# THE MORMON "FEDERAL" MENACE

### ~WITH APPENDICES~

## THE MELCHIZEDEK PRIESTHOOD

## **BOOK-REVIEW of EMBRACED BY THE LIGHT**

## and

## **Applicable Executive Orders**

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#### Preface

This manuscript was written for the purpose of showing the dangers and false doctrine of Mormonism. There are many other groups, organizations and individuals that pose dangers to our freedom. Mormonism is part of a movement to order the world into a one-world government (The New World Order). The foundation of this movement is the worship of Satan. The goal of this movement is to create an elite ruling organization that controls the world and all that it holds. Control of taxation is key. The Federal Reserve funnels taxes collected illegally by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) to the British Throne, among others. Your Author believes that this manuscript proves that the Federal Government's "intelligence network" is control of all governments and, consequently, the freedom of anyone who is not super rich.

If you are supporting those who have enslaved us through federal bondage such as taxation, illegal spying, neighborhood police crime rings, Satanists and Traitors posing as public servants, then it is the hope of this writer that you might consider changing course. Think, just for one example, what it means that the Mormon Mafia controls NASA. If the Truth will set us free, then that which is false can only enslave us.

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#### THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF THE LATTER-DAY SAINTS

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#### THE LDS CHURCH

#### THE MORMON CHURCH

#### LUCIFER RISING

Historical research convinces one that **Mormonism's true goal is the restoration of the "original pristine brilliance" of the Luciferian (Satanic) Priesthood of the ancient (Druids)**. {This information was obtained from a transcript of a tape recording of Dr. Durham. The authenticity and accuracy of this information is certified to by Mervin B. Hogan, the Secretary of the Masonic Research Lodge of Utah located in Salt Lake City; See also GM p. 128 and 267}

The goal of the Mormon Corporate Empire is that the Mormon Church "assumes political and economic control of the United States...this goal is being actualized to a much greater extent than most people realize". {MCE p. 3}

The Mormon Church is the model for the World Order Religion and either has or apparently expects to have control of the World Order Global Police Force, Government, Industry, Agriculture and all other necessary components.

A CULT: According to the leading and most respected Christian authority on cults, Mormonism is not only a cult, but also "one of the most virulent strains of American cults..." Walter Martin, now deceased, stated that he had perused hundred of volumes on Mormon theology and scores of pamphlets and that, "the author can quite candidly state that never in over a decade of research in the field of cults has he ever seen such misappropriation of terminology, disregard of context, and utter abandon of scholastic principles demonstrated on the part of non-Christian cultists than is evidenced in the attempts of Mormon theologians to appear orthodox and at the same time undermine the foundations of historic Christianity...Without fear of contradiction, I am certain that Mormonism *cannot stand investigation and wants no part of it..."* Mormonism has an unfortunate habit of **"redefining terms and qualifying statements to elude detection of their true teachings."** {TKOTC p. 173, 206 and 215}

In what has been called, "a revolting distortion of Biblical revelation" (TKOTC p. 213), we find that the God of Mormonism is not the God of Christianity: Mormonism teaches that Adam is our Father and Our God: "When our father Adam came in the garden of Eden, he came into it with a celestial body, and brought Eve, one of his wives, with him. He helped to make and organized this world. He is MICHAEL, the Archangel, the ANCIENT OF DAYS! About whom holy men have written and spoken—HE is our FATHER and our GOD, and the only God with whom we have to do". {Brigham Young, Journal of Discourses, Volume 1, p. 50} Brigham Young taught that he had "never yet preached a sermon…that they may not call <u>Scripture</u>". {Journal of Discourses, Volume 13, p. 95}

FEAR—As Ed Decker and Dave Hunt put it; one of the certain signs of a pagan cult is the presence of bondage and fear, with absolute and total authority resting in one person. Contradictory revelation inbreeds with the fear and bondage. {GM p. 45} Mormonism masterfully nourishes these elements, enabling a measure of control over the individual and society at large that few comprehend.

FUELING THE FIRE—In 1997 during basketball playoffs, the National Basketball Association fined Dennis Rodman, basketball player for the Chicago Bulls, fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) for saying that he disliked playing around the "fucking Mormons". The fine was the largest fine ever levied by the Basketball Association. Rodman's coach, Phil Jackson later reported to a national audience that, "Dennis did not understand that Mormonism was some type of cult..." {MORAM p. XX –XXI}

HAPPINESS—Gottlieb and Wiley in their book, <u>America's Saints:</u> <u>The Rise of Mormon Power</u>, state that along with the major goal of building for themselves the Kingdom of God on earth; the Mormons teach and believe that they, as representatives of God's Prophet, testify and say that *"your happiness depends on the extent to which you follow their direction* [the orders of the Mormon LDS Church leaders]". These same authors also point out that in the Mormon's LTM program trainees are not allowed to leave LTM grounds and are not allowed to contact friends or family. Mormons are told that they are never to separate. {ASRMP p. 129 and 130}

THE ONLY WAY—Cult mentality generally teaches that the way of the cult is the <u>only</u> way. Mormonism's late Apostle Bruce McConke carried forward the Mormon Cult Tradition when he made the following statements: The Mormon Latter Day Saints Church is the only church on earth that is pure and perfect; if it had not been for Mormon founder Joseph Smith and the Restoration, there would be no salvation; there is no salvation outside of the Mormon Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints; and all other systems of religion are false. {See Ron Rhodes and Marian Bodine's, <u>Reasoning from the Scriptures with the</u> <u>Mormons</u>, p. 42-43, 603 and etc.}

A FINANCIAL EMPIRE: The Mormon LDS Church is, for its size, the richest church in America. Conservative 2007 estimates of its vast wealth were said by some to be between twenty-five and thirty billion dollars (\$25,000,000,000.00 to \$30,000,000.00). In 2007 it was conservatively estimated that six billion dollars per year was pouring into the Mormon corporate coffers. These income figures are said to come from Mormon tithing. {MORAM p. XVII} The Mormon Empire has shut the doors leading to financial disclosure. It is impossible to accurately determine the real financial worth of the Mormon Corporation.

A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION: The Mormon Church is a huge monopoly using the tax-free-non-reporting cloak of 'non-profit' status. {TMM p. 22} The Mormon Church has been described as a **"financial (rather than religious) institution"** dominating the Rocky Mountain Region. The stock portfolio of the Mormon Church is **greater than the holdings of the government of the United States and matches those of the government of Saudi Arabia**.

The stock portfolio of the Mormon Church is owned and controlled by the Corporation of the President of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Salt Lake City, Utah, U.S.A. and includes large holdings in major utility companies and corporations; EXXON; IBM and AT&T. It is the wealthiest "church" per capita in the United States. {See William J. Whalen's, "Why Mormonism Is the Fastest Growing Region in the West," *U.S. Catholic* (June 1989) p. 33} The LDS church owns a "substantial block of stock" in many of the most powerful enterprises in the United States, including Union Pacific Railroad and Western Airlines and has "heavy investments" in public utilities, insurance, agribusiness, and electronic communications. The LDS church is part of the western United States' largest bank-holding conglomerate. It is impossible to calculate the extent of the worth of the LDS church. Wallace Turner, former reporter for the *New York Times*, put it this way: *"The LDS Church has a policy of secrecy on financial matters…."* **In 1983 the assets of the LDS Church were estimated to be \$8 billion**. This vast wealth is owned and controlled by less than 12 men. {MCE p. 109-110 and 125}

According to LDS scholar Marden Clark, the Mormon church has an "intense preoccupation with and honoring of the wealthy, the famous...I can't help wondering if some of the things we glory in most don't get twisted to support the easy-money hunger". {See Marden Clark's, "Whose Yoke Is Easy?" Sunstone Review 5, November-December 1982, p. 43}

A MEDIA MONOPOLY: The "strategic presence of Mormons in influential government offices like the FCC [Federal Communications Commission] is one major way the LDS Church can wield influence in the media industry..." {MCE p. 54}

In 1966 Federal Communication Commission Commissioner Robert T. Bartley disapproved of the LDS purchase of WRFM-FM; which purchase was the highest price ever asked for an FM radio station. The station serviced the New York area and has the largest and most concentrated potential listening audience in the United States. FCC Commissioner Bartley called for an investigation. The interests of the citizens of the United States were "overridden" and the LDS pressed ahead. {*Broadcasting*, May 16, 1966, p. 52}

In 1968 two residents of Salt Lake City, Utah (W. Paul Wharton and Ethel C. Hale) formerly protested the Mormon Latter Day Saint's control of all media in their region. The chairman of the FCC (Rosel H. Hyde) was a Mormon and was able to stop public hearings on the matter (The Mormon LDS Church was applying for yet another renewal license for station KSL) even though three commissioners requested public hearings. Further, Mormon Hyde then cast the deciding vote in favor of the Mormons. When the same license renewal came up again in 1974 the United States Department of Justice actually petitioned the Federal Communication Commission to deny the renewal of both radio and television licenses for KSL, stating that, "a grant of the renewal applications would be inconsistent with the public interest since

the renewals would perpetuate the high degree of concentration in the dissemination of local news and advertising that now exists in Salt Lake City". Further, using Dun and Bradstreet financial estimates, the United States Department of Justice determined that **granting the license to the Mormons constituted the condoning of a monopoly of media**. {See the Petition of the Department of Justice to Deny Renewal Applications, in the Matter of KSL, Inc., Federal Communications Commission, Washington, D.C., September 3, 1974}

In 1969 Federal Communication Commission (FCC) officials were issuing warnings regarding the Mormon Church's applications for licenses, stating that the Mormon church possesses too much influence in the broadcasting industry; yet, continues to apply for more licenses. Three of the seven commissioners called for a complete investigation and public hearings regarding the holdings, financial affairs and cross-ownerships of the Mormon LDS organization. At that time Rosel H. Hyde Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission and Commissioner H. Rex Lee were both devout Mormons. Together, they were able to stop all investigations into the illegal activities of the Mormon Latter Day Saints Church. Thev "persuaded" other commissioners to "see things their way" and overturn dissenting votes. Commissioner Nicholas Johnson stated that the Mormon holdings through their Bonneville International corporation "conflicts with the public interest [because of the] economic, political, and social implications...an industrial conglomerate that is inexorably intertwined with a religious sect, the *Mormon Church". {Federal Communications Commission Reports, Volume 16,* 2d series (1969): p. 460 and MCE p. 50-51} Commissioner Johnson went on to warn his fellow commissioners that the LDS church was a "media baron of substantial proportions". He concluded that the combination of such vast economic power in combination with media control was extremely dangerous and that it was inappropriate for the Commission to grant the Mormon LDS church license to further increase their **power stranglehold**. Mormon power and "persuasion" won out yet again. {*Federal Communications Commission Reports*, Volume 16, 2d series (1969): p. 460 and MCE p. 51}

In 1989 the Mormon Church owned and operated the *Deseret News*, a daily newspaper published in Salt Lake City, Utah; the Beneficial Life Insurance Company; factories; publishing firms and bookstores; office buildings; shopping malls and department stores; over a million acres of farm and ranch land in the United States; six radio stations, two TV stations; and hotels (including the Marriott Hotel chain). The Mariotts own at least ten AM and FM radio stations under their logo First Media. The "circumstantial links"

between Mormon corporate leaders and the Mariotts regarding media and other property is substantial, to say the least. The Mariott patriarch, J. Willard Mariott served on the board of directors of the International Educational Broadcasting Corporation, which is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Mormon Church's Corporation of the First Presidency.

CABLE VISION—The Mormon LDS Church, in its capacity as **the largest private satellite video network owner in the world**, has the power to tie into any cable system in North America. {See interview with Bruce Hough, February 12, 1982 (MCE p. 55)}

GLENN BECK—Glen Beck is a Mormon. His leap to stardom began when he became a Mormon in 2000. {MORAM p. 149}

HOLLYWOOD—In 1921 the LDS church successfully took control of Hollywood with regard to any and all films deemed to be anti-Mormon. Senator Reed Smoot, an apostle in the Mormon church, was able to hand Fox what he wanted--a squashed congressional bill carrying a 30 percent levy on the film industry. Fox was so thrilled that he stopped the release of two anti-Mormon movies, Riders of the Purple Sage and The Rainbow Trail. Both movies were based on Zane Grey novels. Recently, a movie called September Dawn somehow managed to squeak through. But before release, changes were made to September Dawn, changes that removed the barbarism and satanic chaos of the Mountain Meadows Massacre and showed them in a more favorable and softer light. Even so, soon after release the movie was quickly removed from Dish/cable viewing and from video stores. It should be remembered that in 1940 Twentieth Century-Fox gave the world the movie *Children of God*, a Mormon propaganda epic painting Mormonism as romantic and noble. Lavish receptions with appearances by movie stars and a magnificent parade, all paid for by the Mormon LDS church, sealed the image of Mormonism as part of the ethos of the American frontier and gained for the LDS church a respectable image so important to its propaganda. {MCE p. 59-60} The truth about the Mountain Meadows Massacre was not and is not something that Mormonism can withstand. The reader is encouraged to read Will Bagley's book, Blood of the prophets: Brigham Young and the Massacre at Mountain Meadows.

INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM—Mormon control of and retribution against those who oppose them was exemplified in a probing piece of *60 Minutes* investigative journalism. In 1979, *60 Minutes* took an assignment relating to fraudulent and dishonest dealings by the Mormon church regarding one member's farm. The owner of the farm had brought suit against the LDS Church claiming that there was a fraudulent conspiracy between the officers of the LDS Church and the Utah Department of Agriculture.

When the investigation by the most respected investigative journalism news magazine program in television history was aired, it created quite a furor against the Mormon Hierarchy. The Mormon LDS church flew into action. Well-placed Mormons first "persuaded" the reporter, Harry Reasoner, to rescind his version of the broadcast report. Then, in a well-planned act of retribution against any negative publicity regarding the Mormon church, well placed Mormons demanded (and received) the firing of a producer, Richard Clark. Mormon Reed Irvine, editor of Accuracy in Media, Inc., publisher of the AIM Report; viciously attacked the CBS program and started campaigns against Reasoner and CBS. Irvine, in a 1982 interview, made the following statement: "You have to...embarrass them [CBS and Reasoner] so that they will do something...I know that Bonneville International [Mormon owned communications monopolistic conglomerate] was leaning on them pretty hard to begin with, since they maintain close relations with *CBS anyway".* {MCE p. 66-68}

SPACE SATELLITE ANTENNAS—In 1981 the LDS Church purchased 500 satellite receiver dish antennas to establish **the largest satellite television network in the world**. {See John Dart's "Mormon Planning Satellite TV System," *Los Angeles Times*, October 10, 1981, I-A, p. 4}

TELEVISION NEWSCASTS—In 2007 the Mormon LDS Church reached a milestone in media control: Mormon Harry Reid, the majority leader of the United States Senate, had become the darling of television news programs. That being in place, Mormon and former Massachusetts Governor Mitt Romney announced that he would be running for the Presidency of the United States. Romney was running on a Republican ticket. {MORAM p. XIII}

VIDEO—The Mormon LDS Church is the largest private satellite video network owner in the world. {See interview with Bruce Hough, February 12, 1982 (MCE p. 55).

VOICE OF AMERICA—The Mormon stronghold of the media could be seen in 1981 when the federal agency entrusted with the responsibility of broadcasting pro-American opinions and beliefs to hundreds of millions of people behind the Iron Curtain appointed outspoken Mormon James Conkling, the former head of the Mormon LDS owned Bonneville Entertainment as the head of the Voice of America. The first thing Conklin did was to eliminate all of the anti-Mormon Voice of America staff in order to make room for his own Mormon people. Next, he incorporated Mormon religious propaganda into the Voice Of America broadcasts. His aggressive Mormon tactics eventually raised such opposition that he was forced to resign in 1983. The Mormon foundation had already been laid by that time. The damage that has followed is incalculable. {MCE p. 54-55}

A "SHAM AND A HOAX": During the early stages of Mormon growth, Mormons moved to Kirkland, Ohio. The reason for the move was "the extreme unpopularity of Smith and his revelations among the people who knew him best and who regarded his new religion as a sham and a hoax...Smith, of course, conjured up a revelation from God as authorization for the move." {TKOTC p. 174}

ADAM-GOD DOCTRINE: The second most famous leader of Mormonism, Brigham Young, delivered a famous sermon in 1852. During that sermon Brigham Young presented what had become known as the "Adam-God Doctrine": "Adam is our Father and our god, and the only God with whom we have to do". Brigham Young also preached: "I tell you, when you see your Father in the Heavens, you will see Adam; when you see your Mother that bear your spirit, you will see Mother Eve".

AFRICAN AMERICANS: For nearly 150 years since its inception, anyone with even a trace of "Negro blood" was denied access to the Mormon LDS Temple and the Mormon LDS priesthood. Anyone with Negro blood could never achieve full Mormon church membership. In 1978 the Mormon church abruptly changed their mind about this policy. Many have asked, "Why?"

By the mid 1970's the civil rights movement, a thorn in the side of the LDS Church, was gaining considerable momentum. Brigham Young University, the centerpiece of Mormonism, became the focal point for mass civil rights demonstrations. There were also boycotts, disruptions at sporting events and even riots. Brigham Young University (BYU) became so unpopular that prestigious universities such as Stanford University severed all relations with BYU. The anti-Black teachings of Mormons had become more commonly known and could no longer be hidden or carried away in media "fairy tales". Third World Mormon "growth" was being seriously hampered--the Mormon Machine was slowing down.

It came as no surprise when, in 1978, Mormon Church President Spencer W. Kimball made the public announcement that he had been given "a revelation from God" to admit blacks to the Mormon priesthood. Many have noted that the so-called revelation to admit blacks had come at a very convenient time and that it was simply a "corporate strategy of the Mormon Empire". {MCE p. 69-70 and 76}

It is interesting to note that, throughout the entire nineteenth century, the Mormon LDS Church flooded the world with publications propaganda describing blacks as, *"the lowest in intelligence and the most barbarous of all the children of men"*. In 1931 Mormon Apostle Joseph Fielding Smith said that blacks had become **fallen angels**. Two years later "The First Presidency" of the Mormon church gave official public announcement that blacks had **the curse of Cain** and that this curse, along with many other reasons, was why the Mormon LDS church does not allow blacks into their priesthood.

In 1965 it was rumored that the Black Panthers were going to make assault upon Utah Mormonism. Mormonism was teaching that **blacks would be slaves in the Celestial Kingdom-forever and for eternity, with no hope of Salvation**. In 1979 the son-in-law of Joseph Fielding Smith, Mormon Authority Bruce R. McConkie, was a Mormon Doctrinal Theologian. McConkie kept all of the old Mormon doctrines about blacks in his 1979 revised reference book on Authoritative Mormon doctrine. {ASRMP p. 178, 179, 181 and 185}

AMERICAN INDIANS, ALSO SLAVES AND PAWNS IN THE MORMON QUEST FOR POWER: It would seem that the Mormons don't practice what they preach when it comes to Native American Indians. Mormonism teaches that the American Indians are the descendants of ancient fallen Jews who had immigrated by ship to the American continent in 600 B.C. {MCE p. 1} **DNA testing has proven this foundational teaching of the Mormon church to be absolutely false**. {Bill Moyer}

During the time of the horrible, barbarian and satanic Mormon Mountain Meadow's Massacre of September 11, 1857, it was clear that the Mormons used the Native American Indians as **pawns, scapegoats and tools of war**. Further, the Mormons "simply pushed the Indians out and took over their lands". During the 1800's the **Mormons drove the American Indians into worthless and barren wastelands in regions of Utah, Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona**. {MCE p. 223}

> CONQUEST—It was under the dictatorial authority and orders of Brigham Young that the **Mormons defeated the Ute Indians and drove them from their land**. The Meeker Massacre of 1879, while not on the scale and magnitude of the Mountain Meadows Massacre of September 11, 1857, served the Mormons well in their lust of land, power and wealth. {ASRMP}

> KIDNAPPING—Today the Mormon church "transports off from the tribal reservation" the brightest Indian children and then indoctrinates them and presses them into becoming baptized Mormons. The non-Mormon Indians respond with bitterness and hostility when asked about the Mormon transport program. They view it as actual *"kidnapping that takes away the Indian community's most prized people, its youth"*. {See Gottlieb and Wiley's, "The Kids Go Out", p. 140}

CULTURAL IMPERIALISM~Interviews with Shoshone-Bannock, Crow, Navajo, White Mountain Apache and Crow spokespersons reveal deep Indian resentment against the Mormons and claim that the Mormon "kidnapping program" creates frustrated and unhappy Indians who have lost their identity. {MCE p. 223-226} Some even lose the ability to relate to their own relatives. {See Interview with Courtney Reddoor, Director of the Indian Walk-in Center, Salt Lake City, Utah, December 22, 1981} An Apache leader made the following observations regarding the Mormon Placement Program: The Mormons recruit only the most promising children instead of the needy. The Mormons are not interested in helping those that actually need help even though the policy statement regarding the Mormon Placement Program requires the recruitment of the needy, not those already well equipped for success in white man's society. {See Interview with Ronnie Lupe, Chairman of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, White River, Arizona, February 1, 1982}

A Shoshone leader made the following statement regarding the Mormon kidnapping/recruiting: *"We resent their* [the Mormon's] tactics of taking our kids away from us and thinking that they can make better kids out of them than we can". {See Interview with Kesley Edmo, Tribal Chairman of the Shoshone-Bannock Nation, Fort Hall, Idaho, January 8, 1982}

LEGAL FEES—Any Indian or group of Indians exerting claim against the Mormons eventually learns that the attorneys for all sides are either Mormons or Mormon sympathizers; and end up owing huge amounts to the Mormon lawyers who have gained nothing for the Indians. {ASRMP p. 173}

LEGAL SWINDLES—The law firm of **Boyden**, **Kennedy and Romney** is associated with a court case involving the Zuni Tribe. The final outcome of the law-suit was that certain Mormons <u>were</u> able to get land near the Zuni Pueblo. At the same time that the Zuni's were being swindled out of their rights by Mormon attorneys, lawyer Kennedy was representing the Hopi Tribal Council in efforts to chase Navajos off of their lands near Hopi villages. The goal of the convoluted ruse, it is said, was to clear the way for even more **Mormon coal production**. {ASRMP p. 175}

SLAVES—In 1852 Brigham Young, Mormonism's brightest star, successor to the founder of Mormonism Joseph Smith, ordered the Mormon controlled Utah state legislature to pass a law legalizing slavery. **The purchase of Indian slaves was of particular interest at that time.** {ASRMP p. 178} THE CONGRESSIONAL INDIAN CHILD WELFARE ACT—By the 1970's Mormon Latter Day Saints Church intervention into Indian affairs and total resistance of supervision from <u>any</u> outside agency, eventually led to the introduction of a bill in the United States Congress called the Indian Child Welfare Act. Through the law office of Wilkinson, Cragun and Barker, the Mormon LDS church was able to have wording about how Indian children taken away from their Indian parents could then be "Placed". The change in wording in favor of the Mormon church allowed the Mormons to continue their illegal "kidnapping intervention" among the various Indian Tribes in spite of the Indian Child Welfare Act (or what was left of it). {ASRMP p. 166}

TRIBAL GOVERNMENT—Indian land has become Mormon land. Mormon lawyers and politicians have been able to gain enough control of Tribal Governments to secure Mormon acquisition of Indian resources including land, water, minerals, metals, oil and, of course, the Indians themselves. {ASRMP p. 171}

WARNING! Vernon Bellecort, the National Field Director of the American Indian Movement (AIM), sternly and bluntly warned the Mormon LDS Church regarding their "Mormon Placement Program". He told them to *"recall all your missionaries from the reservations and the areas where Native Americans frequent".* {See Frank Brunsman's, "AIM Blasts LDS Church, Demands Missionary Recall", *Salt Lake City Tribune*, April 12, 1974, p. 6-B}

Mormonism makes excuse and justifies its behavior against the Indians in clear and simple terms. According to Mormonism:

- Indians do not have a culture
- What culture Indians did have or may have is "deformed" and
- Native people must be coerced by "whatever means necessary".

{ASRMP p.175-176}

ANTICHRIST: The Mormon false promise and powerful lie of "Godhood" for its members is the foundational strong delusion that is *"the common foundation of Mormonism and paganism's occultism. Its ultimate goal is a one-*

world government under a false Messiah [the antichrist], as the apostle John prophesied (Revelation 13: 13-18)". {GM p. 250}

ANTICHRISTIAN: Note: No higher authorities can be quoted in Mormonism than Brigham Young and Joseph Smith.

BRIGHAM YOUNG—<u>Brigham Young said that all Christians</u>
<u>were 'groveling in darkness</u>,' (Journal of Discourses, Volume 5, p. 73).
Brigham Young declared that the Christian God is <u>"the</u> <u>Mormon Devil</u>..." (Journal of Discourses, Volume 5, p. 331)

BRUCE R. MCCONKIE—Mormon "Apostle" Bruce R. McConkie warned against Christianity and **those who seek** "*a personal relationship with Christ*" and make this relationship with Jesus "*a goal in life and focus on it…become unbalanced*". {See *Seventh East Press*, November 18, 1981. From a speech at the "Fourteenth Brigham Young University State Conference," October 31, 1981}

JOHN TAYLOR—The third Mormon President, John Taylor, said that <u>Christianity was "Hatched in Hell</u>". (*Journal of Discourses,* Volume 6, p. 176) and <u>"a perfect pack of nonsense…the Devil</u> <u>could not invent a better engine to spread his work</u>…" (*Journal* of Discourses, Volume 6, p. 167)

JOSEPH SMITH—"...Joseph Smith declared all Christian creeds to be an abomination." {GM p. 245}

ORSON HYDE—Orson Hyde taught that Jesus was both a polygamist and incestuous, that Jesus married two of the three women named Mary mentioned in the Christian Scripture. Mormon Orson Hyde commits blasphemy in saying that Jesus married his own mother <u>and Mary Magdelene (Mary of Magdala)</u> <u>and Martha, the sister of Lazarus: *"both the Mary's and Martha, whereby he could see his seed before he was crucified"*. {See Mormon apostle Orson Hyde quotations in Mormonism's Journal <u>of Discourses</u>, Volume 4, p. 259-260} Jesus never married. Jesus taught against polygamy and, certainly, against incest.</u>

ASSASSINS, THE MORMON "AVENGING ANGELS": Senior correspondent Richard Ostling and the Editor of Washington, D.C.'s U.S. Information Agency, Joan Ostling, have made public a book called, <u>The History</u>

of the Saints: or, An Exposé; of Joe Smith and Mormonism. This book describes details of a Mormon organization called the "Avenging Angels". This group of Mormon insiders were/are assigned to spy out and assassinate dissenters within the Mormon Church and outside enemies of the Mormon LDS church. The secret assassins are also referred to as "Danites". {MORAM p. 13}

In 1843 and 1844 a controversy arose between Joseph Smith and William Law, the second counselor to Smith. One of the main points of the controversy was Law's stance against polygamy. Eventually, Law confronted Smith, Smith's "avenging angel" Daniel Carn and the Nauvoo police, accusing Smith of trying to assassinate him and his associate Robert D. Foster. Avenging Angel Daniel Carn came forward and defended both the Danite spy ring and the plural marriages of Smith and others. Smith responded by firing Law and apparently ordering the assassination of William Law, Robert D. Foster and a third individual (probably William Law's brother, Wilson Law). Ample evidence exists proving that Joseph Smith also propositioned Mrs. Law and Mrs. Foster. {MORAM p. 14}

During this time Joseph Smith declared himself to be "King". This fueled the uneasiness surrounding Joseph Smith. Smith thought that if he reinstated Law that the concerns of his flock would evaporate. The plan backfired. Law not only rejected Smith's offer, but also demanded that Smith "cease from his abominations". Smith speedily excommunicated Law, Law's brother Wilson Law and Robert D. Foster. The Laws and Foster then made plans, along with at least forty other Mormons, to start their own newspaper. Soon, the new newspaper, the Nauvoo Expositor, and over 300 people had broken away from Smith (who they referred to as a "self-constituted Monarch") and started the Reformed Church of Jesus Christ. The infamous Sidney Rigdon was sent to the new organization for purposes of reconciliation. The Reformed Church declined Smith's offer, maintaining that Smith's plural marriages were an abomination and that Jesus the Christ was their only King and their only lawgiver. Joe Smith had the newspaper office destroyed and issued an assassination order for Law and his associates. As it turned out, Smith himself was assassinated while trying to escape the Carthage Jail. {MORAM p. 14-17

The Avenging Angels pledge by secret oath to kill, lie and plunder as ordered by the Mormon Hierarchy. {MORAM p. 34}

"BLOOD ATONEMENT" ALSO KNOWN AS HUMAN SACRIFICE: The Mormon Church has never "officially" repudiated Mormonism's doctrine of "Blood Atonement". Rather, it has been suppressed. The doctrine teaches that the sacrifice that Jesus made upon the cross and the shedding of his Blood was ineffective and insufficient for the forgiveness of some sins. Mormons, then, must shed the blood of those whom they feel are "guilty" so that the offender may be redeemed. In other words, the Mormon who murders someone is doing him or her a wonderful favor by gaining redemption for the person(s) whom the Mormon murders.

Here are Brigham Young's own words: *"Suppose you found your brother in bed with your wife, and put a javelin through both of them, you would be justified, and they would atone for their sins, and be received into the kingdom of God. I would at once do so in such a case; and under such circumstances, I have no wife whom I love so well that I would not put a javelin through her heart, and I would do it with clean hands...There is not a man or woman, who violates the covenants made with their God, that will not be required to pay the debt. The blood of Christ will never wipe that out, your own blood must atone for it...I could refer you to plenty of instances where men have been righteously slain, in order to atone for their sins...This is loving our neighbor as ourselves; if he needs help, help him; and if he wants salvation and it is necessary to spill his blood on the earth in order that he may be saved, spill it".* {See Mormonism's Journal of <u>Discourses</u>, Volume III, p. 247 and Volume IV, p. 219-220}

In other words, what the Blood of Jesus cannot cleanse, murder *can* cleanse. Human sacrifice, sanctioned by Brigham Young, was able to atone for sin where the sacrifice of Jesus was not. **The Jesus of Mormonism is** *not* **the Jesus of the Christian Bible, whose atonement was all sufficient as is** clearly stated in I John 1:7: "The blood of Jesus Christ, His [God's] son cleanses us from <u>all</u> sin. The Jesus of Mormonism is "another Jesus" from "another gospel" and comes from a "different spirit".

Joseph Fielding Smith, tenth President of the Mormon Church from 1970-1972 described the Mormon doctrine of Blood Atonement as follows: "Joseph Smith taught that there were certain sins so grievous that man may commit, that they will place the transgressors beyond the power of the atonement of Christ. If these offenses are committed, then the blood of Christ will not cleanse them from their sins even though they repent. Therefore, their only hope is to have their blood shed to atone, as far as possible, in their behalf". {MCE p. 16} As the late Walter Martin put it, "Mormonism, with the apostles, priesthood, temples, secret signs, symbols, hand shakes and mysteries, quite literally masquerades as 'the church of the restoration'; but at its heart, in its doctrine of the Messiah, it is found to be **contrary to every major Biblical pronouncement**...what might be termed theological double talk which in one breath affirms grace as a saving principle and in the next declares that it is 'coupled with obedience to the law and ordinances of the gospel' and ends by **declaring that confession of Christ and acceptance of Him as 'personal Saviour' is 'utter nonsense' and 'palpably false**". {TKOTC p. 220-221}

"BLOOD ATONEMENT/JOSEPH SMITH: Mormon *Doctrine and Covenants* teaches that the so called innocent blood of Joseph Smith *"will cry unto the Lord of Hosts till He avenges that blood on the earth".* {*Doctrine and Covenants*, Salt Lake City: The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1969, p. 253, Section 135, Volume 7} After Joseph Smith's death, a "blood oath of vengeance" was required of all Mormons as a part of the official Temple Endowment Ceremony.

BRAINWISHING: "The Mormon church has not only brainwashed its own members, but almost everyone else into viewing the Church as just another middle-class fundamentalist Christian denomination. Yet in actuality Mormons never refer to themselves as Christians but take pride in using the term 'Saints,' believing themselves to be far superior in enlightenment, truth, and knowledge to those Christians lost in deep apostasy." {GM p. 40}

BRIBERY? Businesses owned by the Mormon LDS Church, eager to win the bid to become the site of the 2002 Winter Olympics (Salt Lake City, Utah), made "contributions" to the Olympics Committee of more than five million dollars (\$5,000,000.00). The Mormon LDS Church leaders also "donated" land for the Olympics' Medals Plaza, induced Mormons to "volunteer" to work, toil and labor for the Olympics (even on Sunday) and launched a media campaign using Mormon influence and control. {MORAM p. XVI}

Mormon power and money prevailed and Mormonism was successful in "winning" their bid for the 2002 Winter Olympics. Scandals alleging bribery against the Mormon LDS Church gained considerable momentum, partially due to the magnitude of the financial "gifts" from the Mormon Church. The clean-cut-can-do-no-wrong image of Mormonism, so carefully nurtured by Mormon leaders, became tainted and sullied. {MORAM p. XVII}

BRIGHAM YOUNG: Brigham Young took over control of the Mormon Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day saints long before his orders to massacre 120 men, women and children and steal its vast wealth of money, livestock and other valuables. The massacre of the Fancher Wagon Train Party is now known as the Mountain Meadows Massacre of September 11,1857. Before Brigham Young's infamous massacre and confiscate order, Brigham Young had fled an arrest warrant, charging him with sheltering counterfeiters: Countering and sheltering counterfeiters are charges that have surfaced many times in the history of Mormonism. Brigham Young's hasty exit caused horrible suffering and death for many Mormons. Putting his fear of arrest above the needs of his new flock (taken over from Joseph Smith) Brigham Young ordered that the carefully planned evacuation of Nauvoo begin prematurely; the first "Saints" made their winter crossing of the Mississippi river on February 4, 1846. During the first freezing night in Iowa, nine Mormon women gave birth. Hundreds and then thousands of Mormons followed. For many, it was the beginning of a horror story of privation, sorrow and death.

Brigham Young and Mormon Theology cannot be separated. The Mormon Church has tried to erase from history the truth about the character of Brigham Young. In fact, the man was cruel and ruthless. In his insatiable crusade to control Utah, Brigham Young gave the order to massacre between 100 and 150 'Gentiles' (non-Mormons) in what is known as the infamous 'Mountain Meadows Massacre'. Young enlisted the service of Native Americans in order to throw the blame off of himself and then allowed Bishop Lee to take the blame 20 years later. Brigham Young watched as Bishop Lee was imprisoned, tried, convicted and executed for the massacre. {TKOTC p. 176}

Brigham Young admitted that he did not read the Bible, that he could not understand the meaning of the Bible. Brigham Young admitted that many of the Twelve Apostles of Mormonism believed in the Druidic/Satanic teaching of reincarnation, denied that Jesus was the Messiah and did not believe in God. Brigham Young said that the God of Abraham, Isaac and Abraham was a devil and that Christians were "groveling in darkness". {GM p. 245}

CHEMICALS AND THE HUNTSMAN CORORATION: Mormon Jon M. Huntsman Sr. owns the largest private chemical company in the world. He was moved from Mormonism's Salt Lake City, Utah to Washington, D.C. in order to further the mission of the Mormon Empire. Huntsman is a billionaire twice over. His personal worth is estimated at \$2.2 billion (\$2,200,000,000). Huntsman is the Mormon poster child for Mormonism's quest for every Mormon to intertwine their life, money and religion on behalf of the Mormon Empire. Mormon Jon M. Huntsman, Sr. was appointed the United States Ambassador to China! {See DVD entitled, "Mormonism: Miracle or Menace?" a Wordsmith Productions Film, copyright 2010}

CHILDHOOD SEXUAL ABUSE: The treatment of women among the Mormon LDS Church Hierarchy is appalling. In the mid 1990's, the Mormon hierarchy ordered two Mormon women professors not to publish a study that the women had conducted. The subject matter of the study was the survivors of Mormon childhood sexual abuse. {MORAM p. 374} Apparently, the Mormon Hierarchy disdains women. The innocent women that were murdered by Mormons during the Mormon Mountain Meadows Massacre of September 11<sup>th</sup> 1857 were clubbed in the head until their brains were pulverized. {See Will Bagley's <u>Blood of the prophets: Brigham Young and the Massacre at Mountain Meadows</u>}

COMMUNISM, HITLER AND THE MORMON CHURCH: During the 1930's, Mormon Church leaders and rank-and-file Mormon "Saints" not only supported, but actively promoted Hitler and the Nazi ideology. Mormon scholars even acknowledge this fact. Here is what they said: *"Hitler enjoyed at least as much popularity among German Saints* [Mormons] *as he did among the population in general...Some* [Mormon] *Church members even saw Hitler as God's instrument...parallels were drawn between the Church* [Mormon] *and the Nazi party..."* {See Alan F. Keele and Douglas F. Tobler's, "The Fuhrer's New Clothes: Helmuth Hubener and the Mormons in the Third Reich," *Sunstone Review*, November-December, 1980, p. 27}

Alfred C. Rees, the president of the German mission of the Mormon LDS Church during the mid 1930's, *"tried to win Nazi sympathy by professing admiration for the* [Nazi] *Party's accomplishment"*. In an article published in *Volkische Beobachter*, the official newspaper for the Nazi regime, Mormon Alfred Rees praised the German government and compared the German people to the Utah Mormon pioneers. Rees' article was prepared as a tract by the Mormon LDS Church and distributed to Mormon missionaries. **The front cover of the Mormon tract boasted a large swastika. (**See Joseph M. Dixon's, "Mormons in the Third Reich: 1933-45", *Dialogoue: A Journal of*  *Mormon Thought 7*, Spring of 1972, p. 70-78} The Mormons believe that they will rule over the coming chaos by restoring order. {MCE p. 231}

**The Mormon LDS Church excommunicated Mormons who tried to resist the Nazis**. The Mormon LDS Church aggressively seeks and promotes missionary footholds in Communist countries. Yet, the "official" position of the Mormon LDS Church is to equate Communism with Satanism. {MCE p. 215-216}

During the early 1980's, the Mormon LDS Church "triumphantly strode through the front door [of Communist countries] and at the invitation of Communist officials" while other religious denominations were forced to exist underground and smuggle religious literature into Communist countries. {MCE p. 218}

The Mormon LDS' Church relationship with Communist China is, perhaps, of the greatest concern. The reader should consult for his or herself the highly disturbing chronology of events in this regard, beginning in 1976 with Mormon international diplomat Dr. Paul Hyer, the only representative from any American religious denomination invited to attend the funeral of Mao. Mormon Senator Frank Church, former chairman of the all-powerful United States Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and other powerful Mormons are "expanding relations with the Chinese government" at an alarming rate. {MCE p. 219-220} It has been suggested that the Mormon LDS Church is working in conjunction with the Chinese government to overthrow the government of the United States—the historical goal of both the Chinese Communists and the Mormon Church.

CON MAN: The editor of the on-line magazine of the *Washington Post* (<u>www.slate.com</u>), Jacob Weisberg, has branded Joseph Smith (the founder of the Mormon LDS Church) as *"an obvious can man"*. {MORAM p. XV}

COUNTERFEITING: The Mormon Church has been charged with the crime of counterfeiting on many occasions. Counterfeiting and other crimes of the Mormon Church have been removed from the official record of the Mormon Church. {TMM p. 77}

It is historical fact that Joseph Smith illegally printed money. He also started the Kirtland Bank using illegal notes printed with the words *"The Kirtland Safety Society anti-Bank-ing"*. Sidney Rigdon signed the notes with his and Joseph Smith's signatures. Multiple lawsuits followed and a warrant for Smith's arrest for banking fraud was issued on January 12, 1838. Smith and the infamous Sidney Rigdon fled in the middle of the night on horses. {MORAM p. 31-32} Mormon founder Joseph Smith had printed at least three different denominations of money, but his three dollar bill was the most prevalent: Hence the saying, "As phony as a three-dollar bill!"

It is interesting to note that Joseph Smith's father also engaged in the practice of counterfeiting. {TKOTC p. 169}

CREATION ACCORDING TO MORMON DOCTRINE: "In the beginning, the head of the Gods called a council of the Gods; and they came together and concocted a plan to create the world and people it." {From the <u>Teachings of the</u> <u>Prophet Joseph Smith</u>, p. 349}

CRITICISMS: The most widely known and longest lasting criticisms that have been leveled against the Mormon Church include outrage against the Mormon underground financial power, blood atonement, the holding of young women hostage, murder, hierarchical dictatorship, fanaticism, Mormon vigilante activities, conspiratorial vengeance against member Mormons and non-Mormons, general villainy, slavery, ritual child abuse, the worship of Satan (Lucifer) and false doctrine.

After visiting Utah, Mark Twain made mention in his writings of the widespread practice of polygamy among the Mormons. He described Brigham Young as a despotic ruler who proceeded to marry twenty-five or thirty more wives in response to the enactment of a law against polygamy by the Congress of the United States. {MORAM p. XXI-XII}

CROSS-OVER "CHRISTIANITY": The huge, Mormon Deseret Book outlet in Salt Lake City, Utah is headquartered opposite the Mormon Temple Square (a huge mall) at the Zion Cooperative Mercantile Institution (ZCMI). The Mormon Deseret Bookstore, near food courts and boutiques, has carried books by individuals considered by many to be either apostate, false teachers, or both. {MORAM p. XVI} C.S. Lewis and Billy Graham are among such individuals.

D. MICHAEL QUINN: Author D. Michael Quinn brought to light a great deal of evidence proving many fraudulent practices within the Mormon LDS Church. One area that Quinn wrote about was the occult involvements of Joseph Smith, the founder of Mormonism. Quinn gave detailed evidence proving that **Joseph Smith was immersed in the occult**. {MORAM p. 270}

DEPARTURE FROM CHRISTIANITY: In accordance with the ancient and modern Druids, Joseph Smith's LDS Mormon Church met in a grove of trees, especially when Joseph Smith was delivering important "sermons". In fact, it was in a Druid grove that Joseph Smith delivered the infamous "King Follett Discourse". {MORAM p. 10}

The King Follett address made it clear that Smith's **Mormonism was a radical and deep departure from Christianity**. One of Smith's major points, that God was a man with a tangible man's body of flesh and bones, is still reproduced within Mormon "scripture": See Doctrine and Covenants 130: 22. The address claimed that we are just like God—a saying well beyond the statement delivered by Lucifer to Eve in the Garden of Eden. Lucifer promised only that those who followed him would be <u>like</u> or <u>as</u> Gods. Smith went on to tell his followers that **the Christian God is not the God of Mormonism**. The Mormon God is still "progressing", just like the Mormons.

In the King Follet Discourse Joseph Smith told the Mormons that "you have got to learn how to be Gods your selves, and to be kings and priests to God, the same as all Gods have done before you...as do those who sit in everlasting power".

Smith's discourse denied the Christian doctrine regarding Creation. Instead, he told his followers that matter was eternal (not created) and that God was only acting as part of a council of gods that organized the eternal matter into the world.

"Salvation for the dead" (sealing), according to the Follet Doctrine, is the greatest responsibility that we have. Christianity, of course, teaches that there is nothing further that can be done for the dead—that they await judgment. Christianity teaches that the greatest responsibility that we have is to follow the Lord Jesus Christ.

Last, but by no means least, Smith's Mormon King Follet Discourse forever embraced the Luciferian/Druidic "Mind is God" teaching. : *"Mind or the intelligence which man possesses is coequal with God himself*".

The King Follett Discourse has a special status within Mormonism, including an unbroken chain of teaching from the time that Smith delivered the King Follett Address. Smith was assassinated two months after the delivery of the discourse. {MORAM p. 11}

DESTRUCTION OF THE NAUVOO EXPOSITOR: In Nauvoo Joseph Smith, "began to put forth, as occasion demanded, a succession of new revelations, among others one establishing polygamy as an essential feature of the 'Church of the Latter-Day Saints,' and combining in his own person all civil, military, municipal, and sacerdotal authority. A newspaper [the Nauvoo Expositor] was set up to oppose him [Smith], which was [declared a 'public nuisance' by Smith and] demolished by Smith and his adherents May 6, 1844. Warrants were issued for his arrest and that of his brother Hyrum..." The Nauvoo Expositor was also accusing Joseph Smith of selling land at inflated prices. {HLF p. 59-60 and JNU volume 1 p. 345}

DISHONEST-THE MORMON GOD IS NOT THE SAME AS THE CHRISTIAN GOD: "If Christianity were indeed 'hatched in hell' and the Christian God is the 'Mormon's' Devil,' then the change in tactics that now has Mormon missionaries protesting to Christians, 'Our God is the same as your God,' is extremely *dishonest*...Those Mormons who, after examining the evidence for themselves, choose 'Jesus instead of Joseph'...and become Christians learn very quickly and often to their great surprise just how antagonistic Mormonism really is toward Christianity. They discover that it is impossible to be both a Mormon and a Christian. Any Mormon for whom Jesus Christ becomes more important than Joseph Smith and the Church he founded is in for serious trouble. The Brethren won't tolerate this for a moment because it challenges their entire authority structure that is built upon Joseph Smith and the belief that membership in the Mormon Church is essential for eternal life." "... They have a completely different God from what the Bible presents, a different Jesus, and a different gospel." A Mormon discovers the real truth about Mormonism only after it seems all but too late to withdraw. {GM p. 11 and 246}

*"Mormonism is a modified form of paganism which is so carefully camouflaged with a façade of Christian terminology that it even deceives most Mormons...Mormonism's uniqueness is in the fact that it was the first really successful attempt to pass paganism off as Christianity."* {GM p. 20}

DOCTRINE/BELIEFS OF MORMONISM DIFFERENT FROM THE HOLY BIBLE:

BAPTISM FOR THE DEAD—"A characteristic of Mormon practice is the rendering of vicarious service in Baptism and other ordinances [i.e. prayer] for the dead." {EAM, Volume 19 p. 466} The exact wording of the ritual is as follows: "Brother [or sister] \_\_\_\_\_\_, having authority, I baptize you, for and in behalf of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, who is dead, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, Amen". Originally, the baptismal fonts, according to one Mormon defector, were always located below ground level in accordance with the instructions of Joseph Smith. The "new generation" fonts are above ground level with six oxen in a semi-circle supporting the font. The original fonts were mounted on the backs of the statues of 12 full-sized oxen. {WGOIT p. 16}

In 1841 Joseph Smith received a "revelation" regarding living proxy baptism for the dead in order to provide those who were already dead the chance to choose salvation—salvation that was available only through the church of Joseph Smith. {MORAM p. 9} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

BAPTISM IN THE HOLY SPIRIT (COUNTERFEIT)—The Mormon text for an after death Baptism in the Holy Spirit is as follows: "Brother [or sister] \_\_\_\_\_\_, in the name of Jesus Christ, we lay our hands upon your head for and in behalf of \_\_\_\_\_\_, who is dead, and confirm you a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, and say unto you: Receive the Holy Ghost. Amen". {WGOIT p. 16} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

CONFIRMATION FOR THE DEAD INTO HOLY PRIESTHOOD— Dead male Mormons were confirmed, through ordination, into the "Holy Melchizedek Priesthood" in the following manner: "Brother [or sister] \_\_\_\_\_\_, having authority, we lay our hands upon your head and confer upon you the Melchizedek Priesthood<sup>1</sup> and ordain you an Elder in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, for and in behalf of \_\_\_\_\_\_, who is now dead, and seal upon you every grace, gift, and authority appertaining to this office in the Holy Melchizedek Priesthood, for and in his behalf, in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen". {WGOIT p. 16} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

DIVINE MIND—"...although heavenly intercourse was the means through which we were created, the raw material out of which we

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Appendix A: Order of Melchizedek

were formed was preexisting 'spirit matter' called 'intelligence.'" {EBLB p. 73} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

DIVINITY OF MAN—"You have got to learn how to be Gods yourselves...the same as all Gods have done before you…" {JOD from: "A Discourse, by President Joseph Smith, delivered at the Conference held near the Temple, in Nauvoo, April 6, 1844"} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

EVOLUTION/CREATION (NOT BY GOD)—Brigham Young said the following: "He [God] created man, as we create our children; for there is no other process of creation in heaven, on the earth, in the earth, or under the earth, or in all the eternities, that is, that was, or that ever will be". {JOD from: "Remarks by President Brigham Young delivered in the Bowery, Great Salt Lake, June 18, 1865"} "Who is there that believes more in true evolution than the Latterday Saints--The evolution of man until he shall become a God…" {LDS Apostle George Q, Cannon, in his book, <u>Gospel Truths</u> p. 9} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

GARDEN OF EDEN (NOT A "FALL")—"According to the foreordained plan...Adam was to introduce immortality...so that the opportunity for eternal progression and perfection [man becoming God] might be offered to all the spirit children..." {MMD p. 268} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

"When Adam was driven out of the Garden of Eden, the Lord passed a sentence upon him. Some people have looked upon that sentence as being a dreadful thing. It was not; it was a blessing." {DS 1:113} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

Mormons are taught that Adam and Eve, after being told to leave the Garden of Eden, went seventy miles to the North of Independence, Missouri (near Interstate 35). {MORAM p. XVIII} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

GOD THE FATHER—"President Brigham Young taught...that God the Father was once a man on another planet who 'passed the ordeals we are now passing through; he has received an experience, has suffered and enjoyed, and knows all that we know regarding the toils, sufferings, life and death of this mortality'." {DBY p. 22 and TPBY p. 29} This teaching is not a Christian teaching. Rather, it is from the Trials of "Ea" of Sumerian "Cosmology" as found on their cuneiform tablets.

Mormon "scripture" states that God the Father is, at the same time, Michael, Adam and the Ancient of Days. {Doctrine and <u>Covenants</u>, Section 26: 11} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

GOD THE MAN FROM ANOTHER PLANET—The teachings of Brigham Young, former President of the Mormon Church include the following: God the Father once was a man who lived on a different planet and "passed the ordeals we are now passing through; he has received an experience, has suffered and enjoyed, and knows all that we know regarding the toils, sufferings, life and death of this mortality". {See the Discourses of Brigham Young, Selected by John A. Widtsoe, 1941, p. 22} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

GOD THE MARRIED MAN—The college-level Mormon textbook entitled <u>Achieving a Celestial Marriage</u> teaches that God is married. The teaching is prominent, and is presented in the first paragraph of the textbook: *"Our Heavenly Father and Mother live in an exalted state because they achieved a celestial marriage. As we achieve a like marriage, we shall become as they are and begin the creation of worlds for our own spirit children".* {MORAM p. 170} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

GOD THE MOTHER—Mormonism teaches that all men are the spirit children of an *Eternal Father* and an *Eternal Mother*. Joseph Smith, John Winder and Anthon Lund stated that, "man, as a spirit, was begotten and born of *heavenly parents…*" {MMD p. 516} Joseph Smith taught that there is an, "*Eternal Mother'. She wasn't mentioned in the Bible because God was afraid humans would take Her name in vain*". {TMM p. 57} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

GREEN AND GAIA~Mormonism teaches that the earth is, "the mother of men, yearns for rest..." {Doctrine and <u>Covenants</u>, Index under **Earth**} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

OTHER EARTHS~Mormonism teaches that there are *"millions like this earth".* {Doctrine and Covenants, Index under **Earths** and <u>Covenants</u>, Index under **Earth**} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

INFANT BAPTISM—In union with the Roman Catholic and Episcopal denominations, Mormonism teaches that infant baptism or the baptism of children at the age of eight, takes the place of the Messiah's work. According to Mormonism's own <u>Doctrine and Covenants</u>, Section 68: 27, "...children shall be baptized for the remission of their sins..." This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

JESUS (NOT THE JESUS OF THE CHRISTIAN BIBLE)—

AN ERRAND BOY~Mormonism teaches that Jesus' "errand" was to pay the debt for "original sin". {TP-BY p. 31 and 32} This teaching is not a Christian teaching. The concept of "original sin" is also taught in Catholicism and has nothing to do with true, Bible based repentance.

INCESTUOUS~Mormonism teaches that Jesus married his own mother, Mary Magdelene and Martha, the sister of Lazarus. {See Mormon apostle Orson Hyde quotations in Mormonism's <u>Journal of Discourses</u>, Volume 4, p. 259-260} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

<u>NOT</u> BEGOTTEN BY THE HOLY GHOST~Brigham Young has stated unequivocally that, *"He* [Jesus] *was* <u>not</u> begotten by the Holy Ghost..." {Journal of Discourses, volume I, p 50} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

<u>NOT IMORTANT</u>~It is clear from Mormon Doctrine that Jesus is not important in comparison to Mormon founder, Joseph Smith, Jr. Mormonism teaches that, *"the Eternal Father bears witness of the Son of Joseph Smith"*. {<u>Doctrine</u> <u>and Covenants</u>, Index under **Father, the Eternal**} This teaching is not a Christian teaching. One may wonder what the name of this "Son of Joseph Smith" is...or even <u>who</u> he might be. NOT THE NEW COVENANT~Unlike the Christian Scriptures teach, Mormonism does not teach that Jesus is the bringer of the New Covenant (Testament). Instead, Mormon "scripture" says that all, "remain under this condemnation until they repent, and remember the new covenant, even the Book of Mormon…" {Doctrine and Covenants, Section 84: 57} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

The Book of Mormon is not the New Covenant. The Messiah, Jesus the Christ, is the New Covenant (See Christian Scriptures: The Book of Hebrews and elsewhere).

OUR BROTHER~"According to Mormon doctrine, Jesus is <u>our</u> <u>brother</u>...Mormon theology maintains that He was conceived through sexual intercourse between God the Father and Mary. In other words, when Mormons talk about the virgin birth, what they are actually saying is that Mary was a virgin when God the Father came to visit her, but she was not a virgin when He left." {MMM p. 91-92} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

"...Jesus, our elder brother, was begotten in the flesh by the same character that was in the garden of Eden [Adam] and who is our Father in Heaven." {Journal of discourses, volume I, p. 51} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

POLYGAMIST~Mormonism teaches that Jesus not only married his own mother, but Mary Magdelene and Martha, the sister of Lazarus as well. {See Mormon apostle Orson Hyde quotations in Mormonism's <u>Journal of Discourses</u>, Volume 4, p. 259-260} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

SALVATION BY TEMPLE MARRIAGE, NOT JESUS~In Mormonism the Temple Marriage Ceremony is the gateway to Heaven. There is no need for Jesus. There is no teaching that Jesus is Messiah. A Mormon Temple Marriage can take place only if both parties have received approval for the marriage from the Mormon Hierarchy. The marriage is an eternal "sealing". Without the Mormon Temple Marriage, the Celestial Kingdom cannot be entered. The groom becomes a God-King. His wives become Queens. A divorced woman or a single woman can only be a slave to the God-King unless the God-King marries her. It would appear that a black woman has no hope whatsoever. {ASRMP p. 189} This is not a Christian teaching.

SATAN'S BROTHER~Mormonism teaches that Jesus was a "preexistent spirit" and the "spirit brother" of Satan. {See quotations from Brigham Young in the <u>Journal of Discourses</u>, Volume 13, p. 282 and <u>The Pearl of Great Price</u>, Moses 4:1-4} This teaching is not a Christian teaching.

THE SUN~In keeping with Druid/Luciferian teachings, Mormon "scriptures" say that Jesus is the Sun: *"This is the light of Christ. As also he is in the sun, and the light of the sun…"* {Doctrine and Covenants, Section 88: 7} This is not a Christian teaching.

UNACCEPTABLE SACRIFICE~Brigham Young stated that the sacrifice that Jesus made on the cross was not acceptable and ineffective because it was not good enough for *all* sin, just some sin: *"The blood of Christ will never wipe that out, your own blood must atone for it...loving our neighbor as ourselves; if he needs help, help him; and if he wants salvation and it is necessary to spill his blood on the earth in order that he may be saved, spill it". {See Mormonism's Journal of Discourses, Volume III, p. 247 and Volume IV, p. 219-220}* 

NEW JERUSALEM—Unlike the Christian Scriptures which place the coming New Jerusalem in Israel, Mormonism teaches that, "the city of New Jerusalem...shall be built, beginning at the temple lot, which is appointed by the finger of the Lord, in the western boundaries of the State of Missouri..." {Doctrine and Covenants, Section 84: 2-3}

NO DISSENTION NO DEVIATION NO QUESTIONING—The Mormon LDS Church does not tolerate any questioning of their doctrine or their policy or their orders. Any questioning of the Mormon General authorities is not allowed under any circumstances. The Mormon hierarchy may cast away any Mormon they choose to exile, essentially ruining their life. Of course, employment is terminated and life-long friendships must be terminated. The family member of an exiled Mormon may be exiled themselves for even speaking to a Mormon cast away. The meticulous system of internal espionage within Mormonism is a constant threat to a Mormon. {MORAM p. 360-361}

Anti-Mormon dissenters include Michael Barrett (Mormon lawyer for the CIA), Janice Allred, David P. Wright, Grant Palmer, Brent Metcalfe, Deborah Laake, Paul Toscano, Lynne Kanavel Whitesides, Maxine Hanks, D. Michael Quinn, Scott Kenney, Steve Benson, Abraham Gileadi, Lavina Fielding Anderson, D. P. Hurlbut, and Jerald and Sandra Tanner.

PAGANISM—Mormonism has been described as a pagan religion with some modifications. The paganism is so expertly covered-up with the trappings of Christianity and use of its terminology, that apparently most Mormons have been deceived into believing that Mormonism is Christian. {GM p. 12 and 20}

POLYTHEISM—"If we should take a million worlds like this and number their particles, we should find that there are more Gods than there are particles of matter in those worlds." {JOD from: "A Discourse by Elder Orson Pratt, Delivered in the open air, on the Temple Block, Great Salt Lake City, February 18, 1855"}

PRAYER FOR THE DEAD—In accordance with ancient pagan teachings, Mormonism teaches prayer for the dead. Although the Bible is clear that salvation must be obtained while one is alive, so-called Christian churches like the Mormon LDS Church and the Roman Catholic Church still teach the false doctrine of prayer for the dead. In fact, Mormon Latter Day Saints contemporary teachings claim that seeking after the dead is the greatest and most important responsibility in the entire world, a responsibility laid upon us by God himself. {MORAM p. 402} This practice of seeking after the dead is extremely dangerous as it can lead to contact with and bondage to Satan's demonic forces.

SALVATION BY MORMONISM—"The power of God unto salvation is absent from all but the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints..." {ESA p. 9} The Mormon Church is "the only organization authorized by the Almighty to preach his gospel and administer the ordinances of salvation, **the only Church which has power to save**..." {MMD p. 136} This is not a Christian teaching.

Salvation, according to Mormonism, involves not only membership in the Mormon Church, but <u>obedience</u> to the Mormon Church. {TKOTC p. 216} The Roman Catholic church makes the same mistake. The Jewish Religion appears likewise. The Jewish religion teaches belief in the pre-existence of souls. According to Jewish teachings, the place where God (G-d) directs a new soul into a new-born is called *The Hall of Souls* or the "GUF".

Mormonism teaches that many gods created the earth and planned that Adam (Mormon God and ruler of Eden) and Eve were predestined to their sin in order for man to come into being and reach Godhood himself. The fall was all planned by the gods as the way *"by which Adam and Even became mortal, and could beget mortal children".* {See J. Widtsoe's, <u>A Rational Theology</u>, Deseret Publishing Company, p. 47} Because of the incorrect Mormon belief in the preexistence of the soul, it is necessary for Mormon theologians to also incorrectly create a way for the preexistent souls to inhabit a human body.

SECRECY—"...those who know what is involved have taken an oath of secrecy. This means that Mormonism's most sacred and important doctrines and practices are discovered only after getting in too deeply to turn back." {GM p. 11}

SIN—The Christian Bible Scriptures declare that sin <u>is</u> our true nature. Mormonism declares that sin is <u>not</u> our true nature. *"It is critically important that you understand that you already know right from wrong, that you're innately, inherently, and intuitively good."* {LDS Church. <u>Duties and Blessings of the Priesthood</u>, Part B. p. 186}

THE ONLY TRUE CHURCH—Mormonism claims that it is: *"The only true and living church upon the face of the whole earth."* {MMD p. 136} The obvious question that arises from this statement would be, "Who then are the Children of Israel". One individual answered this question by claiming that the Mormons believe that the Indians are the "lost" Israel.

THE SOUL—Unlike the teachings of the Christian Scriptures that teach that the spirit returns unto The Most High God, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob; and the body returns to dust; Mormonism teaches that, *"The spirit and the body constitute the soul"*. {Doctrine and Covenants, introduction to Section 88: Revelation given to Joseph Smith} *"And the spirit and the body are the soul of man."* {Doctrine and Covenants, introduction to Section 88: 15 (Mormon "Scripture")}

TRIUNE TREACHERY—Joseph Smith preached a triune god. This god, the Mormon god, consists of Elohim, Jehovah and Michael. Joseph Smith said that, "All of these gods were, of course, married many times over, although there was a principal God/wife, or 'Eternal Mother'. She wasn't mentioned in the Bible because God was afraid humans would take Her name in vain". {TMM p. 57} Many scholars maintain that Elohim and Jehovah are both names for Satan. Christians maintain that God is One, not three.

"TRUE ISRAEL"—The Mormons believe that they are the only "True Israel" and are the <u>makers</u> of a new Zion; that they (and only they) have been chosen by God through his most recent prophet, Joseph Smith. **Their mission is to create a national theocracy and to supersede all other religions**. {MCE p. 2}

DOCTRINS OF MORMONISM THAT HAVE BEEN CONTRADICTED:

ANTHROPOLOGY—In 1889 a well-known Anthropologist published the following statement regarding the Mormon "scripture": **The Mormon scripture is** *"a grotesque monstrosity, born of deceit and bred in falsehood…a mélange of plagiarisms from the Old and New Testaments".* {MCE p. 32} Mormonism also plagiarizes from the pagan Sumerian Religion.

ARCHEOLOGY—Claims made by the Mormons of the Book of Mormon regarding the existence of thirty-eight cities have been repudiated by leading archeological researchers who emphatically state that the **Mormon claims are completely false**. In fact, archeologists have compiled a "considerable amount of evidence to show the impossibility of the accounts given in the Mormon bible". {TKOTC p. 183} BAPTISM FOR THE DEAD—Mormonism's teaching of baptism for the dead is probably derived from their doctrine of "Celestial Marriage" which, in 1890, was substituted for their doctrine of polygamy. Mormonism was forced to make it appear that they had abandoned the practice of polygamy, or lose the state of Utah. Because the Mormons believe that the unit of the family will continue forever, they "seal" Mormon men to many women and unbiblical rites and ceremonies, including baptism for the dead, are undertaken on behalf of the dead. {TKOTC p. 223} Such practices are not Christian. Rather, the Mormon practices match those of witches, sorcerers, necromancers and those following the teachings and practices of metaphysics.

GENETICS—Bentley Glass, the famous geneticist of John Hopkins University, along with other geneticists and anthropologists have proven that the claims of Mormonism in the Book of Mormon have no foundation and contradict the findings of anthropologists and geneticists: **The Mormon claim that the American Indians (Lamanites) are related to the Mormon Nephi (a Semite) is inaccurate and has no foundation whatsoever in fact and has been proven to be false by many tests, including DNA.** Remember the Anthropologist's 1889 statement: *"a grotesque monstrosity, born of deceit and bred in falsehood…a mélange of plagiarisms from the Old and New Testaments"*. {MCE p. 32}

GOD OR MAN? Contradicting the claims of Joseph Smith and Mormonism, Dr. James D. Bales made the following observation: *"The fundamental issue is not what man or men wrote it* [the Book of Mormon], but whether it was written by men who were guided by God. We know that men wrote it, and that these men, whoever they were, did not have God's guidance". {See James D. Bales, Ph.D., <u>The Book of Mormon</u>?, The Manney Company, Fort Worth 14, Texas, p. 146}

Mormon theologian James Talmage, who wrote <u>The Articles</u> <u>of Faith</u>, contributed yet another contradiction in Mormon theology: He declared that the Holy Spirit was God, but was a "personage of spirit, an immaterial being" in direct contradiction to earlier statements contained within the same volume declaring that "a thing without parts has no whole and an immaterial body cannot exist". {Doctrine and Covenants 20:28 and Articles of Faith, p. 48} In one instance the materiality of God is affirmed and in the next the materiality of God is denied. So, is the god of Mormonism material or immaterial?

HOLY SPIRIT OR HOLY GHOST—Contemporary Mormon theologians who quote early Mormon theologians have recognized the contradictions in theology with regard to the Holy Spirit and have attempted to reconcile the contradictions by stating that the Holy Spirit and the Holy Ghost are not the same. This position is not possible as any search of New Testament Greek linguistics soon reveals. {TKOTC p. 209}

MORONI OR NEPHI—According to the "prophet" Joseph Smith, the angel Moroni appeared to Smith at Smith's bedside and repeated three times that Smith was now commissioned to begin a new dispensation of Christianity. The account of the vision was not written down until several years later in The Pearl of Great Price (Joseph Smith—History 1:29-54). There is a serious contradiction in the transmission of the Moronic transmission. In the earlier edition of The Pearl of Great Price, Moroni is named as messenger. In a later edition of The Pearl of Great Price, the "prophet" Joseph Smith, with equal prophetic authority, names the messenger Nephi, not Moroni. Nephi can in no way be confused with Moroni, since they are both entirely different characters in the Book of Mormon. This contradiction has been pointed out to the Mormons Spin Doctors, causing "thoughtful Mormon scribes who have exercised great care to ferret out all the historical and factual blunders not readily explainable in the writings of Smith, Young and other Mormon writers. In current editions, therefore, both the 'revelations' agree by identifying Moroni as the midnight visitor. However, whether Nephi or Moroni carried the message to Smith apparently makes little difference to *the faithful".* {TKOTC p. 172}

PLANTS, ANIMALS AND ETC.—None of the animals (except the dog) or food plants described in the Book of Mormon were in existence in the New World in pre-Columbian times. The American Indians did not have rice, oats, millet, barley or wheat. Prior to 1492, the American Indians did not have pigs, chickens,

cattle, horses or donkeys or camels. The same is true of silk, iron, glass and steel. There was an infrequent use of un-smelted meteoric iron, but metallurgy as described in the Book of Mormon has been proved to be inaccurate. {The Smithsonian Institute, Summer 1979}

POLYGAMY—The Mormon Church denies that their "Prophet" Smith was a polygamist. However, the facts point to a different conclusion: "Smith's infamous practice of polygamy was instituted at Kirtland and later confirmed by 'divine revelation.' Some misinformed persons have declared that Smith was not a polygamist, but one needs only to search the famous Berrian collection in the New York Public Library for volumes of primary information to the contrary, written by Mormon men and women who lived through many of these experiences and testified to the **outright immorality of Smith** and the leaders of the Mormon Church." {TKOTC p. 174}

"REFORMED EGYPTIAN" DOES NOT EXIST—In 1827 Joseph Smith claimed to have received golden plates upon which he claimed the *Book of Mormon* was written. Shortly after his "find" Smith claimed that he began the translation of the plates, which he claimed were written in "reformed Egyptian". Every leading scholar and/or philologist of Egyptology who has ever been consulted regarding "reformed Egyptian" has confirmed that such a language does not exist. In fact, no one has ever found even the slightest trace of "reformed Egyptian": *"All reputable linguists who have examined the evidence put forth by the Mormons have rejected them as mythical"*. The Mormons, when confronted with this fact, still stick to Joe Smith's claim. {TKOTC p. 172 and 183}

Professor Anthon of Columbia University went on record in 1834 regarding Smith's claims of "Egyptian Hieroglyphics". The learned and distinguished professor said that the materials shown to him by Martin Harris and authorized by Joseph Smith, Jr. to be a part of the material copied from the revelation of the Book of Mormon were *"anything but 'Egyptian Hieroglyphics"*. {So wrote Professor Charles Anthon, LL.D. to Mormon researcher E. D. Howe on February 17, 1834} E.D. Howe is a man most hated among Mormons. Mormonism would "like very much to see forgotten" the findings of E.D. Howe.

"SONS OF GOD"—Mormonism teaches that Mormons are already the "Sons of God". For a Mormon, accepting God simply enables Mormons to "continue to be the sons of God". This is a direct contradiction of the Christian Bible which states in John 1:12 that, "...as many as received him [Jesus], to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name" and in Romans 9:8 that, "They which are the children of the flesh, these are not the children of God: but the children of the promise are counted for the seed". The first chapter of the Book of Ephesians clearly outlines the requirement of belief in and acceptance of the historical Jesus, the real Jesus, the Christian Jesus. Brigham Young is also contradicted in the Book of Galatians, chapter 3 and verse 26: "Ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus..."

THE TRUE CHARACTER OF "PROFIT" SMITH—Mormon historians have been unsuccessful in eliminating the research and publication of truth uncovered by E.D. Howe, a contemporary of Joe Smith's. E.D. Howe took statements from people who knew Smith and knew about the earlier life of both Smith and his family. Even Joe himself dared not give argument to the charges made against him by Howe, "so great was the weight of contemporary evidence". {TKOTC p. 175}

UNIVERSAL SALVATION—In direct contradiction to the Christian Bible, Mormonism teaches that all shall be saved. The Mormon Apostle and Spokesman Mr. Evans made the following statement in 1954: "Mormons believe in universal salvation that all men will be saved, but each one in his own order". {See Look Magazine, October 5, 1954} The Christian Bible clearly teaches everlasting punishment for evildoers. The Book of Revelations proclaims, "whosoever is not found written in the Book of Life was cast into the lake of fire. But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death. The same shall drink of the wine of the wrath of God, which is poured out without mixture into the cup of his indignation; and he shall be tormented with fire *and brimstone..."* At the end of the ages some shall *"go away into everlasting punishment, but the righteous unto life eternal"* (See <u>The Holy Bible</u>, Matthew 25: 41-46).

URIM AND THUMMIM ARE NEITHER GEM STONES OR "MIRACULOUS GIANT SPECTACLES"—Joseph Smith claimed that he "translated" a language that did and does not exist (reformed Egyptian) by means of what he called "Urim and Thummim". For Smith, "'Urim and Thummim' were a type of miraculous spectacles which the always thoughtful angel Moroni had the foresight to provide for the budding seer". Incidentally, it was first claimed that the "spectacles" used by Joseph Smith were of a <u>huge</u> size. {TKOTC p. 172} The true or real Urim and Thummim were something entirely different:

Urim means "lights", *"the oracular brilliance of the figures in the high-priests breastplate".* {Strong's Hebrew Dictionary #224}

Thummim means "perfections". It was "one of the epithets of the objects in the high-priest's breastplate, as an emblem of <u>complete</u> truth". {Strong's Hebrew Dictionary #8550}

A replica of the Urim and Thummim intended to be like those on Aaron's Breastplate shows them to be two gem stones. {ZE, Volume 5, p. 850}

Eventually, Mormon "historians" dealt with this contradiction and changed the story. The new story was that the Urim and Thummim were, "two stones—set in silver bows, attached to a breastplate..." {ASRMP p. 34}

DRUIDISM: The real significance of Mormonism is that, "...Joseph Smith's "revelations" were simply variations on timeworn occult themes common to numerous secret societies for centuries. Although these groups have been widely scattered and many of them have no contact with similar groups, they all share the same basic Hindu concepts that also lie at the heart of Mormonism." {GM p. 250-251} Hinduism is derived from and is the continuation of Druidism. {LLT. p. 28)}

In accordance with the ancient and modern Druids, Joseph Smith's LDS Mormon Church met in a grove of trees, especially when Joseph Smith was delivering important "sermons". In fact, it was in a Druid grove that Joseph Smith delivered the infamous "King Follett Discourse". Joseph Smith's First Vision, as it is known, claims that God the Father and Jesus the Christ appeared to Smith in a very bright pillar of light, in "The Sacred Grove". {MORAM p. 10 and 24}

Satanic/Druidic/Hindu/occult teachings about evolution, reincarnation and Karma are taught and reinforced within Mormonism through concepts like the transmigration of self-existent intelligence or "particles of spirit". As Mormon Apostle Pratt put it in *The Seer: "…a transmigration of the same* particles of spirit form an inferior to a superior organization…who shall say that it will not progress until it shall gain the very summit of perfection?"

> A QUANTUM LEAP TO GODHOOD—Mormonism's teachings about man supposedly evolving into his own godhood go back to ancient Druid/Occult teachings. In fact, they are exactly the same as outlined by the famous occultist Manly P. Hall: *"The occultists of the ancient world had a most remarkable understanding of the principle of evolution. They recognized all life as being in various stages of* <u>becoming</u>...the ancients maintained that the universe was a great living organism..." {See Manly P. Hall's, <u>The Secret</u> <u>Teachings of All Ages</u>, Los Angeles, 1969 (Sixteenth Edition), p. LVI}

> ASCENDED MASTERS—Mormonism teaches that Mormons become Gods or "Ascended Masters" as they achieve initiation into higher levels of secret (occult) knowledge. They believe that they become Masters and have control over the self-existent (not created) forces of nature. {GM p. 260}

> MIND AS GOD—The timeworn Satanic teaching that our Divine Mind is God is clearly taught within the doctrines of Mormonism. <u>Mormon Doctrine</u>, written by McConkie even goes so far as to claim that it was only through "intelligence" that Jesus was eventually able to reach the rank of "a God". {MORAM p. 331}

CO-ETERNAL WITH GOD~The Encyclopedia of Mormonism quotes their own publication, <u>Doctrine and Covenants</u> 93:29 while affirming the Mormon LDS Church teaching that the mind dwelling within each individual is coeternal with God. The Mormon teaching explains that Man's Divine Mind was not created, but has always been in existence. **This** 

## teaching on Divine Mind is a <u>central doctrine</u> of Mormonism and Satanism.

MORAL BREAKDOWN—The pathway of Mormonism's doctrines lead the individual down a path of moral breakdown. Mormonism does not credit God with moral supremacy. With no moral sovereignty comes the inability to make moral guidelines. {MORAM p. 307} The Satanic doctrine of "Do What Thou Wilt" lays waiting just around the corner. Under this type of cult teaching, <u>any</u> behavior can be easily justified because the method is justified by the goal or end result. A Mormon may commit murder, known as "Blood Atonement", and be morally justified and even become a "hero".

THE DRUID "SACRED GROVE"—Joseph Smith's first "vision" made the claim that God the Father and Jesus appeared to Joe in a very bright pillar of light, in a Druid Grove: *"The Sacred Grove"*. {MORAM p. 10 and 24}

THE ESSENCE OF DRUIDISM—The Mormon LDS Church teaches the same essential doctrine as that of the ancient Druids. A watered down version of this false teaching might be worded as follows: *"God is not the ultimate ground of all being...the human spirit has the foundation of its existence within itself"*. {MORAM p. 306}

ELITISM: Mormons clearly believe that theirs is the only true church and that all those who reject that belief are doomed. Mormon Elder Orson Pratt was asked in an interview to explain what the Lord required from the people of the United States. His answer was, *"He requires them to...embrace the message of salvation contained in the Book of Mormon, and be baptized into THIS church..."* Orson Pratt was then asked what consequences would await those who did not embrace the Book of Mormon as Divine Revelation. Mr. Pratt answered that, *"They will BE DESTROYED from the land and SENT DOWN TO HELL..."* {See Orson Pratt, *The Seer*, Washington, D.C., 1854, p. 215}

ELOHIM, EL, JEHOVAH AND TRIUNE TREACHERY: Joseph Smith, infamous founder of the Mormon Church, preached a false god, a triune god. This god supposedly consists of **Elohim**, Jehovah and Michael (Adam=Michael in Mormonism). Joe Smith said that, *"All of these gods were, of course, married* 

many times over, although there was a principal God/wife, or 'Eternal Mother'. She wasn't mentioned in the Bible because God was afraid humans would take Her name in vain". {TMM p. 57} Remember, many scholars maintain that Elohim and Jehovah are both names for Satan.

According to the Baker Encyclopedia of the Bible, El was a "senior Canaanite god", a father god of the "**Pan**theon" (**Pan** is emboldened because Pan is considered by religious scholars to be another name for Satan). El was also the pagan god of Ugaritic mythology in pre-3,500 B.C. Syria. El is not the God Most High of Genesis 14: 18. {BEB, Volume 1, p. 676} Pan's bride or wife was Fata. Other names were Oma (note the similarity to the pagan "OM"), Fauna and Fatua. {B p. 311} The association with Morgan Le Fay (Fata Morgana) places Pan (or Satan) in a position to be the architect of the anti-Christ or false Messiah whose bride is the false church. In Chinese myth, Pan Gu holds the "egg of chaos"; an intertwined yin-yang symbol. Pan Gu was a pagan creator god. {MYTH p. 392} Pan, also known as **Satan**, was the son of Hermes and the God of Lust and consort to the Goddess. His importance to witchcraft and sorcery as "The Horned God" is well established, along with his annual rebirth at Christmas and death at the end of summer. {WASH p. 35} Images of China's god Pan Gu show him with a horned head and wearing a dress of leaves. {MYTH p. 395} The occult teaches that the Tarot's Le Diable or Devil card portrays a creature that looks like Pan. Pan's (Satan's) scepter is a lighted torch like the one used in the Olympic "Games", held in honor of false gods. The torch symbolism is supposedly about "magic powers of the astral light". The torch, as it is explained by Theosophist/occultist Manly P. Hall, is the false light, which guides un-illuminated souls to their own undoing. The firebrand of the incendiary (hell) must be fueled by man's own misdeeds and abandonment of his maker. {MHRP p. CXXXI} Here we have a rarely found profound and apparently true statement from a follower of the left hand path, Theosophist Manly P. Hall.

During the reign of Roman Emperor Tiberius (A.D. 14-37) a story was often told of the wailing and tears over the death of "Great Pan" (with comparison being made to Tammuz and the "Ship of Fools"). {WASH p. 36} Much of paganism's false religion boils down to lust (Do What Thou Wilt). In that regard, the 1977 book, <u>Classical Mythology</u>, states that the phallus or *"Priapus is another son of Aphrodite; the father is variously named. He may be Hermes, Dionysus, Pan, Adonis, or even Zeus. Priapus is a fertility-god, generally depicted as deformed and bearing a huge and erect phallus...resembling Pan..." {CMY p. 107} According to Angus' book, <u>The Mystery Religions</u>, Pan* 

was represented as the "Goat-fish" who, "through metempsychosis, had passed through the waters of the deluge...Among the idols of Babylon, as represented in Kitto's Illustrated Commentary Volume iv. p. 31, London: 1840, we find a representation of this very...goat-horned fish...a great deal more of evidence might be adduced on this subject; but I submit to the reader if the above statement does not sufficiently account for the origin of the remarkable figure in the Zodiac: The goat-horned fish." {B. p. 311} In other words, a false impersonization of Noah. The infamous Satanist/occultist Aleister Crowley referred to Pan as Io Pan when invoking Satan. "Io" is also associated with the white robed, satan worshipping, human sacrificing Druids, Isis, a heifer and "lo, the horned virgin [who becomes] a heifer..." {TMR p. 86; PR p. 376 and ID p. 143} PanSatan was (is) a God of Lust. {MYTH p. 191} Occult teachings proudly proclaim that, "Masonry came to Northern Africa and Asia Minor from the lost continent of Atlantis, not under its present name but rather under the general designation Sun and Fire Worship. The ancient Mysteries did not cease to exist [with the coming of] Christianity. Great Pan did not die! Freemasonry is the proof of his survival...The philosophic power of Freemasonry lies in its symbols—its priceless heritage from the Mystery schools of antiquity." Early Masonic manuscripts dating to approximately 1180 A.D. make the following claim: "it is stated that the craft of initiated builders existed before the Deluge, and that its members were employed in the building of the Tower of Babel". {The Harleian, Sloane, Lansdowne, and Edinburgh-Kilwinning Manuscripts and MHRP p. CLXXIII and CLXXVI} According to Littleton's Mythology, "Nature as Divinity" (rather than the Creator of nature as True God) features prominently in the earliest surviving classical pagan myths. Nature spirits included seanymphs, satyrs (male nature spirits who were half man and half goat), Triton, Priapus, Aurora, and Pan who was the chief. {MYTH p. 163} The Book of Druidry instructs those who search its pages that the worship of nature is the worship of the ruthless, reckless, gay and savage force known as Pan. This type of worship encompasses wild nighttime revelyy during which kids and lambs are torn apart. {BOD p. 261} The war dance of pagan antiquity was called The Phrrhic [Phallus]. The music for the dance was the Panpipe or flute, according to the 1985 Encyclopedia Americana. {EA Volume 23 p. 46} "...Pan, undoubtedly a phallic deity...The Egyptians were initiated into the *Mysteries of Pan...Pan represented the impregnating power of the sun...He also* signified the controlling spirit of the lower worlds [Hell? - That would be Satan, then, wouldn't it?]." {MHRP p. XXXV} According to Michael Howard, author of the 1989 book, The Occult Conspiracy, "In De Occulta Philosophia, written in 1530, the German occultist and magician Henry Cornelius Agrippa

mentioned the Templars in connection with the Gnostics and the worship of the pagan fertility god Priapus, whose symbol was a huge erect penis, and the Greek goat-footed god **Pan**." {OC p. 43} Lucifer or Satan had the same associations (<u>The Holy Bible</u>, King James Version, Ezekiel Chapter 28). PanSatan is reborn annually at Christmas. For Witchcraft, Pan is at least the symbol of lust, immorality and unrighteousness: A rebellion against the morality, truth and Righteousness as taught by True Christianity. {WASH p. 35} According to the 1989 book, <u>Persuasions of the Witch's Craft</u>, in witchcraft the altar is a twelve (12) foot diameter circle. Four candlesticks are placed in the corners of the room to represent "the occult doctrine of the four elements": east—wind or air; south—fire; west—water; and north—earth and the four directions or 'energies' (thought, will power, emotion and material stability). The altar in the center of the circle often holds an **image of Pan** and a goddess figure. Cakes are served for communion and hands are held in a circle. {PWC p. 48}

ANOTHER TERM FOR SATAN—In Spanish "el" means "the". One Spanish translator in Saguache, Colorado translated the English word "Jesus" to "El Señor" (The Man) in Spanish. In <u>this</u> context, the term "El" (meaning "the") is dependent upon something else. In other words, the word "el" is just helping to describe something; for example, "the man" or "the animal". Some have suggested that this is exactly the case with the word Elohim. They say that the word Elohim translates as follows: "**The Bull god**".

BULL GOD—"The supreme deity of the pagan Canaanite Pantheon was *'The Bull El'*. **The Bull El was a fertility god. Baal was the god of fertility...also called 'The Bull'**". {Craig White, Historicist.com –Internet Posted Oct. 4, 2005}

ISRAEL, Is-Ra-El?—The Christian God, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, asks a most interesting question within the name of His initial chosen whom He called Israel (Ezra 3:3). The question asked by the True Most High God is:

Is Ra El? The answer is YES. Ra is the sun god. In the occult/druid/Satanist religion, the sun represents the fallen Lucifer who is now known as Satan. {TCD p. 174} El and Elohim are other names for him (satan). So, yes, Satan the sun god is "El".

PLURAL OF EL=ELOHIM? One of the theories concerning the words "El" and "Elohim" would have us believe that the word "Elohim" is simply the plural form of the word "El". Your author can find nothing factual to support this theory. Hypothetically speaking, if the theory were true, then it would mean that the meaning of the word "Elohim" would be many Satans or, perhaps the spirit of antichrist. It has also been suggested that the "the Elohim" are the fallen angels who rebelled, along with Lucifer, against the True God. The rebellion failed, of course, and Lucifer, now renamed Satan, was kicked out of Heaven along with the fallen angels (Elohim??) who joined him. If this idea were true, it would still point to the fact that "Elohim" is not the name of the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob is not a "plural god" and He is not a "triune god".

The plural of "El" in Arabian, according to <u>A Dictionary of</u> <u>the Bible</u>, Volume 2, page 199, is **Allah**: **Elohim is the plural of Allah in Arabian.** {DOTB Volume 2, p. 199}

THE JEWISH SCRIPTURES—<u>The Jewish Bible, Tanakh, The Holy</u> <u>Scriptures</u> pages 20 and 21, gives the following translation for Genesis 14: 17-20: *"When he returned from defeating Chedorlaomer and the kings with him, the king of Sodom came out to meet him in the Valley of Shaveh, which is the Valley of the King. And King Melchizedek of Salem brought out bread and wine; he was a priest of God Most High. (footnote c)* 

"(footnote c: *Heb.* El 'Elyon'.)"

This footnote on page 21, (c) *God Most High* = in Hebrew *El* '*Elyon*', has been inserted with the permission and apparently the approval of The Jewish Publication Society and most of the highest Jewish scholars. Yet, it is not correct. El Elyon is the pagan deity of ancient Canaanite worship. Suggesting, <u>saying</u> that Elyon is the name of the "True God" is wrong. {BEB Volume 2, p. 1433}

Although Jewish scholars are not yet claiming that the words *El* or *Elyon* are words that are actually found in the original

texts, Jewish scholars <u>are</u> claiming that the God Most High <u>is</u> El or Elyon. Elyon seems very close to Elohim (Satan), as well. Are these scholars confused about the true, pagan meaning of El and Elohim and Elyon, or are they actually suggesting that the God Most High is Satan?

We do know that the Jewish Publication Society publishes the Tanakh at Genesis 33: 20 identifying the supreme Canaanite deity, El, as identified with and the same as the God of Israel: "*…El-elohe-yisrael.*" El-Elohe is not the name of the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. Elohe is not the name of the God of the Old Testament Israelites; it is the name of a pagan god. The Jewish Publication Society footnote for *El-elohe-yisrael* on page 53 reads as follows: *"El, God of Israel."* 

El, Elohim, Elohe, Elyon are all names for the pagan Canaanite high god. How can the God of paganism and the God of Israel have the same name? The answer is obvious, He cannot. Obviously, there is mistake and ensuing confusion here.

At Numbers 23: 8 we have the following Tanakh translation from <u>The</u> <u>Jewish Study Bible</u> on page 331: *"How can I damn whom God* [footnote] *has not damned..."* The side commentary from the Jewish Publication Society for *"God"* as written above in Numbers 23: 8 reads as follows: *"The deity name 'El,' probably short for 'Elohim,' God, appears in parallel construction to the Tetragrammaton (YHVH). Some scholars believe that the designations refer to two separate deities, El being the Canaanite high God also worshipped by Israel."* The pagan's god, Satan, the god of the Canaanites, <u>was</u> worshipped by apostate, fallen Israel, <u>but not all fell to apostacy!</u>

Perhaps the Jewish commentary should have said that the Canaanite high God was worshipped by <u>apostate Israel</u> but not <u>True Israel</u>. Not all of Israel fell to heathenism. Let us remember what the <u>real</u> Most High God said to Isaiah, *"Yet I have left me seven thousand in Israel, all the knees which have not bowed unto Baal, and every mouth which hath not kissed him."* {I Kings 19: 18: King James Version of the Holy Bible}

Again, in the New Testament we have the same declaration against apostasy and the falling away from the True God repeated! "But what saith the answer of God unto Him? I have reserved to myself seven thousand men, who have not bowed the knee to the image of Baal. Even so then at this time also there is a remnant according to the election of grace...what then: Israel hath not obtained that which he seeketh for; but the election hath obtained it, and the rest were blinded (According as it is written, God hath given them the spirit of slumber, eyes that they should not see, and ears that they should not hear;) unto this day." {Romans 11: 4-8}

<u>The Jewish New Testament</u>, translation by David H. Stern, renders the following for Romans 11: 4-8—"But what is God's answer to him? 'I have kept for myself seven thousand men who have not knelt down to Ba'al.' It's the same way in the present age: there's a remnant, chosen by grace...Israel has not attained the goal for which she is striving. The ones chosen have obtained it, but the rest have been made stonelike, just as the Tanakh says, 'God has given them a spirit of dullness—eyes that do not see and ears that do not hear, right down to this present day.'"

TWO GODS, TWO MASTERS AND THE **TETRAGRAMMATON** OF JEWRY, NO CAN DO! Christian Scripture exhorts its followers to beware of trying to follow two masters: *"No man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other".* {Matthew 6: 24, King James Version of The Holy Bible}

DEFINITION OF **TETRAGRAMMATON**~Remember that the Jewish Publication Society has informed us that the **Tetragrammaton of the Jewish Religion (YHVH) is believed by some scholars to be a designation that refers to** *"two separate deities"*. The God of the Israelites, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob and the God of the New Testament is the same God and He is One, not two or three or a **Pan**theon of gods. {<u>The Jewish Study Bible</u>, p. 331 side commentary}

GNOSTIC TETRAGRAMMATON CONNECTIONS~"In the celebration of the High Mass in the Universal Gnostic Church, as given in the February 1928 occult issue of the 'Revue Internationale des Societes Secretes', the High-Priest thus invokes their Lord I.A.O.: Thou art unity. Thou art our Lord in the universe of the Sun. Thou art our Lord within ourselves...Glory be to Father and to Mother, so son and daughter, and the Holy Spirit without and within...**The Tetragrammaton**...Six in one...There is no other law than this, Do what thou wilt...Bar-Jesus' god is I.A.O. and his power

*is the power of the interlaced triangle!"* {LD p. 147-148} Wow, what a line up of pagan terminology! Unity (there can be no unity of darkness/Unrighteousness with The True Light of Righteousness), Sun worship (Satan worship), salvation by Self (also known as 'Be Your Own God'), Goddess/God as Mother worship, daughter worship (whatever that is) and the unholy spirit (the spirit of antichrist), the Tetragrammaton: All <u>against Jesus</u> (Bar-Jesus).

GOLDEN DAWN TETRAGRAMMATON CONNECTIONS~ Isis of the Golden Dawn teaches that the **Tetragrammaton** is the four letters of God's name and is associated with the four Tarot suits, the four Evangelists of Druidic writings and the four elements. {<u>Isis of the Golden Dawn</u>. 1/12/06} All of these associations are pagan in origin. Isis of the Golden Dawn is an organization with bad associations as well, associations like drug running, human trafficking, the infamous "King of Evil" Maurice Strong and, of course, the occult and the worship of satan.

<http://www.golden-dawn.org/four\_elements.html>.}

OCCULT TETRAGRAMMATON CONNECTIONS~The infamous Satanist/occultist Aleister Crowley taught that the **Tetragrammaton** referred *"to the four 'elements', Fire, Water, Air, Earth, in the order named"*. {MTP p. 22} Such teachings do not reflect the teachings of Biblical Christianity. Rather, such teachings are part of the false teachings and practice of witchcraft and sorcery.

ROSICRUCIAN TETRAGRAMMATON CONNECTIONS~ Rosicrucian teachings also verify that the **Tetragrammaton** is derived from the occult and represents the four elements: air, fire, water and earth and relates to nature worship and witchcraft rather than the worship of the True God, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob and of Israel (at least those who stayed true to Him). {LD p. 153}

SOLAR LOGOS SATAN-SUN WORSHIP AND THE TETRAGRAMMATON~According to occultist P.D.

Ouspensky in his book, <u>The Symbolism of the Tarot</u>, Card XIX of the Tarot is *"The Sun...the symbol and manifestation of the Tetragrammaton...Logos"*. {ST p. 13-14} Tarot cards are used in the occult for fortune telling. They are often associated with Gypsies. <u>The World Book Encyclopedia Dictionary</u> tells us that a Gypsy is *"a person belonging to a wandering group of people having dark skin and dark hair, of Hindu origin"*. {WBED Volume A-K, p. 886} Hinduism is a religion much different than and far from Christianity—about as far as you can get.

ZEUS, THE SACRED TETRAGRAMMATOR?~In 1827 Godfrey Higgins, probably a Freemason, published a book called, The Celtic Druids. In that book we find the following quotation: "...thus the sacred *tetragrammator* might be rendered...Father, Zeus...or Jupiter..." {TCD p. 198} The sungod Zeus was black as was his illegitimate son Apollo. {MYTH p. 174 and 186} Zeus was known as "The **Trickster**". {TGR p. 70} Zeus committed violent rapes and perpetrated seemingly endless deceits while exhibiting **a** complete and total lack of concern for the consequences of his unspeakable behavior. The behavior of Zeus, the pagan King of Heaven and the pagan King of Gods was a poster child for and the definition of evil and posed serious problems even for pagans. Eventually Zeus' mythological behavior and true identity as the progenitor of evil and Satanism was hidden, denied or cleverly spiritualized. {TGR p. 69-70} Zeus was the highest god and the father of all gods in the paganism of Greek mythology. He was "Black and woolly haired, having originated in Africa. His chief title was Ethiops (Burnt Faced)." In other words, Zeus was a god associated with Satan, Ham and Druids.

{http://members.aol.com/jywanza1/Madonna.html}

Clearly, in the Tetragrammaton YHVH we have represented the god of Druidic Satanism, not the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

The following are all symbols for this false god:

The bull, also a symbol for Zeus. {SVZ p. 116}

The eye was regarded variously as the eye of **Zeus** (Satan), **Allah**, Ahura Mazda, Ra and Varuna. {DOMO}

The Indo-European Zeus was symbolized with thunder and fiery lightening bolts. He resided on the top of Mount Olympus. {WGWAW p. 115}

"The Celts [Druids] regarded the oak as the symbol of a high god, of the sun..." {RAC p. 199} "At Dodona, perhaps the oldest of all Greek sanctuaries, Zeus [Satan-Tetragrammaton] was worshipped as immanent in the sacred oak...The oak was the principal object of worship of Celts, Germans, Slavs...Jupiter or Zeus [Satan-Tetragrammaton] to the Greeks worshipped as immanent in the sacred oak." {TGB Volume 2 p. 291 and 321} The Druids held the oak tree to be symbolic for sun/phallic worship and associated it with Zeus (Satan-Tetragrammaton) and Jupiter. {TD p. 40-41} "...the great god of the oak...among the Celts of Gaul the Druids esteemed nothing more sacred than the mistletoe and the oak on which it grew; they chose groves of oaks for the scene of their solemn service, and they performed none of their rites without oak leaves. 'The Celts,' says a Greek writer, 'worship Zeus, and the Celtic image of Zeus is a tall oak'...Indeed the very name of Druids is believed by good authorities to mean no more than 'oak men'...The god of oak...was indeed the chief deity of their pantheon." {TGBMR p. 185-187} Indeed, the deity of the druids is satan!

EL ELYON: El Elyon is the pagan deity of ancient Canaanite worship. Some have suggested that this is the name of the "True God", which is not correct. {BEB Volume 2, p. 1433} Page 331 of <u>The Jewish Study Bible</u>, footnote a, misinforms the reader that God=El. God does not equal El. The name of the True God is <u>not</u> El. An unfortunate mistake has been made and continues to be made.

Again, and **unfortunately, we find the following Tanakh side commentary** for Numbers 23: 8 from <u>The Jewish Study Bible</u> of the Jewish Publication Society: With regard to God"The deity name 'El,' probably short for 'Elohim,' God, appears in parallel construction to the Tetragrammaton (YHVH). Some scholars believe that the designations refer to two separate deities, El being the Canaanite high God also worshipped by Israel." The pagan's god, Satan, the god of the Canaanites, was worshipped by apostate, fallen Israel, but not all of Israel fell to this false god and this false religion!

**Elohim is the plural of Allah in Arabian.** {DOTB, Volume 2, p. 199}

EMBEZZLEMENT: In 1836 Joseph Smith and other prominent Mormon leaders started the Kirtland Safety Society Bank and issued bogus money that they would not redeem *"for equal value in silver or gold…Joseph Smith and a cashier were accused of embezzlement."* In 1838 enraged citizens drove Joseph Smith out of Kirtland. {HLF p. 59-60 and JNU Volume IV, p. 334}

F.W. WOOLWORTH, ANACONDA, NABISCO, HUSKY OIL AND PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE: Mormonism claims corporate membership and/or control of these corporations by virtue of little known Mormon executives located within each. {ASRMP p. 119} Many other businesses such as AT&T are also on the list of Mormon owned or controlled.

**FALSE TEACHINGS**: These are a few of the false teachings of Mormonism:

- (1) Jesus is not divine, but was conceived through sexual intercourse between God the Father and Mary, this God the Father was once a man on another planet and we are the result of that man having sex with "God the Mother";
- (2) Baptism and prayer for the dead;
- (3) We were created not by God, but through "intelligence";
- (4) Man is god;
- (5) Belief in evolution and not creation;
- (6) The incident in the Garden of Eden was a good thing and not a fall;
- (7) Belief in many gods (Polytheism);
- (8) Salvation can be obtained nowhere except in the Mormon Church;
- (9) Man's true nature is not bad, but good;
- (10) The Mormon Church is the only true church on earth;
- (11) "Kingdom Now" theology.

Since Mormons claim that they are Christians, many people outside of their church have found the following position statements of the Mormon Church to be perplexing:

(1) The position of the Mormon Church that the Mormon Church is, "The only true and living church upon the face of the whole earth". {MMD p. 136}

(2) The position of the Mormon Church that, "The power of God unto salvation is absent from all but the Mormon Church (The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints)..." {ESA p. 9}

(3) The position that the Mormon Church is, "the only organization authorized by the Almighty to preach his gospel and administer the ordinances of salvation, the only Church which has power to save..." {MMD p. 136}

These apparent heresies have historically been explained simply by the fact that the Mormon Church denies the Divinity of Jesus (MMM p. 91-92). In other words, the Mormon Church is representing "another gospel" with "another Jesus".

Since Mormonism is built upon a gospel different from the Christian Gospel, Mormon claims as listed above become understandable only within the context of the false teachings of the Mormon LDS Church; teachings that are not Christian.

Since the Mormon Church claims to preach a Christian Gospel, there follows a comparison of some of the doctrinal positions presented by the Mormon Church as compared to the doctrines of the Bible. They are not the same. The truth shown through the comparisons makes it clear that the **Mormonism Latter-day Saints is not a Christian religion**.

FLEECING THE SHEEPLE\* "SAINTS": \*Sheeple are people who act like sheep by allowing themselves to be herded to the slaughter by falsehood and deceit and manipulation and fear.

The Mormon Hierarchy and powerful Mormon businessmen have not stopped short of fleecing their own. In just one incident, prominent Mormons and Mormon General Authorities fleeced their fellow "Saints" out of over two hundred million dollars (\$200,000,000.00) during the late 1970's and the early 1980's. According to the Mormon United States Utah Attorney, the Mormon Shepherds fleeced about 10,000 investors. {ASRMP p. 121} It may be assumed that the Mormons deliberately under estimated these figures. The actual numbers would have been much larger. The Utah United States Attorney made the following statement: *"We* [Utah Mormons] *are becoming the fraud capital of the nation"*. {ASRMP p. 121}

In 1983 twenty-one Mormons were accused of criminal activities relating to what the United States Attorney called, *"a Mormon marketing strategy"*. The criminal fraud plotted and carried out by the Mormons became one of the biggest federal criminal fraud investigations in the history of the United States. Mormons fleeced fellow Mormons out of over thirty two million dollars (\$32,000,000.00). The vast Mormon Media Control apparatus moved quickly to cover-up the public relations nightmare. {ASRMP p. 246 and 248}

In the 1980's Mormon investors were "encouraged" to purchase Gold Certificates manufactured by a Mormon General authority. To say that the face value purchase price was highly inflated would be gross understatement. When this particular fleecing of the Mormon Sheeple finally fell apart, the Mormon Sheeple-Saints were out over six hundred and twelve billion dollars (\$612,000,000,000.00). At the time, \$612,000,000,000.00 was about half of the National Debt. {ASRMP p. 121-122} Money and power is The Force behind Mormonism. The God of the Mormon Hierarchy is Money or Mammon.

FRAUD (BURIAL PLOT FRAUD): In 1925 the brother of high-level LDS Apostle George A. Smith (Eighth President of the Mormon LDS Church-1945) became the Founding Director of an enterprise to sell burial plots. *"By 1932, the company is in receivership and the company principals are charged with fraud...Apostle Smith pulls strings in all arenas to have the charges dropped...The men are acquitted, but the court determines that fraudulent representations were made."* {HLF p. 59-60} Is the Mormon Hierarchy "Above the Law" as its leaders claimed?

FRAUD (JOSEPH SMITH WAS A FRAUD): Remember that in 1899 one anthropologist had the following to say about Joe Smith's production of the Book of Mormon: *"a grotesque monstrosity, born of deceit and bred in falsehood…a mélange of plagiarisms from the Old and New Testaments"*. {Perry Benjamin Pierce, "The Origin of the 'Book of Mormon", *American Anthropologist* 1 (1899), p. 694} Not long after anthropologist Pierce published his findings, a psychologist by the name of Theodore Schroeder published a clear indictment against Joseph Smith, calling him *"an ignorant conscious fraud"*. {Theodore Schroeder, "Authorship of the Book of Mormon", *American Journal of Psychology* 30 January 1919, p. 66} Mainstream scientific criticism has been equally firm in denying the credibility of Joseph Smith. {See Robert Wauchope's, <u>Lost Tribes and Sunken Continents</u>, Chicago, Illinois: University of Chicago Press, 1962, p. 50-68}

FREEMAN INSTITUTE STARTED BY MORMON CLEON SKOUSEN CHANGED NAME TO THE NATIONAL CENTER FOR CONSTITUTIONAL STUDIES:

Mormonism has deep connections to the John Birch Society as well as other right-wing organizations. The foundation of Mormon influence in this area is the Freeman Institute. The Freeman Institute's President is W. Cleon Skousen, a Mormon. **Skousen was with the Federal Bureau of Investigation for sixteen years**. He was the Chief of Police in Mormon controlled Salt Lake City and Editorial Director of the National Police Magazine, *Law and Order*. He obtained a law degree from the infamous George Washington University that is well known for its pro world order government stance. Skousen taught at the Mormon Brigham Young University for thirteen years.

Skousen started the Freeman Institute on July 4, 1971 in a judo training room just next to the Brigham Young University (BYU) campus. The staff is mostly Mormons. The name "Freeman" was chosen because, according to the brochures, men were "freemen" before they called themselves Americans; thus, the ideals of the Freeman Institute predate (and pre-empt?) the American Republic. But the name also signifies a strong and deep Mormon connection: The *freeman* was someone sworn and covenanted to maintain the rights and privileges of the Mormon religion and their concept of a controlling theocracy. {MCE p. 152-154} By their own admission, the Mormon Freeman go to foreign countries to teach a "model constitution" drawn up by the Freeman Institute: *"We've taken certain concepts of the Restored LDS Gospel and incorporated them into our working model of what an ideal constitution should be".* {MCE p. 154 quoting a 1981 interview with an official of the Freeman Institute in Salt Lake City}

The Freeman Institute has been called "a right-wing think-tank". Some of the activities of the "Institute" include opposition to the Federal Communication's (FCC) fairness in editorial broadcasting doctrine, subsidies to farmers and social security. Policies considered subversive to America's democratic interests is cited as the reason why the Freeman Institute became linked and coalesced with the John Birch Society. "APOSTLE" EZRA TAFT BENSON—It has been noted that highranking Mormon leader, Apostle Ezra Taft Benson, keeps rather regular attendance at Freeman Institute events along with Benson's son Mark. Mark Benson is the Freeman Institute Vice-President. {ASRMP p. 92}

CONSERVATIVE CAUCUS, INC.—Mormon's Freeman Institute has been wooing organizations that might otherwise have become a threat to their agenda. The National Director of the Conservative Caucus; is cited in a Freemen brochure as praising the work of Skousen. {MCE p. 158}

EAGLE FORUM (PHYLLIS SCHLAFLY)—Another organization being wooed by the Mormons is Roman Catholic Phyllis Schlafly and her Eagle Forum. Mormon's Freemen Institute's brochures place pictures of Skousen and Schlafly together over captions claiming that many scholarships have been given to Eagle Forum leaders; scholarships to enable Eagle Forum to attend Skousen's seminars on the United States Constitution. {MCE p. 158} Remember, the Mormons have been quoted as saying that they are working on an "ideal constitution" {MCE p. 154}

FROM THE PULPIT—Freeman Institute meetings have been announced from Mormon pulpits and Freeman Institute literature is taught in Mormon LDS Church groups. {ASRMP p. 92}

JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY—In 1983 a Korean Air Lines passenger jet was shot down by a Soviet Fighter jet. One of the passengers killed was Larry P. McDonald, National Chairman of the John Birch Society and founder of an organization called Western Goals. Western Goals was compiling computerized dossiers on anyone who "would seek to bring revolutionary change to America". A certain speaker at the Freeman Institute and a prominent Mormon actress were among those who had been targeted by Western Goals. {MCE p. 154-155} It has been said that the John Birch Society was trying to tell people what was happening with regard to whose hands were found in "the government's multibillion dollar cookie jar", but their message was "drowned out". {MCE p. 156} It has also been said that jet liners are shot down for the purpose of assassinating certain individuals on board—a perfect cover drenched in blood. JOE SMITH—Pictures of Mormonism's founder, Joseph Smith, Jr., have been incorporated into literature distributed by the Freeman Institute. {ASRMP p. 92}

MOONIES—There is a "coalition" between Mormonism and the King of Cults (Sun Myung Moon's Moonies) and the Freeman Institute's World Order Global Governance agenda. The call to battle resounds with the propaganda of mind-control and occult buzzwords: *"Pioneering New Leadership for the New Age".* {GM p. 255}

MORAL MAJORITY—"...the Mormons and the 'new religious right'...such as Reverend Jerry Falwell have been exploring mutual interests and values while seeking out the possible advantages and limits of cooperation." {MCE p. 157} The vice-president of the Mormon's Freemen Institute stated that, "Reverend Jerry Falwell and Dr. Skousen are close, personal friends..." {MCE p. 156-157 quoting an interview with the vice-president of the Freemen Institute, Salt Lake City, December 16, 1983}

Falwell called the Mormon Freemen Institute "the leading conservative group in the country...Every conservative group in the country relies on the Freemen Institute for the best quality research on Constitutional questions...we agree on everything". {See United Press International interview, "Falwell Falls for Freeman"}

In 1984 the Freemen Institute changed its name. It is now known as the National Center for Constitutional Studies. The change is presumed to cover its Mormon ownership and control as well as to eliminate the need for awkward and embarrassing explanations concerning the word "*freemen*". {MCE p. 159} But remember that the Mormons are also pushing an Ideal Mormon Constitution. Rise up members of the John Birch Society and stop pandering the agenda of the Mormons.

SPYING—The tight connections between the International Mormon Spying System and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) were made clear when L. Martell Bird was appointed head of Mormon Security in 1981. Bird had been an FBI Agent for some time before his appointment. During Bird's appointment as an FBI Agent, W. Cleon Skousen, the Founder of the Freeman Institute, was also working for the FBI. {ASRMP p. 235}

TIM LaHAYE—Mormon Freemen Institute's Cleon Skousen has appeared publically with evangelical Tim LaHaye. {See a broadcast of a dialogue among Tim LaHaye, Jerry Falwell and Cleon Skousen, KWJS-FM 95, June 26, 1982 from Arlington, Teas}

GOALS: The goal of the Mormon Church is to establish the Kingdom of God on Earth. They plan to "take over" possibly when the world falls into chaos. The Mormon Church is the most secretive church in existence. Researchers have found that, rather than assessing the rhetoric of its leaders, a better way to assess the true goals of the Mormon church is to examine the influence that the Mormon church has had in the corporate world and, especially, in the areas of politics, the military, media and international "community" (controversial social policy and control of what people think in the areas of education, science and culture). {MCE p. 25 and 29} The Mormons believe that they are destined to restore order during the coming chaos. {MCE p. 231} The anticipated Mormon ruler ship would be both political and religious. It should be kept in mind that current Mormon ruler ship is based upon a dictatorship.

Part of the goal of the Mormon Empire is a Theocratic Dictatorship. The Mormon Hierarchy exerts extreme pressure upon the Mormon "Saints" to obey the dictates of the Mormon leaders. Obedience is not to be diminished by either God or conscience. The Mormon Presidents and the Mormon Apostles claim absolute and total authority. According to Mormonism, there can be no salvation outside of the Mormon LDS Church and/or without complete obedience to the demands of the Mormon Hierarchy, Mormon Presidents and Mormon "Apostles". The leaders of the LDS church believe that they are not accountable to anyone for anything. {GM p. 8 and 9} Mormonism believes it is "Above the Law".

> COMMUNAL COMMUNISM—Gottlieb and Wiley have suggested that Mormonism was originally designed to be a Totalitarian Dictatorship based upon a communal form of Communism. {ASRMP} It doesn't appear that the original design has changed.

> COMMUNICATIONS EMPIRE—The conglomerate of communication holdings of the Mormon church is said to represent the **"linchpin" of their post-millennial plan for the**

take-over and control of the world. The Mormon church has "extensive investments" in space satellites, television and radio stations. Church communications holdings have become so vast in recent years that Federal Communications Commissioner Nicholas Johnson called the LDS church, "a media baron of substantial proportions". {See Federal Communications Reports, Volume 1, 2d series, February 1996, p. 464-465} The Mormon Church owned an affiliate station of NBC (the National Broadcasting Company) and then switched affiliation to CBS (Columbia Broadcasting System). The Church owned Bonneville International is a very powerful Mormon communications conglomerate that controls nine other Mormon Church owned corporations. The Mormon Church owns two commercial television stations, at least twelve radio stations (some researchers claim at least 33), a Washington, D.C. news bureau, a Hollywood movie production studio and ever expanding radio In 1974 the U.S. data systems and satellite-cable systems. Department of Justice accused the Mormon Church of creating a communications monopoly, noting that the Mormon KSL-TV possessed the largest ADI (Area of Dominant Influence) of any station in the United States. {Federal Communications Reports, Volume 62, 2d Series, 1976, p. 255}

CONTROL OF EDUCATION—Brigham Young University (BYU), the largest private religious university in the world, trains and places Mormons in key intelligence and educational positions. Mormon T.H. Bell was the Secretary of Education in the Reagan cabinet. Mormon David Gardner was the head of a major commission on education for Reagan, and Bell was the President of the University of Utah and then the head of the University of California. The University of Colorado has had a Mormon Dean. Mormon Sterling M. McMurrin was the Commissioner of Education during the Presidency of John Kennedy. You will find a Mormon in the highest positions in nearly every major university in the nation in **control of education**.

CONTROL OF NEWSPAPERS—It is an undisputed fact that the Mormon Latter-day Saints Church pushed for control of every newspaper in the Salt Lake City and Ogden, Utah area during the 1800's and the early 1900's for the purpose of eliminating criticism of the Mormon Church and controlling votes. In 1890 the Federal Government forced church leadership to reorganize the church and "disenfranchise". The response was the secret purchase by the Mormon church of various newspapers, which were then claimed to be "disenfranchised" and given the appearance of being non-Mormon.

The Mormon historian D. Michael Quinn put it like this: "as the Mormons entered national politics the hierarchy either openly or privately controlled prominent Democratic, Republican, and politically independent newspapers of Utah's two most populous cities". {See D. Michael Quinn's Yale University PhD Dissertation, The Mormon Hierarchy, 1832-1932: An American Elite, Yale University, 1976, p. 241-249}

CONTROL OF THE BUREAU OF RECLAMATION—Mormon Robert Broadbent was the Director of the Bureau of Reclamation during the Ronald Reagan administration. Broadbent then jumped into the position of Assistant to the Secretary of the Interior. {ASRMP p. 85}

CORPORATE EMPIRE—The financial empire of the Mormon church consists of vast directories and networks that interlock and control its vast and secret investments including shopping malls, apartment complexes, government stocks and bonds, public utility stocks, agribusiness, communications, airlines, railroads, intelligence networks, intelligence gathering software, spying networks, farming, ranching, dairies, grocery stores, credit card companies, banks and banking conglomerates public utilities, oil, mineral interests, energy and real estate. {MCE p. 28 and 81} Apparently these conglomerates pay little or no tax.

HOLDINGS—The holdings of the Mormon church are unequaled by any other religious organization, including the Roman Catholic Church. {MCE p. 28} The labyrinth of holding companies established by the Mormon Hierarchy and their tax exempt status (granting them the right to withhold financial information) has made it <u>impossible</u> to even estimate their worth. One 2010 documentary entitled, *Mormonism: Miracle or Menace*, suggested that the number as not in the billions of dollars, but in the **trillions of dollars!**  *IMPERIUM IN IMPERIO*—By the late 1800's, the Mormon LDS Church was being accused of the following:

- (1) An *Imperium in Imperio:* an independent, temporal Kingdom of God and
- (2) Seeking to overthrow the government of the United States of America and/or any other civil government.

LOBBYING—The Mormon church exercises its corporate power as a *"powerful lobbying force in the nation's capital"*. {MCE p. 28}

MILITARY/POLITICAL INFLUENCE—The power and control of the Mormon church in spying and intelligence surveillance, the armed forces and the Congress of the United States is significant and growing rapidly due to the church's aggressive pursuit of power. {MCE p. 28}

The CIA recruits so extensively from the ranks of young Mormons that it has been said that the recruitment process of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) is almost exclusively from among Mormons. Journalist Kenneth C. Danforth once asked Mormon church leader Wendell J. Ashton, "Why is it that such huge numbers of Mormons are attracted to the CIA? The answer from Ashton was quite revealing: "The question is, 'Are our young men attracted to the CIA or is the CIA attracted to them?"" {See Kenneth C. Danforth's, "The Cult of Mormonism," Harpers, May 1980, p. 72} The Denver, Colorado CIA recruiter, Jack Hansen, said that the CIA takes almost anybody who applies to the CIA if they are Mormons! {See Donna Anderson's "Missionaries Mistaken for CIA Officers," Los Angeles Times, November 26, 1981, p. 15} Consider that the personnel director for the CIA was Mormon Bishop Jeffrey Willis. Mormon Michael J. Barrett was Assistant General Counsel to the Director of the CIA. {MCE p. 164-5}

It would appear the FBI and the CIA is a mere steppingstone in the Mormon Global Intelligence Network: *"…the LDS Church Security System has been known to recruit Mormons away from the CIA and the FBI".* {See: "FBI Names Ex-Bishop as Office Head," *Church News,* May 22, 1982, p. 11} Those "in the know" consider the intelligence gathering systems of the world to be "Mormon". And remember, the software used for code breaking and other intelligence work is produced by Mormon companies. In some instances, only Mormons even know how to use the software!

POLITICAL POWER—In 2007 the Mormon LDS Church reached a milestone in media control: Mormon Harry Reid, the majority leader of the United States Senate, had become the darling of television news programs. That being in place, Mormon and former Massachusetts Governor Mitt Romney announced that he would be running for the Presidency of the United States. Romney was running on a Republican ticket. {MORAM p. XIII} Romney ran for President of the United States in 2012 and lost. It is said that Romney's acceptance speech was leaked and that Romney had no other speech prepared because he was so certain that he would win that election.

PUBLIC IGNORANCE—The success of the Mormon church in the areas of power and money is said to be related directly to the fact that they have carefully **kept the general public ignorant of both their methods and their goals**. {MCE p. 28

PUBLIC UTILITIES—The Mormon church is an *"important owner of public utilities"*. {MCE p. 28} The true extent of Mormon ownership, control and future impact to you with regard to their vast public utilities empire is carefully kept secret. One thing is no longer a secret—the bills keep going up and up and up and up...

PUBLISHING—The Mormon LDS church has a vast publishing network that includes newspapers, magazines, journals and books. Mass publishing gives the church hierarchy opportunity to influence the minds of both Mormons and non-Mormons. Of particular importance is the power that publishing gives to "tailor its private and public images on a broad scale...to influence the non-Mormon communications industry". The Deseret Book Company is one of the biggest religious book publishers in the entire Rocky Mountain Region and has worldwide outlet stores. In 1965 the Mormon Church was the second largest controlling stockholder in the Times-Mirror Corporation which, in turn, owns many of the largest newspapers in the United states, including the *Los Angeles Times* and *The Denver Post*. {MCE p. 33 and 43-44}

Besides publishing and all other major systems of the world, many consider the intelligence gathering systems and storage systems to be in the control of the Mormon LDS church. Consider, too, that the software used for code breaking and other intelligence work is produced by Mormon companies. In some instances, only Mormons even know how to use the spying software produced only by Mormons!

THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM—It is interesting to note that Mormon Gene Merrill was the Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission during the New Deal. {ASRMP p. 88}

THE FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION—Mormon Apostle and John Birch Society supporter Ezra Taft Benson was able, through his growing influence in Washington, to have a Mormon appointed as the head of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. {ASRMP p. 88}

THE FEDERAL HOUSING AUTHORITY—Mormon Franklin D Richards was the head of the Federal Housing Authority during the New Deal. {ASRMP p. 87-88}

THE FEDERAL RESERVE—Mormon Marriner Eccles was the head of the Federal Reserve System during the time of the New Deal. {ASRMP p. 87}

GOD, ACCORDING TO MORMONISM: *"God himself was once as we are now, and is an exalted man"*. {From the Mormon's <u>Teachings of the Prophet</u> <u>Joseph Smith</u>, p. 345}

A MORTAL MAN—"Mormon prophets have continuously taught the sublime truth that God the Eternal Father was once a mortal man..." {Mormon Prophet Lorenzo Snow, quoted by Milton R. Hunter in, <u>The Gospel Through the Ages</u>, p. 104}

*"The Father has a body of flesh and bones as tangible as man's..."* {From *Doctrine and Covenants* 130:22} This statement is in direct

contradiction with the Christian Bible that clearly states: "*God is not a man*" (The Holy Bible, Numbers 23: 19).

A SCHOOL CHILD—"Remember that God, our heavenly Father, was perhaps once a child, and mortal like we ourselves, and rose step by step in the scale of progress, in the school of advancement; has moved forward and overcome, until He arrived at the point where He now is". {Mormon Apostle Orson Hyde, <u>Journal of Discourses</u>, Volume 1, p. 123}

ADAM IS GOD—Mormonism teaches that Adam was a god: "When our father Adam came in the garden of Eden, he came into it with a celestial body, and brought Eve, one of his wives, with him. He helped to make and organized this world. He is MICHAEL, the Archangel, the ANCIENT OF DAYS! About whom holy men have written and spoken—HE is our FATHER and our GOD, and the only God with whom we have to do". {Mormonism's Brigham Young, Journal of Discourses, Volume 1, p. 50} Brigham Young taught that he had "never yet preached a sermon...that they may not call *Scripture.* {Journal of Discourses, Volume 13, p. 95} On June 8, 1873, Brigham Young made the following statements: "How much unbelief exists in the minds of the Latter-day Saints in regard to one particular doctrine which I revealed to them, and which God revealed to me-namely that Adam is our father and our God..." {Deseret News, June 18, 1873, p. 308} The Christian Scriptures teach that Adam was created by God, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

ONE OF MANY GODS—"In the beginning, the head of the Gods called a council of the Gods; and they came together and concocted a plan to create the world and people it." {From Mormonism's <u>Teachings of the Prophet Joseph Smith</u>, p, 349}

"Gods exist, and we had better strive to be prepared to be one with them." {From Mormonism's Brigham Young, <u>Journal of</u> <u>Discourses</u>, Volume 7, p. 238}

THE SAME AS US—"God himself was once as we are now, and is an exalted man…" {From Mormonism's <u>Teachings of the Prophet</u> <u>Joseph Smith</u>, p. 345} The Christian Scriptures teach that God is a Spirit.

GODDESS: Mormon women are indoctrinated into the belief that they will one day become the Goddess wife of a new God. Their new God is their current husband, just as long as he obeys and pleases the Mormon Hierarchy. *"In this exalted motherhood she will be privileged to bear millions and perhaps billions of her god-husband's 'spirit babies,' who will eventually gain bodies to people the new earths that he will busy himself planning and forming."* {GM p. 51}

GOVERNMENT SEIZURE: For thirty years the Mormon population of Utah grew sharply because of Mormon funded immigration of laborers and craftsmen from England. At the time, the "funding agency" was known as the Mormon Perpetual Emigration Fund. Eventually, the assets of the Mormon Perpetual Emigration Fund were seized. They were seized by the Federal Government of the United States. {ASRMP p. 132-133}

GOVERNMENT SUBSIDY: The approach of World War I found Mormonism in remarkably favorable financial condition. American taxpayers were financing the construction of an extensive and far-reaching irrigation system for the Mormons. Federal agencies were also boosting the Mormon economy through the establishment of "services", including the Bureau of Land Management, the National Park Service, the Reclamation Service, the Army Corps of Engineers, the Bureau of Agricultural Engineering, the Bureau of Soil Conservation and the National Park Service. {MORAM p. 92}

HERESY: The Presbyterian Church made an extensive study of the theology of the Mormon LDS Church beginning in 1990. There was a followup in 1995. The Utah Presbyterian Report made the clear finding that: *"The only conclusion which can be reached is that the new and distinct religious tradition brought forth by the Mormon Church must be regarded as heretical"*. {MORAM p. 325}

ISLAM, KHASHOGGI, ILLEGAL ARMS AND THE MORMON EMPIRE: The Mormon LDS Church has gained a foothold and a friend in Saudi Arabia and entry into Islam. In assessing the seriousness of this, the reader should consider that the Mormon LDS Church is the only "religion" permitted to have a "stake" or outpost in an Islamic country. The employment opportunities offered to Islamic converts is quite attractive to the Islamic population. Considerable inroads have been made by the Mormon LDS Church and their missionary work flourishes in Saudi Arabia. Islamic Moslems are converting to Mormonism in great numbers. Sociologist Rodney Stark has indicated that Mormonism is becoming the most significant and important religion of the world—comparing it to the emergence of Islam. {MORAM p. XVII}

In further assessing the magnitude and implications of the successes that the Mormon LDS Church has made, it should be noted that "Christian" missionary work in Saudi Arabia is illegal. The privilege and power enjoyed in Saudi Arabia by the Mormon LDS Church may be due to the fact that the Mormon LDS Church is <u>not Christian</u>. Further, it could be argued that there is a special relationship between the leadership of the Mormon LDS Church and leaders of Saudi Arabia. Noteworthy is the fact that the Khashoggi family of Saudi Arabia is a "heavy investor" in Salt Lake City. In fact, Adnan Khashoggi has made a fortune in commissions as representative for American companies wanting to invest in Saudi Arabia and as a representative for foreign countries wanting to invest in "<u>The Mormon Kingdom</u>".

Adnan Khashoggi was a "significant figure in the Mideast arms trade. Lockheed [and Maurice Strong] retained him and Litton, Northrop, Raytheon, and dozens of other arms merchants in the U. S. and Europe followed suit". {See Bob Gottlieb and Peter Wiley's, "Triad Utah: Angels or Flying Carpetbaggers?" Utah Holiday, March, 1983, p. 45} Just one real estate tie between the Mormon LDS Church and the Khashoggi family is through a holding company called **Triad America**: The entire project is called the Triad Project. The Khashoggi family received a federal grant from America through the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) in the amount of one-and-one-half million dollars (\$1,500,000.00)—pushed through by Utah's Mormon Senator Jake Garn. {MCE p. 234}

The international machinations of the Khashoggi family have been described as an "intricate web". Mohammed Khashoggi was the personal physician to the Saudi Arabian King. {MCE p. 233-234} Control of the World Health Organization and other organizations that control **biological warfare**, bio-medical warfare, medicine, responses to disease "outbreaks" and other crucial medical issues is an area apparently highly coveted by Mormon leaders. The degree of success that the Mormon LDS Church has made in this area is a suggested topic of research for the reader.

ARAB MONEY—Mormon Orrin G. Hatch and Mormon Jake Garn, both helped the Mormon LDS Church in using their influence as United States Senators. The law calls this a crime of conflicting interest. Nevertheless and without worry of legal sanctions, these two Mormons gained Federal Funding for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints' Mormon Triad Office in Salt Lake City. The Triad Project (Arab owned) brought together Mormon real estate, Mormon media control and Arab money. This was not the first consortium partnership between the Mormon Hierarchy and the Saudi Arabians. The Mormon LDS Church "joined forces" with the Khashoggis. The Saudi Arabian Khashaggi brothers Asil, Essam and Adnan (the clan leader) controlled the Triad Project.

Their money came from arms dealing, especially between European companies and American companies. Adnan Khashoggi became almost a household name when he was accused by the Congress of the United States and by the United States Securities Exchange Commission of making illegal and campaign contributions to Richard Nixon and of bribing the Northrop Corporation to the tune of four hundred and fifty million dollars (\$450,000,000.00). {ASRMP p.90, 115 and 117} One might wonder what other types of illegal trade were moving through the Saudi/Mormon Triad Project. Access to Mormon secured airports and Mormon secured properties adjacent to airports would surely make for worry free movement of all sorts of contraband, not to mention Asian Military Troops.

TRIAD UTAH—With the help of the Mormon Hierarchy, the Khashoggi family was able to create "Triad Utah" in Salt Lake City; complete with an International Center and an Industrial Park. Triad Utah was located on property very close to the Salt Lake City, Utah airport. The location was particularly attractive to arms dealers. The Mormon hierarchy pulled all strings necessary in order for the Khashoggis to be able to purchase the property, even though a United States Securities and Exchange Commission investigation of criminal activities of Adnan Khashoggi was in full swing. {ASRMP p.115} It may be assumed that the location would also be extremely attractive for drug traffic and other illegal trafficking—including slaves.

SLAVES—In 1852 Mormonism's Brigham Young ordered the Mormon controlled Utah State Legislature to pass a law legalizing slavery. For Mormons, the purchase of Indian slaves was of particular interest at the time. {ASRMP p.178}

JESUS, ACCORDING TO MORMONISM:

I DID IT FOR SATAN—Mormonism teaches that Jesus and Satan are brothers. Mormon Keith Normon holds a Ph.D in Religion from Duke University. In 1990 he published a paper that was presented at the Sunstone Symposium in Washington, D. C. Normon explained that the death of Jesus on the cross was not for the purpose of "letting us off the hook": The sufferings of Jesus were simply Jesus' expression of understanding to his brother Satan.

To what understanding could Mormon Normon possibly be referring? That would be the understanding of how much more important the work of Satan is than the work of Jesus. {MORAM p. 196 and 333} This is the foundation of the worship of Satan. This is known as Luciferianism.

JESUS DIDN'T DIE FOR OUR SINS, HE IS <u>GUILTY OF THEM</u>— Mormon Truman Madsen is a Professor of Philosophy at Mormon Brigham Young University (BYU). During an interview with Kenneth Woodward of *Newsweek* magazine, Madsen stressed that Mormons do not put crosses in their chapels. This is because Mormons believe that the only significant part about the crucifixion of Jesus (after all, many people have died by crucifixion) is that Jesus knelt in Gethsemane thus proving that **he himself was guilty of all of the sins of humankind**. {MORAM p. 334} It is hard to believe that anyone could make such a preposterous statement.

JESUS IN AMERICA—Mormonism teaches that: Jesus Christ came in the flesh to America after his resurrection and "ministered" to the ancient Americans. Then, the Christian Church was reestablished in New York. The New York Church was given power and authority from God—and its own priesthood. The Mormon priesthood claims to be the only authority in existence on the planet earth. This work of God in America, according to one leading Mormon "Apostle", began from 2,247 B.C. to A.D. 421. {MORAM p. XVIII}

JESUS' SECOND COMING--OR NOT: The Mormon belief system calls for the human establishment of the Kingdom of God on earth as a prerequisite of the Second Coming. {MCE p. 259 note 4} The Second Coming in Mormonism is <u>not</u> the return of the Messiah Jesus, the only begotten son of The Most High God. The Jesus of Mormonism is <u>not</u> the Jesus of Christianity.

Joseph Smith, the founder of Mormonism, taught that the Mormon Jesus would return at the Mormon "Temple Lot" located in Missouri, U.S.A.

JOE SMITH (BETTER THAN JESUS): Shortly before he was assassinated in 1844, Joseph Smith, the founder of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (Mormonism), had himself anointed as the "King, Priest and Ruler over Israel on Earth". Joseph Smith had declared "revelation" to his followers stating that he, **Joseph Smith, was,** *"above the kingdoms of this world, for I have no laws"*. {MORAM p. 3 and 13}

JOE SMITH/FOUNDER & FOUNDATION OF MORMONISM:

A FRAUD—According to the standard reference work on the subject of cults, Joseph Smith, *"was regarded as a fraud by those who knew him best".* {TKOTC p. 171}

JOE SMITH THE OCCULTIST—At his death, an occult talisman known as the Jupiter Talisman was found on Joseph Smith. "After explaining about the Jupiter talisman found on Joseph Smith at his death, the occult powers associated with it, and the fact that his mother's family identified this as 'Joseph's Masonic jewel,' Dr. Durham reminded his audience that he had set out to 'provoke some thought and present something new' concerning the undeniable relationship between Mormonism and Masonry". {From the Presidential Address given by Dr. Reed C. Durham, Jr., the Mormon History Associations outgoing President, at their Annual Convention held at the Nauvoo Hotel on April 20, 1974} Joseph Smith's father, Joseph Smith, Sr. was also deeply involved in the occult and "sometimes attempted to mint his own money". {TKOTC P. 169}

FORTUNE TELLER~The May, 1870 issue of *Historical Magazine* published an interview with Joseph Smith, Sr. in which he clearly stated and affirmed that his son, Joseph Smith, Jr. "told fortunes". This account is further substantiated by Reverend Dr. John A. Clark who, after "exhaustive research" involving the neighbors of the Smith family, came to the same conclusion: That the "prophet"

was a fortune teller, a "Peek Stone" addict and claimed supernatural powers to lie within the stones. {TKOTC p. 171}

OCCULT DIVINATION ("PEEP STONES")~Both Joseph Smith, Sr. and Joseph Smith, Jr. were addicted to treasure hunting and used an occult technique of divination known as "Peep Stones" or "Peek Stones" to locate their next "dig". It is interesting to note that, although the Mormon "Prophet" Joseph Smith, Jr. claimed that he was called to be a Prophet in 1820 when he allegedly received a vision in which God the Father materialized to him and announced that a restoration of true Christianity was needed and that Joseph Smith, Jr. was the chosen one to launch a new dispensation. Later Smith changed his story and claimed that two "personages" materialized to him, God the Father and God the Son. Smith returned to his clan's "Peep Stone Treasure Hunting"; apparently having not been greatly moved by his heavenly vision. The addiction of the Smith Clan to the search for buried treasure, and particularly the search for Captain Kidd's plunder, was so intense that, "History informs us that the Smith clan [dug] innumerable craters in the Vermont and New York countryside [which] testify to their apparent zeal without knowledge". "Further evidence, in addition to Mrs. Smith's statement (and prima facie evidence, at that), proves beyond reasonable doubt that the prophet was a confirmed 'Peek Stone' addict..." {TKOTC p. 170 and 171}

MAGIC ROCKS~"Peep Stones" were so called *magical rocks* which, when placed in a hat and partially darkened, would hopefully magically reveal buried treasure and lost items. Divining rods were of a similar nature, except they were used to find water as well. {TKOTC p. 170}

MARTYR OR MENACE~Did Joseph Smith really qualify as a martyr at his death? Were there other things going on in 1844 at the time that Smith was shot while trying to escape jail? History tells us that:

- (1) Joseph Smith had been charged with being an accessory to the attempted murder of Missouri Governor Lilburn Boggs in the spring of 1844. The Missouri governor had been shot in the head by an assailant who, although never caught, was rumored to have been hired by Joseph Smith. The Missouri governor had told the Mormon "saints" to either get out of Missouri--Or be exterminated!
- (2) In the spring of 1844 authorities had an extradition warrant for Joseph Smith relating to the matter of the **attempted murder** of Missouri Governor Lilburn Boggs.
- (3) In 1844 authorities were concerned about the **rampant polygamy** practiced by Joseph Smith and his top officials.
- (4) In 1844 Joseph Smith was being accused of **illegal land speculation**.
- (5) In 1844 Joseph Smith was being accused of cruel and unusual mistreatment of the Mormon "Saints".
- (6) Joseph Smith's closest friends were accusing him of being a false prophet and a fallen, degenerate man.
- (7) In 1844 Joseph Smith preached what Mormons consider to be the most important sermon that he had ever preached. The sermon was **rampant with false doctrine** which included:
  - a. Smith **denied that God had created "out of nothing**".
  - b. Smith presented doctrine that **there** were/are many Gods, not just one.
  - c. Smith said that **God used to be a man** and that he had a body.
  - d. Smith preached **eternal progression and other radical departures from Biblical teachings**.
- (8) In 1844 Joseph Smith petitioned to the Congress of the United States for authorization to muster

a one hundred thousand- (100,000) man army under orders to take orders from and have loyalty to Joseph Smith only Joseph Smith.

This demand made by Joseph Smith is interesting in light of the fact that Joseph Smith was in jail in Liberty, Missouri during the winter of 1839-1840: Smith had been accused of **treason.** {MORAM p. 3} In 1844 Joseph Smith petitioned to the Congress of the United States requesting that anyone who got in Smith's way would be immediately subject to imprisonment for two years.

- (9) In 1844 Joseph Smith declared himself as a candidate for the Presidency of the United States.
- (10) In 1844 Joseph Smith organized the secret "Council of Fifty" whose first act was to anoint Smith as "King, Priest and Ruler over Israel and Earth". This "Shadow Government" was composed of at least two known counterfeiters in addition to Smith and his friends. {MORAM p. 2-3 and 13}

NEW YORK v. JOSEPH SMITH—On March 20, 1826 a courtroom trial was held at which time testimony was given that Joseph Smith "had a certain stone which he had occasionally looked at to determine where hidden treasures in the bowels of the earth were..." {See Frazers Magazine (New Series), Volume 7, February 1873, p. 229} The practice of this type of divination and "money digging" was against the law. The "prophet" was found guilty.

OCCULTISM—Excommunicated former Mormon Historian D. Michael Quinn has made careful documentation of the occult activities of Joseph Smith, which include the practice of ritual magic and the ownership of talismans and occult objects. {MORAM p. 25}

"KINGDOM NOW" THEOLOGY: Mormonism teaches the anti-Biblical doctrine known as "Kingdom Now" theology. Mormon belief <u>requires</u> the

establishment of the Kingdom of God on earth by themselves before the Second Coming (whatever that might mean to a Mormon) can occur. {MCE p. 259, note #4} Philosopher Joe E. Barnhart describes Mormonism's postmillennialist teachings as, "roughly the position that through...the activity of the churches on Earth, the Kingdom of God will in fact gradually and steadily settle in, spreading around the globe, triumphing over evil and disease with a spiritual and moral power hitherto unknown in the world." This is vastly different from the scenario written in the Bible. Barnhart goes on to caution that in order to understand the Mormon drive for the accumulation of wealth and power, one must understand that the Mormon leaders teach that humans must attain certain preconditions before the Mormon Christ's return is possible (again, an anti-Biblical teaching). Mormonism, in its "Kingdom Now" theology, teaches that, "God will usher in his Kingdom through the mediation of human cooperation. After (post) millennium, Christ will return to Earth. In some versions of post-millennialism, Israel will be restored to unparalleled prosperity and influence for good, thus allowing God to fulfill literally his promises to Abraham and his descendants." {See Joe Barnhart's "Post-Millennial Nationalism," Proceedings of the Association for the Scientific Study of Religion: Southwest ASSR: SW: Dallas, 1983, p. 2-3}

Mormons are committed to *"building the kingdom of God on earth"*, for themselves and themselves <u>only</u>. {MORAM p. 37} Mormonism teaches that the Mormons are Abraham's true descendants and that the "Israel" to be addressed by Christ is currently located and headquartered in Salt Lake City, Utah. This Mormon teaching is one of the more outlandish ideas put forward by Mormonism.

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"LOST TRIBES OF ISRAEL": There is no Biblical justification for ten tribes of the original twelve tribes of Israel as having been or are currently "lost". Mormonism, however, teaches that ten tribes were "lost" and that they are now in the polar region and shall be somehow released and transported to Zion (Jerusalem) which, they claim, is in Missouri. Further, Mormonism claims that these "lost tribes" will bring with them vast fortunes that they will "share" with the Mormons. {See D. P. Kidder's <u>Mormonism and the Mormons</u>, p. 91 and TKOTC p. 224}

Joseph Smith, the Founder of Mormonism, said, "Men have lost millions of dollars, and hundreds of lives to find a country beyond the northpole; and they will yet find that country—a warm, fruitful country, inhabited by the ten tribes of Israel, a country divided by a river, on one side of which lives half the tribe of Mannasseh, which is more numerous than all the others". {See The Young Woman's Journal, Volume 3, p 263-264}

MAN AS GOD: *"As man is, god once was: as God is, man may become".* {Mormon Prophet Lorenzo Snow, quoted by Milton R. Hunter in, <u>The Gospel Through the Ages</u>, p. 105 and 106} Someone asked if this is where the expression "Snow Job" came from.

## MASONIC/MORMONISM:

JOSEPH SMITH THE MASON—The Mormon church was compelled to publically lie and deny its common roots with Masons when it came to light that just two months before developing the "Temple Ceremony" Joseph Smith had joined the secret society of the Masons in March of 1842. Interestingly, **Smith advanced to the degree of Master Mason in one day**! The dozens of precise parallels and word-for-word borrowings between the Masonic Temple Ceremony and the Mormon Temple Ceremony were claimed by the Mormon Church to be "just coincidence". {TMM p. 77}

BRITISH DRUIDISM~The ties between Joseph Smith's Mormon temple Endowment Ceremony and British Druidism and Masonic ritual are close indeed. Elements included secret names as passwords, ritual anointing of body parts, special garments and underwear, tokens, secret handshakes, oaths of secrecy, penalties for oath breaking, temple aprons and robes, ascent into the Celestial and the three-degree progression to exalted perfection. Common occult symbols inhabit the Druidic Masonic Mormon teachings as well. These include the all seeing eye of Satan, the sun of Satan/sun worship, the square and compass, the beehive and the hexagram. The cross of Jesus, the Messiah of Christianity is always conspicuously absent. {MORAM p. 198-199}

JUPITER TALISMAN—"After explaining about the Jupiter talisman found on Joseph Smith at his death, the occult powers associated with it, and the fact that his mother's family identified this as 'Joseph's Masonic jewel,' Dr. Durham reminded his audience that he had set out to 'provoke some thought and present something new' concerning the undeniable relationship between Mormonism and Masonry". {From the Presidential Address given by Dr. Reed C. Durham, Jr., the Mormon History Association's outgoing president, at their annual convention held at the Nauvoo Hotel on April 20, 1974}

MORMONISM'S MASONIC LODGE—The Mormon LDS Church owns and operates the tourism for the historic Nauvoo, Illinois Mormon Temple. Today's temple, built in 2002, is a 47,000 square foot replica of the original built in 1846. The original large brick Masonic Lodge still stands. The "leading Mormon citizens" were all members of the Masonic Lodge. {MORAM p. 1 and 6}

POLYTHEISM—"The gradual theological metamorphosis in Joseph Smith...to a polytheist who denied hell and promised godhood to the worthy on the basis of secret pagan Temple rituals is also consistent with the growing Masonic influence upon him." {GM p. 120-122}

"In the beginning, the head of the Gods called a council of the Gods; and they came together and concocted a plan to create the world and people it." {From Teachings of the Prophet Joseph Smith, p, 349}

SATANIC DRESS—"...the high priests of the satanic Macumba cult wear white costumes almost identical to Mormon Temple clothing, including the peculiar white hat and unique robes of Joseph Smith's Melchizedek or High Priesthood." {GM p. 190} The Santeria Cult also dresses their initiates all in white. This is done for about 30 days and is said to <u>be</u> becoming a "Saint". Santeria means, literally, "Sainthood" and has many gods, just as Mormonism. In Voodoo entire white clothing is worn during initiation and ordination. White is considered sacred to the Voodoo spirits of Dahomean origin. Ritual robes made from white cloth are also worn by some Wiccans according to the customs of certain traditions. The Parsi/Zoroastrian priests also dress in white robes, just like the Catholics and the Mormons.

SECRET DOCTRINE—"...in the pre-existence, there was a special Secret Doctrine...containing all the Mysteries..." {From the Presidential Address given by Dr. Reed C. Durham, Jr., the Mormon History Association's outgoing President, at their annual convention held at the Nauvoo Hotel on April 20, 1974} "...during the first 12 years of Mormonism's history nothing of the secret inner workings of Masonry came into the Church. It can hardly be a coincidence that it was only after Joseph Smith himself became a Mason and participated in secret Masonic rituals that Masonry literally transformed Mormonism." {GM p. 122}

THE BEE HIVE—The Mormon LDS Church imprinted beehives on the sidewalks leading to Mormonism's Temple Square and the Zion Cooperative Mercantile Institution. {MORAM p. XVI} Clearly, this establishes a strong and direct tie between Freemasonry and Mormonism, since *"the beehive is emblematic of the Masonic lodge itself…"* {MHRP p. 77}

In 1850, the newly appointed governor of Utah, Brigham Young, presided over the naming of the organized Mormon territory. The Mormons named the territory Deseret, which meant a honeybee to the Mormons. Congress rejected the idea and named the territory Utah.

THE "GREAT ARCHITECT"—Mormonism and Free Masonry both refer to God as, "The Great Architect". {TP-BY p. 30}

THE TEMPLE—There are "close similarities between Mormon and Masonic Temple ceremonies with their secret names, penalties, blood oaths, grips, and tokens, as well as many Masonic markings inside and outside Mormon Temples: the square, the compass, the beehive, the astrological symbols, the all-seeing eye of occultism, and the upside-down five-pointed star, symbol of Satanism". {GM p. 116} YOU CAN'T HAVE IT BOTH WAYS—Just as it is not possible to be both a Mason and a Christian, it is not possible to be a Mormon and a Christian. {GM p. 246}

MEDIA CONTROL: In the 1890's the federal government of the United States, as part of a massive disenfranchisement of the Mormon political empire, forced the Mormon hierarchy to have Mormons join either the Democratic Party or the Republican Party. In its usual brilliant political/military/religious maneuvering, the Mormon Church purchased local newspapers and declared some to be Republican and some to be Democratic. For example, in 1891 the Mormon LDS Church secretly purchased the *Salt Lake Times* and spewed out non-Mormon and Republican slanted newspapers. As Mormon historian D. Michael Quinn put it, "*…as the Mormons entered national politics the hierarchy either openly or privately controlled prominent Democratic, Republican, and politically independent newspapers of Utah's two most populous cities". {See D. Michael Quinn's, <i>The Mormon Hierarchy, 1832-1932: An American Elite* (Ph.D. dissertation for Yale University), 1976, p. 241, 242 and 249}

During the nineteenth and twentieth centuries, the Mormon LDS Corporate Church again worked diligently and unceasingly to gain control of the newspapers in Utah. Mormon leaders wanted to silence criticism of Mormonism, especially from non-Mormons, and to sway votes. {MCE p. 263 note 22}

MONOPOLIES: It has been the practice of Mormons to set up Church monopolies and drive out "gentile" competition whenever and wherever possible. {MCE p. 17} A "gentile" is anyone who is not a Mormon.

MORMON, INCORPORATED: Profit operations of the Mormon LDS Church are completely secret, they are owned by Mormon Hierarchy, 100%. Mormon money is privately held in private Corporations and Holding Companies such as the Corporation of the First Presidency and the Deseret Management Corporation. {ASRMP p. 259-260} Most Mormon holdings **pay no federal income tax**.

Businesses owned or controlled by the Mormon Empire include AT&T, Exxon, IBM, Public Utility Companies, Food production and distribution, Citi Cards, City Market, King Soopers, Safeway, Kroger (Smith's in New Mexico), Office Buildings, Book Stores, publishing Consortiums, Life Insurance Companies, Hotels, Radio Stations, Television Stations, Satellites, Technology firms, Farms, Ranches, Factories, Department Stores, Malls and all forms of Communication, News, Surveillance and Intelligence Gathering Apparatus. {DCSRO p. 198 (in part)} This is not a complete list.

MORMON MAFIA: It would appear that a global intelligencegathering network, that includes the FBI and the CIA and the KGB, is controlled by the Mormon Church. {MCE p. 128-178} British Intelligence (007), MI-5, MI-6, Interpol, Military Intelligence and Global Law Enforcement are also assumed to be involved.

This global intelligence (spying) network has been referred to as a Global *"Mormon Police Force"*. Researchers have suggested that this Global Mormon Police Force will eventually <u>appear</u> to be under the auspices of the United Nations...and will be *"indistinguishable from the young Mormon missionaries who walk door to door..."* {MCE p. 168} Some have suggested that a global Masonic police force already exists.

LAS VEGAS MAFIA—Mormon Las Vegas banker E. Perry Thomas was one of the most powerful Mormon Mafia figures during the 1970's. This Mafia Mormon built a vast financial empire by using his position as head banker for casino construction loans and by his use of the Mafia Teamster's Central States Pension Fund. When Mormon Casino Executive Shannon Bybee was asked about his very close and direct dealings with Mormon Mafia Perry Thomas; Mormon Bybee said: *"He's from Utah". {ASRMP p. 119-120}* 

Las Vegas Mormon United States Attorney, the late Devoe Heaton, set up a Mormon Credit Union and channeled the money to a non-existent corporation. {ASRMP p. 121}

**MORMON MILITARY**: "The Mormon church has become a **fantastically potent** force in the United States. It has a hand in the control of critically important institutions in this country." {See Frances Lang's "Mormon Empire," *Ramparts*, 1971, p. 43}

One of the premiere examples of Mormon control can be found in the United States Military Establishment. Further, the Mormon Church has at least three major organized militias of its own. These Mormon Armies are affectionately referred to among Mormons as "The Host of Israel" and "The Armies of the Lord". It is worth remembering that at the time of his death in June of 1844, Joseph's Smith had organized an Army called the Nauvoo Legion that *"was the largest private standing army in the continental United States"*. Joseph Smith's army was unparalleled in their *"warlike aspects, yea warlike character"*. {See John Henry Evans' *Joseph Smith: An American* Prophet, New York: Macmillan Press, 1938, p. 177 and MCE p. 169} Joseph Smith's Nauvoo, Illinois militia consisted of three to four thousand (3,000 - 4,000) men standing under arms. Those arms included many thousands of small arms and thirty "heavy pieces". United States Army consisted of only about eight thousand five hundred (8,500) soldiers. {MORAM p. 1 and 7}

Remember the Utah War of 1857. The United States invaded the territory illegally controlled by the Mormon Church. The despotism, murder, rape and pillaging by the Mormon Church could no longer be tolerated by a democratic nation. Mormon Bishops and Stake Presidents easily and smoothly shifted into their roles as leaders in the Mormon Army and were easily able to defeat United States Federal Government troops. {MCE p. 170}

AIR FORCE—Mormon Brien D. Ward was, the upon recommendation of then President Reagan and the United States Senate, promoted from Brigadier General to Major General and then became the Director of Laboratories for the Air Force Systems Command Headquarters at Andrews Air Force Base. Unlike most Mormons in such positions, Ward had not graduated from Brigham Young University. Rather, he was a West Point man and responsible for "providing policy, planning and technical direction to 14 research and development laboratories, five liaison offices and the European Office of Aerospace Research and Development". {See "'Research' General Promoted," Church *News*, January 23, 1982, p. 11}

Mormon "Apostle" Dallin Oaks' relative, Brigadier General Robert Oaks, was the Utah lawyer appointed by President Reagan to a high position at the Public Broadcasting System's lobbying team. Mormon Robert Oaks was, at the same time, the Commander of the 86<sup>th</sup> Tactical Fighter Wing located in West Germany at the **Ramstein Air Force Base**. {MCE p. 171}

During the 1980's "Mormon High Council" member Lieutenant General Richard E. Merking was the **Deputy Commander of Air Force Logistics and Engineering located in Dayton, Ohio at Wright-Patterson Air force Base**. {MCE p. 172} COAST GUARD—Mormon Alexander Yost "served the Mormons proudly" as the Rear Admiral of the United States Coast Guard and was often a speaker at Brigham Young University. {MCE p. 172}

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL—Mormon Brent Scowcroft was a Lieutenant General in the Air Force and the deputy to Henry Kissinger on the National Security Council during the administrations of both Nixon and Ford. {MCE p. 176}

The Mormon Church, using its members placed in high positions in military, government, legislature, executive, intelligence and defense, has extraordinary power in the affairs of American and Global Government. {MCE p. 176}

In 1983, a Mormon requesting to remain anonymous, gave the following statement regarding the Mormon Empire: *"…doors have already been opened and we've* [the Mormons] *been the men the Lord has selected to walk through those doors…You put together the political, military, and ecclesiastical into a group of men and you've got super-human leaders"*. {MCE p. 178}

MORMON MIND CONTROL: The Mormon methods of mind control and brainwashing have been described as, "incredibly effective!" {GM p. 39}

MYSTERY RELIGION: "…leading Mormons have admitted that Mormonism is actually a revival of the key doctrines of the mystery religions…Masonry likewise claims to be the restorer and perpetrator of the ancient mysteries, including the Secret Doctrine and the identity of God." {GM p. 121}

ANTICHRISTIAN—"Once initiated [into Masonry], Prophet Smith discovered in detail what he already knew only in part—that Masonry, like Mormonism, is a secret, antichristian mystery religion, as those who know it best have admitted". {GM p. 124}

**PRIESTHOOD OF LUCIFER**—"Thus were originated the secret functions of the 'Power and Priesthoods' of Lucifer, which form the very core of Mormonism. No honest investigator can deny that this all came out of Masonry's mystery religion heritage." {GM p. 127} NOAH: The Mormon LDS Church teaches that it was Noah who appeared to Mary to announce that she would be having a baby and that Noah is really the Angel Gabriel who is a human being. {MORAM p. 336}

OCCULTISM: In perfect step with Druidism and classical occultism, the "Gods" of Mormonism are termed "Ascended Masters", those who have learned universal laws and principles and are, therefore, self-existent "Masters". {GM p. 260} The idea of ascended masters comes from the ancient Hindu belief system that considers Buddha to be an ascended master and even throws Jesus into the mix, in an attempt to make Buddha and others equal with Jesus. This "religion" is also known as Luciferianism (the worship of Lucifer) and Satanism (the worship of Satan). Satan is the former fallen angel, Lucifer.

PAGANISM'S VEGETARIANISM: Evidence strongly suggests that Mormon doctrine includes the pagan teaching of vegetarianism. {MCE p. 215}

PERPETUAL EMIGRATION COMPANY: The Mormon Church found that by purchasing the passage to America for those wishing to immigrate, there was a ready supply of labor and tithe. By 1850 the Mormon Church had found the practice to be so lucrative that it established The Perpetual Emigration Company. By 1887 over 85,000 "Mormons" had immigrated across the Atlantic Ocean and migrated from the port cities to Utah. {MCE p. 10} Baron De Rothschild's transcontinental railroad (some say Rothschild stole it from another) was particularly helpful in this enterprise along with the Suisse-French Credit Mobilier bonding scam ultimately funded by the poor taxpayers of fledgling America. Credit Mobilier was the source of the worst legislative scandals in American history.

It is most interesting to note that one of the key provisions in the 1887 Edmunds-Tucker Act, that sought to disenfranchise the Mormon Church as a corporation, <u>dissolved</u> the Perpetual Emigrating Company. In 1882 The Edmunds Act was passed by the Congress of the United States, outlawing polygamy and making the practice of polygamy a felony. By 1887 anti-Mormon sentiments reached such a level that the United States Congress passed the Edmunds-Tucker Act that legally disenfranchised the Mormon church "Corporation". {MCE p. xiv and 12}

PHILOSOPHY PROFESSOR: Mormon Philosophy Professor and former U.S. Commissioner of Education Dr. Sterling McMurrin make the following statement in 1983: *"I came to the conclusion at a very early age...that you don't* 

get books from angels and translate them by miracles; it is just that simple. So I simply don't believe the Book of Mormon to be authentic. I think that all of the hassling over the authenticity of the Book of Mormon is just a waste of time...I believe that the Church [Mormon] has intentionally distorted its own history by dealing fast and loose with historical data and imposing theological and religious interpretations on the data that are entirely unwarranted." {See Blake Ostler's, "7EP Interview: Sterling M. McMurrin," Seventh East Press, January 11, 1983, front page}

It took the Mormon LDS Church less than one month to ban the *Seventh East Press* from BYU's (Brigham Young University) campus in Provo, Utah. {See "BYU Bans Paper: Academic Freedom Too?" *Chronical* (student newspaper of the University of Utah), July 27, 1983, front page} Under extreme public and private criticism, the LDS Church "kept" the newspaper, but under new management and censored "commentary" in an attempt to cast off the mounting criticism.

A few months later plans for a new and "independent" BYU Campus newspaper were announced by the Mormon LDS Church. The new paper had firm and direct "connections" to Mormon Apostle Ezra Taft Benson, who had been named as the individual who had called for the banning of the *Seventh East Press.* Of further interest is the fact that the new newspaper also had direct connections to Cleon Skousen and Skousen's Freeman Institute located in Salt Lake City, Utah. At least \$60,000.00 in start-up funds were made available to the new newspaper. The Institute for Educational Affairs located in New York had been specifically named as a supporting group. The new editor of the new newspaper, Mr. Reiher, received the blessings of the Dean of Student Life and the executive vice-president of BYU along with the following condition: *"…Reiher would not print anything against the Church* [Mormon] *or against Mormon doctrine…"* {MCE p. 208-209}

Brigham Young University (BYU) has the tightest theological control of any university or college in America. Organized Mormon spy rings within the university report on not only their classmates, their professors and whomever else they are told to spy on; but their reports are given to the Mormon Hierarchy.

The most prestigious honor society in America has consistently refused BYU's applications to form a chapter of their Phi Beta Kappa society on campus. The mission statement of Phi Beta Kappa and its encouragement of academic freedom were found to be in direct opposition to the Mormon stance <u>against</u> academic freedom. Prospective faculty interviews at BYU probe the conscience of those being interviewed in order to determine if they would cover-up "troublesome" research or other matters on behalf of the Mormon Church. In fact, the question is often directly asked during the interviews. {MORAM p. 227, 235, 237 and 240}

It should be remembered that one reason why Mormon LDS Church founder Joseph Smith and his brother Hyrum were arrested in Carthage, Illinois in 1844 was that Joseph Smith had ordered the destruction of the Nauvoo newspaper office because the newspaper had printed a criticism of Smith. Joseph Smith was later killed by a mob during an attempted escape from jail. The Mormon LDS Church claims that this qualified Joseph Smith to be acclaimed as a Martyr even though a multitude of other nefarious and devious criminal acts had been and were being committed by Joseph Smith and his inner circle at the same time.

PLAYING WITH THE TRUTH: The definitive source on cults informs us that, "...to those who have access to the facts, it is at once evident that Smith played recklessly, if not fast and loose, with the truth. In fact, it often appeared to be a perfect stranger to him." {TKOTC p. 171}

In 1867 Pomeroy Tucker published what has become a classic work in the area of Mormon history. In his book, <u>The Origin, Rise and Progress of</u> <u>Mormonism</u>, Tucker presented sworn statements from the Smith family neighbors and acquaintances of Joseph Smith, Jr. in particular. There was complete and total unanimous agreement in the testimony. On page 16 of that book the following conclusion is given: Joseph Smith, Jr. was known for *"his habits of exaggeration and untruthfulness…by reason of his extravagancies of statement, his word was received with the least confidence by those who knew him best. He could utter the most palpable exaggeration or marvelous absurdity with the utmost apparent gravity"*.

POLICE POWERS: In 1979 the Mormon controlled Utah legislature gave to Brigham Young University "campus police" all public police powers of law enforcement and arrest. These powers of the "campus police" **extended throughout the entire state of Utah!** Hiring, firing, and complete control was under the authority of the administrators of BYU (Mormonism's Brigham Young University). In other words, a private Mormon police force for the state of Utah was created. {MCE p. 204} POLITICAL POWER: **"The LDS Church has been described as part of a conspiracy of grand design."** The president of the Mormon Church holds the pre-eminent position of "divine authority" that is unparalleled by any other man. "He is the mouthpiece of God on earth for us today." {See "The Certain Sounds", *Church News*, October 9, 1983, p. 24} For Mormons, it is hoped that this "authority" will be transferred to the political realm.

In the early years of the Utah immigration, the Mormon "Saints" sought for complete political control of Utah. Any federal, non-Mormon appointee was seen as undermining Mormon control and dealt with accordingly. Further, Mormon use of slaves and practice of polygamy was being threatened by the federal government. The "Saints" wanted the federal government destroyed and worked with vigor and commitment in order to do so. The goal (end) was justified by any means; and no act, no matter how foul, was thought too low to go. {ASRMP p. 45} This fact is perhaps best exemplified in the horror and barbarism of the September 11, 1857 Mountain Meadows Massacre.

> ECONOMIC POWER—In 1985 the following was observed: A Mormon sits on and chairs the Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee. This grants to the Mormon LDS Church power and jurisdiction over the entire financial sector of the United States and all federal housing programs as well as all programs related to federal grants for urban renewal. A Mormon sits on the Senate Appropriations Committee, the most powerful committee in the Senate, due to its control of all federal spending. A Mormon chairs the Appropriations Committee.

> One Mormon holds all of these positions, Senator Jake Garn. {MCE p. 140} Mormon Garn, known as "The Housing Czar of America", has been credited with the current housing crisis which, it is anticipated, will (along with the "banking crisis") cause the entire economic downfall of the United States; thus paving the way for a world government (2009).

> Mormonism established banking control in Utah in the 1860's with the help of the Rothschild Dynasty. Mormon Agricultural and Textile Manufacturing Empires were also created. No action could be taken and no law could be instituted unless approved by the Mormon Dictatorship. {MORAM p. 52}

Some Mormons were unhappy with the monopolies formed by the leaders of their church. They wanted the Mormon leaders to discontinue their prejudicial practices. The dissident Mormons started a movement. The leaders, including William Godbe and other intellectuals of the Mormon community, were excommunicated. The news-paper that they had started, *The Salt* Lake Tribune, was taken over and no longer used as an anti-Mormon beacon. The Mormon Hierarchy labeled the movement the Godbeite Heresy and the economic reign of Brigham Young continued its march. Authors like Thomas O'Dea described it as "totalitarian".

In 1857 the then President of the United States, James Buchanan, sent to Utah the largest non-wartime army in history simply for the purpose of overseeing the installation of six non-Mormon federal officials in the Mormon state of Utah. {MORAM p. 52-54} Some say that the infamous Mountain Meadows Massacre of September 11, 1857 was Brigham Young's response.

MILITARY POWER—Members of the Mormon LDS church hold the "highest positions of civilian and military power". {MCE p. 128}

NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTIONS—The Mormon Church routinely appeals to the loyalty of its members for leverage control of the domestic and international policies of the government of the United States and other countries, including China. The impact has been described as "profound". Each day Mormons are placed into more and more key political, military, economic (including the Securities and Exchange Commission and The Senate Banking Committee), agricultural, federal, corporate, education, governmental, ambassadorial, war financing, state department, federal, state, senatorial, legislative, law, intelligence, the Oval Office and international policy positions. By its own admission, the LDS Church is morally ambivalent toward non-Mormons at best. {MCE p. 129}

NEWSPAPERS—The Mormon LDS church holds and wields considerable power through its vast publishing houses. The importance of such power to Mormonism is clearly seen in their publishing and communications holdings. The *Deseret News*, started June 15, 1850, was the first newspaper west of the Mississippi River and is regarded as "an extension of the Mormon Church". Deseret News Publishing Company and Deseret Press are both controlled by Mormon hierarchy along with television and radio holdings.

Church hierarchy required its editor and general manager William B. Smart to refrain from negative remarks regarding the Nixon's Watergate scandal and generally exerts "pressure" to slant editorials and decide which news finds its way to the public. Mormonism generally works both sides of an issue. If Mormon hierarchy wants a certain candidate elected, then that candidate receives favorable press from the *News*. **If a story is embarrassing to the Mormon church or its hierarchy, it is killed.** {MCE p. 35-38}

Mormonism pay-rolled E. Howard Hunt of Watergate fame, while appearing to be sympathetic to Nixon during the Watergate Scandal.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY—In 1966 the Mormon LDS Foundation was begun and known as the BYU Office of University Development, headed by David M. Kennedy. Kennedy had formerly been the Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive of one of Illinois' largest banking systems. In 1969, under President Nixon, Kennedy was promoted to the position of Secretary of the United States Treasury. {MCE p. 106}

POLYGAMY: "...one needs only to search the famous Berrian collection in the New York Public Library for volumes of primary information to the contrary [of what Mormonism says], written by Mormon men and women who lived through many of these experiences and testified to the **outright immorality of** *Smith* and the leaders of the Mormon Church. Gradually, of course, polygamy filtered down through the entire Mormon Church so that it was necessary for the United States government to threaten to confiscate all Mormon property and to threaten them with complete dissolution in order to stamp out the then widely accepted practice." {TKOTC p. 174} In 1882 the United States Congress passed The Edmunds Act, outlawing polygamy and making the practice of polygamy a felony. By 1887 anti-Mormon sentiments reached such a level that the United States Congress passed the Edmunds-Tucker Act that legally disenfranchised the Mormon church "Corporation". The practice of Polygamy by the Mormon church was "officially" abolished by President Wilford Woodruff in 1890 in a display of the Mormon sacrifice of religious conviction for economic and political reasons. {MCE p. xiv} The formal ban was called the Manifesto of 1890, and was announced as a "revelation" that Woodruff had received. {MCE p. 10}

Plural marriages by leading Mormons became, for many non-Mormons, the issue above all issues and the symbol of all that was despised. Polygamy, the practice of one man's marriage to more than one woman at the same time, was advocated (beginning in the early 1850's) by Mormon leaders. The practice was a **"sacrament"** to the Mormons. Non-Mormons *"roared against Mormon immorality and licentiousness, the existence of harems, the practice of female bondage...ex-Mormon women published lurid exposés of their lives as 'slave-brides'..." which were linked with false religion. {MCE p. 9-10} Mormon founder Joseph Smith coerced plural marriages stating that, <i>"such relationships would insure their salvation and link their families indissolubly to* [Smith] and their faith..."

Joseph Smith conducted a wedding in November of 1835. The groom was his friend Newell Knight. The bride was still married to her husband, a non-Mormon. Mr. Knight recalled later that his friend Smith had said that the law of the Gentiles had no power over him. {MORAM p. 61} Shortly before he was assassinated in 1844, Joseph Smith had himself anointed as the "King, Priest and Ruler over Israel on Earth". Joseph Smith had declared "revelation" to his followers stating that he, **Joseph Smith, was, "above the kingdoms of this world, for I have no laws".** {MORAM p. 3 and 13}

Conservative estimates produced in the <u>Encyclopedia of Mormonism</u> put the number of wives of Joseph Smith at a mere 20 and the number of his children at fifty-seven. Non-Mormon sources, such as author Fawn Brodie, insist that Joseph Smith had forty-eight wives. This number has stood in light of later scholarly research. Fawn Brodie was excommunicated from the Mormon Church in 1946. Fawn said that she was excommunicated for heresy because of the book that she wrote: <u>No Man Knows My History</u> (a biography of Joseph Smith). {MORAM p. 58} In the 1950's one researcher by the name of Stanley Ivins claimed that his research produced evidence that Joseph Smith had eighty-four wives. Ivins did not publish his research. Mormon historian Richard Lyman Bushman's research found that at least ten of Smith's wives were already married to other men when Smith married the women (polyandrousism). Even more shocking are the findings of Todd Compton that were published in 1997. These impeccably researched and documented findings showed that among Joseph Smith's wives there was a motherdaughter pair and four sister pairs. Compton also revealed that most of the women that Joseph Smith married were younger than his first wife and that they were often teen-agers. {MORAM p. 58-59}

In 2007, conservative estimates placed the number of Mormons involved in polygamy at 30,000. Not so conservative estimates placed the number well over 100,000. {MORAM p. 56}

BRIGHAM YOUNG AND HERBER KIMBALL-After the death of Joseph Smith, Brigham Young and Herber Kimball offered to marry all of Smith's wives. Most of the women became the brides of one or the other of the two men and traveled to Utah. Brigham Young had over twenty wives (20+) and fifty-seven (57) children. However, all Mormon publications, including the 1997 publication of, Teachings of Presidents of the Church: Brigham Young, which was published in twenty-two languages and is required study for those who want to hold their standing in the Mormon Melchizedek Priesthood (See Appendix A); present Brigham Young as the husband of only one wife! The heresies of Brigham Young cannot be found: The Mormon Doctrine of Blood Atonement and the belief that Adam is God the Father, married to Eve (among others) and Young's many racist comments cannot be found-they have been wiped away by the Mormon LDS Hierarchy. {MORAM p. 64 and 252}

COLORADO CITY AND SHORT CREEK—Short Creek, located in the desert lands of the Arizona-Utah boarder, was an openly polygamist Mormon Community. Short Creek was nicknamed the **Mormon Polygamist Lambing Ground**. In 1953 the colony was raided, but to no avail. The colony changed its name to Colorado City and continued its polygamist activities. In the early 1980's conservative estimates of the number of Mormons practicing polygamy were placed at ten thousand (10,000) in Utah. This number was calculated by a Mormon. The polygamists themselves estimated their number to be over thirty thousand (30,000). The Mormon LDS Church has been unable to explain the riddle. {ASRMP p. 228 and 231}

COMMENTS BY MARK TWAIN—After a visit to Utah, Mark Twain made mention in his writings of the widespread practice of polygamy among the Mormons. Mark Twain described Brigham Young as a despotic ruler who proceeded to marry twenty-five or thirty more wives in response to the enactment of a law against polygamy. The law was enacted by the Congress of The United States of America. {MORAM p. XXI+}

DOMINATION BY THE ELITE—Joseph Smith's plural marriages created for him a dynastic linkage of inner circle elitism. He carefully chose his brides from among the "Apostles" and other Hierarchy in order to seal his power stronghold. Smith was deceitful and deceptive and often used considerable coercion in order to achieve his intended ends. {MORAM p. 63}

FOLLOW THE MONEY—In 1843 Joseph Smith married nineteenyear-old Maria Lawrence and her seventeen-year-old sister, Sarah Lawrence. Smith was the guardian of the sisters as well as the trustee of their large estate. Smith seems to have used the estate of the sisters as his private bank. {MORAM P. 64}

PRESIDENTIAL BACHELORS?—The Mormon LDS Church Official Almanac has biographies of the past Presidents of the Mormon LDS Church. All were polygamists, representing an unbroken line of inner elitist power ties. However, the almanac mentions not one word of the plural wives of Herbert J. Grant, Joseph Fielding Smith, Lorenzo Snow, Wilford Woodruff, John Taylor or Brigham Young.

PROGRESSIVE REVELATION—Mormons are required to place unwavering belief in "New Scriptures" given to the current President of the Mormon LDS Church, supposedly by direct speech from The Most High God to the current president of the Mormon church. The Mormon LDS church calls these encounters "Progressive Revelation". Anyone would know that such "Revelation", coming only from The Most High God, could never contradict one another. The fact that they do contradict one another is a problem for the Mormon LDS church. Every so often Mormon "Scriptures" must be re-written in order to fit current Mormon Progressive Revelation. As soon as the changed "Scripture" version is published, Mormon historians are required to take no notice and make no comment (whether written or verbal) about the cover-ups.

Excommunicated former Mormons Jerald and Sandra Tanner made public the changes made to *History of the Church* (by Joseph Smith) as compared to later Mormon Publications. The Tanners said that the Mormon hierarchy ordered the deletion of evidence, the addition of errors in time-lines and complete changes in meanings in Mormon documents and manuscript minutes. Further, the Tanners prove that entire paragraphs were added to old documents of earlier "Progressive Revelation: Mormon Scripture".

The Tanners were sued by the Mormon Church's Intellectual Reserve, Inc. and demand was made for the Tanners to stop publishing and/or making available to the public old Mormon documents. The court ruled in favor of the Mormon hierarchy and the Tanners were forced to stop making the truth about Mormonism available to the public. Mormonism could not survive if the truth was known. One Mormon "secret" was Mormonism's <u>General Handbook of Instructions</u>.

Federal case law precedent was then set in favor of the Mormon LDS Church in a second suit against the Tanners. This case law **limited the freedom of the Internet**. The judge setting the precedent against the freedom and availability of information was Federal U.S. District Court Judge Tena Campbell.

D. Michael Quinn notes that Mormon cover-ups through editing and other changes began in 1835.

BETTER THAN THE BIBLE~Mormonism teaches that Mormon teachings, doctrine and revelations are better than the Bible. Mormonism's Robert Millet, the former Dean of Education at Mormon Brigham Young University (BYU) made the following statement in 1998 during his address to the students at BYU: *"...the Bible is not the source of our*  [Mormon] *doctrine or authority...Ours is an independent revelation..."* {MORAM p. 323}

SALVATION—Joseph Smith equated polygamy with salvation. He often said that those who would not accept his marriage proposals would lose their salvation and be forever damned. {MORAM p. 65}

SLAVES—Writer Alfred Henry Lewis wrote in *Cosmopolitan* that the Mormons imported female Mormon converts from European countries and made them **white polygamous slaves** upon their arrival. Eventually, the truth came to Europe and mobs attacked the Mormon "missionaries". {MORAM p. 90}

POLYTHEISM: The religion of Mormonism is a religion of polytheism:

"In the beginning, the head of the Gods called a council of the Gods..." {From the <u>Teachings of the Prophet Joseph Smith</u>, p. 349}

*"Gods exist, and we had better strive to be prepared to be one with them".* {Brigham Young, <u>Journal of Discourses</u>, Volume 7, p. 238}

ISLAM—According to the Ostlings, Joseph Smith knew that the Islamic religion was polygamous and, therefore, included it among the religious groups that were promised freedom of worship in Smith's Mormon Nauvoo. {MORAM p. 67}

PRIESTHOOD OF MORMONISM: Joseph Smith claimed that John the Baptist appeared to himself and Oliver Cowdery on May 15, 1829 and instructed them to ordain one another into the "Aaronic Priesthood". Soon thereafter, Smith made a different claim that John, Peter and James appeared to himself and Oliver Cowdery and initiated Smith and Cowdery into the "Melchizedek Priesthood" (See Appendix A). Smith further claimed that the three apostles instructed him and Cowdery to organize a new church. {MORAM p. 29} According to D. Michael Quinn, *"religious belief, as non-Mormons understood it, had little to do with anti-Mormonism"* because **Mormons claimed a religion that granted them control and priority over all others in all aspects**.

By 1831 the designs of Mormonism were so clear to the common man that, according to Quinn, there was widespread *"fear of being overwhelmed politically, socially, culturally, economically...fueled anti-Mormonism..."* The Mormon LDS Church has grown <u>dramatically</u> (in fact, almost unbelievably) in strength and power and influence in the 180+ years since then.

Mormon doctrine claims that only within the Mormon church has God placed church presidents, high priests, apostles, seventies and elders who claim complete authority through a Melchizedek Priesthood (See Appendix A), rather than an Aaronic or Levitical Priesthood. The Mormons justify this twist of Christian Scripture by saying that Melchizedek conferred his priesthood on Abraham when Abraham tithed to Melchizedek. Such a position, however, has no scriptural basis as can be seen by consulting the Christian Scriptures at Genesis Chapter 18.

Mormonism teaches and Mormons are expected to believe that in 1829 John the Baptist appeared in New York in order to restore the authority of the priesthood to Joseph Smith and his inner circle. The lower priesthood is called the Aaronic Priesthood. The Melchizedek priesthood is considered to be a higher level of Mormon priesthood. The Mormon system of priesthood is said to be a dynasty of blood relatives, especially in light of the nine "apostles" just below the presidency.

> POWER AND PRIESTHOOD OF LUCIFER—Mormon historian B. H. Roberts tells us that in the time of Mormonism's founder, Joseph Smith, the Mormon Temple was the same meeting place as the Masonic Temple. Roberts insists that the secret rituals purporting to continue the "Power and Priesthood of Lucifer" were conducted within the same walls at Nauvoo. {GM p. 127} This Satanic Priesthood traces its lineage directly back to Ham, Cain and Lucifer. It is often referred to as the "Mystery Religion".

> Robert's historical research convinced that him Mormonism's true goal was the restoration of the "original pristine brilliance" of the Satanic/Luciferian Priesthood of the ancients (Druids). Many Mormons do not know these things because they are kept from Mormon underlings because they aren't "worthy" of initiation into the higher secrets of Mormonism. {This information was obtained from a transcript of a tape recording of Dr. Durham. The authenticity and accuracy of this information is certified to by Mervin B. Hogan, the Secretary of the Masonic Research Lodge of Utah located in Salt Lake City; See also GM p. 128 and 267}

VOODOO CONNECTIONS—According to Ed Decker and Dave Hunt, the Melchizedek High Priesthood (See Appendix A) of Mormonism requires the same costume used by the **Macumba Cult High Priesthood**. In fact, the two are nearly exactly the same. {GM p. 190}

WOMEN NEED NOT APPLY—Mormonism teaches that women may receive rewards in Heaven only through the priesthood of her husband. Salvation, spiritual fullness and rewards for single Mormon women appear to be unreachable. Married Mormon women whose husbands have not attained priesthood also appear to be in a hopeless position. {Doctrine and Covenants 132: 19-20} Priesthood within Mormonism is attained and kept only through diligent tithing and volunteer labor. Criticism of the Mormon Church is not allowed and will cost a Mormon his membership in the church and, therefore, his and his family's salvation and hope of reaching Heaven (not to mention their livelihood).

RAILWAYS: The extent of Mormon ownership in the railways of America is not possible to document. It is known that it is significant. One historical fact worthy of note is the route of America's Transcontinental Railroad. In May of 1869 the golden spike of completion was set at Promontory Summit near Ogden Utah. The golden spike was set by power and money already in cooperation with Mormonism. After the completion of the railroad through Utah, travel to Utah became as easy as climbing up two steps. Mormon ownership in and control of the Union Pacific Railroad was handed to them by Baron De Rothschild's World Order Edomite Empire.

Brigham Young's plan for economic growth was sealed. The Kingdom could now easily and cheaply export their goods and just as easily import new "converts". Contracts for communications development (telegraph) and other railroad lines were made by and through the Mormon LDS Church. This brought in considerable cash capital to the church and the chosen "Saints". Further, mineral deposits owned and controlled by the LDS Church now became worth a fortune since they could now be shipped cheaply and in large quantities.

In 1868 Brigham Young had organized Zion's Cooperative Mercantile Institution (ZCMI), which still continues to grow fat off of the commerce provided to it by the railroad and, now, the larger Intermountain West. Brigham Young's orders to the ZCMI were to **boycott non-Mormon**  **merchants**. Brigham Young and William Jennings owned eighty per cent (80%) of the ZCMI stock issued. ZCMI immediately gained control of the area's wholesale business and soon gained control of the retail business in the area as well. Textile businesses, banks and agricultural business soon followed; all with major ownership and control vested in the name of Brigham Young and the Mormon hierarchy. {MORAM p. 49-52}

The transcontinental railroad lines, owned by the Rothschild dynasty, contracted with the Mormons and gave employment to the Mormons back as far as the 1860's. The transcontinental telegraph lines followed suit. At the same time mineral deposits were "discovered" by the Mormons on Mormon owned or controlled land. The Mormons could now ship large quantities of ore at cheap prices. How profitable this was for the Mormons is anyone's guess. What is known is that Brigham Young wanted non-Mormon merchants boycotted. {MORAM p. 50-51}

**RECRUITMENT:** A little known fact is that the Mormon field ritual of door-to-door knocking two-by-two in white shirts and black ties (success rate is about one-tenth of one per-cent) is not nearly as effective as the Home Mission Program, which yields an astonishing fifty per-cent success rate. The subtle strategy of the program was summed up by sociologists William Sims Bainbridge and Rodney Stark: The door-to-door "missionaries do not serve as the primary instrument of recruitment to the Mormon faith. Instead. recruitment is accomplished primarily by the rank and file of the church as they construct intimate interpersonal ties with non-Mormons and thus link them into a Mormon social network". {See Stark and Bainbridge's, "Networks of Faith: Interpersonal Bonds and Recruitment to Cults and Sects", American Journal of Sociology, 85 May 1980, p 1386-1387 Those who study the techniques of mind-control and cult recruitment understand the strategy quite well. The method is described as a deceptive tactic that preys upon the weaker emotions of its victims. It has worked wonders for the Mormons. For example, using the technique Mormon membership grew from 2,614,340 in 1967 to 4,180,000 in 1978. Interestingly, because the Mormon church highly discourages birth control, the Home Mission Program takes second place to the high birth rate among Mormons as a method for obtaining new members. {MCE p. 31 and 32}

RITUAL: Joseph Smith, the founder of the Mormon LDS Church made secret handshakes, occult symbols, washings, secret names and oaths—all

bearing close similarity to Masonic rituals—a part of Mormonism. {MORAM p. 10}

RULERS OF THE UNIVERSE: Mormons believe that they have a newer, third Testament that completes the Bible, and special, secret rituals keep secret from other Christians. They believe that the Mormons, and only the Mormons, have a special and elite status granted to them by God through covenant—that God made <u>them</u> his Chosen People, <u>not</u> the Jews. Mormons believe that each and every Mormon will literally become a god and ruler of the planets. **Mormon apostles and preachers, therefore, condemn all those who reject them and their teachings "TO HELL!"** {See "A Personal Interview with Brigham Young, *New York Times*, July 31, 1848, p. 1}

The Mormon "Saint" is better than all others. His destiny is to become a god and to rule over a complete universe. This universe will be created by the Mormon "Saint" himself out of self-existent mind and matter. The Mormon woman "Saint", but not the rest of us, will be the goddess wife of the new Mormon Man-God. She believes that she will bear millions or billions of little "spirit babies" to her Mormon Man-God who will populate her Mormon Man-God's new universe. {GM p. 51}

SACRED UNDERWEAR: Mormons wear, next to their skin, the sacred underwear of Mormon doctrine. After qualifying and receiving the underwear at a sacred endowment ceremony, the good Mormon must wear the sacred underwear at all times. The sacred underwear is believed to have magical powers of protection, much like an occult amulet. It is worthy of note that Joseph Smith introduced the endowment ordinance into Mormonism during the time that Smith was an active Freemason (1842). Smith's endowment ordinance appears to have been copied from Masonic rituals. There was violence (said to be only carried out in symbolized form) and total disregard for women. Today, the endowment ceremony is described to the public in a manner that is toned down considerably from the ordinance set forth by Joseph Smith. {MORAM p. 185, 192 and 196}

Total disregard for women among the Mormon hierarchy was proven during the Mountain Meadow's Massacre of September 11<sup>th</sup>. Mormons murdered innocent women, some while holding their babes in arms. The heads of the women were clubbed until their brains came forth and then their brains were pulverized. SALVATION BY ACCEPTING JOSEPH SMITH: For Mormons, salvation comes from Joseph Smith, not Jesus. President Joseph Fielding Smith made this abundantly clear when he wrote the following: **"[There is]** *no salvation without accepting Joseph Smith...No man can reject* [Joseph Smith's] *testimony without incurring the most dreadful consequences, for he cannot enter the kingdom of God".* {See Mormonism's *Doctrines of Salvation*, Volume 1, p. 189-90}

Mormons look to Joseph Smith for their redemption, not Jesus. They believe that it is Joseph Smith, and not Jesus, who holds the key to eternal destiny, as well as the eternal destiny of every person on earth. Mormon President Joseph Fielding Smith affirmed the words of the founder of Mormonism, Joseph Smith: "...no man or woman in this dispensation will ever enter into the Celestial Kingdom of God without **the consent of Joseph Smith**...every man and woman must have the certificate of Joseph Smith as a passport to their entrance into the mansion above..." {GM p. 41}

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SALVATION BY JOSEPH SMITH'S PRIESTHOODS: Joseph Smith, the founder of the Mormon LDS Church, proclaimed the doctrine that the priesthood of the Mormon church was the only body that could perform ordinances resulting in the entry of a Mormon "Saint" into Heaven. This so called "exaltation" was, of course, not available to the gentiles (non-Mormons), but only to qualifying Mormons. {MORAM p. 9}

SALVATION BY DIVINE MIND: The founder of the Mormon LDS Church, Joseph Smith taught that our mind is equal to God himself and that, unlike God, our mind has always existed. In fact, according to Mormonism, God doesn't even have the power to create the spirit within us since God could not even create himself. This teaching is still taught to Mormons today. {MORAM p. 400 and 401} In other words, our mind is greater and better than God. Many consider this to be blasphemy against the Holy Spirit, an unforgiveable sin.

SALVATION BY SELF: Self-deification is at the heart of Druidism and Hinduism and is the foundation of occultism and the worship of Satan. Mormonism has an identical foundation. Remember the words of Joseph Smith: *"You have got to learn how to be Gods yourselves...the same as all Gods have done before you..."* {JOD from: "A Discourse, by President Joseph Smith, delivered at the Conference held near the Temple, in Nauvoo, April 6, 1844"}

The teaching that man attains salvation through his own efforts is an occult teaching based upon the perfectibility of mankind, a humanistic, utopian vision of the future paralleled in such notions as an Ideal State, The Equality of Mankind, or Universal Brotherhood and Mormon teachings. {FFR p. 226-227}

The Mormon teaching of men becoming gods was considered a rank heresy a century ago. Now, the teaching is rampant among most disciplines and is taught in the public education system, in the colleges and in the universities.

Those arrogant enough to define God by their own terms place themselves on the throne and leave no place for God. Self-realization, Divine Self, Deification of Self and Salvation by Self are all occult teachings going back to Hinduism, Druidism and Satanism or Luciferianism. This teaching is also known as the New Age Human Potential Movement. {GM p. 258 and 259}

SALVATION BY TITHING: The Mormon LDS Church has become a Financial Empire partly through its tithing doctrine. Mormons are <u>required</u> to tithe at least 10% (ten per cent) of their income to the Mormon church. Failure to do so will cause the loss of salvation for the unfortunate Mormon who fails to pay. The hierarchy of the Mormon church keeps their financial information in the most strict secrecy as can be imagined. The Mormon LDS church has bank accounts throughout the world. {MORAM p. 118 and 128}

COMPULSORY HEAD TAX—Even those who are sympathetically pro-Mormon see that the Mormon system of tithing is nothing more than a required tax enforced through threats of loss of salvation and employment—or worse. {MORAM p. 182}

SATANISM: The founder of the Mormon Latter-day Saints Church, Joseph Smith, preached a Satanic-Lucifer god. This god consisted of Elohim,

Jehovah and Michael (Adam). Many scholars maintain that Elohim and Jehovah are both names for Satan. Joseph Smith even went so far as to teach that, "All of these gods were, of course, married many times over, although there was a principal God/wife, or 'Eternal Mother'. She wasn't mentioned in the Bible because God was afraid humans would take Her name in vain". {TMM p. 57}

"In its highest form, for those who have attained to the secret knowledge of the Mystery, Masonry is a Luciferic religion...Like Masonry, after which its innermost secrets are patterned, Mormonism is designed to mislead those who are part of it but haven't yet been initiated into its dark secrets." {GM p. 129}

The All-Seeing-Eye of Satan is emblazoned over the Mormon Cooperative Mercantile Institution in Mormonism's famous "Temple Square". {MORAM p. 51} Other Satanic symbols are etched in stone on Mormon structures and Temples...even on the sidewalks!

### **SCRIPTURES FROM THE HOLY BIBLE:**

Sin- Adam and Eve's disobedience was a sinful act through which sin and death spread to all men (Romans 5:12 and 6:23) Adam deliberately disobeyed the Lord (Genesis 3:13; I Tim 2:14).

Man is evil- Man is <u>not</u> innately good. He is inherently evil (Ps 58:2-3; Ecclesiastes 9:3; Jeremiah 17:9). Man's heart continually shuns God and seeks to do only wrong (Genesis 6:5; Psalms 14:3; Isaiah 53:1-3; John 3:19; Romans 3:11-12). No one is righteous (Ecclesiastes 7:20; Isaiah 64:6; Romans 3:23). Without the indwelling of the Holy Spirit, man is a slave to sin (Romans 6:6, 17, and 20).

"I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ; for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth..." {Romans 1: 16}

The Book of Mormon challenges the Bible. It purports to add to the Word of God. There is a price to pay for this: *"For I testify unto every man that heareth the words of the prophecy of the book* [The Holy Bible], *if any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book: And if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life, and out of the holy city, and from the things which are written in this*  **book**" (Revelation 22: 18-20). According to the Bible, Joseph Smith isn't the gatekeeper to Heaven. No, according to the Bible Joseph Smith and those who build on his misdeeds shall have their part removed from the Book of Life and will be wandering the depths of Hell, not the streets of Heaven.

SMITH, JOSEPH: **Joseph Smith was illiterate**, he *"could not write himself"*. {JNU Volume III, p. 623}

In 1878 a Cyclopedia was published in Chicago which described Joseph Smith as, "a man of gross sensuality and utterly unable to control his passions, who found it impossible to lead a life of personal profligacy and yet carry out the role of a divinely-chosen organ for the foundation of a new religion. There was nothing to do under the circumstances but to reverse the generally accepted ideas of sin and holiness; and since the emigration to Utah the Mormons have openly avowed and preached the doctrine of polygamy". {Written by Clemens Petersen: JNU Volume III, p. 622} The same cyclopedia gave the following under the heading of Smith (Joseph): "b. at Sharon Vt., Dec. 23, 1805; removed while a child, with his parents to Palmyra, N.Y., where he grew up almost without education, leading an idle and rather disreputable life, and about 1828 began to put forth vague claims as the founder of a new religion, or rather, as the restorer of the original true faith. According to his own account, he began to have visions at the age of fifteen, and on Sept. 21, 1823, the angel Moroni appeared to him, announcing that God had a work for him to perform, and that, buried in the earth in a certain spot a few miles distant, was a record inscribed upon gold plates, giving an account of the early inhabitants of America and of their fate; and with this record would be found a kind of spectacles through which alone the writing could be read. Three years after, the angel placed the plates in his hands, together with the spectacles. Smith described the plates as being about 8 inches long, 7 wide, and connected by rings so as to form a volume about 6 inches thick. The plates were inscribed on both sides with hieroglyphic characters in a language no longer extant, but which he was able to decipher and understand by the use of the miraculous spectacles, which he called the "Urim and Thummim." Smith professes to have dictated in English the contents of these plates to Oliver Cowdery, who acted as his amanurensis, the plates themselves mysteriously disappearing as they were successively translated. What purported to be a copy of the original characters on one of these plates was submitted to Prof. Charles Anthon, who says,

'The paper was in fact a singular scroll. It consisted of all kinds of crooked characters, disposed in columns, and had evidently been

prepared by some person who had before him at the time a book containing various alphabets. Greek and Hebrew letters, crosses and flourishes, Roman letters, inverted or placed sideways, were arranged and placed in perpendicular columns; and the whole ended in a rude delineation of a circle, divided into various compartments, decked with various strange marks, and evidently copied after the manner of the Mexican calendar, given by Humbolt, but copied in such a way as to betray the source whence it was derived.'

The manuscript as professed to be transcribed by Cowdery from Smith's dictation was printed at Palmyra in 1830 under the title, 'The Book of Mormon, an Account written by the Hand of Moroni upon Plates taken from the Plates of Nephi. By Joseph Smith, Jr., Author and Proprietor'; and to it was prefixed a certificate signed by Cowdery and two others to the effect that they had seen and handled the plates. Subsequently, all three of the witnesses fell out with Smith, and declared the whole matter to be a hoax. There can be no doubt that the 'Book of Mormon' was a kind of historical romance, written nearly twenty years before by Samuel Spalding, at one time a clergyman, and that he intended to publish it as such under the title 'The Manuscript Found'; and that this manuscript fell into the hands of Sidney Rigdon, a printer, who surreptitiously copied it, returning the original to Spalding, who died soon after, but the manuscript was preserved by his widow. Rigdon in the mean while had set up as the founder of a new faith, and fell in with Smith, and they two concocted the plan of making Spalding's romance a kind of Bible of their sect, or at least hoping to make money by its publication. The funds for the printing were advanced by Martin Harris, a neighboring farmer of some property and one of the signers of the attestation; but not being able to get back what he had spent, he disclosed the hoax, as to the plates, of which he was probably a victim. The 'Book of Mormon' consists of nearly a score of separate books, the first professing to be written by Nephi, who lived in Jerusalem about 600 B.C., and finally, upon the Dispersion, led a colony to America; the work is continued by others until 420 A.D., when Moroni, the last survivor of his race, sealed up the plates and deposited them in the place pointed out to Smith. The entire book bears to Mormonism about the same relation which the Pentateuch and the historical books of the Old *Testament do to Christianity...Smith and Rigdon soon gained a small body* of followers, and in 1831 went to Kirtland, Ohio, where they built a temple,

set up a fraudulent bank, and were driven away by the citizens in **1838**. Smith had in the meantime fixed upon a place in Missouri as the site of his New Jerusalem, and here his adherents had begun to gather; but becoming obnoxious to the surrounding inhabitants, they abandoned their settlement, and took refuge in Hancock County, Illinois, where in 1840 they established themselves in a fine location at a bend of the Mississippi, calling their new home Nauvoo; the town increased so rapidly that in six years the population numbered 15,000. Here Smith soon began to put forth, as occasion demanded, a succession of new revelations, among others one establishing polygamy as an essential feature of the 'Church of the Latter-Day Saints,' and combining in his own person all civil, military, municipal, and sacerdotal authority. A newspaper was set up to oppose him, which was demolished by Smith and his adherents May 6, 1844. Warrants were issued for his arrest and that of his brother Hyrum and some others; they refused to obey the writs; the State militia were called out; the Mormons armed themselves, and a conflict was imminent. The governor of Illinois at length induced the Smiths to surrender and submit to trial, guarantying their personal safety in the interval. They were committed to jail at Carthage, the county-town, and a guard was placed for their protection. On the evening of May 27 a mob assembled, dispersed the guard, and began firing into the door and window of the jail. Hyram Smith was shot dead; Joseph returned the fire with a revolver until his charges were exhausted, when he endeavored to make his escape by the window, but was shot in the attempt, and fell dead to the ground." {Written by A. H. Guernsey: JNU Volume IV, p. 333-334}

MORONI—According to contemporary Mormonism, Moroni has **changed** and is no longer an angel, but is, "the son of Mormon, a glorified, resurrected being". {From the Introduction to <u>The Book</u> <u>of Mormon-Another Testament of Jesus Christ</u>, Copyright 1981 by Corporation of the President of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints}

THE BOOK OF MORMON—According to contemporary Mormonism, "The Book of Mormon is a volume of holy scripture comparable to the Bible...and was written by many ancient prophets by the spirit of prophecy and revelation. Their words, written on gold plates, were quoted and abridged by a prophethistorian named Mormon...After Mormon completed his writings, he delivered the account to his son Moroni, who added a few words of his own and hid up the plates in hill Cumorah. On September 21, 1823, the same Moroni, then a glorified, resurrected being, appeared to the Prophet Joseph Smith..." {From the Introduction to The Book of Mormon-Another Testament of Jesus Christ, Copyright 1981 by Corporation of the President of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints}

Note the **change** that has taken place from a manuscript printed at Palmyra in 1830 under the title, *"The Book of Mormon, an Account written by the Hand of Moroni"* that has been changed to an account written by "Mormon".

STOCK SWINDLES: In the 1990's "Carl M. Martin and Michael D. Wright, both prominent Mormons, have pleaded guilty to non-related penny swindles in the past several months. One stock broker who specializes in identifying the exploiting bogus penny stock schemes says the Utah market is the *'slimiest financial market in the U.S., bar none.''* {HLF p. 59-60}

STRONGHOLD OF INJUSTICE: The Mormon LDS Church has been unable to <u>completely</u> control the leaking of vital documents and information that brings out the truth regarding the history and practices of Mormonism. Scholars such as D. Michael Quinn, Leonard Arrington and Will Bagley have paid dearly for their commitment to truth. For example, D. Michael Quinn resigned from the Mormon Church as a result of his findings. Quinn had tenure at Brigham Young University (BYU). Tenure at BYU is not all that Quinn lost. His "Temple Recommend" was terminated, as he was excommunicated from the Mormon LDS Church. If Mormon teachings were true, Quinn and others would have been sacrificing their Salvation and forever consigning themselves to the torment of hell.

The Mormon LDS Church always works to keep a proprietary hold over its dark secrets. Mormonism covers-up any evidence that puts the LDS Church in a bad light. This is justified by claiming that the suppressed evidence is not in keeping with official Mormon interpretations. D. Michael Quinn calls it fraud. {MORAM p. 255}

TAKING DOWN A PRESIDENT: Connections to the point of control of the CIA and the FBI have long been the province of Mormonism. Such power should make even the most ardent defender of Mormonism consider how "absolute power corrupts absolutely". The most top secret decoding and intelligence gathering software is in the control of Mormons. Mormons designed the software. In many cases, only Mormons know how to use the software.

International public relations for the Mormon church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints were handled for over a decade by Robert R. Mullen and Company. From 1959 to 1972 Mullen was the "overseas cover for CIA activities". {See: "What the CIA Knew," Newsweek, July 15, 1974, p. 29} The 1975 Rockefeller Report on the CIA made the following observation regarding Mormon Robert Mullen: "Robert Mullen had...for many years cooperated with the CIA making some of his overseas offices available at different times as a cover for Agency employees operating abroad. This existence of Mullen's relationship with the CIA was, of course, kept secret to protect the secrecy of the cover arrangements". In 1971, the son of Utah's United States Senator Wallace F. Bennett, Mormon Robert Bennett, purchased the Robert R. Mullen Company. The Mormon Company employed CIA agent E. Howard Hunt. While in the employment of the Mormons, E. Howard Hunt burglarized the Watergate Hotel. The Watergate burglary was discussed and panned in meetings held at the offices of the Mullen Company. {See: Report to the President by the Commission on CIA Activities Within the United States, Washington, D.C.: United Stated Government Printing Office, June, 1975, p. 173-176 and 193-197}

TAKING DOWN GENIUS AVIATOR HOWARD HUGHES: Apparently, the fortune and patents of aeronautics genius, entrepreneur and billionaire Howard Hughes entered the world of the Mormon Mafia in the 1960's when Howard Hughes purchased a string of casinos through the fraudulent representations of key Mormon individuals. Howard Hughes' Chief of Staff, Mormon Bill Gay, created a virtual human cage around Hughes. Howard Hughes' medical personnel, security officers and other aides were all Mormons.

Mormon Gay setup a military type structure around Hughes and Hughes' residence in Los Angeles, with personnel keeping loyalty to the Mormon Hierarchy and Mormon Bill Gay, not to their employer, Howard Hughes.

Howard Hughes would have signed papers prepared by Mormons while Hughes was in a drug-induced stupor from which Hughes had no hope of ever escaping. Mormon Gay was not the only prominent Mormon who, for financial gain, used their influence to further the Mafia. {ASRMP p. 120} Of course, the casinos that Howard Hughes purchased went "belly up". Just how much of the brilliant aviator's vast fortune and patents passed into the hands of the Mormon Mafia is known only to the Mormon Mafia.

TANNER, JERALD AND SANDRA: Although her husband died in 2006, Sandra Tanner had carried on with the ministry work *"for those leaving or questioning Mormonism"*. Together, the Tanners published over forty-five books and pamphlets regarding the Mormon LDS Church. Because the Tanners had once been Mormons, they had access to documents that most Mormons and the general public were not allowed to see. The Tanners made these documents available to the public and were sued by the Mormon LDS Church for doing so.

The Tanners maintain that there have been almost four thousand (4,000) changes made to the <u>Book of Mormon</u>. Besides these changes, the Tanners document contradictions so severe that there can be no doubt that Mormonism is <u>not</u> "God's one true faith". Books written by the Tanners include, <u>Mormonism—Shadow or Reality?</u> and <u>3,913 Changes in the Book of Mormon</u>.

"TAR-AND-FEATHERING": Joseph Smith, along with Sidney Rigdon (famous for his "Salt Sermon" and his counterfeit banking scheme), were both tarred and feathered in Jackson County Missouri and run out of town on a rail. {TKOTC p. 174}

In 1832 Joseph Smith was tarred and feathered in Kirtland, Ohio. It is claimed that this mob included the two brothers of sixteen-year-old Marinda Nancy Johnson. The brothers were enraged at Smith for having proposed to their sister. The mob wanted to castrate Joseph Smith. It would seem that Smith came through the ordeal unscathed in this regard, since he later married Miss Johnson. {MORAM p. 60}

TAX EVASION: Between 1970 and 1985 the Mormon Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints was served with over twenty-four (24) major Federal taxation law-suits.

One of the more talked about Federal Tax Court Cases involved the illegal claims of the Mormon LDS Church and its "non-profit status" with regard to the Mormon Polynesian Cultural Center in Hawaii. The Federal Internal Revenue Service sued the Mormon Brigham Young University

Polynesian Cultural Center in a suit that continued for four years. In 1981 this Mormon "student welfare program" grossed nearly twenty three million dollars (\$23,000,000.00) through the **exploitation of student labor**. {See Pamela G. Hollis', "Cultural Center in Hawaii Fights I.R.S. Tax Ruling", *New York Times*, March 26, 1981 p. A-16}

In their book, <u>The Mormon Corporate Empire</u>, John Heinerman and Anson Shupe came to the conclusion that **the Mormon LDS Church continues to maintain and expand highly profitable businesses while claiming non-profit and tax-exempt status.** Heinerman and Shupe also point out that this fact is ignored by the press although it is well known. {MCE p. 247}

In 1983 the Mormon Corporate Empire formed the **Millennial Star Foundation** as a politico/religious spy networking system for the benefit of all aspects of the Mormon Corporation. Neil Blair and Mark Stoddard were key people in the formation of the foundation. Blair, a Mormon, was an "intimate associate" of United States Congressman Larry McDonald, who was also **President of the John Birch Society**. Firm loyalty to the Mormon empire was established and maintained. The Mormon Hierarchy was given "<u>free access to confidential and highly sensitive intelligence within every</u> <u>government office in the United States</u>. The "watchdog agenda" of this Mormon organization can hardly be overstated. {MCE p. 252} Nor can the profits that are made through unpaid student labor and tax-exemption!

TERRORISM: Mormon leadership unabashedly and proudly admits that Mormonism rationalizes Terrorism by the governing Mormon body. {ASRMP p. 145} Simply put, Mormonism can do no wrong and is answerable to no law; anything the Mormon Hierarchy does, orders, or says "IS", <u>is</u> the law. The methods used by Mormonism in order to move toward Mormon goals is ALWAYS justified in the mind of a true Mormon.

THE ASSASSINATION OF JOSEPH SMITH: The 1962 edition of the *Encyclopedia Britannica* tells us that Joseph Smith claimed to have a "revelation commanding polygamy that was kept secret during his lifetime". There is evidence that by the time he died at the age of 38 he had married as many as 50 women. A small group of Mormons tried to expose Smith and his polygamy, but Smith had their printing press destroyed. Smith, along with his brother Hyrum, was imprisoned for this.

Joseph Smith's personal pistol was smuggled into him in the jail for the purpose of his escape. As the TruthTease DVD "Mormonism: Miracle or Menace?" pointed out, Joseph Smith's pistol was the last thing that he ever held in his hand.

On June 27, 1844, an "anti-Mormon mob" stormed the jail at Carthage, Illinois and Joseph Smith and his brother were both shot to death, but not before Smith emptied his pistol, killing three. It is unclear as to why such a death would qualify Joseph Smith for martyrdom, especially in light of the long list of other crimes against humanity that were being committed by Smith at that time.

THE BOOK OF ABRAHAM: <u>The Book of Abraham</u> is the second book of three books making up the Mormon <u>Pearl of Great Price</u>. The Abraham book is one of the most damning pieces of writing still hawked by the Mormon hierarchy. The book has been proven beyond any doubt to be a fraud. The fact appears to have little or no effect on those Mormons who choose to remain attached to the Mormon LDS Church.

Joseph Smith, using an ancient papyrus, supposedly wrote the Abraham book. The papyri affair is well known within Mormonism and few Mormons question the fact that the book is a fraud and was not produced as Joseph Smith claimed. The knowledge has not brought about an expected exodus out of Mormonism. The problem is explained away by the use of the term "Cultural Mormonism". A cultural Mormon doesn't believe that Mormon Scriptures are historically authentic, thus eliminating any "problem". {MORAM p. 288-290} Confusing, isn't it?

THE BOOK OF MORMON: The Book of Mormon has been described as a combination of anachronisms, false prophecies, fraud and downright plagiarism and *"should not be taken seriously as reliable material"*.

Not one event, place or person presented first by Joseph Smith in his <u>Book of Mormon</u> has ever been proved to actually exist. Mormon zealot Thomas Stuart Ferguson, a lawyer in California, dropped all in order to prove that those who criticized the <u>Book of Mormon</u> using archaeological arguments were wrong. Ferguson spent his lifetime in the remote southern jungles of Mexico looking for evidence to prove the <u>Book of Mormon</u> to be true. Ferguson was unable to do so. In fact, he concluded that the <u>Book of Mormon</u> was **"a piece of fiction"**.

Harvard anthropology Professor Stephen Williams came to the same conclusion. DNA testing and analysis also disprove the <u>Book of Mormon</u>. Linguistic analysis has also shown the <u>Book of Mormon</u> to be a fraud. {MORAM p. 264, 277, 278, and 280- 281}

Since it was published in 1830, The Book of Mormon has been continuously "corrected" by Mormons in attempts to hide these facts. There have been nearly 4,000 word changes, some as recent as 1981. It is, "patently false in far too many places to be considered coincidence...[and] contains plagiarisms from the King James Bible, anachronisms, false prophecies and errors of fact which cannot be dismissed...The testimony of the three witnesses which appear at the front of the Book of Mormon (Oliver Dowdery, David Whitmer, and Martin Harris [is contradictory]...It is quite noteworthy that Martin Harris, in his conversation with Professor Anthon relative to the material 'translated'...denied that he had actually seen them...The Mormons are loath to admit that all three of these witnesses later apostatized from the Mormon faith and were described in most unflattering terms ('thieves and counterfeiters') by *their Mormon contemporaries...*[the Book of Mormon] *contains at least 25,000* words from the King James Bible. In fact, verbatim quotations, some of considerable length, have caused the Mormons no end of embarrassment for *many years...*[in response the Mormons claim that] *the miraculous plates upon* which they were all inscribed, somehow or another, under translation, came out in King James English without variation approximately a thousand years before this 1611 version was written. Such reasoning on the part of the Mormons strains at the limits of credulity and only they are willing to believe it...[even worse] is found in 3 Nephi 11:33-34, and is almost a direct quotation from Mark 16:16, a passage regarded by many New Testament Greek scholars as an addition to that gospel by an overzealous scribe. But Joseph Smith was not aware of this either, so he even copied in translational errors, another proof that neither he nor the alleged golden plates were inspired of **God**...Where did it come from, since it obviously did not come from God?...[the Book of Mormon] is probably an expansion upon the writings of Solomon Spaulding, a retired minister who was known to have written a number of 'romances' with Biblical backgrounds similar to those of the Book of Mormon." These words were written by the Founder and Director of the Christian Research Institute, Dr. Walter Martin. Dr. Martin died in 1989. He remains the definitive source on the kingdom of the cults.

Obviously, <u>all</u> of the <u>Book of Mormon</u> was not written by Solomon Spaulding. Huge portions are blatant plagiarisms from the King James Bible. The theological portions "bear the imprint of Smith, Cowdery and Sidney Rigdon (see the proof offered in Shook's <u>The True Origin of the Book of Mormon</u>, pp.126-). It is maintained, however, that some things, including a great deal of Scripture, were added to one of Spaulding's manuscripts and that this wok was thus transferred into the Book of Mormon (see the testimony of John Spaulding, Solomon's brother; Martha Spaulding, John's wife): They maintained that the historical portion was Spaulding's (E.D. Howe, <u>Mormonism Unveiled</u>, 1834, pp 278-; Shook, <u>The True Origin of the Book of Mormon</u>, pp.94)...There are too many points of similarity for them to be without significance...Spaulding revised the Manuscript Story. The revision was known as the <u>Manuscript Found</u>...There are some Mormons who seem to think that if they can prove that Spaulding's manuscript had nothing to do with the Book of Mormon, they have made great progress toward proving its divine origin. Such, however is not the case." {See James D. Bales, Ph.D., <u>The Book of Mormon</u>?, The Manney Company, Fort Worth 14, Texas, p. 138-147}

"It was soon proved beyond doubt that The Book of Mormon was simply a short historical romance written in 1812 by one Solomon Spaulding...the manuscript had become lost in a printing-office in Pittsburg, under the hands of an apprentice, Sidney Rigdon, who in 1829 became an associate of Joseph Smith." {JNU Volume III, p. 623} Sidney Rigdon, it should be emphasized, was one of the three original conspirators in the production of The Book of Mormon. It would appear that Sidney Rigdon stole the manuscript that Solomon Spaulding had too trustingly given to the printing office for publication.

According to Joseph Smith himself, his colleague Martin Harris obtained from Columbia University's Professor Charles Anthon a "validation" of Smith's translation of the "reformed Egyptian hieroglyphic characters" on the plates Smith claimed were given to him by Moroni. This was a blatant lie on the part of the founder of Mormonism, Joseph Smith. As a result, Professor Anthon went <u>on record</u> regarding the matter through a lengthy letter to Mr. E. D. Howe dated February 17, 1834. Howe was a contemporary of Joseph Smith and found Mr. Smith to be a most distasteful character. It is E. D. Howe who set out to set the record straight regarding Smith and his fellows and it is E. D. Howe who the Mormons would like to forget and blot from their history.

Mr. E. D. Howe did thorough and impeccable research on the Mormon "prophet" Joseph Smith and the origins of Mormonism. Howe's research has

<u>never</u> been refuted and is hated by Mormon historians and *"not a few contemporary Mormons".* {TKOTC p. 181}

And so it was that Mr. Howe, after hearing of Joseph Smith's outrageous claim regarding Professor Anthon, wrote a letter to the distinguished Professor from Columbia University requesting a response from the Professor regarding Smith's claim. The Professor's response still exists today and can be viewed in Howe's own collection and has become known as *"a classic piece of evidence the Mormons would like very much to see forgotten"*. {TKOTC p. 181} There follows a verbatim reproduction of the letter written by Professor Anthon to Mr. E. D. Howe:

# New York, N.Y., Feb. 17, 1834

# Mr. E.D. Howe

# Plainseville, Ohio

### "Dear Sir:

I received this morning your favor of the 9<sup>th</sup> instant, and lose no time in making a reply. The whole story about my having pronounced the Mormonite inscription to be 'reformed Egyptian hieroglyphics' is perfectly false. Some years ago, a plain, and apparently simple hearted farmer, called upon me with a note from Dr. Mitchell of our city, now deceased, requesting me to decipher, if possible, a paper, which the farmer would hand me, and which Dr. Mitchell confessed he had been unable to understand. Upon examining the paper in question, I soon came to the conclusion that **it was all a trick, perhaps a hoax**. When I asked the person, who brought it, how he obtained the writing, he gave me, as far as I can now recollect, the following account: A 'gold book,' consisting of a number of plates of gold, fastened together in the shape of a book by wires of the same metal, had been dug up in the northern part of the state of New York, and along with the book an enormous pair of 'gold spectacles'! These spectacles were so large, that, if a person attempted to look through them, his two eves would have to be turned towards one of the glasses merely, the spectacles in question being altogether too large for the breadth of the human face. Whoever examined the plates through the spectacles, was enabled not only to read them, but fully to understand their meaning. All this knowledge,

however, was confined at the time to a young man, who had the trunk containing the book and spectacles in his sole possession. **This young man was** placed behind a curtain, in the garret of a farm house, and, being thus concealed from view, put on the spectacles occasionally, or rather, looked through one of the glasses, deciphered the characters in the book, and, having committed some of them to paper, handed copies from behind the curtain, to those who stood on the outside. Not a word, however, was said about the plates having been deciphered 'by the gift of God.' Everything, in this way, was affected by the large pair of spectacles. The farmer added, that he had been requested to contribute a sum of money towards the publication of the 'golden book.' The contents of which would, as he had been assured, produce an entire change in the world and save it from ruin. So urgent had been these solicitations, that he intended selling his farm and handing over the amount received to those who wished to publish the plates. As a last precautionary step, however, he had resolved to come to New York, and obtain the opinion of the learned about the meaning of the paper which he brought with him, and which had been given him as a part of the contents of the book, although no translation had been furnished at the time by the young man with the spectacles. On hearing this odd story, I changed my opinion about the paper, and, instead of viewing it any longer as a hoax upon the learned, I began to regard it as a part of a scheme to cheat the farmer of his money, and I communicated my suspicions to him, warning him to beware of **rogues.** He requested an opinion from me in writing, which of course I declined giving, and he then took his leave carrying the paper with him. **This paper was** in fact a singular scrawl. It consisted of all kinds of crooked characters disposed in columns, and had evidently been prepared by some person who had before him at the time a book containing various alphabets. Greek and Hebrew letters, crosses and flourishes, Roman letters inverted or placed sideways, were arranged in perpendicular columns, and the whole ended in a rude delineation of a circle, divided into various compartments, decked with various strange marks, and evidently copied after the Mexican Calendar given by Humbolt, but copied in such a way as not to betray the source whence it was derived. I am thus particular as to the contents of the paper, inasmuch as I have frequently conversed with my friends on the subject, since the Mormonite excitement began, and well remember that the paper contained anything else but 'Egyptian Hieroglyphics.' Some time after, the same farmer paid me a second visit. He brought with him the golden book in print, and offered it to me for sale. I declined purchasing. He then asked permission to leave the book with me for examination. I declined

receiving it, although his manner was strangely urgent. I adverted once more to the roguery which had been in my opinion practiced upon him, and asked him what had become of the gold plates. He informed me that they were in a trunk with the large pair of spectacles. I advised him to go to a magistrate and have the trunk examined. He said the 'curse of God' would come upon him should he do this. On my pressing him, however, to pursue the course which I had recommended, he told me that he would open the trunk, if I would take the 'curse of God' upon myself. I replied that I would do so with the greatest willingness, and would incur every risk of that nature, provided I could only extricate him from the grasp of the rogues. He then left me.

I have thus given you a full statement of all that I know respecting the origin of Mormonism, and must beg you, as a personal favor, to publish this letter immediately, should you find my name mentioned again by these wretched fanatics.

Yours respectfully, Charles Anthon, LL.D. Columbia University"

There follows yet another verbatim transcript establishing the Book of Mormon to be inaccurate and untruthful. The following letter was written to Reverend R. Odell Brown, the Pastor of the Hillcrest Methodist Church in Fredericksburg, Virginia. Brown was an ardent researcher of Mormonism and its claims. In connection with this research, Brown wrote to the **Department of Anthropology at Columbia University in New York City**, asking questions relating to archeology and anthropology as concerning the Book of Mormon. Here is the answer that Brown received:

## "Dear Sir:

Pardon my delay in answering your letter of January 14, 1957. The question which you ask concerning the Book of Mormon is one that comes up quite frequently...I may say that I do not believe that there is a single thing of value concerning the prehistory of the American Indian in the Book of Mormon and I believe that the great majority of American archeologists would agree with me. The book is untrue Biblically, historically and scientifically..."

The letter was signed by William Duncan Strong

{TKOTC p. 184}

The Smithsonian Institute has presented evidence to confirm that cities referenced in the Book of Mormon are imaginary and the metals referenced by them have never been found. Elephants are referenced, but never existed on this continent. Mormon accounts are in conflict with science. {Smithsonian, Summer 1979}

TAX EVASION: Between 1970 and 1985 the Mormon LDS Church has had over twenty-four major tax suits in court filed against the Mormon LDS Church. One of the more talked about court cases involved the illegal "not for profit" claims of the Mormon LDS Church with regard to their Polynesian Cultural Center in Hawaii. The Internal Revenue Service sued the Mormon Brigham Young University Polynesian Cultural Center in a suit that continued for four years. In 1981 this Mormon "student welfare program" grossed almost twenty three million dollars (\$23,000,000.00) through the exploitation of student labor. {See Pamela G. Hollis', "Cultural Center in Hawaii Fights I.R.S. Tax Ruling", *New York Times*, March 26, 1981 p. A-16}

In their book, The Mormon Corporate Empire, John Heinerman and Anson Shupe came to the conclusion that the Mormon LDS Church continues to maintain and expand highly profitable businesses while claiming non-profit and tax-exempt status. Heinerman and Shupe also point out that the press ignores this fact although it is well known. {MCE p. 247} In 1983 the Mormon corporate empire formed the Millennial Star Foundation as а politico/religious spy networking system for the benefit of all aspects of the Mormon corporation. Neil Blair and Mark Stoddard were key people in the formation of the foundation. Blair, a Mormon, was an "intimate associate" of U.S. Congressman Larry McDonald, who was also president of the John Birch Society. Stoddard, also a Mormon, was the Executive Director of Free of the Eagle. The network thus established maintained firm loyalty to the LDS Mormon leaders and established "free access" to confidential and highly sensitive intelligence within every government office in the United States. The

"watchdog agenda" of this organization can hardly be over stated. {MCE p. 252}

THE "BIG BROTHER" SPYING MACHINE: The CIA recruits so extensively from the ranks of young Mormons that it has been said that the recruitment process of the CIA is almost exclusively from among Mormons. Journalist Kenneth C. Danforth once asked Mormon church leader Wendell J. Ashton, *"Why is it that such huge numbers of Mormons are attracted to the CIA?* The answer from Ashton was quite revealing: *"The question is, 'Are our young men attracted to the CIA or is the CIA attracted to them?"* {See Kenneth C. Danforth's, "The Cult of Mormonism," *Harpers*, May 1980, p. 72} The Denver, Colorado CIA recruiter Jack Hansen said that the CIA takes almost anybody who applies to the CIA if they are Mormons! {See Donna Anderson's "Missionaries Mistaken for CIA Officers," *Los Angeles Times*, November 26, 1981, p. 15} Consider that the personnel director for the CIA was Mormon Bishop Jeffrey Willis. Mormon Michael J. Barrett was Assistant General Counsel to the Director of the CIA. {MCE p. 164-5}

It would appear the FBI and the CIA is a mere stepping-stone in the Mormon Global Intelligence Network: *"…the LDS Church Security System has been known to recruit Mormons away from the CIA and the FBI"*. {See: "FBI Names Ex-Bishop as Office Head," *Church News*, May 22, 1982, p. 11}

> SOCIAL ISSUES—Mormonism wisely developed its spying network around social issues. The Mormon Special Affairs Committee has built strong alliances with social issue groups such as the **Eagle Forum**, the **Moral Majority**, the **John Birch Society**, the **National Rifle Association**, pro-life and others.

> Social issues are targeted as they arise (or are orchestrated) and people are profiled as they pour out their measure of will power on the play of the issues of the day. The Mormon public Communications Department was created to set up a network of Mormons who were positioned to deal with non-Mormon media executives. {ASRMP p. 252-253 (in part)}

> SPYING ON OURSELVES—Mormon Lavina Fielding Anderson, Ph.D., was born into Mormonism, the daughter of a Mormon bishop. She was an icon within the Mormon community. Her fervor and dedication to the Mormon LDS Church was exemplary. Lavina Anderson became a dissenter against the Mormon LDS

Church in the early 1980's. By 1993 she was publically accused of apostasy by the Mormon hierarchy.

With regard to the activities of the Mormon hierarchy's control over all aspects of the life of the Mormon flock, Anderson made the following statement: *"We must protest, expose, and work against an internal espionage system that creates and maintains secret files on members of the church* [Mormon]..."

FBI LABYRINTH~The Mormon spying system made very clear its tight and cozy connections with the FBI when L. Martell Bird was appointed head of Mormon Security in 1981. Bird had been an FBI Agent for sometime before his appointment. **During Bird's time as an FBI Agent, W. Cleon Skousen, the Founder of the Freeman Institute, was also working for the FBI**. Bird escalated inter-Mormon and probably other spying operations. The opening of personal main and general surveillance spying greatly increased and became more sophisticated. {ASRMP p. 235}

SPYING ON THE NATION'S GUN ASSOCIATIONS—Mormon **"Bo" Gritz** ingratiated himself with America's gun owners for purposes of internal espionage. True to form, the Mormon hierarchy tried to distance themselves from Mr. Gritz starting a campaign against him accusing him of extremism and conspiracy quackery.

SPYING ON THE SPIES—By 1991 the Mormon LDS Church was considered to be <u>the</u> agency that produced FBI agents. Power comes with a price, however. In that year Mormon Richard Miller was convicted of spying; in other words: Treason. {MORAM p. 141}

THE BOOK OF ABRAHAM: The so-called Book of Abraham is recognized by the Mormon LDS church is part of an added third book of what the Mormon church refers to as scripture, the Pearl of Great Price. The authenticity of this book has become impossible for the Mormon LDS Church to defend. However, the LDS church still uses it to defend their controversial policies. **This is the book that made blacks ineligible for the priesthood**. The LDS Church "changed" this policy in 1978, but still publishes the Book of Abraham as Mormon scripture. {MORAM p. 31} THE GARDEN OF EDEN: Joseph Smith taught that the Garden of Eden was located in Independence, Missouri, not in the Mesopotamian area. This information was, he claimed, "revealed" to him by God. {Mormonism's *Book of Moses*, Chapter 4 and the <u>Pearl of Great Price</u> (D&C 57)} In 1831, Smith announced that Jackson County Missouri was the "Land of Promise", the "Center Place for The City of Zion" and the location of the Second Coming of the Mormon Christ. {MORAM p. 30}

In keeping with the teachings of occultism, Mormonism sees the fall of Adam and Eve as a blessing. Mormon Sterling W. Sill, the Assistant to The Council of the Twelve Apostles, said that the fall in the Garden of Eden was a move in the right direction, a fall toward the ultimate goal, an upward fall. {See *Deseret News*, Church Section, July 31, 1965, p. 7}

In fact, the lie that was the downfall of the human race is seen by Mormonism as one of the greatest central truths of Mormonism: that we <u>shall</u> become gods, just as Satan has promised: *"As one of our great prophets and President of the Church has indicated, 'As man is, God once was; and as God is, man may become'. So you can see why the Temple is so important to the LDS: because...he can eventually grow into becoming a god himself".* {Dr. Harold Goodman former Professor at Mormonism's Brigham Young University (BYU) who made this statement when he was the President of the Mormon Mission in **England**}

THE GREAT SECRET: According to the Mormon CD-ROM, *New Mormon Studies*, the founder of the Mormon LDS Church, Joseph Smith, revealed The Great Secret of Mormonism to be the knowledge that God was once a man just as we are now. {MORAM p. 396}

THE GREEN GAIA HERESY: Mormonism is right on track with contemporary witchcraft, since Mormonism teaches the worship of the creation, rather than the worship of the creator, Jesus. The tenth President of the Mormon church, Joseph Fielding Smith, taught that the earth is alive, a living creature. Mormon Apostle Bruce R. McConkie affirmed this Mormon/Druid teaching to be a part of Mormon doctrine. McConkie even said that the earth has its own plan of salvation. {See Bruce R. McConkie's *Mormon Doctrine*, published in Salt Lake city in 1966, p. 210-11 and 251; and GM p. 29} This is called the worship of Lucifer. Lucifer is a fallen angel who's name was changed to Satan.

THE JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY: The John Birch Society is a known collaborator with the Mormon LDS Church for the purpose of furthering the mutual agenda of the Mormon hierarchy and the John Birch Society. In the early 1960's, the John Birch Society was focusing its recruitment efforts on the Shortly after John Birch Society endorsement of Mormon LDS Church. Mormon Apostle Ezra Taft Benson and Benson's appointment to President Eisenhower's Cabinet; Mormon Reed Benson (the son of Mormon Apostle Ezra Taft Benson) was given the position of coordinator of the Utah branch of the John Birch Society. Mormon Apostle Ezra Benson and his son, Mormon Reed Benson, used their influence to push Mormons into joining the John Birch Society. It wasn't long before federal indictments were issued charging individuals with tampering with federal government-owned The scandal involved insider dealing, with Mormon commodities. apostle Ezra Taft Benson at the helm. A public relations firm had to be hired to white wash the tarnish of the scandal. {ASRMP p. 75-79}

THE KING FOLLETT DISCOURSE: The culmination of the career of the founder of the Mormon LDS Church, Joseph Smith, was his 1844 theological rendition known as the *King Follett Discourse*. Along with numerous serious and profound anti-Christian teachings, Joseph Smith firmly and undeniably linked the Mormon LDS Church to occult Luciferianism (Satanism) through the teaching of Mind as God. As Smith put it, *"The mind...which man possesses is coequal with God himself...eternal...self-existent..."* 

THE LAS VEGAS MORMON POLITICAL MACHINE: The Mormon LDS Church has and is often accused of ordering, and thus controlling, the votes of Mormons. In fact, the LDS Church is often referred to as a political voting machine. One example is the little known Mormon outpost of Las Vegas, Nevada. In 1986 it was estimated that there were more than 25,000 Mormons living in Las Vegas. Las Vegas, in fact, is known as a Mormon stronghold, created as such by **Brigham Young in his Corridor to the Sea Campaign**. In 1974, during the senate race between Paul Laxalt and Mormon Lieutenant Governor Harry Reid, those who knew that they could "put their hands on" the Mormon Las Vegas Group in order to influence the election of Reid, did just that. {ASRMP p. 85-87}

> THE MORMON MAFIA—Mormon Las Vegas banker E. Perry Thomas was one of the most powerful Mormon Mafia figures during the 1970,s. This Mafia Mormon built a vast financial empire through his position as Head Banker for casino

construction loans and through his use of the Mafia Teamster's Central States Pension Fund. {ASRMP p. 119-120}

Remember, aeronautics genius and billionaire entrepreneur Howard Hughes was drawn into the underworld of the Mormon Mafia in the 1960's when he purchased a string of casinos through key Mormon individuals. Howard Hughes' Chief of Staff, Mormon Bill Gay built a cage around Hughes that only those whom Gay permitted could penetrate. {ASRMP p. 120}

THE MORMON EMPIRE: Key members of the Mormon LDS Church hold influence and power over the very highest legislative, military, regulatory and executive decision making apparatuses and influence and/or control decisions that affect the lives of every American and, ultimately, every individual in the world. {MCE p. 256-257}

Mormons are taught that Adam and Eve, after being told to leave the Garden of Eden, went seventy miles to the north of Independence, Missouri (near Interstate 35). {MORAM p. XVIII}

THE MORMON MURDERS: The Mormon Church has been accused of murder and other heinous crimes. Stephen Naifeh and Gregory White Smith expertly present *"A True Story of Greed, Forgery, Deceit, and Death"* in their 1988 book entitled, <u>The Mormon Murders</u>.

THE MORMON POPE: The president of the Mormon church can make any statement on any subject and it shall be regarded as "Divine Revelation". This authority has no limit. This authority is greater than that of any leader who has gone before the current president, including Brigham Young and Joseph Smith, the founder of Mormonism. This authority supersedes the Holy Bible, *The Book of Mormon* and *Doctrine and Covenants* scriptures. Any decision made by the Mormon President is considered to be infallible. The LDS President is considered to be the "Living Prophet of God". {MCE p. 196 and 201}

The 2010 documentary film offered by <u>TruthTease@yahoo.com</u> called, *Mormonism: Miracle or Menace?*" documents the murder of Mormons by Mormons. Will Bagley also documents Mormons murdering Mormons in his book, <u>Blood of the Prophets Brigham Young and the Massacre at Mountain</u> <u>Meadows</u>. Mormons had infiltrated or escaped to the doomed Fancher Wagon Train and were murdered by their fellow Mormons along with a hundred other innocent people. The events of September 11, 2001 commerated the 144<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the September 11, 1857 Mountain Meadows Massacre. This horrible crime committed by the Mormons marks (again) one of the darkest points in the history of America. Another important Mormon 144<sup>th</sup> anniversary Mormon murder is documented in the TruthTease DVD. These murders are of an innocent Mormon woman and her family.

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It is common knowledge that this type of absolute authority promotes dictatorships disguised as bureaucracies. As one person put it, "...the result is that bureaucracies have **a genius for organizing evil**". The authoritative control over members of the Mormon church will not allow any criticism and dissent. {MCE p. 179 and 201} Any criticism of the church is dealt with swiftly and decisively, even to the point of murder. {See DVD entitled, "Mormonism: Miracle or Menace?" a Wordsmith Productions Film, copyright 2010}

ANTI-CHRISTIAN—In a speech delivered at Brigham Young University by Mormon "apostle" Ezra Taft Benson fourteen "fundamental statements" about Mormonism and LDS membership were given. One of the "fundamental statements" was: *"The living prophet* [the current President of the Mormon Church] *is more important to us than a dead prophet* [Jesus the Christ]". {See Ezra Taft Benson's "Fourteen Fundamentals in Following the Prophets," typed transcript of an address presented to the Brigham Young University Devotional Assembly on February 26, 1980, p. 9}

UNQUESTIONING SUBMISSION—The following Mormon policy is taken verbatim from the June 1945 issue of the Mormon *Ward Teacher's Message: "When our leaders speak, <u>the thinking has been</u> <u>done</u>. When they propose a plan – it is God's plan. When they point*  the way, there is no other which is safe. When they give direction it should mark the end of controversy. God works in no other way. To think otherwise, without immediate repentance, may cost one his faith, may destroy his testimony, and leave him a stranger to the Kingdom of God".

#### THE MOUNTAIN MEADOWS MASSACRE OF SEPTEMBER 11<sup>th</sup>

911: The events of 911 (September 11, 2001) took place <u>exactly</u> 144 years after The Mountain Meadows Massacre (September 11, 1857). 2001 minus 1857 equals 144.

Until the events of 911, the crime of mass murder of innocents by Mormons, known as the Mountain Meadows Massacre, had no parallel in American history. The massacre by Mormons of 120 innocent men, women and children still remains the most violent event in the history of America's overland trails. It has been called "the darkest deed of the nineteenth century". 911 could certainly be called the darkest deed of the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

It has been clearly documented that the number 144 is significant within Mormonism with regard to the "celebration" of the anniversary of some significant event in Mormon history and that the "celebration" involves the murder of innocents. {See DVD entitled, "Mormonism: Miracle or Menace?" a Wordsmith Productions Film, copyright 2010}

> 9/11 TRUTH MOVEMENT—Brigham Young University professor Steven Jones was able to "negotiate" an early (and probably lucrative for the professor) retirement when he agreed to withdraw his fervent support of the 9/11 Truth Movement. The 9/11 Truth Movement claimed that the events of September 11, 2001 at the World Trade Center were planned and carried out by the government of the United States and its operatives. {MORAM p. 240} The Mormon hierarchy holds tremendous power within the United States Government, and particularly its intelligence agencies.

> A "TRANSACTION" OF MURDER—On December 23, 1866, Brigham Young called the Mormon Mountain Meadows Massacre a "transaction". On November 8, 1874 Lee was arrested. Lee's first trial ended in July of 1875 in a hung jury. The second jury was comprised of all Mormons who convicted Lee in September of 1876. Considering the power structure of the Mormon Church, it must be assumed that orders for a conviction came from Brigham Young. On

March 23, 1877 John D. Lee was executed at Mountain Meadows. Brigham Young must have breathed a great sigh of relief. If so, his relief did not last long.

BRIGHAM YOUNG-In his book, Blood of the Prophets: Brigham Young and the Massacre at Mountain Meadows, Will Bagley shows that Brigham Young was responsible for initiating the massacre at Mountain Meadows. Further, Mr. Bagley expertly and concisely demonstrates how Brigham Young concealed the massacre in order to protect himself and his Mormon Empire. Then, almost twenty years later, Brigham Young set up his own adopted son, John D. Lee, as a scapegoat for the massacre. The powerful Mormon publicity machine worked to make it appear as if the massacre was entirely Lee's fault and Utah's territorial government duly executed John D. Lee. As time went by, the Mormon Church gradually removed Brigham Young's name from accounts of the massacre and now claim that Young has been "officially exonerated" from involvement in the massacre. No explanation is given as to how an underling such as Lee could have accomplished such a feat without orders from Brigham Young. {TMM p. 77 and MCE p. 17}

COVER-UP—The Mormon Church has, throughout history, diligently worked to cover up their trail of scandal and murder. One technique is to excise certain facts from their official records. The most infamous cover-up in the history of Mormonism and in the history of the United States prior to September 11, 2001, is the cover-up of the September 11, 1857 Mountain Meadows Massacre. News of the Mountain Meadows Massacre, a crime that, until September 11, 2001 (144 years later), had no equal in the history of the United States for cruelty and atrocity, did not reach the American public for nearly two years after the horrible event took place.

MEDIA CAMPAIGNS—Multi-million dollar media campaigns, parades, pageants, historical restorations and television commercials present a white-washed image of Mormons and have been quite successful in creating a picture of the average Mormon that is far, far removed from the history or current position of the Mormon LDS Church.

RITUALIZED HISTORY—Some have attempted to explain the manipulation and cover-up tactics of the Mormon LDS Church in

terms of "Ritualized History". One good example of this is the Mormon movie, *Legacy*. The movie plays on the "pioneer" theme in Mormon evacuations. The subject of polygamy completely ignored. Land claims for the Mormon coming Millennial Kingdom are left out of *Legacy* as well as any hint of Mormon doctrine that is different from established Christian doctrine. Mormons are represented as Holy People leading Holy Lives. The founder of Mormonism, Joseph Smith is presented as a martyr, which required the truth of why Smith was really killed to be removed and left out of Mormon "history".

THE LDS CHURCH EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM—The Mormon LDS Church now focuses on what they call the CES or Church Educational System. The instructional materials of Mormonism's CES are printed in many different languages. Students of Brigham Young University are required to take at least fourteen hours of religious courses through the CES. The CES curriculum is entirely void of any criticism toward the Mormon LDS Church. Independent student or teacher inquiry or research into controversial subjects or questions of doctrine is not allowed. The history textbook for the CES does not index the Mountain Meadows Massacre. {MORAM p. 230-233}

THE FRUIT OF SATANISM—The September 11<sup>th</sup> Mountain Meadows Massacre has been termed "diabolical": bloody, horrible, shocking—the worst crime ever committed in Utah. {BPMMM Preface p. xv}

WHAT REALLY HAPPENED—In August of 1857 the emigrant Fancher party from Missouri and Arkansas passed through territory claimed by Mormons. The emigrants were on their way to California. As the Fancher party neared Parowan, Utah they were told by Mormons that they could not go through the town. The Mormons forced the party to take a much longer route around the town. When the Fancher party reached the next town, Cedar City, the Mormons greeted the weary travelers with more hostility. Cedar City was the last place in which the Fancher party could obtain supplies and the food necessary to continue their trip. The Mormons refused to sell anything to the Fancher party. After the stinging disappointment at Cedar City, the Fancher Wagon Train turned to the south and continued their journey. But Mormons claim that the Fancher party began namecalling against the Mormons. This would be understandable in light of the perceived trickery and deceit on the part of the Mormons. But then, the Mormons claim that some of those who were particularly enraged by the actions of the Mormons began boasting of having been participants in anti-Mormon mobs and that one member of the Fancher party boldly claimed *"that he had the gun that killed Old Joe Smith"*. {See Mormon historian Juanita Brook's, <u>The Mountain Meadows Massacre</u>, Norman, Oklahoma: University of Oklahoma Press, 1970, p. 56} It is not known if the story about the gun that killed Joseph Smith is true, or a fabrication of the Mormon hierarchy.

A swift emergency meeting of Brigham Young and the Mormon Hierarchy was held and the decision was made to "exterminate every man, woman, and child in the party, sparing only those too young to recount the massacre". {MCE p. 15-17} About 100 American Indians were "enlisted" to aid in the massacre so that it would appear to have been an Indian raid. These Indians became sickened at the actions of the Mormons and refused to do the killing for the Mormons. The Mormons (dressed like Indians) regrouped and realized that they would have to murder the Fancher Wagon Train without the help of the Indians. A most despicable plan was made and carried out.

The white Flag of Peace: The Mormon Massacre Mob caught up with the Fancher wagon train, with John D. Lee (Mormon) approached the wagons carrying a white flag of peace. Those of the Fancher party that were still alive after days of sniper fire, cold, hunger and fear hoped that the Mormons might be telling the truth and willing to help them. By now, the Fancher survivors had only three or four rounds of ammunition left. Many of the men had been killed or lay dying of their wounds. Many of the cattle and horses lay dead around them.

Lee had lied to the survivors, saying that the Indians were on the warpath and that Lee and his Mormon militia would safely escort the Fancher survivors to safety and care for their wounded. Lee apologized for the rudeness of the Mormons, especially at Cedar City; and invited the party to return to Cedar City where they would be allowed to secure the provisions necessary for their journey. The exhausted emigrants fell into the Mormon trap. The Mormon Massacre Mob told the Fancher party survivors that they must give up their weapons or the Indians would not believe that they were surrendering and would not leave. The men were then separated from the women.

The Mormon men in the massacre mob murdered all the men left alive in the Fancher party. The men were shot and then had their throats cut. The women were clubbed to death until their brains were pulverized. Seventeen (possibly eighteen) infants and very small children were kept alive and "adopted" into Mormon families. The matter was covered up with intricate lies and deception. It was years before some of the children were returned to relatives in the east.

Twenty years later, John D. Lee became the official Mormon church scapegoat for the massacre even though Brigham Young had planned and ordered the massacre—orders which John D. Lee was not allowed to disobey. Lee was eventually executed by firing squad. {MCE p. 16-17} Meanwhile, Brigham Young was rotting from the inside out from a burst appendix. He died slightly over five months after he watched his friend executed for the crime he had ordered.

> "BLOOD ATONEMENT MADE ME DO IT"—Some claim that in order to understand the Mountain Meadows Massacre is it important to understand the Mormon doctrine of Blood Atonement; that Mormons were just avenging the blood of Joseph Smith. The argument fails, however, because it claims that the Mormon Prophet, Joseph Smith, was insulted by the Fancher party at their <u>second</u> stop at a Mormon city: Cedar City, Utah. The argument fails to explain why the Mormons <u>first</u> stopped the Fancher wagon train at Parowan, Utah and refused to allow the Fancher party to cross "Mormon Territory"; forcing the party to "go around" (a much longer route).

> BUT THERE'S NO SUCH THING AS "BLOOD ATONEMENT"— Believe it or not, according to Mormon Leader, Elder Orson Pratt, Blood Atonement is not a doctrine of Mormonism. Since 'Blood Atonement' is <u>not</u> a doctrine of the Mormon LDS Church, we must conclude that this is not the reason why Mormons slaughtered 120 men, women and children on September 11, 1857. The <u>Encyclopedia</u> <u>of Mormonism</u> explains: "*Blood Atonement is not a doctrine of the Church* [Mormon] and has never been practiced by the Church [Mormon] at any time".

The reader is encouraged to obtain what this writer believes to be <u>the</u> definitive work on the September 11<sup>th</sup> Mountain Meadows Massacre: Will Bagley's, <u>Blood of the Prophets Brigham Young and the Massacre at Mountain</u> <u>Meadows</u>, Norman, Oklahoma: University of Oklahoma Press, 2002. The ISBN number for the book is: 978-0-8061-3639-4.

THE "MOUTHPIECE OF GOD": According to Mormonism, the President of the Mormon Church holds the pre-eminent position of "Divine Authority" that is unparalleled by any other man. "He is the mouthpiece of God on earth for us today." {See "The Certain Sounds", *Church News*, October 9, 1983, p. 24}

THE NAUVOO CHARTER: Joseph Smith's city of Nauvoo was granted a Charter that contained unique wording regarding writs of habeas corpus that attracted every type of criminal who was looking for refuge. Counterfeiters, thieves, pirates and murderers found rest and safe haven in the Mormon town. They rested comfortably beyond the reach of the law. Eventually, non-Mormons attacked the legality of the Nauvoo Charter in court. Nauvoo was built upon the sand of Smith's land speculation and credit-banking frauds. The Mormons of Nauvoo declared bankruptcy and repudiated all of their debts. **Joseph Smith personally declared bankruptcy in 1842**. {MORAM p. 8 and 9}

THE PINPOINT TEAM: The Pinpoint Team was a team of five reporters that had been selected by the editor of *Deseret News* in 1975 for the purpose of investigating scandals involving "judge shopping" (judges are paid commissions per case to rule a certain way). Talk about the fox watching the hen house! The outcome was a nomination for a Pulitzer Prize and a certificate of merit from the American Bar Association. Some judges were charged with malfeasance. Strangely, however, neither the *Deseret News* nor the *Salt Lake Tribune* printed the Associated Press articles. In fact, Utah newspapers in general ignored the highly acclaimed and successful series. {MCE p. 38-39}

Then The Pinpoint Team investigated zoning violations, insurance scams, police corruption and brutality and "the largely Mormon flock of assistants that isolated millionaire recluse Howard Hughes from the world". The team looked into casino and other "real estate scams and Howard Hughes' Mormon aides…" The energetic journalists faced many frustrations in their research. As the team put it, "It is hard to investigate in Utah without turning up a Mormon connection. The church either owns, or has substantial influence in, banks, department stores, insurance, real estate, agribusiness, and energy and utility companies". In 1978 the "reporters took on a story that sparked a strong reaction. First, a Pinpoint Team special described a secret attempt by Mountain Fuel Supply, a local utility with strong church connections, to tape record a meeting held by a consumer group; then a column reported that Mountain Fuel had attempted to create a non-regulated subsidiary for the company's oil holdings, a scheme that would have allowed the company to pass on drilling costs to utility rate payers. Both articles appeared while Church officials who oversee the News were out of town. ('Whenever I'm onto something controversial,' says one reporter, 'it's crucial that I get it in before anybody can react.')" {See Bob Gottlieb and Peter Wiley's, "Static in Zion", Columbia Journalism Review, July/August 1979, p. 59-60}

The editors killed The Pinpoint Team's series on the Central Utah Project (a water project) because of concern about how the articles would affect future government funding.

THE POLICIES: In 2007 Richard and Joan Ostling published a book on Mormonism. The Ostling's listed many policies of the dogmatic leadership of the Mormon LDS Church. Among those policies were the following {MORAM}:

- Purges of dissenters
- •Controlled church education and indoctrination
- •Centralized, iron fisted control
- •Strict financial secrecy

•Strict secrecy in any and all matters that might damage the reputation of the Mormon LDS Church

•Spying within and without the Mormon community

•Demands on Mormons to proselytize—attract new members by community networking rather than attracting through truth. [In 1830 there were zero Mormons. By 2005 there were twelve and a half million (12,500,000) Mormons]

- •Regimentation
- •Rejection/suspicion of intellectuals

•Intelligence record keeping on Mormon members and others

•Unceasing demand for unquestioned and total obedience to the Mormon hierarchy

•Suppression of discussion, damaging documents or other information

•New scripture given to Mormon leaders

•Emphasis that the Bible is understood only as subordinate to Joseph Smith's revelations and the revelations presented by the Mormon hierarchy

•Maintain positive public image and relations

THE "SALT SERMON": In 1833 Sidney Rigdon delivered a sermon in Jackson County, Missouri that has become known as "Sidney's Salt Sermon". At the time that he delivered the sermon Rigdon was a Mormon slated for greatness in the hierarchy of Mormonism. Later, he was excommunicated from the Mormon Church, mainly due to his famous "Salt Sermon". The sermon contained highly inflammatory rhetoric against the non-Mormon citizens of Jackson County. In fact, the sermon was a challenge to the entire county to pitched battle with the Mormon "saints". In November 1833, as a result of Sidney's sermon, he and the "saints" were driven out of Missouri.

It is interesting to note that the sermon also contained a highly unfavorable evaluation of "Prophet" Smith. As Walter Martin put it, "Rigdon's devastating evaluation of 'Prophet' Smith from the 'inside' is a masterful piece of factual dissection and should be read by anyone tempted to deify the questionable character of the first Mormon prophet". {TKOTC p. 174}

THE "SOON RETURN OF CHRIST": Mormonism teaches the anti-Biblical doctrine of the imminent (about to occur) return of Christ. {MCE P. 5} The Christian Scriptures teach that the anti-Christ must first be revealed and crowned as the "King of the World (Order)" and that <u>after</u> the crowning of the anti-Christ the final Great Tribulation of 7 years preceding the return of the Christian Lord Jesus the Christ will <u>begin</u> (See II Thessalonians chapter 2 and Revelations chapter 6).

THE UTAH WAR: The Mormon LDS Church fought for complete political, economic and judicial control of Utah. Along with this, Mormons manipulated for ownership and control of the land (by any means necessary, including stealing it from the Indians). In 1857 a Federal Associate Justice for the Territorial Government of Utah made report that Mormon leadership had threatened his life and that he feared for his life. The report was made via a letter to Washington, D.C. The non-Mormon Associate Justice said that the Mormon "Saints" would stop at nothing short of the total destruction of Federal Government power in Utah and they would use any means in order to attain that goal.

The then President of the United States, James Buchanan, responded to the situation by sending 2,500 Federal Troops and a new governor to Utah. Mormon guerrillas attacked and robbed the federal supply trains. **The Mormon guerrillas also began what became known as the "Scorched-Earth Campaign".** {ASRMP p. 45}

Brigham Young skillfully used guerrilla warfare against the United States federal government along with relentless Mormon attacks on wagon trains, the Mountain Meadows Massacre of September 11, 1857 being the most infamous. The Mormon raids provided considerable leverage for the Mormons to use against the federal government; along with the vast wealth taken from the dead. The Mormons had literally closed off the travel routes through Utah. The westward settlement of the young nation was almost at a standstill. No person who was not Mormon was safe in Utah. Any Mormon who did not comply with Mormon orders of violence, pillaging, burning and murder would soon deeply regret disobedience to the Mormon hierarchy.

Brigham Young and the faithful "Saints" continued to employ every possible means to weaken federal control in Utah. The turning point in the Utah War was the start of the Civil War. America's young government could not afford, nor did it have the manpower, to fight two wars at once. Brigham Young and the "Saints" breathed a sigh of relief. Mormon manipulation and influence causing the declaration of war between the North and the South has never been fully explored, but appears to be more than obvious. When the war ended, Brigham Young and his Utah "Saints" were handsomely rewarded with the transcontinental railroad and accompanying "perks"; all of which gave an unprecedented boost to all aspects of the Mormon Empire. By the time of his death in 1877, Brigham Young had created a Mormon Elite in Salt Lake City complete with attendants (slaves), lavish homes and lifestyles and bodyguards. Mormonism would advance to dominate and control every aspect of the life of its members. Will Bagley publishes in his book an extremely disturbing picture of how John D. Lee and his wife Rachael Lee lived in comparison to how Brigham Young and his multiple wives lived. John D. Lee, the Mormon scapegoat for the September 11<sup>th</sup> Mountain Meadows Massacre, lived in a tiny structure that is not even worthy to be called a shanty. The "home" is more like an enclosure fence. The photograph, taken by the Powell Expedition, shows absolutely unbelievable poverty. Another photograph in the book shows the vast wealth of Brigham Young, complete with a Mansion, black slaves and many wives.

TITHING: In 1981 conservative estimates were calculated without any help from the LDS Mormon church; which showed that at a minimum at least \$2 million per day was flowing into the hands of the President of Mormonism and his chiefs from tithing alone. {See Stephen W. Stathis', *"Mormonism and the Periodical Press: A Change Is Underway,"* Dialogue: A Journal of Mormon Thought 14, Summer 1981, p. 66} These figures have been criticized as being too low, and a deliberate misrepresentation of the truth. In 1984 Ed Decker and Dave Hunt estimated the amount of tithe money flowing into the bank accounts of the Mormon leaders to be more than four million dollars a day (\$4,000,000+). {GM p. 9}

> DISCRIMINATION—More than one Mormon has come forward and charged the Mormon LDS Church with discrimination against them in the form of such things as termination of employment or denial of the all important "Temple Recommend"—such discrimination being the result of the now begging Mormon not paying the "full tithe" to the Mormon Church. {See Christine J. Amos et al. versus The Corporation of the Presiding Bishopric of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and the Corporation of the President of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Civil Action #C-83-0492W, U. S. District Court of the District of Utah, Central Division, Salt Lake City, Utah}

> FULL-TIME MISSIONARY WORK—At age 19 Mormon youth are required to donate two full years to full time missionary work— without pay. Further, they and/or their families are required to

pay all of the expenses for the youths during the two-year forced labor. In addition, a "devout Mormon" is expected to spend around twenty hours per week in service to the Mormon Church—without pay. {MORAM p. XXV} Attractive, young Mormon women have walked the streets of Alamosa, Colorado; knocking on doors, two-by-two (2011-2012).

INTERNAL WELFARE SYSTEM—Over and above ten per-cent (10%) required tithing, a Mormon is required to miss two meals each month and give the money that would have been spent on the food into the Mormon Internal Welfare System. {MORAM}

"RECOMMEND" PAYMENTS—A Mormon is not permitted to enter the "Temple" unless they have received what is called a "Temple Recommend" from the Mormon Hierarchy. Once the "recommend" is received, the Mormon is required to tithe at least ten per-cent (10%) of their income or lose his recommend. {MORAM p. XXV}

TOSCANO, PAUL: Salt Lake City Attorney Paul Toscano founded The Mormon Alliance. Toscano dared to criticize Mormon leadership. Toscano was excommunicated from the Mormon LDS Church. Since Toscano was an attorney, a trial was held. It came out in his trial that Toscano had been promoting the findings against the Mormon General Authorities outlined in an address given at a Sunstone Symposium. The address was called, *"All Is Not Well in Zion: False Teachings of the True Church"*.

TREASON, TREACHERY AND GLOBAL CONTROL: On April 4, 1984 FBI agents arrested Richard Craig Smith (a Mormon) and charged him with selling information exposing the identity of six American double agents. Mormon Smith sold the information to the Russian government. Further, Mormon Smith also sold information relating to the secret operations directed at the KGB's intelligence agency of the Soviet Union. {MCE p. 165} The fact that the arrest was made at all is astounding due to the fact that the FBI and the CIA are controlled almost entirely by the Mormon Church. Such facts and their implications should serve to stagger the imagination of even the most committed Mormon. Mormon Michael Barrett was a lawyer for the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) in Washington D.C but was convicted of apostasy against the Mormon LDS Church for refusing to obey Mormon Orders.

The extent of control by the Mormon Church of the FBI was brought out into the open when the FBI actually arrested one of its own agents, Mormon Richard W. Miller. Mormon Miller was charged with espionage in October of 1984. Mormon Miller had sold classified documents to a Soviet KGB agent. Mormon Miller's superior was Richard W. Bretzing, a special agent in charge of the Los Angeles, California Office of the FBI. Bretzing was not just a Special Agent. Bretzing was also a Mormon Bishop. One FBI agent told reporters that Bretzing's office was run by the "<u>Mormon Mafia</u>". {See: "FBI to Evaluate Its L.A. Office in Wake of Espionage Arrest," *Deseret* News, October 18, 1984, p. A-3 and MCE p. 166-167}

WAR, SKYWALKING THE STAR WARS: In March of 1983 President Reagan, heavily influenced by the Mormons closest to him, gave a television speech that became known as **"The Star Wars Speech"**. The Director of the Science and Environmental Reporting Program at New York University unequivocally stated that, the Star Wars Speech *"galvanized the aerospace industry, which is heavily dependent on defense contracts"*. {See William E. Burrows, "Skywalking with Reagan", *Harpers*, January, 1984, p. 51} This allowed the Mormons to *"ride the crest of the high-tech weapons boom through one of their little-publicized but important properties: the Eyring Research Center"*.

The Eyring Research Center, located in Provo, **Utah, produces sophisticated electronics and missile guidance systems** and employed nearly 300 people in the mid eighties. Many of the employees work at Hill Air Force Base in Ogden, Utah.

Hill Air Force Base is "one of the most important military installations in the western United States. It is home to the Ogden Air Logistics Center, one of five such centers in the country, which is responsible for worldwide logistics management and maintenance support for the Minutemen and Titan II missiles as well as Bomarc drone missiles, Maverick air-to-ground missiles, and the Emergency Rocket Communication System". {See "Hill AFB Is an Important Cog for Air Force, Utah", *Salt Lake Tribune*, February 21, 1982, p. K-3}

Mormon's Brigham Young University faculty and students provides most of the consultants for Eyring. The Federal Government for "contract research" gives millions of dollars to Eyring. In fact, well over 70 per cent of the research done at Eyring is done on behalf of the federal government. Most of the work is, of course, classified. {MCE p. 159-160} This type of control gives the holder control of the Military. Remember that the housing market was sabotaged and crashed through Mormon/De Rothschild/Morgan control of the housing industry.

ALPS (AUTOMATED LANGUAGE PROCESSING SYSTEMS)—ALPS (Automated Language Processing Systems, Inc.) has contracts with the United States Military for the **translation of intelligence and espionage materials**. ALPS was initially owned and operated by Mormons. The ownership has now been camouflaged, but ALPS is said to answer directly to the Mormon Hierarchy. An official for ALPS said that, "in the near future approximately 20-30 per cent of ALPS' business would come from either the United States Military or the Central Intelligence Agency". {MCE p. 160-161}

NASA—Devout Mormon Dr. James C. Fletcher has a distinguished career working with **Guided War Missiles**. He is the former President and Chairman of the Board of the Space General Corporation and the former administrator of NASA by appointment of Richard Nixon. Mormon Fletcher gave a detailed recommendation asking for over \$21 billion dollars (\$21,000,000,000.00) for research and development of the Star Wars project through fiscal year **1989**. The Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger endorsed his recommendations.

WAR (THE CIVIL WAR): It has been suggested that Brigham Young had secret and large part in the fomentation of the Civil War. The timing of the Civil War was all too convenient for Young and his flock. Brigham Young had bought time for the Kingdom of the Saints through the Mountain Meadows Massacre of September 11, 1857. The Massacre of the Fancher Wagon Train, the richest wagon train to ever cross Utah, and the confiscation of the vast wealth of the train by the Mormons, sent a strong and clear message to America to "back off or else!"

But Brigham Young needed a stronger and longer deterrent to the war that Washington had declared on his "Kingdom" in Utah. The Civil War provided the perfect answer. In 1857 the President of the United States sent the largest peacetime military contingent in history to Utah in order to see that Brigham Young and his military did not interfere with the installation of six non-Mormon officials. Three years after the federal army established a military base in Utah they were forced to abandon the base in order to fight the Civil War. The Utah War, as it was known, was gaining significant momentum and Brigham Young knew that he could not win the Utah war unless he could find a way to divide the nation's forces. The Civil War did just that, a turn of events described by the Ostling's as "much to the liking of Brigham Young".

Young America did not have the strength to send federal troops to Utah to fight Brigham Young and, at the same time, wage a war between the North and the South. The Civil War should never have been.

What is known for certain is that Federal Soldiers who were already in Utah were withdrawn from Utah in 1861 to fight the Civil War. **They left behind a huge fortune in livestock, feed, iron, equipment, tools and other goods. The worth of what the federal government left behind was estimated at four million dollars (\$4,000,000.00) at that time.** Some claim that the Mormons paid \$100,000 for what was abandoned. {MORAM p. 50} Either way, Brigham Young and the Kingdom of the Saints had more to gain from the Civil War than any other group, interest or individual except for **The British Throne**.

The challenges to the Andrew Jackson Administration included: *"The Mormon delusion, which had originated in 1829 and attained considerable proportion in Ohio and Missouri".* {See page 1352 of Volume Number 2 of Johnson's <u>New Universal Cyclopedia A Scientific and Popular Treasury of Useful Knowledge</u>, (in 4 Volumes) published in 1879 by Alvin J. Johnson and Son, New York; Editor in chiefs Frederick Barnard, President of Columbia College, New York and Arnold Guyot, Professor of Geology and Physical Geography at the College of New Jersey}

WARNING: When the Masonic roots of the Secret Rites of the Secret Mormon Temple-Endowment Ceremony were exposed, another, perhaps even more sinister fact was uncovered. It came to light that individuals taking part in the Secret Rites of the Temple-Endowment Ceremony were given a dictate from the "Twelve Apostles" (the ruling body) of the Mormon Church. The dictate goes as follows: *"I'm warning you—don't start anything against this Church".* {TMM p. 77} The Mormon Church financed the construction of a huge and highly ostentatious Mormon Temple just outside Washington, D.C. The dedication of the 160,000 square foot temple was in 1974. {MORAM p. 95} In New York, Joseph Smith's home, Smith was known *"by the most uncomplimentary terms, some of which have a direct bearing upon a proper understanding of his character".* The Mormons had a chance to gain converts only where and while the true character of Joseph Smith was unknown. When his true character became known the Mormons were driven out. {TKOTC p. 174} It is interesting to note that there exists not one positive statement as to the character of Joseph Smith, Jr. from any reliable and informed source who knew Joseph smith, Jr. and his family intimately! {TKOTC p. 175}

In 1834, E.D. Howe, a contemporary of Joseph Smith, Jr., obtained a statement that was signed by sixty-two residents of Palmyra, New York. Anyone who is serious about obtaining the truth about Mormonism would likely find it interesting. Here is the statement that the residents signed: *"We, the undersigned, have been acquainted with the Smith family, for a number of years, while they resided near this place, and we have no hesitation in saying, that we consider them destitute of that moral character, which ought to entitle them to the confidence of any community...Joseph Smith, Senior, and his son Joseph, were in particular, considered entirely destitute of moral character, and addicted to vicious habits". {See Mormonism Unveiled, Zanesville, Ohio, 1834, p. 261}* 

# WHAT SHOULD OUR RESPONSE TO JOSEPH SMITH, BRIGHAM YOUNG AND THE MORMON LATTER-DAY SAINTS CHURCH BE?

"Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful, but his delight is in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night." {The Holy Bible, KJV, Psalm 1: 1-2}

Most Mormons probably do not know the true character of their "leaders" who are loyal to Lucifer and the goals of World Order. That being said, the truth about Mormonism is not changed because those who follow and support Mormonism don't really know what they are doing. The leaders of the Mormon God Makers have a contempt for the truth when it comes into conflict with their own, private agenda: **Money, Power and Control fed by slaves to the Federal Reserve!** {GM p. 236 and 237 (in part)} Any Mormon can chose to stop supporting the Mormon Agenda.

> COUNCIL OF FIFTY—"The Council of Fifty", is by far the most important key to an understanding of Mormon past."{See Klaus J. Hansen's, <u>Quest For Empire, The Political Kingdom of God and the</u> <u>Council of Fifty in Mormon History</u>, p. 55-56} "The Prophet

[Joseph Smith] established a confidential Council of Fifty, or 'Ytfif,' (Fifty spelled backwards), comprised of both Mormons and non-Mormons, to help attend to temporal matters, including **the eventual development of a one-world government**..." {See Mormon writer John J. Stewart's, <u>Joseph Smith the Mormon</u> <u>Prophet</u>, p. 204} Spelling words backward and/or saying words backward is generally known to be a practice associated with witchcraft and sorcery.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT—The Mormon Corporate Empire owns the largest cattle ranch in the United States and is one of the largest owners/producers of agricultural product (corn, potatoes, apples, oranges, grapefruit, dairy, canned goods and other food products) in the United States. {MORAM p. 124-125} Mormonism owns Kroger, Pepsi, Costco, American Express, CITI Bank, Safeway, King Soopers, City Market and the list goes on.

MOST MORMONS NOT AWARE—It might be true that most Mormons are not aware of the real purpose and religious preference behind Mormonism. After all, the founder of McDonalds, Ray Crock, was a professed Satanist. He and Henry Kissinger were good friends. These facts do not change the truth.

As one Mormon researcher wrote: *"…if few Mormons, in 1884, knew what kind of kingdom their prophet had organized that year, fewer know today".* {See Klaus J. Hansen's, <u>Quest For Empire,</u> <u>The Political Kingdom of God and the Council of Fifty in Mormon History</u>, p. 4-5}

NEW WORLD ORDER ONE WORLD GOVERNMENT—According to seasoned reporters Richard and Joan Ostling, Joseph Smith kept secret his plans for a New World Order. {MORAM p. 14} According to Ed Decker and Dave Hunt, since the foundation of Mormonism is the occult, the ultimate goal of Mormonism is the establishment of World Order (a one world government) under the leadership of the Anti-christ and a false Messiah. {GM p. 250} This goal can be traced back to Hinduism/Druidism that traces particularly to the worship of Lucifer the fallen angel whose name was changed to Satan. OCCULT CONSPIRACY—"Mormonism can best be understood in relation to **the larger occult conspiracy**, of which it is a part...Joseph Smith's revelations blueprinting the human path to 'Godhood' were right on target with the Hindu-Buddhist-Druidic occultism that is sweeping the West today as the New Age movement." {GM p. 254} The word occult means: hidden. The word occult refers systems of belief that ultimately reveal Lucifer or Satan as the god of choice.

RESHAPE FREE SOCIETY—"...the Mormon financial/political enterprise is not simply an American success story but rather an ongoing crusade to reshape our society and its democratic traditions..." The Mormon Church is a vastly wealthy and powerful, rising, authoritarian, political movement with secular ambitions and "its actions influence national events and help shape government policies..." {MCE p. ix and x}

CREATE A NATIONAL THEOCRACY~Mormons believe that they have been appointed by God to establish a "National Theocracy" which "supersedes ALL other religions". {MCE p. 2} As we have seen, if the Mormon Hierarchy has their way, the National Theocracy will be the worship of Satan!

Mormon Elder Orson Pratt was asked in an interview to explain what the Lord required from the people of the United States. His answer was, *"He requires them to...embrace the message of salvation contained in the Book of Mormon, and be baptized into THIS church..."* Orson Pratt was then asked what consequences would await those who did not embrace the Book of Mormon as Divine Revelation. Mr. Pratt answered that, *"They will BE DESTROYED from the land and SENT DOWN TO HELL..."* {See Orson Pratt, *The Seer*, Washington, D.C., 1854, p. 215}

THE GOD MAKERS—"Under the grandiose dream that they are the God Makers, Mormonism's leaders have developed an utter contempt for truth when it conflicts with their goal of extending the Mormon Kingdom, in the name of [a different] Jesus Christ, to encompass the entire world." {GM p. 237} "Joseph Smith's belief that men could turn themselves into gods was generally considered not only the rankest heresy but an absurdity in his day. Today, however, this once-radical idea permeates not only psychology, science fiction, popular films, television shows, and many other areas of secular society, but it is at the heart of an awakening [pagan Druid-Satanism] religious consciousness that is sweeping the world." {GM p. 21}

"...Mormonism openly...boasts that its gospel of men becoming gods is an ancient pagan belief." {GM p. 27} One can hardly conceive of a greater lie than to teach that humans can become Gods.

THE IMAGE OF THE BEAST—Using the **Westar I Satellite** orbiting the earth and the Mormon LDS Portable Earth Station Concave Dish Satellite, the Mormons fully expect to control all global broadcasting. {See interview with Mike Hannon, July 19, 1983 and extrapolate (MCE p. 57)}

THE RUNAWAY BEAST~The Mormon Empire has been described as a runaway beast that is consuming America—and the world.

THE KINGDOM OF GOD—Mormonism teaches that the Mormon Church <u>is</u> the Kingdom of God. Mormonism teaches that prior to the return of the "Lord" there will be chaos and the destruction of all earthly kingdoms (except the Kingdom of Mormonism). The Kingdom of Mormonism will provide World Order in the midst of the chaos. Mormon Richard Bushman, historian at Columbia University, reinforced the importance of this belief within Mormonism while chiding Mormon President Hinckley's attempts to downplay this belief among Mormons. Bushman said that, *"The church* [Mormon] *could, in a flash, constitute a complete society".* Mormons have covered the globe with their influence. They are <u>everywhere!</u> {MORAM p. 93-94}

THE TAKE OVER OF AMERICA (WORLD ORDER?)—According to researchers John Heinerman and Anson Shupe, The Mormon Corporate Empire intends to "take over America" and rule during what is termed the Millennium or Thousand Year Reign. The research that was done by these gentlemen is considered to be impeccable and beyond reproach or contradiction. Many feel that the Mormon church or anyone in ownership and/or control of key governmental, military, social, financial/banking/insurance, stocks, bonds, securities, ranching, farming, food, mining, minerals, technological, agricultural, industrial, transportation and communication, education, media, lumber, railroads, gas, oil, chemicals, computers, credit card companies, manufacturing, hotels, biological, medical, fuel and etc. is dangerous and not a fair player. The Mormon church is one of the largest landowners in the United States. Mormon control of key sectors is constantly expanding at an unbelievable rate. The Mormon church spent approximately six billion, three hundred million dollars (\$6,300,000,000) for the construction of meetinghouses in 2007 alone.

WORLD ORDER RELIGION—The Mormon religion has been termed the "New World Religion". {MORAM p. XXVI} It is the worship of Satan, the fallen angel Lucifer.

YOUNG, BRIGHAM: Brigham Young and Mormon theology cannot be separated one from another. The Mormon Church has tried to erase the truth regarding the character of Brigham Young from history. In fact, the man was ruthless. In his insatiable crusade to control Utah, Brigham Young gave the order to massacre between 100 and 150 "Gentiles" (non-Mormons) in what is known as the infamous "Mountain Meadows Massacre". Young enlisted the service of Native Americans in order to throw the blame off of himself and then allowed Bishop Lee to take the blame 20 years later. Brigham Young watched as Bishop Lee was imprisoned, tried, convicted and executed for the massacre. {TKOTC p. 176} And so, we have **the second most important foundational person in the Mormon Church—a shameful and a disgraced person. The actual founder of Mormonism, Joseph Smith had equally disgraceful or worse character.** 

Dr. Walter Martin made tremendous accomplishments in his ceaseless efforts to expose the anti-Christian cults. He authored the most widely recognized and respected book on the subject of Cults: <u>The Kingdom of The Cults</u>. Summing up his research findings on the Cult of Mormonism, the late Dr. Walter Martin wrote the following:

"The Mormon religion utilizes Biblical terms and phrases and even adopts Christian doctrines in order to claim allegiance to the Christian faith. Mormons have also come to lay much stress upon public relations and take pains to make certain that they do not use language which might reveal the true nature of their theological deviations...

It is evident for all to see that Mormonism strives with great effort to <u>masquerade</u> as the Christian church...

But it is the verdict of both history and Biblical theology that Joseph Smith's religion is a polytheistic nightmare of garbled doctrines draped with the garment of Christian terminology...<u>a non-Christian cult</u> <u>system</u>." {TKOTC p. 225-226}

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#### APPENDIX A

#### MORMONISM'S HIGHEST MELCHIZEDEK PRIESTHOOD

#### -YET ANOTHER FRAUD-

# How can the unrighteousness of Mormonism claim to be descended from The Priesthood of Righteousness?

#### What is the real and true identity and meaning of Melchizedek?

The word "order" as in order of Melchizedek, appears once in the King James Version of the Old Testament of the Christian Bible. It can be found in Psalms 110: 4 and reads as follows: *"The LORD hath sworn, and will not repent, Thou art a priest for ever after the order of Melchizedek".* The <u>older</u> Strong's Hebrew Dictionary tells us that the word "order" as used here is "dibrah" (Strong's Hebrew #1700) and that it is the feminine of Strong's Hebrew #1967. It is highly unlikely that the priesthood of the Righteous would have been referred to or written in the feminine; it would have been written in the masculine.

Lets look at how "order" is defined in Strong's Hebrew Dictionary? "Order" is #1967 (Hebrew) and is defined as a "word". It is interesting to note that in the New Testament, Jesus is God, the Word (John 1: 1). So, we would be talking about a priesthood of Jesus or the priesthood of the Most High God in this context. It would be easy to understand that those who did not or do not believe that Jesus is God or that the Holy Spirit is the Spirit of Jesus, would tend to be confused about this passage.

The word "order" in the context of "order of Melchisedec", as used in the New Testament can be defined using Strong's Greek Dictionary #5010: Order = taxis. This word, <u>taxis</u> is from #5021 which means to assign or dispose in a fixed succession of rank or order. Could it be possible that the word "order" was confused with tithes or taxes, to be handed down in a certain succession?

#### KING JAMES BIBLE:

Genesis 14: 17-20—"And the king of Sodom went out to meet him after his return from the slaughter of Chedorlaomer, and of the kings that were with him, at the valley of Shaveh, which is the king's dale. And Melchizedek king of Salem brought forth bread and wine: and he was the priest of the most high God, And he blessed him, and said, Blessed be Abram of the most high God, possessor of heaven and earth: And blessed be the most high God, which hath delivered thine enemies into thy hand. And he gave him tithes of all.

Psalms 110: 4-5—"The LORD hath sworn, and will not repent, Thou art a priest for ever after the order of Melchizedek. The Lord at thy right hand shall strike through kings in the day of his wrath."

#### SEPTUAGINT:

Genesis 14: 17-20—"And the king of Sodom went out to meet him, after he returned from the slaughter of Chodollogomor, and the kings with him, to the valley of Saby; this was the plain of the kings. And Melchisedec king of Salem brought forth loaves and wine, and he was the priest of the most high God. And he blessed Abram, and said, Blessed be Abram of the most high God, who made heaven and earth, and blessed be the most high God who delivered thine enemies into thy power. And Abram gave him the tithe of all."

The word Salem in Genesis 14: 18 is Strong's Hebrew Dictionary #8004. We are told that Salem was an early name for Jerusalem and is the same as #8003H meaning complete, just, peaceable, perfect. Hebrew word #8003 comes from #7999H which is a primitive root meaning to be safe, to be completed. The word Salem has exactly the same meaning (to be safe, completely; peaceable, just perfect) in Psalm 76: 1-2: *"In Judah is God known: his name is great in Israel. In Salem also is his tabernacle, and his dwelling place in Zion".* The word Salem is the same in the New Testament, for the "king of Salem, priest of the most high God"

Psalms 110: 3-5—"With thee is dominion in the day of thy power, in the splendours of thy saints: I have begotten thee from the womb before the morning. The Lord sware, and will not repent, Thou are a priest forever, after the order of Melchisedec. The Lord at thy right hand has dashed in pieces kings in the day of his wrath".

The translation above may <u>seem</u> to be talking about Jesus, since it says; *"I have begotten thee from the womb"*. But, is it really? Clearly, at the time of the writing of this Psalm, Jesus, the only begotten Son of God, had not yet been "begotten from the womb".

TANAKH: **The term, "Order of Melchizedek" does not occur in** The Jewish Bible, known as the Tanakh. According to the Tanakh, a <u>correct</u> translation of the Old Testament at Genesis 14: 17-20 and at Psalms 110: 4-5 produces no "order of Melchizedek". The Jewish Bible (Tanakh) is claimed to have been "produced by the Jewish Publication Society and was made directly from the Hebrew text into the idiom of modern English. It represents the collaboration of academic scholars with rabbis from the three largest branches of organized Jewish religious life in America. Begun in 1955, the ongoing translation was published in three stages..." {Tanakh, Preface, p. xv}

Genesis 14: 17-20—"When he returned from defeating Chedorlaomer and the kings with him, the king of Sodom came out to meet him in the Valley of Shaveh, which is the Valley of the King. And King Melchizedek of Salem brought out bread and wine; he was a priest of God Most High, He blessed him saying,

'Blessed be Abram of God Most High,

Creator of heaven and earth.

And blessed be God Most High,

Who has delivered your foes into your hand.'

And [Abram] gave him a tenth of everything."

Psalms 110: 4-5—"The LORD has sworn and will not relent, 'You are a priest forever, a rightful king by My decree. The Lord is at your right hand. He crushes kings in the day of His anger...

TRANSLATIONS OF OTHER RELATED WORDS:

ADONIZEDEK—This word is #139 in Strong's Hebrew Dictionary and means "Lord of Justice". There was also a Canaanitish king named Adonizedek.

The word comes from Strong's Dictionary #113 (Hebrew) and #6664 (Hebrew). Strong's #113 means **sovereign** (or lord). Strong's #6664 means Righteousness, a right relationship to an ethical or moral standard, often connected with justice; thus: **Sovereign Lord of Justice or Sovereign Lord of Righteousness**.

Adonizedek is translated Adoni-Zedek in most versions of the Old Testament. It means Lord of the Righteous or **Sovereign of the Righteous**. In the King James Version it appears twice, in Joshua 10: 1 and 10: 3. In both places, "Adonizedek" is the Canaanitish king, Adonizedec. Joshua chapter 10 tells us about one of the most famous battles in the history of mankind. Five kings were warring against Gibeon. Joshua rescued Gibeon. King Adonizedec was the evil king who gathered the other four kings to fight against Gibeon because Gibeon, being a great and royal city, had made peace with Joshua and the children of Israel. The time frame for Joshua's famous battle, according to Thompson's King James Version of the Bible is about 1450 B.C.

Joshua fought a great battle against king Adonizedec, and he called on the Most High God for help: *"Then spake Joshua to the LORD in the day when the LORD delivered up the Amorites before the children of Israel, and he said in the sight of Israel, Sun, stand thou still upon Gibeon; and thou Moon, in the valley of Ajalon. And the sun stayed, until the people had avenged themselves upon their enemies. Is not this written in the book of Jasher? So the sun stood still in the midst of heaven, and hasted not to go down about a whole day. And there was no day like that before it or after it, that the LORD hearkened unto the voice of a man: for the LORD fought for Israel". {The Holy Bible, King James Version, Joshua 10: 12-14}* 

The date of Abram's tithe reported in the 14<sup>th</sup> chapter of Genesis happened 500 years earlier:

"And Adonizedek king of Jerusalem, the same was **Shem**, went out with his men to meet Abram and his people, with bread and wine, and they remained together in the valley of Melech. And Adonizedek blessed Abram, and Abram gave him a tenth from all that he had brought from the spoil of his enemies, for Adonizedek was a priest before God." {The Book of Jasher, Chapter 16: 11-12} This passage does not refer to the evil king of the famous battle that took place 500 years later, where the sun and moon stood still. Here, Adonizedek means Sovereign of Righteousness and/or Peace. Adonizedek translates to: **Sovereign of Righteousness** 

Adonizedek king of Jerusalem translates to:

# Sovereign of Righteousness and Peace

MELCHI-ZEDEK—Melchi-zedek is an interesting word. Melchi is found in Luke 3: 24 and 28. In both places, Melchi is an ancestor of Joseph, the husband of Mary, the mother of Jesus. The definition of Melchi is found in Strong's Greek Dictionary #3197 which is from the Hebrew #4428: Melchi means, My King or a king, royal.

Melchizedek in the Old Testament translates to:

# **King of Righteousness**

Melchisedec in the New Testament translates to:

# A Patriarch.

Translation notes: In Genesis 14: 18 and in Psalms 110:4, Melchizedek is Strong's Hebrew Dictionary #4442: **King of Righteousness.** 

Melchisedec in the New Testament is Strong's Greek #3198, which is the same as Hebrew #4442: **A Patriarch**.

SHEM: Shem was a **Patriarch of Righteousness**. Shem was the son of Noah. Noah was a **Preacher or Patriarch of Righteousness**, (II Peter 2: 5) a pre-flood Patriarch. Noah lived 950 years. Noah was 500 years old when Shem was born. Shem lived 600 years. Shem died when Isaac was 110 years old. Jacob was 50 years old when Shem died. Shem was alive at the time of the tithe of Abram to the **Patriarch of Righteousness**. {<u>The Book of Jasher</u>, 13: 9 and 28: 24}

The man that brought bread and wine to Abram after Abram's victory and rescue of his nephew Lot, near the Dead Sea (Genesis chapter 14) could most certainly have been Shem, a **Patriarch of Righteousness**.

Author's note: What is contained on the Internet is constantly being "cleansed" by people who work for the forces of darkness. Truth is constantly and insidiously being removed and replaced by error. Those who strive to

post Truth, like TruthTeasers.com are met with constant bombardment from those who are paid to sanitize or, better still, remove Truth and replace it with error. Quite simply, trusting in the Internet is like trusting in the shadow of a bramble bush. {See Jotham's Prophecy: <u>The Holy Bible</u>, Judges Chapter 9). Some have even suggested that T.V. and computer screens can be likened to the Image of the Beast spoken of in Revelation chapter 13.

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# APPENDIX B

# EMBRACED BY THE FALSE LIGHT OF MORMONISM

# A CRITIQUE OF THE MORMON BOOK:

### Embraced By The Light

In the early 1990's the Mormon Publishing House (Gold Leaf Press) published a book written by Mormon hypnotist Betty J. Eadie, with the title, <u>Embraced By The Light</u>. The book remained on the New York Times #1 Bestseller List for a considerable time and is arguably the most widely known and read (among both Mormons and non-Mormons) work ever published by the Mormon Church.

The following are some statements from the Mormon book <u>Embraced</u> <u>by the Light</u> compared to Bible Scripture:

(1) From the Mormon publishing house: "...the Love that awaits us <u>all.</u>"

Scripture teaches just the opposite -- That Heaven awaits only those who are found worthy and that Hell, with its eternal torment, awaits those who have chosen to deny Jesus, the Christ. <u>The Holy Bible</u> states that there is to be a Great White Throne Judgment at which the following occurs: *"Him that sat on it (The Great White Throne), from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away; and there was found no place for them. And I saw the dead, small and great, stand before God; and the books were opened...And the sea gave up the dead which were in it; and death and hell delivered up the dead which were in them: and they were judged every man...And whosoever was not found*  written in the Book of Life was cast into the Lake of Fire...the fearful and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone." {Revelation 20:11-15; 21:8}

"Ye serpents, ye generation of vipers, how can ye escape the damnation of hell?" {Matthew 23:33}

"Do you not know that the wicked shall not inherit the kingdom of God? Be not misled; neither the immoral nor idolaters not adulterers nor the corrupt nor men who lie with males, nor extortioners nor thieves nor drunkards nor railers nor defrauders shall inherit the kingdom of God." {1 Corinthians 6: 9-10 Peshitta};

"The LORD shall roar from on high and utter His voice from his holy habitation; He shall mightily roar against His fold; he shall shout, Hurrah, hurrah, like those who tread the grapes, against all the inhabitants of the earth. The noise shall reach even to the ends of the earth; for the LORD will contend against the nations; he will judge all flesh, and the wicked he shall deliver to the sword, says the LORD. Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, Behold, evil shall go forth from nation to nation, and a great whirlwind shall be raised up from the ends of the earth. And those who are slain by the LORD shall be on that day from one end of the earth to the other end of the earth; they shall not be lamented, neither mourned nor wept over nor gathered nor buried; but they shall be like refuse upon the face of the ground" (The Holy Bible, Jeremiah 25: 30-33). {PESHITTA}

(2) From the Mormon publishing house: "...'eternities'...an existence before my life on earth...The fact of a pre-earth life...Then we watched as the earth was created. We watched as our spirit brothers and sisters entered physical bodies..."

Nowhere in the Scripture is there ever a hint of a pre-earth existence for man. The book of Genesis clearly shows that man was created out of the dust of the earth *after* the creation of the entire universe, all plants, all animals and, most certainly, after the creation of the earth. <u>The Holy Bible</u>; Genesis Chapter 1}

(3) From the Mormon publishing house: *"I saw that <u>death was actually a</u> <u>'rebirth'</u>..."* 

To a Christian, this statement is beyond apostasy, it is heresy.

Christianity teaches: "...Beloved, remember ye the words which were spoken before of the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ; How they told you there should be mockers in the last time, who should walk after their own ungodly lusts, These be they who separate themselves, sensual, having not the Spirit." {Jude 17-19} "But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, **if so be that the** Spirit of God dwell in you. Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of His...But if the Spirit of Him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, He that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by his Spirit..." {The Holy Bible, Romans 8:9-11}. Jesus said, "Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God...Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God. That which is born of flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be born again. The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but cannot tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Spirit...Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man *hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him..."* {The Holy Bible, John 3:3-8; Revelation 3:20}.

(4) From the Mormon publishing house: The death of a Christian can be described by being *"drawn up into a great, whirling, black mass…dense blackness…other people as well as animals traveling with me"…wonderful blackness"* 

In Scripture, Heaven is always characterized in terms of light, not darkness. Hell is characterized in terms of darkness. Those who try to teach otherwise are strongly reprimanded. The Christian Scriptures say, "Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness..." {Isaiah 5:20} "...these speak evil of those things they know not: but what they know naturally as brute beasts, in those things they corrupt themselves. Woe unto them! For they have gone in the way of Cain, and ran greedily after the error of Balaam for reward...These are spots in your feats of charity, when they feast with you, feeding themselves without fear: clouds they are without water, carried about of winds; trees whose fruit withereth, without fruit, twice dead, plucked up by the roots; Raging waves of the sea, foaming out their own shame; wandering stars, to whom is reserved the blackness of darkness for ever." {The Holy Bible, Jude 10-13};

(5) From the Mormon publishing house: *"His light is knowledge."* And later, *"Knowledge permeated me...it <u>became</u> me..."* 

The Christian Scripture teaches that knowledge comes only from the mouth of Jesus. *"For the LORD giveth wisdom: out of His mouth cometh knowledge and understanding."* {Proverbs 2: 6}

(6) From the Mormon publishing house: "*His* [Jesus'] *mission was to come into the world to teach love*;

Jesus himself said, "Think not that I am come to send peace on earth: I came not to send peace, but a sword. For I am come to set a man at variance against his father, and the daughter against her mother, and the daughter in law against her mother in law". {Matthew 10: 34-36}

(7) From the Mormon publishing house: *"…things that had been purposely blocked from me by a 'veil' of forgetfulness at my birth"*;

Christian Scripture: "And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground **(on the 6<sup>th</sup> day, after He created the earth, see Genesis 1)**, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul...And the LORD God said, It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him an help meet for him...And the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam and he slept: and He took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh instead thereof; And the rib, which the LORD God had taken from man, made He a woman..." {The Holy Bible, Genesis 2:7, 18, and 21-22}

(8) From the Mormon publishing house: "All religions upon the earth...fulfills (sic) spiritual needs...we have no right to criticize any church or religion in any way. They are all precious and important in his sight";

This is an interesting statement in light of the fact that a Mormon leader said that anyone who was not a Mormon (and pay tithes) would go to HELL! {See <u>Mormonism: The Menace</u>}

(9) From the Mormon publishing house: "All people as spirits in the premortal world took part in the creation of the earth...God was our <u>mutual</u> Father (along with Jesus)"; and also from the Mormon publishing house: "Each spirit who was to come to earth <u>assisted in planning the conditions on earth</u>, including the laws of mortality which would govern us. These included the laws of physics as we know them, the limitations of our bodies, and spiritual powers that we would be able to access. <u>We assisted God in the development of plants and animal life</u> that would be here".

# Scripture refutes this statement: "In the beginning God created the Heaven and the earth" (Genesis 1: 1).

Scripture also says that the teaching of reincarnation or "people as spirits" is a lie. As one author put it, "The doctrine of reincarnation cannot be reconciled with the Bible. We have reviewed the argument to the contrary through the years and find no validity in any of them...You can believe and teach anything you want to, but do not deceive yourself into thinking that reincarnation can be reconciled with Biblical Christianity. Each person is responsible for his own sins. Salvation is a promise to individuals. Our standing before god, either forgiven or condemned, is based on our personal response to the gospel of Jesus Christ. There is only one way of salvation and that is through Jesus Christ. There is only one life in which to accept eternal life. There is no second, or third, or one hundredth change to get it right. Only one life now and a future judgment later!" {UFO p. 176}

(10) From the Mormon Publishing House: *"We need the spirits on the other side for our progression".* 

Scripture clearly refutes this Mormon statement: Being "Born Again" in the Christian teaching required at least two basic things: (1) repentance and (2) surrender to Jesus and only Jesus, the historical Jesus of the Christian Scripture.

Christian Scripture teaches that Salvation is through the Messiah, Jesus: "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life...he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God." {The Holy Bible, King James, John 3: 16 and 18}

Christianity does not teach a concept of "progression". Rather, a Christian is required to <u>sanctify</u>. This process is accomplished through repentance and the work of the Spirit, The Most High God, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

(11) From the Mormon publishing house: "Each spirit who was to come to earth <u>assisted in planning the conditions on earth</u>, including the laws of mortality which would govern us. These included the laws of physics as we know them, the limitations of our bodies, and spiritual powers that we would be able to access. <u>We assisted God in the development of plants and animal life</u> that would be here". Genesis 1: 1: "In the beginning **God** created the Heaven and the earth." {<u>The Holy Bible</u>}

(11) From the Mormon Publishing House: "In the pre-mortal world we...bonded with other—family members and friends—to help us complete our missions. We needed their help".

Again, Scripture denies this statement. *"And it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment"* (<u>The Holy Bible</u>).

Further, a Christian would understand that the type of spirit contact described here by Mormon doctrine would be dangerous because the "spirits" would actually be Satan's fallen angels (demons) masquerading as loved ones or "family members and friends".

(12) From the Mormon Publishing House: "Sin is not our true nature...because of our divine, spiritual nature we are filled with the desire to do good...our spirit bodies are filled with light, truth, and love".

According to Scripture, sin <u>is</u> man's true nature: *"And God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually."* {<u>The Holy Bible</u>, Genesis 6: 5}

"...and the Lord said in His heart, I will not again curse the ground any more for man's sake; for **the imagination of man's heart is even from his youth**..." {The Holy Bible, Genesis 8: 21}

*"For there is not a just man upon earth, that doeth good, and sinneth not."* {<u>The Holy Bible</u>, Ecclesiastes 7: 20}

*"The heart of the sons of men is full of evil, and madness is in their heart while they live, and after that they go to the dead."* {<u>The Holy Bible,</u> Ecclesiastes 9: 3}

*"Behold...the heavens are not clean in His sight. How much more abominable and filthy is man, which drinketh iniquity like water?"* {<u>The</u> <u>Holy Bible</u>, Job 15: 15 and 16}

*"If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us...If we say that we have not sinned, we make Him a liar, and His word is not in us."* {<u>The Holy</u>Bible, I John 1: 8 and 10}

(13) From the Mormon Publishing House: "As we learn to abide by the laws of this creation [rather than the laws of the Creator]...we learn how to live in harmony with the creative powers around us [and thus, the creation becomes God rather than the Creator]...Each element, each particle of creation, has intelligence in it, which intelligence is filled with spirit and life, and thus has the capacity to experience joy";

The Scriptures do not speak of the laws of this creation, but of the Law of God. The creation is subservient or under The Creator, Jesus: "And the LORD said unto Moses, Come up to me into the mount, and be there: and I will give thee tables of stone, and a law, and commandments which I have written: that thou mayest teach them." {The Holy Bible, Exodus 24:12}

After the death of Moses the LORD spake to Joshua, Moses' minister, and said, "Only be thou strong and very courageous, **that thou mayest observe to do according to all the law** which Moses my servant commanded thee: turn not from it to the right hand or to the left, that thou mayest prosper withersoever thou goest. **This Book of The Law** shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success." {The Holy Bible, Joshua 1:8} "Thy righteousness is an everlasting righteousness, and **Thy law is the truth**." {Psalm 119: 142}

(14) Sin, according to the Mormon Publishing House: "If we pollute the environment, for example, this is a 'sin' against the <u>earth</u> and we reap the natural consequences of breaking the laws of life...We may be weakened physically or die because of our actions."

These so-called 'laws of life' are not mentioned anywhere in the entire Christian Bible, including at The Ten Commandments. Such a concept is, however, found in the theology of The Environmental Movement.

It has been shown that this "theology" is the theology of Satanism perpetrated by the Druids and recently given particular emphasis by Druid Maurice Strong's Agenda 21. What the Scripture <u>does</u> state is that we are to, "Be fruitful and multiply, and replenish the earth, and **subdue it**: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living that moveth upon the earth." {The Holy Bible, Genesis 1: 28].

(15) From the Mormon Publishing House: "...each spirit is given ownership of its flesh."

According to <u>The Holy Bible</u>, The Most High God is the owner of both the spirit and the flesh: *"Then shall the dust return to the earth as it was: and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it."* <u>{The Holy Bible</u>, Ecclesiastes 12:7} *"In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground; for out of it wast thou taken: for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return."* <u>{The Holy Bible</u>, Genesis 3:19}

(16) From the Mormon Publishing House: "All creation begins in the mind."

Nowhere in The Holy Bible is there be found any reference to man being able to create. The Most High God, Jesus, is the only one who can create. His creation begins with the Word, Jesus, not the mind. "And God said, Let there be light; and there was light...And God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And the evening and the morning were the first day...And God said, Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it divide the waters from the waters...and it was so...And God called the firmament Heaven. And the evening and the morning were the second day. And God said, Let the waters under the heaven be gathered together unto one place, and let the dry land appear; and it was so...And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb vielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so...and the evening and the morning were the third day And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years: And let them be for lights in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth: and it was so...And the evening and the morning were the fourth day. And God said, Let the waters bring forth abundantly the moving creature that hath life, and fowl that may fly above the earth in the open firmament of heaven. And God created great whales, and every living creature that moveth...And the evening and the morning were the fifth day. And God said, Let the earth bring forth the living creature after his kind, cattle and creeping thing and beast of the earth..." {The Holy Bible, Genesis 1: 3, 5-9, 11, 14, 15, 21, 23, 24}

This particular Mormon teaching, "All Creation begins in The Mind", is actually a Druidic teaching. It can be found in Godfrey Higgins book, <u>The Celtic Druids</u>. This false "Mind Is God" teaching is associated with the Head of the Serpent, Satan, sometimes referred to as the great *hierogrammaton*, or sacred prophylactic character of the Mind. {TCD p. XX & XXIX}

(17) From the Mormon Publishing House: "...life is lived most fully in the imagination—that, ironically, imagination is the key to reality."

The Christian Scriptures teach that belief in Jesus as the Messiah is the key to reality: *"Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me"* (The Holy Bible, John 14:6).

Jesus said, *"I Am The Way"*. An interesting super-counterfeit of Jesus as The Way is presented in a book that some have called, "The most evil book I have ever seen". The name of the book is, <u>The Way</u>. James, Lovelock, author of <u>Gaia</u>, says that the "Ecological World View" that the book presents is wonderful. Mr. Lovelock is a personal friend of Maurice Strong (the man whom some say is the most evil man alive on the planet today). Maurice Strong (some have called him "The King of Evil") and James Lovelock are both Episcopalians and Druids. Real Druids are Satanists. These changers of Jesus as the way to Gaia or creation as The Way (The Environmental Movement) agree with others of their kind or ilk: Times Literary Supplement, the President of the Institute of Noetic Sciences and author of <u>Global Mind Change</u> (Willis Harman), Herman E. Daly, the co-author of <u>For the Common Good</u>, Donald Worster.

This book, <u>The Way: An Ecological World-View</u>, tagged "The Most Evil Book Ever", was published by none other than Shambhala, Boston, 1993. The author is the Founder and Co-Editor of the magazine, *The Ecologist*. On page 28 this book speaks of Gaian Hierarchy, The rule of Nature not of Jesus, the Rule of Evil not of "The Way, The Truth and The Life, Jesus (as Christian Scripture teaches).

(18) From the Mormon Publishing House: "...love is supreme. Love must govern."

According to Christian Scripture, Jesus will return to rule the nations and **govern with a rod of iron**: "And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: and He shall rule them with a rod of iron: and He treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. And He hath on His vesture and on His thigh a name written, KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS." {The Holy Bible, Revelation 19: 15 and 16} Jesus said: "Think not that I am come to send peace on earth: I came not to send peace, but a sword." {Matthew 10: 34} (19) From the Mormon Publishing House: "...we must love ourselves...self-love...we must love all others as ourselves. As we see the Light of Christ in ourselves, we will see it in others too..."

Christian Scripture teaches that everyone has the spirit of <u>Life</u>, but everyone does <u>not</u> have the <u>Spirit of Christ</u>. *"…Beloved, remember ye the* words which were spoken before of the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ; How they told you there should be mockers in the last time, who should walk after their own ungodly lusts, These be they who separate themselves, sensual, **having not the Spirit**." {The Holy Bible, Jude 17-19}

"But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, **if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you. Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ**, he is none of His...But **if the Spirit of Him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you**, He that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by his Spirit..." {The Holy Scripture, Romans 8:9-11}

(20) From the Mormon Publishing House: *"All healing takes place from within."* {EBL p. 63}

The 20 quotations listed above were taken from Mormonism's <u>Embraced By The Light</u>: {EBL p. 31, 37, 38, 43-50, 52, 55, 56, 58, 59, 60, 63 and front cover}

The following poem was written by the infamous Satanist, Aleister Crowley and included in his book <u>Magic in Theory and Practice</u>. Crowley said that the poem was designed to give "a glimpse of the structure and system of the "Great White Brotherhood". The degenerate druid master magician, whom many believed was himself the beast (Crowley named himself <u>666</u>), entitled his poem "One Star In Sight". {MTP p. 233}

Pan is not dead; he liveth

A man my number, Lion of Light

I am The Beast whose Law is Love

# Behold within, and not above

One star in sight!

"A substantial portion of <u>Embraced by the Light</u> lines up with Eastern Philosophy, Mind Science/New Thought beliefs and occultism—the substructure of the New Age movement." {EBLB p. 19} Apparently, the Mormon teachings also line up with the teachings of Satanism as well.

Those who seriously research Mormonism become convinced that **Mormonism's true goal is the restoration of the "original pristine brilliance" of the worship of Satan (or Lucifer if you prefer) and the Priesthood of the Druids.** {This information was obtained from a transcript of a tape recording of Dr. Durham. The authenticity and accurateness of this information is certified to by Mervin B. Hogan, the Secretary of the Masonic Research Lodge of Utah located in Salt Lake City; See also GM p. 128 and 267}

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