

5-29-2016 Readings: *The Seventh Ray*
The Ray of Law and Order (also the Ray of Ceremonial Order and Magic)

Meader, William, *Shine Forth*, p. 82-83:

The seventh ray is best known for bringing order out of chaos. Its purpose is to provide the energy needed to translate spiritual ideas into tangible affects. This ray influences humanity to outwardly create according to divine intention (God's Plan). It represents the quality of God that gives form to divine essence. It is the creative force expressed by the One Life. Form is therefore destined to reflect the divine essence that seeks to evolve through it, and it is the seventh ray that makes this possible.

Disciples with Seventh Ray souls are said to be magicians for they are naturally able to create positive change in the world. Most often this is achieved through the power of the spoken or written word. This person understands the natural potency of language, knowing it to be an instrument for creating new forms through which spirit can express itself.

Seventh Ray people's organizational abilities are normally quite good which is one of the reasons they are able to manifest what they intend. They are frequently attracted to business, politics or educational environments. They may also be involved with the arts, particularly when the elements of ritual and ceremony are involved.

The Ray of Organization seeks to give good form to societal institutions and structures. White magic has been called the science of thought form building. It is the Seventh ray that teaches us to build thoughts that are efficient in their design while remaining true to the archetypes they represent. The Seventh Ray Magician believes that God is revealed through creation and perfection of outer forms. They build structure that can efficiently serve the cause of human betterment.

Burmeister, Helen, *The Seven Rays Made Visual*, p. 37.

Ray 7 embodies the quality or principle that coordinates and unifies the inner quality and the outer tangible form or appearance. This is its true magical work through Law and Order.

The first tangible effects of the seventh ray energies are changes along the line of destroying crystalized forms in order to release the true values hidden in the forms, which are *law and order and peaceful coexistence*.

Bailey/DK, *The Seventh Ray: Revealer of the New Age*: p. 7, 22-26, 209

It is an expression of the will that drives through into outer manifestation...It is the will to "ritualistic synthesis." It is Necessity...the necessity to express itself; the necessity to express itself in an orderly and ritualistic manner...and through the medium of this activity to produce beauty, order, perfect wholes and right relationships. It is the *Will towards Expression*; its highest expression is organization.

The seventh ray will lead to fusion and synthesis, for its energy...blends spirit and matter. The seventh ray will inaugurate the sense of a higher unity; first that of the integrated personality for the masses and secondly, the fusion of soul and body for the world aspirants. The seventh ray will inaugurate the age of "divine service."

The seventh ray will foster the group spirit, and the rhythm of the group, the objectives of the group and the ritual working of the group will be the basic phenomena...Out of the present turbulence will arise the ordered and organized form of the new world. Gradually the new rhythm will impose itself...and you will have social order and rule; instead of religious differences...you will have religious expression itself regulated into form and ordered by law: instead of political and economic strain and stress will be seen the harmonious working of the system under certain fundamental forms.

Increased mental activity and the spread of education will result in the foundation of groups whose sole purpose is to synthesize all the lines of human endeavor, and thus bring about unification of effort and economy of force in the scientific, business, philosophic, educational and religious world.

For the seventh ray the method of approaching the Path is through the observance of rules of practice and of ritual, with the ability to easily evoke and control the elemental forces. (DK/Baily E.P. p. 211)

DK (quoted by Michael Eastcott, *The Seven Rays of Energy*, p. 78-79.

Sixth ray devotion has been associated with the plane of feeling; the seventh ray will utilize the mental focus of the New Age.

The 6th ray produced the mystic and the aspirant; the seventh ray is developing the detached disciple. The sixth ray taught a sense of duty, obedience and sacrifice; the seventh ray is developing the efficient organized server.

The sixth ray fostered the vision; the seventh ray will materialize that which was (en)visioned.

The sixth ray promoted the spirit of individualism: the seventh ray will foster group spirit.

The sixth ray emphasized the duality of spirit and matter; the seventh ray is bringing the realization of our fundamental unity.

The 6th ray produced idealistic creeds; the seventh ray is releasing a scientific understanding of life.

Sixth ray nationalism led to the consolidation of countries and peoples: the seventh ray fusion can integrate the nations into a greater sense of world consciousness.

Lansdowne, Zachary, *The Rays and Esoteric Psychology*, p. 31.

During the stage of group awareness, the soul provides intuitive instruction on how to become an effective worker in the physical world. The first step is listening to the motives of the personality (material mindedness, selfish ambition, or unloving behavior). The second step is becoming attuned to the activity of the heart chakra (becoming identified with the spiritual reality lying behind the material world). The third step is deepening the practice of meditation and developing the power to cooperate with the divine plan (received as intuitive understanding of the world need and how to meet that need). The fourth step is practicing *white magic*, or the use of soul powers for spiritual ends, by manifesting those mental pictures in the physical world.

.Bolyaz, Harold/ *The Signs of the Christ*, p. 396-399:

Under the influence of the seventh ray of organization or ceremonial order, that powerful physical concretization of energy which we call "money" is proving a topic of the definite concentration; it is being most carefully considered, and the minds of thinking financiers and of wealthy humanitarian persons and philanthropists will be gradually be led forward from a strictly philanthropic activity to an activity which is impulse and brought into expression by spiritual insight and by a *recognition of the claims of the Christ* upon the financial reservoir of the world. Money is not yet used divinely but it will be.

The seventh ray of Law and Order is coming into manifestation; we are transiting into a new sign of the zodiac and the "coming of Christ" is imminent (an actual physical coming or an overshadowing). These ... happenings are the cause of much of the present upheaval and chaos. At the same time, they are responsible for the universal turning to spiritual realities which all true workers at this time recognize.