## ANTHROPOGENESIS: The Evolution of the Human Soul as described in The Stanzas of Dzyan

## The Stanzas of Dzyan

The Stanzas of Dzyan are considered to be part of the earliest writings about the Ancient Wisdom and form the foundation of the major work of H.P. Blavatsky - *The Secret Doctrine*. They contain the main ideas to be studied, contemplated and realized in a practical manner by all students of Theosophy.

### **The Seminar**

The seminar gives the participants a unique opportunity to reach for a deeper understanding of the basis of the Stanzas of Dzyan, for the purpose of living and sharing its key ideas. The Stanzas will be explored in a modern, illustrative and interactive way, comparing with modern science, philosophical traditions and religious stories on the creation of cosmos and man.

#### The journey during the seminar:

- Exploring the fundamental ideas found in the twelve Stanzas of Dzyan of Anthropogenesis, basis of the Divine-Wisdom.
- Using the Law of Analogy and Correspondence and applying it to *The Secret Doctrine*. (See workshops).
- Exploring new tools to approach the study of the archetypical Ideas found in the Stanzas, then to integrate them as a One-All vision (Buddhi) of our Life and our Existence.

#### Lectures and workshops:

- The Secret Doctrine-Anthropogenesis: Its main Ideas: Laws, Cycles, Manus and Keynotes.
- The Evolution of the Human Soul through Nature's Kingdoms, from the elementary-atomic level to the highest Devas.
- Workshop: Understanding the Inner Aspects of the Human Being. Analogies and relation

with the Angelical Kingdom (Devas) and the Planet.

- The Hierarchy of Divine Beings, providers of the powers, laws, and purpose unto our life.
- The Triple Scheme of the Human Evolution: Physical, Mental and Spiritual.
- Workshop: Applying the Law of Analogy and Correspondence between the Planet Earth and the Human being. The Cosmic Logos and the Solar Logos.
- The Occult teachings of the history and significance of our Moon.
- The Manifestation of the Universe and of Man.
- Workshop: The Occult History of the various Humanities, such as the Lemurians and Atlanteans.
- World Myths and Symbols relating the Occult History of the Earth and of the previous Four Humanities.
- The Cosmic Pilgrimage of the Human Being
- A Vision of the Future Humanity: Their new senses, abilities and spiritual progress.

Participants will receive a small reader of the Twelve Stanzas with a short glossary of the non-English terms used, as well as several quotes from *The Secret Doctrine* and the Mahatma Letters. It is suggested that participants bring their copies of *The Secret Doctrine* with them.

# **The Speaker**

Martin Leiderman is an Industrial Engineer, resident in Los Angeles, working for an electronic avionics company. He is a long time student of theosophy as well as a national and international lecturer in Spanish and English. He, with his wife Susan, holds a weekly study group at his home and participates in the Spanish Study Group in Los Angeles. He is also presently a Board Member of the Krotona Institute of Theosophy.

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Any stay at the Center is meant to promote quietness of mind, peace and a harmonious life. Therefore smoking or using drugs on the estate is not allowed; furthermore only vegetarian meals and non-alcoholic beverages may be consumed.

## Registration

Please note that the number of places is limited. We therefore use the following registration procedure:

- Registration for the full seminar can only be done before 1<sup>st</sup> June.
- Reservation will only be made final after payment of the fee.
- Your reservation will then be confirmed.
- Cancellation before 1<sup>st</sup> June results in refund minus € 50.
- Day visitors need not register in advance.
  Fee: € 20 for TS members and € 30 for non-TS members. Please note that only soup will be provided for day visitors, so bring your own sandwiches.

# **Arrival and departure**

- Friday 13h June afternoon/evening: arrival and registration. 18.00 dinner, followed by informal meeting. Saturday morning starts daily program.
- Wednesday 18th after lunch: closing session.

## **REGISTRATION FORM**

(prices per person for the full seminar)

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#### Remarks / Diet requests:

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#### A. Registration fee

-	TS-members	€115
-	Non-members	€165
В.	Vegetarian meals	€125
C.	Lodging	
-	Crystal House single room	€120
-	Crystal House 2 pers. Room	€ 90
-	Arundale House	€ 70
-	Cottage 2 pers. Price pp.	€110
-	Camping	€ 45

#### **Total amount**

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## **Lodging facilities**

The ITC has the following lodging facilities:

- Arundale House offers basic lodging; 9 bedrooms, each with two beds, shared showers and toilet blocks.
- Crystal House offers 20 bedrooms; 10 single person and 10 two person bedrooms, each with own bathroom.
- Cottages: three wooden cottages with own kitchen and bathroom for two persons each.
- Camping Grounds.

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## Payment

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Please mention: Seminar 2014.

## Registration

#### Please send the registration form to:

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Email: activities@itc-naarden.org

For information call: 00 31 (0)35 5417118

The registration form can also be downloaded from www.itc-naarden.org and sent to: activities@itc-naarden.org.

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# with Martin Leiderman

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