

QUICKENING OF THE INNER CHRIST

A rare and beautiful event occurs in October. A five-pointed star will appear in the world chart on 2 October and 29 October. And, just prior to the appearance of the star on the 29th, there will be a total eclipse of the Moon. There has not been a lunar eclipse so close to the appearance of a five-pointed star in the last 2500 years. The last pentagram was in 1941 and the next one will be in 2024.

The five-pointed star on 29 October is made up of the Moon, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Pluto. A star with this combination of planets has occurred only four times in the last 2000 years.

Each of these planets is linked to two others by a 72 degree aspect called a quintile. The quintile aspect is regarded as a minor aspect. Its potential, however, is to release creative genius.

There are many important implications for this event. But, first it is important to contemplate the significance of the number 5.

The number 4 is the number related to matter and its relative lifelessness. Five emerges from the 4 and represents the life aspect. It is the consciousness which enlightens or qualifies the form.

In esoteric symbolism, we associate 5 with:

1. The 5th Ray of Science. A 5th Ray name is The Revealer of Truth.
2. The 5th plane with is the mental plane.
3. The 5th kingdom in nature: kingdom of souls.
4. The planet Venus as the conduit of the 5th Ray.
5. The 5th degree initiate. He is one who is a free soul and Master of the Wisdom.

Although, the human kingdom is the 4th, it is our potential to be members of the 5th kingdom of souls. So, the 5th Ray is very important in our destiny as is Venus (our elder Brother) and the impact of a five-pointed star.

All things must be seen in context in order to be correctly understood. This event must be seen in the context of our current global crisis. Humanity is preparing to take the first initiation. As a whole, it is preparing to see itself as the soul. In other words, it is preparing to see itself as a member of the 5th kingdom in nature.

This crisis has been going on for some time. Certainly, the 20th century with its two-part world war was a critical part of the crisis. A war between good and evil has been and is being waged. In 1941, at the point when the last pentagram appeared, the Spiritual Hierarchy of the planet feared that the war had been lost. (By the autumn of 1942, the tide had turned). At the time of the next one in 2024, the Tibetan Master D.K. has predicted that the war will be won and that members of the Hierarchy will be taking physical form in order to lead Humanity into an age of Brotherhood.

In the 1960's, we had a rare conjunction of Uranus and Pluto in the sign of Virgo. (A conjunction is the beginning of a cycle). This conjunction heralded the beginning of a

cycle of planetary healing. Because Saturn was also opposing this conjunction, we were challenged to heal what was imbedded as “reality”.

This process, begun in the 1960’s, takes a long time to accomplish. We are now getting another chance to progress. Part of the pentagram is Uranus in a quintile to Pluto and opposed by Saturn. This is a very similar pattern to the one in the 1960’s, but, with the quintile in this one, there is greater creative awareness.

More recently, the War on Terrorism began post 9/11. The 9/11 event occurred in New York which is the planetary throat centre. Humanity is also the planetary throat centre. So, it was usHumanity being galvanized by the bombing of the Twin Towers. We were and are being challenged to speak with a new, united and creative voice.

In the chart of the pentagram set for 28 October in New York, the Moon is on the ascendant. The Moon represents the People. Therefore, the chart seems to be saying that the People express themselves through New York.

Finally, there is the eclipse of the Moon just hours before this pattern. Symbolically, an eclipse of the Moon represents a crisis emerging in the form of things. So, just before this pattern appears with its promise of hope within the War Without End, there is a temporary blotting out of the form. The deck will be swept clean for the appearance of a message of healing.

On a global level, we can envision this event having a positive effect on the American people and their leaders. We can imagine that the new president will carry a vision of a constructive plan for a world where everyone has opportunities, freedom and resources.

On an individual level, we can use to event to symbolically step into the pentagram. We can affirm that we serve our soul and the soul of others. We can stand in the energy of the Christ and declare: I come to bring Light into the world.