pointed star used in pagan rituals (mostly wiccan) or magic rituals. each point of the star corresponds to an element of the universe. these five elements are fire, water, earth, air and ether. when a single point is up it represents man in charge or control of the elements, and when two points are up it is the universe that is in control. the pentagram is not a symbol of evil, satan or devil worship. it has been used as a symbol of protection. in the tarot deck the minor arcana suit of pentacles is a pentagram, but it represents the element of earth or the material world. five pointed stars have been found in stain glass windows of old church ruins.

PERPETUAL CALENDAR – a calendar that is set up so that it can be used for an extended period of time or for any year.

PHENOMENON (PSYCHIC/ SUPERNATURAL) - an unusual event or experience beyond that of the normal life experience, which cannot be defined or explained through modern scientific methods.

PHILADELPHIA EXPERIMENT -

PHRENOLOGY - the study of the human head, to foretell the person's personality and their abilities in the future.

PLANETS - in western astrology the eight planets (mars, mercury, venus, jupiter, neptune, uranus, pluto, saturn), plus the sun, moon and ascendant (also known as the rising sign) have attributes which can be interpreted as the potentials in a person's life. the attributes of each of these planets are as follows:

Sun – represents the person's inner self

Moon - represents the person's mental and subconscious self

Ascendant – represents the person's outer personality.

Mars – represents the person's drive, energy and ambition.

Mercury – represents how the person communicates or how they think.

Venus – represents love, beauty, harmony, art and balance.

Jupiter – represents money, abundance, growth and luck.

Neptune – represents illusion and how one amuses one's self.

Uranus – represents technology, New Age, Astrology, unexpected, reform, liberty.

Pluto – represents secrets, transformation, mysteries and karmic lessons.

Saturn – responsibilities, law, truth, obstacles.

PLEADIANS - a group of enlightened beings who have come to earth to help us to a new level of evolution. read books by barbara hand clow and barbara marciniak, who channel these beings information.

POLTERGEIST - a german term meaning polter means noise, and geist means a spirit. this is known as the noisy spirit. these occurrences usually happen in a home with children or teenagers (children going through puberty). the phenomenon where objects move or sounds come from nowhere. it is believed that pent up emotional energy in the children or teenagers can trigger latent kinesthetic ability, which moves objects. the children and the people in the house may not be unaware that this energy and kinesthetic ability, and believe the occurring events are triggered by a ghost. it is possible that these type of events could occur in adults, who also have a lot of repressed emotions of anger, fear, or hate.

POLARITY THERAPY - a method of healing by stimulating the positive and negative polarity energies within the body. this method also uses the therapist's hands as a conduit for healing.

PONDER, CATHERINE -

POPE JOAN (JOHN) – lived around 854 ad. she reigned as the catholic pope for 2 years, before it was discovered she was a woman. she was found out when she got pregnant by one of her servants. she died in the street between lateran and st. clements church, when her deception was revealed when she went into labor pains. she was dragged into the streets and stoned to death. she was buried there in an unmarked grave. it was common for women to hold high ecclesiastical positions in the catholic church up to the 12th century, when the abbesses in germany and france were being deposed. originally the pope in the tarot was called the popess, supposedly after pope joan.

PRAYERS - speaking to god or the divine. a petition to the divine. asking for something or thanking the universe for something. see also, affirmations, chants and spells.

PROGRESSED CHART – a special chart cast for a specific date in the future and compared to the person's birth (natal) chart to predict future trends.

PROPHET, ELIZABETH CLAIRE – see st. germain.

pyramid power - it is believed by some researchers that the pyramids of egypt were built with specific dimensions, which would focus or create an unknown energy. this energy could be used to preserve things longer. experiments have been done with much smaller pyramids, which have been scaled down proportionately to that of the larger pyramids, to prove that foods or liquids stay fresher longer under a pyramid. pyramids shapes are also used to intensify psychic energy.

PSYCHIC - someone sensitive to the supernatural. these individuals have one or more extrasensory perception abilities.

PSYCHOMETRY & PHOTO PSYCHOMETRY - an individual who uses the handling of objects or photographs to pick up psychic impressions of the individual or event surrounding that object (past, present, and future).

PURIFICATION RITUAL - see cleansing ritual or banishing ritual.

QABALAH - (CABALA, KABBALAH) - see kabbalah.

QI-GONG (ALSO CHI GONG) – the chinese term chi means breath or wind. the vital life force in things. chi qong is the manipulation of this energy (sometimes through, energy work through hands, exercise, herbs, and meditation). qi-gong chinese's form of exercises help balance the body's qi (chi or life energy). there are also practitioners of qi-gong who heal or balance their clients qi, to promote physical healing.

QUADRUPLICITY - see modalities.

QUANUM PHYSICS -

QUICKENING - see awakening.

RAW FOOD DIET -

READER - a term referring to a psychic advisor.

REINCARNATION – the belief that after one dies our souls reincarnate into a new physical body to be born again on earth. this cycle continues until the soul is perfected and it can then return to the creator, god or nirvana.

REM SLEEP - abbreviation for rapid eye movement. this refers to the rapid eye movement, which occurs while a person is dreaming. it is said that we dream for approximately 15 to twenty minutes for every hour of sleep we get. which means that twenty minutes of each hour of sleep a person's eye's are moving rapidly underneath the eyelids.

REIKI – japanese form of energy healing energy through the hands of the reiki master, and the use of symbols, intonations and visualization of the symbols. one must be trained by a reiki master in order to receive the symbols and intonations.

REFLEXOLOGY – this is healing various parts of the body by reflexing or massaging different points in the hands or feet that correspond to that area of the body.

REGARDIE, ISREAL – born in the early 1900's (1907). he was a student of magic and an apprenticed under alestair crowley. he also wrote the eye of the triangle.

REMOTE VIEWING - sending a part's of one's consciousness to another location to view what is taking place, as though one was physically there.

RETROGRADE – this is when a planet is moving slower than normal and just gives the appearance of moving backwards. in the past astrologers saw this as a negative influence in a

person's chart. modern astrologers now see it as a positive influence, which will manifest itself later in the person's life.

RIGHT HAND PATH - it is the spiritual path of stillness, such as meditation and prayer. most religions practice the right hand path and the left hand path of ritual.

RITUALS - another term for ceremonies.

RODS -

ROSE OF THE CROSS - is the translation of the name rosicrucians and of the german name rosenkreuz.

ROSICRUCRIANS - an international mystical, magical, philosophical organization founded during the 17th century, by christian rosenkreuz

ROSWELL -

RUNES - runes are a scandinavian divination tool. they are stones with different symbols etched in them. the symbols are an ancient scandinavian magical language. when the stones are cast the symbols are interpreted by the psychic.

SABBATS – celebrations to observe the pagan or wiccan year.

SAINTS - in the catholic church this is a holy person who is given recognition for their spiritual connection with the divine and their spiritual works by being canonized as a saint. to achieve such a status these individuals must have been the tools for some miracles or visions of the virgin mary or of jesus christ.

SALEM WITCH TRIALS - these witch trials were held in salem massachusetts in 1692. these trials began through the accusation of young girls of some of the village midwives. some studies say that the girls were experiencing the manifestations of what is now the charismatic christian church (speaking in tongues). other studies state it was an opportunity for the town to legally steal the property belonging to the accused, who lived in the village. in europe some accused witches were burned at the stake, those individuals accused in salem were not burned at the stake. most of the individuals died in prison, some were hung, one man was pressed to death.

SALT – is not only for seasoning foods or preserving, but it is also used in magic or rituals for protection, purification and cleansing. the preferred salt to use is sea salt.

SAMHAIN – a major sabbat which marks the beginning of the celtic, pagan and wiccan year, and is associated with halloween.

SANSKRIT - an extinct indo-european language of ancient india. it was a spoken language between the 14th and 15th century bc. it is the language of ancient indian literature, hindu religious texts, and has been found used in some of the dead sea scrolls.

SANTERIA - latin american magic, comes from the yoruba people of nigeria. it was know as lucumi in cuba and macumba in brazil. it was brought over in the early days of the new world, through the slave trade. this religion has many gods and goddesses called orishas. this religion was greatly influenced by the catholic church. the term santeria comes from the fact that the orishas were identified with the saints of the catholic church.

SATANISM - a religion which worships satan.

SCIENCE OF MIND - founded by ernest holmes. this belief is taught through the church of religious science. the belief that we attract situations to us by the words we say, how we think, and our subconscious beliefs. it teaches methods to change these patterns. their belief is that god is perfect, god is within each one of us, therefore we are perfect. illness and the negative things of life are errors or human belief not in the truth of this perfection.

SCIENTOLOGY – see dianetics

SCRYING - a term to describe the act of staring into an object, like a pool of water, a candle flame, a crystal ball, a mirror, tea leaves, or coffee grounds, until they see images or symbols which predict, past present or future events.

SEANCE - a group of people gathered who wish to make contact with the spirit world channeled through a medium. usually, a special theatrical environment is created to set the tone and mood for the séance, such as low lighting by candles, props such as a crystal ball, a dark table cloth, soft slow new age music or incense burning.

SEX MAGIC - see tantric yoga.

SHADOW - those parts of our personality we suppress, it can be our anger, sometimes talents, which we mistakenly believe are wrong.

SHAMANISM - a medicine man or sorcerer.

SHEKINAH – SHEKINA – comes from the cabala. she is the female aspect of god. the hebrew term sh’kina means “dwelling place.” she is the soul of the universe. she is the supernal mother in cabala. her outer garment is the holy law or the torah. she is liken onto the idea of the goddess within. she represents enlightenment, wisdom and creativity. in the tarot the high priestess would be the card to represent her.

SHINN, FLORENCE SHOVEL -

SHROUD OF TERRIN - the cloth which wrapped the body of jesus christ, after his crucifixion, while in the tomb. the catholic church has this shroud. the imprint of jesus christ face was left on the shroud. studies are still going on, but it is believed the combination of sweat, blood, body oils, herbs and oils used to prepare the body for burial, caused the imprint.

SIGIL - a symbol, sign, or seal used to represent a word, name, or intention. this then is used as a focus point for one’s mental energy to bring about the intention or purpose it was created for.

SIN - the original meaning was something which is not of the truth, an untruth, a falsehood, an illusion, not real. however, most christian's see the meaning of sin as the equivalent of a spiritual black mark against the person, for breaking one of god's 10 commandments.

SMUDGING – a native american indian tradition of burning a smudge stick like sage, and then fanning the smoke over areas, people or objects to cleanse or purify them.

SORCERY – the use of psychic, magical or supernatural powers for material gain, often times using evil spirits or demons. also known as black magic. a person who practices this is known as a sorcerer or a black magician.

SOLSTICE – A point in the solar year where the sun reaches its highest and lowest points in the sky.

SOUL MATES - the belief that souls may have different energy vibrations or frequencies. soul mates are those souls, which vibrate at the same frequency. this does not mean that a soul mate is destined to be a romantic partner, a life partner or marriage partner. they can come in to help with needed spiritual lessons, to be friends, colleagues or family members. there is more than one soul mate.

SPANISH INQUISITION - see inquisition

SPARE, AUSTIN OSMAN – he was born in england in 1888 and died in 1956. he was an occultist and an artist. he channeled his artistic works while in a state of trance. in 1910 he joined aleister crowley's astrum argentinum order, an offshoot of the hermetic order of the golden dawn. he believed in reincarnation and the belief that it was mankind's purpose to trace it previous lifetimes through trance and sigils. he channeled a spirit medium named black eagle and supposedly the artist william blake. he developed a magical discipline call zos, which is based on the premise that the human body is the perfect vessel to manifest spiritual and occult energies.

SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION -

SPELL BOOK - see book of shadows and spells.

SPELLS - prayers, chants, incantations, rituals, and affirmations to attract a particular intent.

SPIRIT - from latin meaning breath. a western term meaning ether, akasha, or an non physical entity.

SPIRIT FILLED (FILLED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT) - a charismatic christian term, reerring to the fireor heat of the holy spirit (which is similar to kundalini energy in yoga). it can also mean the speaking of tongues, which is the language of spirit.

SPIRIT GUIDES – an angel, ghost or other spiritual being whose purpose is to provide guidance or protection to a living person.

SPIRITUALIST - another name for a medium, or a trance channeler. someone who communicates with the dead. the quality of being spiritual.

SPIRITUALISM – a term used in the late 1800's and early 1900's to refer to the practice of communicating with spirits through the use of a medium (a channel).

ST. GERMAIN – an ascended master who has been channeled through individuals such as elizabeth claire prophet and godfrey ray king. godfrey ray king wrote ascended masters discourse.

STIGMATA - when a person shows physical manifestations of some of the crucifixion wounds of jesus christ.

STONEHENGE – a prehistoric ceremonial ruin located on salisbury plain in the county of wiltshire. stonehenge forms a magic circle and is aligned with certain constellations. there are many legends regarding stonehenge, including ones involving king arthur and merlin. it is often associated with the ancient druids.

STORYTELLER (Hopi) – A good storyteller is called a tuwut smoki (this means story bag), someone who collects and remembers stories from a long and rich oral tradition. Hopi Storytellers often begin their stories by saying “Aliksa’P”. In Hopi “ali” approximately mean “delicious, good, delightful.” When a storyteller says these magical words, the listeners know that the entertainment is about to begin. Today the Hopi make beautiful Kachina Storyteller Dolls and Figures.

STREGGA - an italian term for witch.

SUMMER SOLSTICE – also known as midsummer, and is when the sun is at its highest point in the sky.

SUPERNATURAL – this is an occurrence, which defies explanation and violates the rules of natural law. therefore, any known physical law cannot explain it.

SUPERSTITIONS – beliefs which defy logic and are untrue, such as if you break a mirror you will have bad luck, or walking under a ladder or across the path of a black cat brings bad luck.

SYNCHRONICITY - carl jung used this term to represent meaningful coincidence, events connected by simlairity instead of causality.

TAI CHI – comes from china. it is the use of body movement through exercise to balance the chi (the life force energy) in the body to create well being, good health and spiritual connection to the divine. it is also a form of self-defense.

TALISMAN - an object which has been charged with energy to perform a particular funtion, such as a charm for good luck or protection.

TALMUD – it is a classic jewish rabbinical text on the ancient code of jewish law.

TANTRIC YOGA – it is the discipline and art of transforming or using sensual and sexual energy into spiritual energy. to form a spiritual union or marriage with the divine. this is similar to sex magic, but in sex magic the energy is used not only for spiritual union but also to materialize a specific desire or intent.

TAO - started around 600 bc in china. it is the quest for truth.

TAROT - a deck of 78 cards use for divination. twenty-two major arcana cards, mean major ancient knowledge. there are fifty-six minor arcana cards which mean minor knowledge, which is where our modern deck of playing cards come from.

TASSEOGRAPHY - candle flames, tealeaf reading, coffee ground reading, hot candle was dripped into water, are forms of tasseography. these are methods used to divine the future, by interpreting the symbols or images which are seen in the method used.

TELEKINESIS - the ability to make objects move through the use of one's mind or will.

TESLA, NIKOLA - see nikola tesla

THETA STATE - brain waves which is normal in children under age 12, but in adults may be a sign of stress, mental disorder, or alter state of consciousness.

TOTEMS - an object, animal, plant, or other natural object which is revered as a symbol of a tribe and used in rituals. these totems all have their own spiritual qualities, energy, and magical qualities which are used or called upon during these rituals. totems are used in tribal or shamanic type systems.

TRANCE - an alter state of consciousness. this term is found in refernce to a trance channel, someone who places part or all of their consciousness aside in order to receive information from a departed soul, a spirit guide, god, teachers, masters, the subconscious, or another's consciousness. while in this state, the trance channel maybe unaware of what is going on it their physical surroundings while they are in trance. a hypnotic state.

TRANSISTS – in western astrology this is the sun, moon or one of the planets passing through one of the twelve astrological signs.

TRANSMIGRATION - eastern spiritual belief that we live more than on life time. each life time should be spent perfecting one's self. our souls keep coming back until we have reached the highest level of spiritual growth on the physical plane. we may first start out our first life time as a fish, if we do what we need to do in that life time we would progress to the next level, which might be a bird. we would keep progressing to animal, human, enlightened teacher, and then back to the supreme being. if we did not do what we needed to do in a life, we would either repeat that form or go back one until we learned what we needed.

TRIPLE GODDESS – the goddess in her 3 aspects of maiden, mother and crone. this image of the goddess predates all patriarchal religions and is found in almost every culture in the world.

TRIPLICITY – see elements of astrology.

TWELVE SIGNS OF THE ZODIAC (WESTERN ASTROLOGY) - the twelve signs of the zodiac are as follows along with their attributes:

Aries – modality is cardinal, element is fire. aries are action oriented. can have explosive tempers.

Taurus – modality is fixed, element is earth. taurus can be stubborn, practical, traditional and family oriented.

Gemini – modality is mutable, element is air. gemini's are known to be able to do more than one thing at a time, they are versatile and they are the communicators of the zodiac.

Cancer – modality is cardinal, element is water. cancers are known as the nurturers of the zodiac. they can be cranky or get jealous.

Leo – modality is fixed, element is fire. leo's can be dramatic, energetic and creative.

Virgo – modality is mutable, element is earth. virgo's see the details in things, they can be perfectionists and they are good at research.

Libra – modality is cardinal, element is air. libra's are the social butterflies of the zodiac. they like harmony.

Scorpio – modality is fixed, element is water. scorpio's are secretive, sensitive and can be revengeful.

Sagittarius – modality is mutable, element is fire. sagittarians are intuitive, truth seekers and philosophers.

Capricorn – modality is cardinal, element is earth. capricorn's are practical, analytical, intuitive and are usually good with money.

Aquarius – modality is fixed, element is air. aquarian's are the humanitarians of the zodiac. they are analytical and compassionate.

Pisces – modality is mutable, element is water. pisces are sensitive, empathic, psychic, dreamers and creative.

TWIN FLAMES - one definition is a soul which splits in two and becomes two souls or two parts of the same initial soul. another definition are two souls whose energy vibration is exactly alike. see soul mates.

UFO - abbreviation for unidentified flying objects, which usually refers to flying saucers or an alien craft from another planet or world.

ULTRA STATES OF CONSCIOUSNESS - going beyond the normal state of consciousness. see delta, alpha, beta, and trance.

UNITY - is a new age christian church that focuses on the power of the mind and using one's thoughts and actions in a positive and constructive way.

URANTIA - a channeled writing from other universe beings, and angelic beings explaining about god, the christian bible, jesus, and urantia (another name for earth).

VAMPIRES -

VEGETARIAN - a true vegetarian does not eat any meat, eggs, or dairy products. they eat vegetables, soy products, and grains. modified vegetarians allow dairy, fish and for some chicken and turkey, but no red meats in their diet.

VISION QUEST – a native american ritual used when guidance is needed or for acquiring a spiritual guide or totem.

VOID OF COURSE – this is used in western astrology. this is when the moon moves out of one astrological sign and goes beyond the last major aspect with a planet, until it moves into the next astrological sign. this period is call void of course.

VOODOO - brought over from africa, through the slave trade, into the new world such as haiti, or the french colonies. it is a nature magic religion, which believes in gods and goddesses, similar to santeria but, did not blend in with the catholic religion.

WAITE, A. EDWARD – lived during the same period as crowley. he was a member of the golden dawn. he also authored books on magic and on tarot, including the hermetic museum. he also developed the waite – rider tarot deck and the albano – waite tarot deck. the waite tarot decks and the crowley thoth tarot decks are the most famous tarot decks.

WANING - WANING MOON – a phase of the moon where it appears to decrease in size.

WAXING – WAXING MOON – a phase of the moon where it appears to increase in size.

WEREWOLF -

WESTERN ASTROLOGY - is based on the on the placement of planet, asteroids, and stars at the time of birth, time of the question, or future time. it is based on the twelve signs of the zodiac (aries, taurus, gemini, cancer, leo, virgo, libra, scorpio, sagittarius, capricorn, aquarius, and pisces).

WHEEL OF THE YEAR – the celtic festival calendar, shown as a wheel. pagans and wiccans use this calendar.

WHITE LIGHT – it is a universal, god or divine energy force which can be visualized, or call upon for healing, protection and other spiritual or psychic uses. this along with the color violet are the colors most used to represent the crown chakra.

WHITE MAGIC - the use of mental energy and/or ritual to attract a certain outcome for the good of all, and with the approval of all concerned.

WHOLENESS - a state of being fully integrated, wherein the body, mind and spirit work in harmony with each other. to be fully express ones authentic self. it is believed that if a person achieves this sense of wholeness they will be happier and healthier.

WICCA - means craft of the wise. a pagan belief system. a nature belief system. one of the laws of wicca is do what thou wilt, but harm no one.

WIDDERSHINS – means going counter clockwise (i.e. the direction of the moon, or the left hand path or pagan dances).

WITCH - is someone who practices wicca. means wise one. the feminine term is wicce, while the masculine is wicca.

WORD (THE) - in christianity represents the word of god or the bible. The Word is a vibration.

WORM HOLE –

YETI -

YIN AND YANG - represent the idea of dual energy forms, which exists in most things in nature. yin is the feminine energy or the negative polarity (which is an expanding energy), while yang is the masculine energy or the positive polarity (which is a contracting energy). this comes from the taoist philosophy.

YOGA – the disciplining of the body and mind through physical body positioning exercises, mental exercises for focusing, meditation and nutrition. the effects of this were a stronger spiritual connection or a higher state of consciousness and a sense of well being. this is an eastern philosophy. the yoga meditation is an example, in the golden dawn magical order of path enlightenment (also known as the path of the middle pillar in the tree of life, in cabala).

ZEN – a japanese form of buddhism which is based in learning to control or discipline the mind to shut out the chatter of the physical world, thereby achieving a stronger connection with the divine and creating sense of peace and well-being.

ZODIAC – this term is from the greek and means a circle of animals. this term is used in western astrology and chinese astrology to represent the astrological signs of these forms of astrology.

ZOHAR - the inner light, which is the major text of the kabbalah, based on oral tradition.

ZOROASTRIANISM - based on the persian prophet zoraster beliefs, which became a part of zoroastrian teachings by the jews. he believed women who were submissive to control would be the only women to enter the kingdom of god or heaven.