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Notes on the COMMENTARY by Dr. de la Ferrière, (subject, the KABBALAH)

The chief purpose in studying Hebrew is to get an idea of the Hebrew Keys. Each letter has a nine-fold meaning, philosophic, esoteric, etc... each one deeper than the one before it, like layer upon layer. Thus we must endeavour to extend the meaning of the letter beyond the linguistic idea.

In French, English, Spanish the A.B.C are merely letters, but in Chinese, Hebrew, Sanscrit, Egyptian they are not only letters for the pronunciation, for they each have a value in themselves. Each letter means something, a Presence, a Diety, a Symbol an Idea. Then there are shades of meanings.-

ALEPH is the Creator –God in His first Manifestation, the super-man, as he must have been before 'original sin' the Divine Human Being. Of course the surface, meaning is Ox or Bull, but the truer meaning lies in its symbolic use.

BETH is a House (gramatical meaning), but a Woman (symbolic meaning).

Note the parallel between the two meanings:-

- a. The house gives a roof where we can go and rest.
- b. A woman gives a roof, (shield and shelter) to the child.

Note the Esoteric meanings.-

ALEPH is the Souffle, (Breath), the Subtil Force, Prana, The Etheric power in everything, Positive, Purusha.

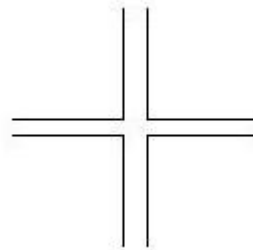
BETH is the manifestation of the Breath, the matter, the negative side of Creation, Akasha, Prakriti (nature).

GUIMEL is Wisdom symbolised by the apple tree and the serpent in the Garden of Eden, with Adam (Aleph) and Eve (Beth).

DALETH means a Door, denoting union between the exterior and the interior, is the link between the external world and the internal world, between the Light and the Darkness as was the door of the Temple. Thus it represents the Union between the two Worlds. In the Cosmic Ceremony in the Antique Nass the Priest gives one word for the saving of the Souls of the people. He says DALETH. It is Union, Yoga, Identification. The Priest makes the Sing of the Cross, (four DALETHs) one each for Fire, Water, Air, Earth.-

Thus this word means everything:

the four Elements in both
Macrocosm and Microcosm.



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Thus we can reach the real idea from the Root of the word.

RUAH in Hebrew means Light, Fire, Soul. (But there are other names for Soul). NEPRESCH¹ is Soul in the sence of Plastic Matter, (material). RUAH is the Soul in terms of Yoga, is Fire internally rising up.

YOD is the most important letter. Note its importance also in the mathematical sense, for YOD being the 10th letter, completes the first section; 11 (eleven) is merely 1 and 1. YOD is the Key of the whole Hebraic alphabet in denoting the manifested world.-

1N.E: Typo in the original text , the correct word is NEPHESH

ALEPH	-- 1x1	equals	1
BETH	-- 2x2	"	4
GUIMEL	-- 3x3	"	9
DALETH	-- 4x4	"	16
VAU	-- 6x6	"	36
ZAIN	-- 7x7	"	49
HETH	-- 8x8	"	64
TETH	-- 9x9	"	81
YOD	-- 10x10	"	100

Total of 360 degrees equals the Circle. This is the Symbol of the world in Manifestation.

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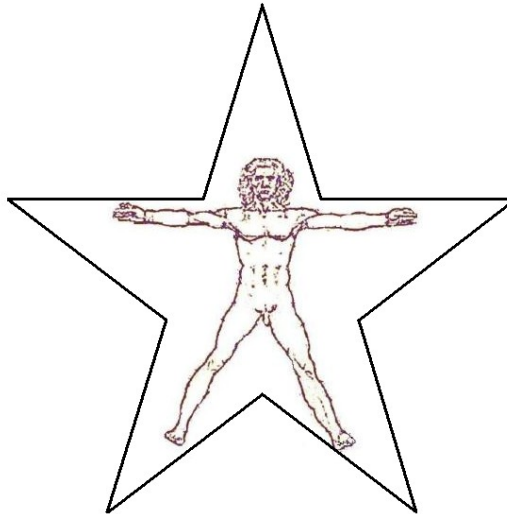
YOD, being the Key of the KABBALAH, is symbolic of Pi or 3.1415...
for the Arcanes being 22
divided by seven 7 equals 3.1415... or YOD
(number of Planets)

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The omission of HE (5).-

It appears that HETETH (8) similar in meaning to HE (5), can do the work for both. Number 5 is the number of MAN, manifestation of God in the flesh, and is in a way a Divine Number. Hence its omission.

The five-pointed Star
represents MAN, for 5 is
the Divine Number



Note.- 5x8 equals 40, a significant number.-
40 days' fast of the Christ.
40 days' meditation of Mohamed.
40 thieves and Ali Baba.

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The Three Mother Letters.-

ALEPH.	MEM.	SHIN ² .	form S.M.A.
1	40	300	341

2N.E.: En el original consta como SIN

Now 341 symbolises Manifested Matter in the Physical World.

Thus Shema (French), and Scheme (English), = a Sketch or Outline.

These three letters S.M.A form the Skeleton or Schema of all the Hebrew teaching. They are found in many of the stronger words, is Jerusalem.

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The numbers have nothing to do with the letters really, when we penetrate the layers of meanings, and get a clearer view of the underlying Reality.

The Esoteric Values appear to bear a relation to the geometric figures (see the group at the beginning), while the important angles seen to be represented at the end.-

ALEPH	3	a triangle	LAMETH	24
BETH	4	a square	MEM	30
GUIMEL	5	a pentagon	NUN	36
DALETH	6	a hexagon	SAMECH	40
HE	8	a octagon	AYIN	45
VAU	9		PHE	60
ZAIN	10		TZADE	72
HETETH	12		QOPH	90
TETH	15		RES	120
YOD	18		SIN	180
KAPH	20		TAU	360

Notice that here TAU, (the Way), comes to 360.

Commenting on the many shapes which finally become a Circle, the Doctor took as an example a drop of water falling on glass, and spreading by making many shapes and angles, until at last, the tension being evenly distributed, a circle is formed.

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SUMMING UP.- In this study we find grammatical symbols, philosophical symbols, esoteric symbols etc...

Do not keep to the letter, seek for the Spirit, by using the Imagination.

Keep a documentation of this for help with the KABBALAH, the TARO and other studies of this nature.

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NUMERICAL VALUES	FORM	NAME	ALPHABET	SYMBOL
1	א	ALEPH	A	Ox or Bull
2	ב	BETH	B,BH,BV	House.
3	ג	GUIMEL	G,GH	Camel, Serpent.
4	ד	DALETH	D,DH	Door, Hinge.
5	ה	HE	H	Window, Opening, Fence
6	ו	VAU	V, W	Nail, Hook, Crook.
7	ז	ZAIN	Z	Weapon, Sceptre.
8	ח	HETH	CH,KH,HH	Fence (ref. 5)
9	ט	TETH	T	Snake, Basket, (Eleusinian Mysteries)
10	י	YOD	Y,I,J	Hand, Bent Forefinger, The Perfect Number
20	כ	CAPH	C,CH,K,KH	The Hollow of the Bent Hand: Hollow, Sphere, Cu... ³
30	ל	LAMETH	L	Ox Goad, Sign of a form of the God Mars.
40	מ	MEM	M	Water.
50	נ	NUN	N	Fish, Symbol of Yoni (Hindoo) (Sakti ⁴) The Feminine in Nature
60	ס	SAMECH	S	A Prop: Pillar, Testimony, Divisions of Circle, Divisions of Parad ⁵
70	ע	AYIN	(O)	Eye.
80	פ	PE	P,PH	Mouth
90	צ	TZADE	TS,TZ	Fish-Hook, Hunter's Dart
100	ק	KOPH	K	Back of head from Ears-Balances.(Ancient pillow to rest back of head) Eye of Nee ⁶

3N.E: Original word incomplete in the original, it refers to Cup

4N.E: Shakti

5N.E: Original word incomplete in the original, it refers to Paradise

6N.E: Original word incomplete in the original, it refers to Needle

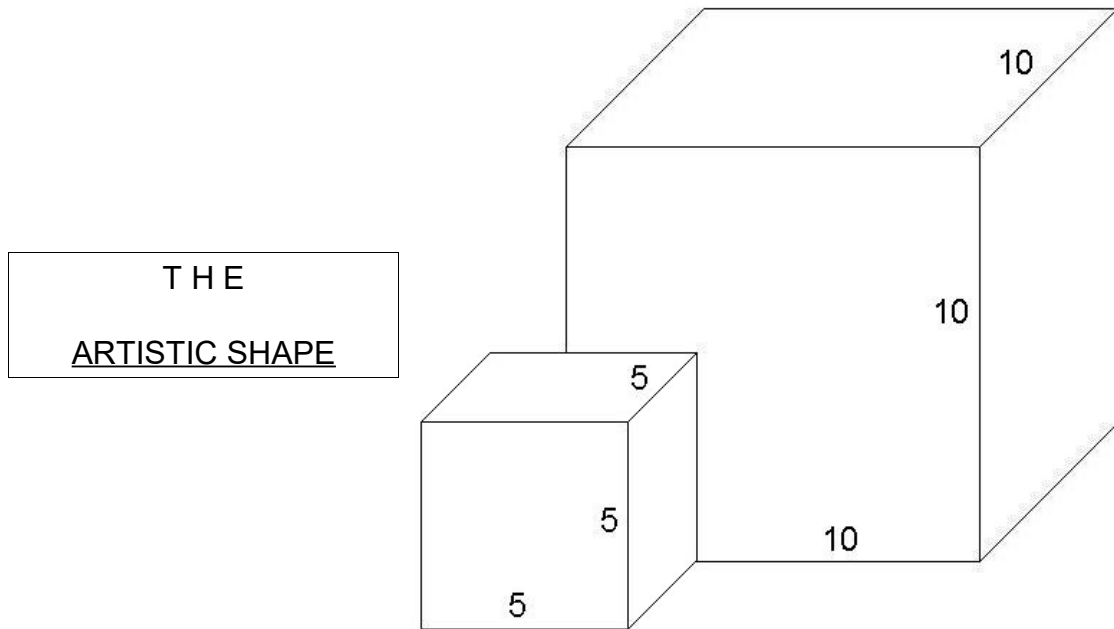
200	ך	RESH	R	Head. Sphere. Circle.
300	ש	SHIN	SH,S	Tooth
400	ת	TAU	T,TH	Cross + Foundation, Framework of Construction

5 and 8 are from the same source.

- The divided halves
of one oblong equal 2 squares.

Cube 5^3 equals 125

125×8 equals 1,000 equals 10^3



The Artistic Shape has a basis

The Cube has a very great
reference to Life and

of 5x8 or its multiple. e.g. 10x16

Manifestation.

15x24 etc.

It is the size whereby we obtain the maximum of beauty from a picture

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CHARACTERISTIC VALUES

כ	ך	ב	equals 222.	or 2. 2. 2. (characteristic
20	200	2		

ש	ך	י	equals 510 (015)	or 123 (321) Reverse Reading
300	200	10		

INTERCHANGE OF LETTERS.

ה	י	ה	equals HA-Y- AH	= TO BE OR TO EXIST
5	10	5	" E-Y-E	

CAN BE WRITTEN

ה	י	ח	equals CHA-Y-AH	= TO LIVE AS MOTION. EXISTEVE
5	10	8		

CHANGE י FOR ח
 10 6

ה	ו	ה	equals HA-V-AH	= ADAM TO EVA
5	6	5	<u>E-V-E</u>	

BECOMES

ה	ו	ח	equals CHA-V-AH	= MOTHER .i.e. OF ALL LIVING PROPER NAME IN GENESIS.
5	6	8	CH-V-E	

THE DIETY: - (TWO NAMES)

יָהּ (JAH)	+	ה	ו	ה	HA-V-AH
10		5	6	5	HO-V-AH

CAN BECOME:-

<u>JAH-EVE</u>	ה	ו	ה	-	י
	5	6	5		

THE PRIMARY SIGNIFICANCE OF EXISTENCE.

i.e. FATHER-MOTHER GOD - POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE CAUSING MANIFESTATION.