Know thyself, the age of man

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In every ancient culture, the Egyptians, the Mayans, and the Indians all had something in common! Knowledge and observation of the Cosmos with a deep perception of the movement of the Stars and understanding of something called the Procession of the Equinox which is the different cycles of the Sun. Every 2,160 years the Sun proceeds to a different zodiac sign. When the Sun completes the vernal point in all the 12 zodiac Signs completing the 2,160-year cycle it's called the Great Year divided by 12 which is 25,920 years. 2,000 yrs ago for example the Sun was in the age of Pisces, the age of Materialism, conquer, and Money, and also the Birthing of Christianity. As a result, we are now transitioning to the age of Aguarius the Piscean age is beginning to cease. This is why in Christianity their Symbol is the "Ichthus" the Fish symbolizing Pisces. A new age or era is coming the age of Aquarius, the age of "Knowing Thyself". Know Thyself is an ancient aphorism that was written on the top of the temple of Apollo at Adelphi in Greece inscribed as "Gnothi Seauton". In astrology, Aquarius's Motto is "I know". According to the ancients they believed in the four stages or cycles of the Sun which Plato describes as "The Iron Age, Bronze Age, silver age, and Golden Age". They conclude that the Golden Age is the cycle of peace and prosperity or the age of "Knowing" or enlightenment" the transmutation and regeneration of one's consciousness. These energy shifts will cause a major impact on Humanity's Psyche which we are witnessing. You may be familiar with the motto on the back of the dollar bill "Novus ordo Seclorum" (new order of the ages or the great cycle of periods is born). A motto deriving from the Roman poet Virgil:

> Now is come the last age of the Cumaean prophecy: *the great cycle of periods is born anew.* Now returns the Maid, returns the reign of Saturn: now from high heaven a new generation comes down. Yet do thou at that boy's birth, in whom the iron race shall begin to cease, and the golden to arise over all the world, holy Lucina, be gracious; now thine own Apollo reigns.

Saturn is the ruler of the Golden age the ancient sages of the past always proclaim, "The return of Saturn" who interestingly is the ruler of Aquarius, this important planet in Esoteric astrology brings order and discipline and it is no coincidence that the Motto on the dollar bill reads, "New order of the ages". The Freemason's, Rosicrucian's, and the Templars I believe were familiar with this ancient knowledge of the cycle of ages. It is most likely that the templars associated Aquarius with the "*Paraclete*" a term used in the Johannite text meaning *"holy spirit"* translated to *"Helper"*. This Helper is "John" since the templars were Johannites or the followers of John. In astrology John is associated with Aquarius who holds a pitcher of water or Urn. Quoting Richard Allen's Book about Aquarius "Star names and their meanings" he says:

"New Testament Christians of the Sixteenth and Seventeenth Centuries likened it appropriately enough to John the Baptist" -Richard Allen (Star names and their meanings)

January (Johnuary) and February are the beginning and end of Aquarius. In Latin Februa means "Purification" water is the element of spiritual Purification. The pitcher or urn (Sat-urn) of Aquarius is what some believe is the Holy Grail the cup who holds the Blood of Christ (Consciousness). According to the Roman Provincial Macrobius in his work "Saturnalia," there is a constellation called" Crater" in the zodiac sign Cancer which is called the "Cup of Bacchus" the wine God. Bacchus is also known as Dionysus Eluetherios ("The Liberator") was not Jesus known as the "Redeemer or Liberator"?

The mysteries of the holy grail were never a physical cup but a spiritual cup that is visible only to a certain state of spiritual consciousness. Searching for the holy grail is the search for truth. The color of this cup was emerald or green, a color related to the planet Venus. There is a similar ancient object of the same sort called the Emerald tablets of Thoth which was also a greenish emerald color. This color is analogous to the green of mother nature (Gaia) similar to the divine feminine the Gnostic's and the Templars call Sophia (Wisdom). Albert Mackey relates the legend of the lost word in the craft of Freemasonry to be the same variations connected to the Grail. The Pitcher that Aquarius house is the Holy grail that will pour on the spirit of Mankind and awaken the inner power from within,



In the age of Aquarius, we will a notice a shift of people heading towards spirituality looking for that deeper connection to God from within, *that temple not made with hands*. Woman will be fighting for their equal rights. in the words of the occult author Thomas H Burgone (Light of Egypt):

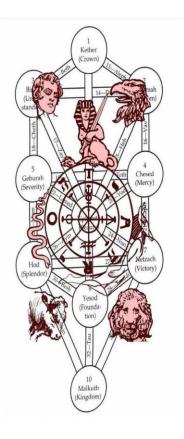
"Man's Whole nature is being tuned to a higher Key. We must not forget that these cycles apply to the race in their effect, and to the individual only as an integral part of the, masculine influence, and will consequently manifest its chief activities upon the masculine qualities of the human soul; and to-day we have evidence of this in the gradual enfranchisement of woman, arousing the positive attributes of her nature in demanding equal rights with her brother, man, in the political arena, as she has already done in the educational field"



In Sefer Yetzirah Read **Sefer Yetzirah by Aryeh Kaplan** it was Rabbi Yochanan, or "John the Baptist" who was the one that initiated Jesus (Rabbi Yehoshua into the mysteries of the Merkava. Apparently, the name John is the same word as the Sanskrit Jnana meaning "Knowledge" similar to "Gnosis". The templars who were the followers of John withheld a spiritual Gnostic system. Interestingly enough, whoever created the Tarot cards may have been familiar with the cycles. Saturn is not only the ruler of Aquarius. Uranus is as well; this planet is the higher octave of Mercury (Hermes) for ex: The Fool's Card which is the first card of the Major arcana is associated with Uranus and the World card the last of the Major Arcana is Saturn. Who ever created this ancient card system input this esoteric knowledge within the hidden veils of the Tarot.

In this new cycle the four fixed signs of the zodiac will align with each other Aquarius, Leo, Taurus, and the eagle relating to Scorpio., If you are a Royal arch Mason these signs should look familiar. In the bible they are mentioned as the *Cherubim's*. In traditional Tarot the wheel of fortune and the world card have these exact cherubs on the corners. Read the book of Ezekiel, he describes the four signs.

"Each of the cherubim had four faces, the first was the face of an ox the second was a human face, the third was the face of a Lion and fourth the face of Eagle (Scorpio)" -Ezekiel 10:14



It will be interesting to note that to the Cabalist the Gematria number for the name of God "YHVH" has a value of *"26." You May* ask why is this significant? Well, if you add the zodiacal signs in their exact order as Aries being the first sign and taurus the second etc. We will notice an interesting anomaly when adding the Cherubs in order *"*Taurus being the second sign, Leo the fifth, Scorpio or the eagle the 8th and Aquarius the 11th they add up to the value *"26'* the number of YHVH or yahwey. Also, if you are familiar with the Qabalistic tree looking at the image on the left adding up the middle pillar *"*Kether 1, Tiphareth 2. Yesod 9 Malkuth 10 = 26.

It is my belief that astrology was incorporated by the Freemason's taught by the ancients using the alignments of the stars to frame the blueprint of our nation. They are many layers to astrology some discredit it because of the modern usage by the profane who don't know the esoteric aspect of astrology. Here is something to look into, when looking at the Horoscope of the declaration of Independence in 1776 being signed at 2 in the afternoon the Sun will be in the sign "Cancer" and the ascendant will be the "Eagle or Scorpio" and the descendant "Taurus", Midheaven "Leo" and the Nadir "Aquarius" this in my opinion shows that the Freemason obtain a knowledge of astrology utilizing the time, date and day to replicated the four cherub mentioned in the Bible. Using Gematria the ascendant is 13 degrees in Scorpio or the eagle the Midheaven 21 degrees in Leo. 13 x 21 is 273 which is the number of Gematria for *"Hiram Abiff*" The masonic protagonist. Can this be a coincidence? Or something in the

higher octave in the works? 273 is also equivalent to the Hebrew word "*Ebben Masu ha Bonum*" which in translation means "*The stone the builders rejected*" if you are a Master Mason, you'll notice a hidden word in this passage. It may also interest you that in the Greek Language "*Ha soteria Israel*" translation "*The Salvation of Israel*" haves a value of "1776" the year of the Declaration of Independence. It may be a coincidence who knows I let you be the judge of that.

In closing astrologers believe we are already in the age of Aquarius or John the Hindu's believe we still in the dark ages the age of Pisces and materialism of Kali yuga. I strongly believe we are in the tip of the "*new age of man (Mankind)*." People's consciousness is altering humanity is searching for a deeper spiritual meaning to make sense in their life, we must prepare and live life according to the principles of right living. Taking care of our body which is our temple or Solomons Temple "The Soul of Mans Temple" to prepare for this new Cycle.

In Luke 22:10 there's a hint about the age of Aquarius

"Behold when you go into the city a man carrying an earthen Jug or pitcher of water follow him into the house which he enters."

"For Aquarius is man's own spirit. The celestial Son of Man who comes in the clouds of heaven with great glory. With a blast of the trumpet, he sends out his angels, his messengers. Lifting his great pitcher, he pours out the glittering fishes. The caught fishes who are the returning initiates, the already-enlightened ones, destined to lead their fellows to the Light." – Peter Lemesurier (The Mystery of the Cycle of the ages)