

THE STATION OF JESUS

Know thou that when the Son of Man yielded up His breath to God, the whole creation wept with a great weeping. By sacrificing Himself, however, a fresh capacity was infused into all created things. Its evidences, as witnessed by all the peoples of the earth, are now manifest before thee...We testify that when He came into the world, He shed the splendour of His Glory upon all created things...We bear witness that through the power of the Word of God every leper was cleansed, every sickness was healed, every human infirmity was banished. He it is Who purified the world. Blessed is the man who, with a face beaming with light, hath turned towards Him

We testify that when He came into the world, He shed the splendor of His glory upon all created things. Through Him the leper recovered from the leprosy of perversity and ignorance. Through Him, the unchaste and wayward were healed. Through His power, born of Almighty God, the eyes of the blind were opened, and the soul of the sinner sanctified.

The position of Christ was that of absolute perfection; He made His divine perfections shine like the sun upon all believing souls, and the bounties of the light shone and radiated in the reality of men

If you reflect upon the essential teachings of Jesus you will realize that they are the light of the world. Nobody can question their truth. They are the very source of life and the cause of happiness to the human race.

As to the position of Christianity, let it be stated without any hesitation or equivocation that its Divine origin is unconditionally acknowledged, that the Sonship and Divinity of Jesus Christ are fearlessly asserted, that the Divine inspiration of the Gospel is fully recognized, that the reality of the mystery of the Immaculacy of the Virgin Mary is confessed, and the primacy of Peter, the Prince of the Apostles, is upheld and defended. The Founder of the Christian Faith is designated by Baha'u'llah as the 'Spirit of God'

THE REALITY OF JESUS

Matthew 7:7...Seek and ye shall find.

Proverbs 8:22-9:5 The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of old...when he established the heavens, I was there...I was beside him like a master workman...I was daily his delight...he who finds me finds life...come, eat of my bread and drink of the wine...

Proverbs 3:19 The Lord by wisdom founded the earth.

John 1:1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God...He was in the beginning with God; all things were made through Him...In Him was life...

1Corinthians1:24 Christ Who is the wisdom of God.

Proverbs 3:15 She [is] more precious than rubies: and all the things thou canst desire are not to be compared unto her.

Proverbs 1:20 Wisdom crieth without; she uttereth her voice in the streets:

Proverbs 9:1 Wisdom hath built her house, she hath hewn out her seven pillars:

Proverbs 3:18 She [is] a tree of life to them that lay hold upon her: and happy [is every one] that retaineth her.

John 10:17...I lay down my life, that I may take "it" again. No one takes "it" from me, but I lay "it" down of my own accord. I have power to lay "it" down, and I have power to take "it" again; this charge I have received from my Father.

John 10:17...I lay down the life of me, that again I may receive her; no one takes her from me, but I lay down her of myself; authority I have to lay down her, and authority I have again to receive her; this the command I received from the Father... (it = "auteen" Greek "Her" Maid of Heaven)

John 17:8 I have given them the message that You gave Me.

John 6:63...the words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life.

12:48 If anyone hears my message and does not obey it...I will not judge him...the words I have spoken will be his judge on the last day.

John 14:6 I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me

John 9:5 As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world.

2Corinthians 4:4...the light of the glorious gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine unto them.

John 14:10...The words that I have spoken to you...do not come from Me, the Father who remains in me does His own work.

John 14:24...And the word which you hear is not mine but the Father's who sent me.

John 14:9...Whoever has seen Me has seen the Father.

John 14:11...I am in the Father and the Father is in Me.

John 10:30 The Father and I are one. (Who is the Father)

THE RETURN

- John 14:28 I am leaving but I will come back to you...
- Revelation 22:12 Listen says Jesus I am coming soon.
- Revelation 1:8 I am Alpha and Omega...saith the Lord, which is, and which was, and which is to come.
- John 16:12 I have yet many things to tell you, but you cannot bear them now. But when He may come the spirit of truth, He will lead you unto all truth, for He will not speak of Himself, He will speak whatever He may hear, and declare to you the coming things.

"Ekeenos" - has in two instances within this passage alone, been erroneously translated as a simple "He". Ekeenos = Singular Demonstrative Masculine Pronoun

- John 16:12 I have as yet many things to tell you, but you cannot bear them now. But when THAT MAN may come, The Spirit of Truth, He will lead you unto all truth...

John 16:25 These things have I spoken unto you in proverbs: but the time cometh, when I shall no more speak unto you in proverbs, but I shall shew you plainly of the Father.

- John 16:13 ...for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, [that] shall he speak: and he will shew you things to come...for he shall receive of mine, and shall shew [it] unto you...All things that the Father hath are mine: therefore said I, that he shall take of mine, and shall shew[it] unto you.
- Matthew 26:64 Jesus saith unto him, Thou hast said: nevertheless I say unto you, Hereafter shall ye see the Son of man sitting on the right hand of power, and coming in the clouds of heaven.
- Revelation 1:7 Behold, he cometh with clouds
- Luke 17:20 The Kingdom of God does not come in such a way as to be seen...the Kingdom of God is within you.
- 2Peter 3:10 The Day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night.
- Revelation 3:3 I will come upon you like a thief.

THE NEW NAME

Rev 2:17 I will also give each of them a white stone on which is written a New Name that no one knows except the one who receives it.

- Isaiah 62:2 Jerusalem, the nations will see you victorious. All their Kings will see your glory, you will be called by a new name, a Name given to you by the Lord

Himself.

- Isaiah 65:15...I will give a new name to those who obey Me.

- Isaiah 56:5 Even unto them will I give in mine house and within my walls a place and a name better than of sons and of daughters: I will give them an everlasting name, that shall not be cut off. (Daniel "The Messiah shall be cut off")

Zechariah 14:8 When that Day comes, fresh water will flow from Jerusalem...then the Lord will be King over all the earth; every one will know Him by the same Name

And in the New Testament...

- Revelation 3:12 I will make him who is victorious a pillar in the Temple of My God...I will write on him the Name of My God and the Name of the City of My God. I will also write on him My New Name.

- Revelation 19:11 Then I saw heaven open, and there was a white horse, its rider is called faithful and true, it is with justice that He judges and fights His battles. His eyes were like a flame of fire...He had a Name written on Him, but no one except Himself knows what it is.

- Revelation 2:17 To those who win the victory I will give some of the hidden manna, I will also give each of them a white stone on which is written a New Name that no one knows except the one who receives it.

- Revelation 22:3-4...and his servants shall serve him...And they shall see his face; and his name [shall be] in their foreheads.

[God grant that the light of unity may envelop the whole earth, and that the seal, "the Kingdom is God's", may be stamped upon the brow of all its peoples.]

[These are they who are blessed by the Concourse on high, who are glorified by the denizens of the everlasting Cities, and beyond them by those on whose foreheads Thy most exalted pen hath written: "These! The people of Baha. Through them have been shed the splendours of the light of guidance."]

- Daniel 10:21 But I will shew thee that which is noted in the scripture of truth: and [there is] none that holdeth with me in these things, but Michael your prince.

- Isaiah 7:14 Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.

Ancient Hebrew. Michael (one who is like God) and Immanuel (God is with us)

Titles of Jesus

Yeshua ben Joseph, Jesus, The Christ (Kyrios...Lord), Lord, Immanuel, Michael, Messiah, The word of God, The Spirit of God, The Image of God, The Son of God,

The Messenger of God, The Light, The Son of Man, The Prince of Peace, The Lamb of God, The Alpha and the Omega, The First and the Last...

The Glory of God" or "The Glory of the Lord".

- Isaiah 40:5 And the Glory of the Lord shall be revealed.
- Isaiah 58:8 The Glory of the Lord shall be thy reward.
- Isaiah 35:2 And the excellency of Carmel and Sharon; they shall see the Glory of the Lord.
- Ezekiel 43:2 And the Glory of the God of Israel came from the east, and his voice was like the sound of many waters.
- Ezekiel 43:4 And the Glory of the Lord came into the House.
- Ezekiel 43:4 This was the appearance of the likeness of the Glory of the Lord.
- Isaiah 60:1 Thy light is come, and the Glory of the Lord is risen upon thee.

And within the New Testament...

- Revelation 21:2-23 The Holy City Jerusalem...shining with the Glory of God...for the Glory of God did lighten it.
- Matthew 16:27 For the Son of man shall come in the glory of his Father.
- Revelation 19:12 He had a Name written on Him, but no one except Himself knows what it is. The robe He wore was covered in blood. His Name is The Word of God.
- Revelation 19:11 And I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse; and he that sat upon him [was] called Faithful and True
- Revelation 19:16 And he hath on [his] vesture and on his thigh a name written, KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS.

1. Lord of Lords

2. Faithful and True

3. King of Kings

4. The Word of God

5. The Glory of God

THE HIDDEN NUMBER OF THE NEW NAME

"A librarian wearing dark glasses asked him: 'What are you looking for?' Hladik answered: 'I am looking for God.' The librarian said to him: 'God is in one of the

letters on one of the pages of one of the four hundred thousand volumes of the Clementine. My fathers and the fathers of my fathers have searched for this letter; I have grown blind seeking it.'" (from 'The Secret Miracle' by Jorge Luis Borges)

· Isaiah 56:5 Even unto them will I give in Mine House and within My walls a place and a Name...I shall give them an everlasting name that shall not be cut off...

· 1Kings 8:17 And it was in the heart of David my father to build an house for the name of the Lord God of Israel.

· 2Chronicles 7:16 For now have I chosen and sanctified this house, that my name may be there for ever: and mine eyes and mine heart shall be there perpetually.

· Revelation 11:1 Rise and measure the Temple of God, and the alter, and them that worship within.

· Revelation 22:3-4...and his servants shall serve him...And they shall see his face; and his name [shall be] in their foreheads

· Revelation 7:3 Saying, Hurt not the earth, neither the sea, nor the trees, till we have sealed the servants of our God in their foreheads.

· Daniel 7:9-10 I beheld till the [other] thrones were cast down, and the Ancient of Days did sit...and ten thousand times ten thousand stood before him...!

· Revelation 14:1...with Him were 144,000 people who have His name and His Father's name written on their foreheads...

· Revelation 7:4 I heard the number of them that were sealed and there were sealed 144,000...

· Revelation 14:3 The 144,000 people stood before the throne...they are the only ones who have been redeemed.

MEASURE NOT COUNT!!!

· Revelation 11:1 Rise and measure the Temple of God, and the altar, and them that worship within.

· Revelation 13:17 And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name.

· Revelation 21:17 "And he measured the wall thereof, 144 cbts, according to the measure of a man that is of the angel."

"I have the measure of the man" "My number is up"

Revelation 11:1 Rise and measure the Temple of God...

Note: All measurements are in Cubits.

Solomon's Temple in Kings: 60x20x30 [1 Kings 6.2] 36,000

Solomon's Temple in Chronicles: 60x20x120 [2Ch 3.3-4] 144,000

Zerubabel's Temple: 60x60 [No height given] [Ezra 6.3] 3,600

Temple of Ezekiel's vision: 3000x3000 [Ezekiel 42.15-20] 9,000,000

Temple wall 6x6 36

East gate threshold 6x6 [Ezekiel 40.6] 36

Such are the numbers concerned with the measurement of the Temple.

Noah's Ark measured 300x50x30 [Gen 6.15] 450,000

The Ark of the covenant box: 2.5x1.5x1.5 cubits [Exodus 25.10] 5.625

In the New Testament book of Revelation we find measurements for the Holy City New Jerusalem. Again a symbol of redemption and sanctuary to God's chosen.

The Holy City Jerusalem 12,000 x 12,000 reeds.

[Note: 1 Reed = 6 Cubits]

1728x10E9 (1728 followed by nine zeros)

[In biblical times names and numbers lived in a perfect and mystical harmony. The Hebrew language used symbols as a means of conveying both a sound and a number associated with that sound. In this way Aleph, the first letter of the Hebrew alphabet, may also represent the number one. Beth is equal to two, and so on.]

[If you know a man's name and therefore the letters comprising his name, then by adding the numerical value of each letter you may determine the number associated with that name - you would then have the "measure" of the man.]

THE "ABJAD" SYSTEM

[The writings of Bahá'u'lláh and 'Abdu'l-Bahá are almost entirely devoid of things occult. The one possible exception to this is a prevalent use of the abjad system of numerology. The practice of assigning numbers to letters in order to derive additional meaning from words is found in all Semitic languages...]

Hebrew Letters

1-ALEPH, 2-BETH, 3-GIMEL, 4-DALED, 5-HE, 6-VAU, 7-ZAYIN, 8-CHETH, 9-TETH, 10-YOD, 20-KAPH, 30-LAMED, 40-MEM, 50-NUN, 60-SAMECH, 70-AYIN, 80-PE, 90-TZADDE, 100-QOPH, 200-RESH, 300-SHIN, 400-TAV, 500-FINAL K,

600-FINAL M; 700-FINAL N, 800-FINAL P, 900-TZ, 1000-ALEPH

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

A B C D E U O F

I K G M H V Z P

J R L T N W

Q S X

Y

BAHA = $2+1+5+1 = 9$

BAHAULLAH [The Glory of God] = $2+1+5+1+6+3+3+1+5 = 27 = 9$

Bahauallah is the 9th Messenger of God

The Best-Beloved is come. In His right hand is the sealed Wine of His name. Happy is the man that turneth unto Him, and drinketh his fill, and exclaimeth: "Praise be to Thee, O Revealer of the signs of God!" By the righteousness of the Almighty! Every hidden thing hath been manifested through the power of truth

THE NUMBER 9

Ancient Temples

All Bible Temples

The Tabernacle

The tabernacle curtains

measured 1260 sq. cubits for the Holy Place,

and 1260 again for the Most Holy Place!

The Cheops Giza Pyramid [The Great Pyramis]

The Kings chamber [Holy of Holies]

Base Side = 439.570269 (230.4 meters)

Altitude = 279.4712448 (146.484375 meters)

Volume = 18,000,000 (2,592,000 cub. meters)

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Angkor Wat All measurements based on 54

the measurements of the temple equals 1,728 hat (the term of length measured on the ground), and also another measurement equals 1,296 hat, and another is 864 hat, and finally another equals 432 hat

The 72 names of God in the Hebrew bible and the 99 Names of God in the Koran Investigate

By totaling the life spans of the ten patriarchs from Adam to Noah (which marks the time of the Great Flood), the length of time equals 1,656 years

Nine (known or observed) planets

The speed of light in a vacuum is 144,000 naughtical miles per second. A Naughtical mile is one minute of latitude.

Working out positions of the stars that take thousands of years to come into view again in the same places 25,920 years.

The archaic Egyptian instruments that have been unearthed, so far, are largely tuned to 432 hz. In ancient Greece (the school book original place for music) their instruments were predominantly tuned at 432 hz.

Bachs Piano used this tuning.

1 and 3 and 5 are the degrees in a scale used to make a chord

Nine month gestation period in human birth process (from Linda Goodman's Starsigns, 1987). Note: might this be the process during which the human consciousness becomes fused with, or attuned to, the resonant frequency of "9"?

Human mean normal respiration rate is 18 times per minute (ibid.)

Human mean normal heartbeat is 72 times a minute (ibid.)

Average number of heartbeats per hour is 4,320 (ibid.)

Average number of respirations per hour is 1,080 (ibid.)

Average number of respirations per 24 hour period is 25,920 (ibid.)

25,920 is also the length of a sidereal year (ibid.)

There are 360 degrees in a circle (ibid.)

In the Catholic practice of Novenas, prayer services last 9 nights (ibid.)

Traditionally, the Romans were known to bury their dead on the 9th day of the death (ibid.)

Some cultures measure time in terms of very long cycles. In the Hindu tradition the present cycle of time consists of 432,000 years. This is called the "Kali Yuga". The great cycle in which the Kali Yuga falls consists of 4,320,000 years (Campbell, *The Inner Reaches Of Outer Space*, 1986)

A Greek version of the history of Babalonia says that between the time of the building of the first city, Kish, and the time of the Great Flood (as recounted in the Bible) there elapsed a total of 432,000 years (ibid.)

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The Catholic rosary consists of beads strung in a pattern of 5 groups of 10 beads, with a single bead in the space between the five groups, for a total of 54 beads.

According to Michael Lawrence Morton (archaeo-cryptographer) the known arc distance on Earth from Pole to equator is exactly 5400 nautical miles.

Also from M. L. Morton, the polar circumference of Earth is 21,600 nautical miles. He notes also that according to Munck's earth grid formula, 21,600 is the precise Grid Latitude of Stonehenge.

And again from M.L.M., 7920 is the number of statute miles of the mean diameter of Earth.

In order to become a Zen Master, one must solve 54 koans, or puzzles which require deep insight and enlightenment (Ibid.).

Many Buddhists and Hindus wear sets of 108 beads (Ibid.).

Lyons also reports that, according to the World Book Encyclopedia, the average speed of the Earth in its orbit around the sun is 666 miles per hour (Ibid.)

PROGRESSIVE REVELATION

Is 59:12 My Words which I have put in thy mouth shall not depart out of Thy mouth, nor out of the mouth of Thy seed, nor out of the mouth of Thy seeds seed, saith the Lord from henceforth and for-ever.

Micah 5:2 But thou Bethlehem...out of thee shall He come forth...Who's goings forth have been from old, from everlasting

Jn 1:16 God gave the law through Moses, but grace and truth came through Jesus

Rev 4:1 Grace and peace be yours from God, Who is, Who was and Who is to come

The Law came through Moses [Who was]

Grace and truth came through Jesus [Who is]

But when He may come the spirit of Truth He will lead you to all truth [Who is to come]

· Revelation 10:7...In the days of the trumpet call to be sounded by the seventh angel, the mystery of God, as He announced to His servants the prophets, should be fulfilled.

· Isaiah 4:1 And seven women shall take hold of one man in that day, saying, "We will eat our own bread and wear our own clothes, only let us be called by your name; take away our reproach."

· Revelation 1:20 The mystery of the seven stars which thou sawest in my right hand, and the seven golden candlesticks. The seven stars are the angels of the seven churches: and the seven candlesticks which thou sawest are the seven churches.

7 Days of creation. [Genesis 1:1-2:4] An explanation of this theme will follow in a subsequent section.

7 Colours of the rainbow. [Genesis 9.13 and Revelation 4.3]

7 Branched Lamp Stand or Menorah. [Exodus 25.31 and Revelation 1.12 & 20]

7 Lamps facing east. [Numbers 8.1]

7 Pillars of the House of Wisdom. [Proverbs 9.1]

7 Women [Isaiah 41.1]

7 Shepherds. [Mic 5.5]

And in the New Testament:

7 Woes described by Jesus. [Matthew 23]

7 Churches of Revelation [Revelation 1.4]

7 Angels of the Seven Churches [Revelation 1.20]

7 Spirits before the Throne [Revelation 1.4]

7 Stars in His right hand [Revelation 1.6]

7 Torches, "Which are the Seven Spirits of God" [Revelation 4.5]

7 Seals on the scroll [Revelation 5.1] [Mohammed the "Seal" of the Prophets]

7 Horns on the Lamb [Revelation 5.6]

7 Eyes of the Lamb [Revelation 5.6]

7 Trumpets [Revelation 8.1]

7 Plagues [Revelation 15.1]

7 Bowls of God's anger [Revelation 16.1]

7 Thunders [Revelation 10.3] 7 Heads [Revelation 17.9]

7 Hills or Mountains [Revelation 17.9]

7 Kings [Revelation 17.9]

Revelation 17:9 This calls for a mind with wisdom: the seven heads are seven mountains on which the Woman is seated; they are also seven Kings, five of Whom have fallen, One is, the Other is yet to come

· Revelation 4:5 And out of the throne proceeded lightnings and thunderings and voices: and [there were] seven lamps of fire burning before the throne, which are the seven Spirits of God.

· Revelation 8:6 And the seven angels which had the seven trumpets prepared themselves to sound.

· Revelation 8:2 And I saw the seven angels which stood before God; and to them were given seven trumpets.

· Revelation 10:7...In the days of the trumpet call to be sounded by the seventh angel, the mystery of God, as He announced to His servants the prophets, should be fulfilled.

Q 78 Have we not built above you Seven solid Heavens and placed therein a burning lamp.

Q33 we have already given you the seven verses of repetition

Q 85:1 By the star bespangled heaven. By the promised Day.

· Revelation 11:15 And the seventh angel sounded; and there were great voices in heaven, saying, The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of his Christ; and he shall reign for ever and ever.

· Revelation 15:1 And I saw another sign in heaven, great and marvellous, seven angels having the seven last plagues; for in them is filled up the wrath of God.

JESUS ONE OF SEVEN ANGELS [Read Revelations backwards]

· Revelation 21:9 One of the seven angels who held the seven bowls full of the seven last plagues came and spoke to me. "Come", he said, "and I will show you the bride, the wife of the lamb."

Now this angel guides John through the remainder of his visions, but it is not until chapter twenty two, verse twelve, that this angel, who is introduced as being one of seven, reveals his identity!

· Revelation 22:12 I am coming soon, and bringing with me my recompense...I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.

· Revelation 22:16 I, Jesus, have sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the offspring of David, the shoot growing from his oak, the bright star of dawn."

· Revelation 1:4 John, to the seven churches in the province of Asia. Grace be to you and peace, from him who is, who was, and who is to come...

***** BEGIN OF PROPHETIC CYCLE *****

1 Adam [Scripture Unknown lost in time some think Sabeanism]

2 Krishna [Bagavad Gita]

3 Buddha [Tripitakas]

4 Zoroaster [Zenda Avesta]

5 Moses [Pentateuch]

6 Jesus [The Gospel]

7 Muhammad [The Quoran] [The last Prophet, The seal of the Prophets]

***** END OF PROPHETIC CYCLE *****

***** The New Creation The New world 7 Days to build *****

***** The Day of God The New Era The Cycle of Fulfilment *****

8 The Bab [The Bayan]

9 Baha'u'llah [Kitab-i-Aqdas]

Q 50 When the two Angels charged with taking account shall take it, one sitting on the right hand the other on the left

To last 500,000 years

Concerning your question relative to the duration of the Baha'i Dispensation. There is no contradiction between Baha'u'llah's statement in the *Iqan* about the renewal of the City of God once every thousand years, and that of the Guardian in the Dispensation to the effect that the Baha'i cycle will extend over a period of at least 500,000 years. The apparent contradiction is due to the confusion of the terms cycle and dispensation. For while the Dispensation of Baha'u'llah will last for at least one thousand years, His Cycle will extend still farther, to at least 500,000 years.

Shoghi Effendi, *Directives of the Guardian*, p. 7

THE TIME AND THE PLACE

- Numbers 13:34 Even forty days, each day for a year.
- Ezekiel 4:6 I have appointed thee each day for a year.

So 1260 years may be written as 1260 days or, as a Biblical year consisted of 360 days, it may even be referred to as three and a half years, for $3.5 \times 360 = 1260$. It may also be referred to as 42 months (a Biblical month consists of 30 days, and, $30 \times 42 = 1260$).

- Daniel 12:7 It will be three and a half years. When the persecution of God's people ends, all these things will have happened.
- Revelation 11:2 But do not measure the outer courts, because they have been given to the heathen, who will trample on the Holy City for forty-two months.
- Revelation 11:3 And I will grant My two witnesses power to prophesy for one thousand two hundred and sixty days.
- Revelation 11:11 And after three and a half days a life giving breath came from God and entered them.
- Matthew 24:3-15 When will all this happen, and what will be the sign of Your coming? You will see "The Awful Horror" (some translations have "The Abomination of Desolation") of which the prophet Daniel spoke. It will be standing in the holy place. [Note to the reader: understand what this means!]

[variously translated as the "Awful Horror", the "Abomination of Desolation" or the "Transgression of desolation".]

- Daniel 8:13-14 How shall be the vision concerning the daily sacrifice and the transgression of desolation, to give both the sanctuary and the host to be trampled underfoot? And he said unto me, Unto two thousand three hundred days then shall the sanctuary be cleansed.

Now I want you to imagine you are a pilot at the controls of a time machine. You

have with you a copy of the Bible, from which you have thus far discovered the year 1844 to be one of some significance. Referring to the verse in Daniel mentioned by Jesus, you discover this mention of 2300 years. You set the controls of your machine to go backwards in time 2300 years from 1844 and you arrive at the year 457 BC

457 BC <-----2300 yrs-----> 1844 AD

· Daniel 9:24 Seventy weeks are determined upon thy people and upon thy Holy City, to finish the transgression...and to bring in everlasting righteousness...

You note the mention of 70 weeks. A little further on you find this:

· Daniel 9:25-27 Know therefore and understand, that from the going forth of the commandment to restore and to build Jerusalem unto the Messiah the Prince shall be seven weeks and threescore and two weeks (69 weeks)...and He shall confirm the covenant with many for one week.

[The 69 weeks and the 1 week mentioned in the above verse, again total 70 weeks. You also notice the mention of an order being given to rebuild Jerusalem. From your vantage point in 457 BC you notice that Ezra (an important Old Testament prophet) is receiving just such an order from Artaxerxes, the then Emperor of Persia. (See Ezra 7:11- 26)

You hurriedly calculate that 70 weeks equal 490 days. Again, according to Biblical prophecy this would suggest a time span of 490 years. With great excitement you set your controls forward 490 years from 457 BC. With a bump you arrive at the year 34 AD.]

457 BC <----490 years---->34 AD<-----> 1844 AD

[This time you see something of great consequence happening. For it was in this very year that Jesus, at the age of 33, was crucified!

If you study the simple diagram above, you will see that the picture is complete.

Jesus directed us towards an important prophecy in the book of Daniel which, Once resolved, would reveal, with amazing accuracy, two extremely important years in the history of our world. The year of His crucifixion in 34 AD and a year we can only assume to be the date of His promised return -1844!]

So once again we see the year 1260/1844 hidden within the prophetic text of the Bible.]

· Daniel 8:2 And I saw in a vision; and it came to pass, when I saw, that I [was] at Shushan [in] the palace, which [is] in the province of Elam.

· Jeremiah 49:38 And I will set my throne in Elam.

Elam = Persia Shushan = Tehran

THE FLOOD OF ALL KNOWLEDGE

Immerse yourselves in this Ocean in whose depths lay hidden the pearls of wisdom and of utterance.

- Joel 2:28...I will pour out My Spirit on everyone. Your sons will proclaim My message; your old men will have dreams and your young men will see visions.
- Genesis 7:4 For yet seven days and I will cause it to rain upon the earth forty days and forty nights.

THE WATER OF LIFE

- John 4:14 Whoever drinks the water I will give him will never be thirsty again.
- John 7:38 Whoever believes in Me streams of life giving waters will pour out from his heart...Jesus said this about the Spirit which those who believed in Him were going to receive.
- Revelation 22:1 The angel also showed me the river of life, sparkling like crystal, and coming from the throne of God and the lamb...
- Revelation 1:15...His voice sounded like a roaring waterfall
- Genesis 2:10 A river went out of Eden.
- Revelation 22:1 A pure river proceeding out of the throne of God.
- Ezekiel 43:2 And the Glory of the God of Israel came from the way of the east, and His voice was like the noise of many waters.
- Habakkuk 2:14 The earth shall be filled with the knowledge of God as the waters cover the sea.
- Psalms 24:1 The earth is the Lords, and the fullness there-of, the world and they that dwell therein. For He hath founded it upon the seas, and established it upon the floods.

Sir Lawrence Bragg gave a lecture in Carnegie Hall concerned with the evident rise in scientific technological and artistic developments over the last 150 years

A list of the world's development since 1844 would include the following:

- * The incandescent light bulb.
- * The telephone.

- * The telegraph.
- * Radio transmissions.
- * The Atlantic cable.
- * The turret lathe.
- * The rotary press.
- * The gas engine.
- * The fountain pen.
- * The typewriter.
- * The automobile.
- * Photographic film.
- * Motion pictures.
- * The airplane.
- * Steamboats.
- * Railways.
- * Canals.
- * Dynamite.
- * Rubber.
- * Television.
- * Computers.
- * The transistor.
- * Integrated circuits.
- * Calculators.
- * Microprocessors.
- * Space flight.
- * Satellite communications.
- * The theory of relativity.

- * Nuclear energy.
- * Quantum mechanics.
- * Pasteurisation.
- * Penicillin.
- * Anaesthetics.
- * Antiseptic surgery.

ART

- * Emerson.
- * Tolstoy.
- * Tennyson.
- * Lowell.
- * Whitman.
- * Dickens.
- * Thoreau.
- * Dostoevsky.
- * Lewis Carroll.
- * Chopin.
- * Schubert.
- * Tchaikovsky.

To further human rights we have seen the following:

- * The first congress of women's rights.
 - * The first congress of universal education.
 - * Measures to abolish child labour.
 - * The emancipation proclamation, freeing black slaves in America.
 - * The edict of toleration, allowing Jews back into the Holy Land.
- Habakkuk 2:14 The earth shall be filled with the knowledge of God as the waters

cover the sea.

· Genesis 7:17 And the flood was forty days upon the earth; and the waters increased, and bare up the ark, and it was lift up upon the earth.

· Ezekiel 4:6...I have appointed thee each day for a year.

· Genesis 7:4 For yet seven days and I will cause it to rain upon the earth forty days and forty nights.

Ere long will God sail His Ark upon thee and will manifest the people of Baha who have been mentioned in the Book of Names.

Moses was persecuted and driven out into the desert, Abraham was banished, Muhammad took refuge in caves, the Bab was killed and Baha'u'llah was exiled and imprisoned forty years.

It coincides with the inauguration of a ministry extending over a period of almost forty years -- a ministry which, by virtue of its creative power, its cleansing force, its healing influences, and the irresistible operation of the world-directing, world-shaping forces it released, stands unparalleled in the religious annals of the entire human race.

Shoghi Effendi

Seek thou the shore of the Most Great Ocean, and enter, then, the Crimson Ark which God hath ordained in the Qayyum-i-Asma for the people of Baha.

O Holy Mariner! Bid thine ark of eternity appear before the Celestial Concourse,

Glorified be my Lord, the All-Glorious! Launch it upon the ancient sea, in His Name, the Most Wondrous,

Glorified be my Lord, the All-Glorious! And let the angelic spirits enter, in the Name of God, the Most High.

Glorified be my Lord, the All-Glorious! Unmoor it, then, that it may sail upon the ocean of glory,

NOAH = 9

BAHA = 9

THE RESURECTION

1Peter 3:18 He was put to death physically, but made alive spiritually.

1Corinthians15:4: He was raised to life three days later as written in the scriptures...

[If you take your Bible and look at the Book of the Apostle Mark , which scholars agree is the first of the "Synoptic Gospels" from which Matthew, Luke, and John have taken much of their material and inspiration, and if you turn to chapter sixteen verse nine you will discover a footnote at the bottom of the page. This footnote reads something like:

"This ending to the Gospel does not appear in some ancient manuscripts."

Now the import of this is that the traditions concerning the physical appearance of Jesus, after His crucifixion, are later additions to the actual written accounts of His life.

On examination you will find that these "additions" vary quite considerably in such vital details as: who was the first disciple to see Jesus? How many times did He appear? How many saw Him?

Furthermore, if the Resurrection of Jesus was a physical event, how do we explain Peter's statement - "He was put to death physically, but raised to life SPIRITUALLY."

Let's examine an account of the Resurrection of Jesus taken from a section of the Gospel, which is held by Bible scholars and archaeologists to be among the very first accounts of His life and Teachings - the letters of the apostle Paul.]

1Corinthians15:4 ...He appeared to Peter and then to all twelve apostles. Then He appeared to more than five hundred of His followers at once, most of whom are still alive, although some have died. Then He appeared to James and afterwards to all the apostles. Last of all He appeared also to me.

[The manner of Paul's vision is described in the book of Acts.]

Acts 9.3: As Saul was coming near the city of Damascus, suddenly a light from the sky flashed round him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, "Saul, Saul! Why do you persecute Me?" "Who are you Lord?" he asked. "I am Jesus, Whom you persecute," the voice said. "But get up and go into the city, where you will be told what you must do." The men who were travelling with Saul had stopped not saying a word; they heard the voice but could not see anyone. Saul got up from the ground and opened his eyes...

2Corinthians12.1: I have to boast, even though it doesn't do any good. But I will now talk about visions and revelations given me by the Lord. I know a certain Christian man who fourteen years ago was snatched up to the highest heaven (I do not know whether this actually happened or whether he had a vision - only God knows). I repeat, I know that this man was snatched to Paradise (again, I do not know whether this actually happened or whether he had a vision - only God knows), and there he heard things which cannot be put into words, things that human lips may

not speak. So I will boast about this man - but I will not boast about myself...If I wanted to boast, I would not be a fool, because I would be telling the truth...But to keep me from being puffed up with pride because of the many wonderful things I saw, I was given a painful physical ailment...I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and difficulties for Christ's sake. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

[In order that he should not be accused of blowing his own trumpet, Paul, with great humility and wisdom, refers to himself as "a certain Christian man" however, there can be no doubt that he is referring to his own visions.]

The Cause of Christ was like a lifeless body; and when after three days the disciples became assured and steadfast, and began to serve the Cause of Christ, and resolved to spread the divine teachings, put His councils into practice, and arising to serve Him, the Reality of Christ became resplendent and His bounty appeared; His religion found life;"

"His teachings and His admonitions became evident and visible. In other words, the Cause of Christ was like a lifeless body until the life and the bounty of the Holy Spirit surrounded it.

Such is the meaning of the resurrection of Christ, and this was a true resurrection. But as the clergy have neither understood the meaning of the Gospels nor comprehended the symbols...

The resurrection of the Divine Manifestations are not of the body. All Their states, Their conditions...and Their instructions have a spiritual and divine significance, and have no connection with material things.

What is meant by the Day of resurrection is this, that from the time of the appearance of Him Who is the Tree of divine reality, at whatever period and under whatever name, until the moment of His disappearance, is the Day of Resurrection.

For example, from the inception of the mission of Jesus - may peace be upon Him - till the day of His ascension was the Resurrection of Moses. For during that period the Revelation of God shone forth through the appearance of that divine Reality, Who rewarded by His Word everyone who believed in Moses...

And from the inception of the Revelation of the Apostle of God - may the blessings of God be upon Him - till the day of His ascension was the resurrection of Jesus...

· John 5:29 And shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of life;

· John 11:24 Martha saith unto him, I know that he shall rise again in the resurrection at the last day.

- Joel 3:18 And it shall come to pass in that day, [that] the mountains shall drop down new wine, and the hills shall flow with milk, and all the rivers of Judah shall flow with waters.
- Acts 3:20 Until the time comes for the universal restoration of which God has spoken through His holy prophets.
- 2Timothy 2:18 Who concerning the truth have erred, saying that the resurrection is past already; and overthrow the faith of some.
- Hosea 6:2 After two days he will revive us: in the third day he will raise us up, and we shall live in his sight.

Strive therefore to comprehend the meaning of "return"...If thou sayest that Muhammad was the "return" of the Prophets of old...His Companions must likewise be the "return" of the bygone Companions...In like manner, endeavour to grasp the significance of "return," "revelation," and "resurrection," as witnessed in the days of the Manifestations of the divine Essence, that thou mayest behold with thine own eyes the "return" of the holy souls into sanctified bodies...Inasmuch as the return of the Prophets of God, as attested by verses and traditions, hath been conclusively demonstrated, the return of their chosen ones also is therefore definitely proven. This return is too manifest in itself to require any evidence or proof.

Salutations, blessings, and welcome to that Universal Reality, that Perfect Word, that Manifest Book, that Splendour which hath dawned in the highest heaven, that Guide of all nations, that Light of the world - the billowing ocean of Whose abounding grace hath flooded all creation, in such wise that the waves thereof have cast upon the sands of this visible world their shining pearls. Now hath the Truth appeared, and falsehood fled away; now hath the day dawned and jubilation taken over... for the Day of Resurrection hath come to pass.

THE NEW CREATION

- Isaiah 65:17 For, behold, I create new heavens and a new earth: and the former shall not be remembered, nor come into mind.
- John 1:1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God...all things were made through Him...
- Colossians 1:16 For by him were all things created, that are in heaven, and that are in earth, visible and invisible.
- Revelation 21:1 And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away.
- Revelation 21:5 And he that sat upon the throne said, Behold, I make all things

new.

Behold how, in this Day, the beginning is reflected in the end.

[The Seven Angels Messengers of God

The Day of Jesus

The Day of Muhammad

The Day of Moses

The 7 Days of creation in Genesis]

1:3 And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.

1:4 And God saw the light, that it was good: and God divided the light from the darkness.

1:5 And God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And the evening and the morning were **the first day**.

2:2 And on the **seventh day** God ended his work which he had made; and he rested on the seventh day from all his work which he had made.

2:3 And God blessed **the seventh day**, and sanctified it: because that in it he had rested from all his work which God created and made.

2:4 These are **the generations of the heavens and of the earth** when they were created, in the day that the LORD God made the earth and the heavens

Great is thy blessedness O Yahya (Vahid) inasmuch as thou didst fulfil thy pledge in the Day **when the heavens and earth were created...**

We have caused every soul to expire by virtue of Our irresistible and all subduing sovereignty. We have then called into being a new creation.

O ye beloved of God! O ye children of His Kingdom! Verily, verily, the new heaven and the new earth are come. The Holy City, New Jerusalem, hath come down from on high in the form of a Maid of Heaven, veiled, beauteous, and unique, and prepared for reunion with her lovers on earth. The angelic Company of the Celestial Concourse hath joined in a call that hath run throughout the universe, all loudly and mightily acclaiming: 'This is the City of God and His abode, wherein shall dwell the pure and holy among His servants. He shall live with them for they are His people and He is their Lord.'

Do you appreciate the day in which you live? This is the century of the Blessed Perfection! This is the cycle of the light of His beauty! This is the consummate day of all the prophets!

Great indeed is this Day! The allusions made to it in all the sacred Scriptures as the Day of God attest its greatness. The soul of every Prophet of God, of every Divine Messenger, hath thirsted for this wondrous Day.

The Divine Springtime is come...This is the Day whereon naught can be seen except the splendours of the Light that shineth from the face of thy Lord...This is the Day whereon the unseen world crieth out: "Great is thy blessedness, O earth, for thou hast been made the foot stool of thy God

The Best-Beloved is come. In His right hand is the sealed wine of His Name...The waters of everlasting life have, in their fullness, been proffered unto men...Draw near, and tarry not, though it be for one short moment...On this Day the Kingdom is God's!