

WHAT IS GOD THE SEVENFOLD ?

ITS RELATIONSHIP TO THE SUPREME BEING; —TO MICHAEL OF NEBADON
AS SUPREME RULER; and TO UNIVERSE CREATURES AS THE DEITY DOMAIN
(From the Urantia Book)

To compensate for evolutionary creature limitations of concept, the Father established the "SEVENFOLD APPROACH TO DEITY" —through the following—

1. The Paradise Creator Sons.
 2. The Ancients of Days.
 3. The Seven Master Spirits
 4. The Supreme Being.
 5. God the Spirit.
 6. God the Son.
 7. God the Father.
- (11:V111)

This is a sevenfold Deity PERSONALIZATION on seven ascending levels, —which enables mortal man and other ascending beings, to attain the presence of God on Paradise Isle.

But mortal man MUST have a functional Deity to guide him through the finite levels of Deity expression, —all the way to Paradise. This functional Deity is the SUPREME.

As Jesus said "I am the living way" from the material level of self-consciousness —to the spiritual level of God-consciousness, —so is the Supreme the "living way" from finite consciousness —to transcendent consciousness, —even to the understanding of the absonite level. (1281:3;3) The Supreme has a three-fold function in the experience of mortal man: First, he is the unifier of time-space divinity—God the Sevenfold; second, he is the maximum of Deity which finite creatures can actually comprehend; third, he is mortal man's ONLY avenue of approach to the transcendental experience of consorting with absonite mind, —eternal spirit, and Paradise personality.

Ascendant finaliters, having been born in the local universes, —nurtured in the superuniverses, and trained in the central universe, —EMBRACE in their personal experiences the FULL potential of the comprehension —of the time-space DIVINITY of God the Sevenfold, UNIFYING in the Supreme. (643:8;1,2)

The "sevenfold Deity" will sometime power-personalize (unify) —in the Supreme Being. The power manifestation of our "functional" God actually time-space evolves concomitantly with ALL evolving creatures.

The ALMIGHTY SUPREME, evolving on a level of NON-personal activities, and the spirit person of God the Supreme (in Havona) are ONE reality, —the SUPREME BEING, —our guide who aids us in the experiential discovery-career of the realization of God, in the ascending sevenfold levels of Deity personalization.

This career BEGINS with the recognition of the divinity of the Creator Son (Michael) of the local universe, —the first level of God the Sevenfold.

We ascend to the second level through the superuniverse Ancients of Days; —and thirdly, by way of the person of ONE of the Seven Master Spirits, —to recognition of the Deities.

As we grow to KNOW the Supreme (listed above as no.4, though he overshadows all previous levels) more and more, —he will lead us through the last three levels of God the Sevenfold —to God the Spirit; God the Son; and finally the recognition of the divine personality of the Universal Father on Paradise.

The Supreme is POTENTIAL in the Paradise Trinity from whom he derives his personality and spirit attributes; but he is NOW ACTUALIZING in the Creator Sons, Ancients of Days, and the Master Spirits (1st, 2nd, and 3rd levels of God the Sevenfold) from ALL of whom he derives his POWER as ALMIGHTY to the superuniverses.

The Creator Son—in the Deity association of God the Sevenfold, provides the MECHANISM whereby mortals become immortal, and the finite attains the embrace of the infinite.

The Supreme Being provides the TECHNIQUE for the power-personality mobilization, —the divine 'synthesis' of ALL activities, helping the finite attain the absonite. The Creator Sons and the Divine Ministers of the local universes are participants in this supreme mobilization, —and will probably expand with it in the future evolution of the creations of outer space. (The Ancients of Days and The Seven Master Spirits are probably eternally fixed as

permanent administrators in the grand universe. (see grand/univ. pg.1:LP).

Now that we know that there is a synthesizing process in progress that the Supreme Being is effecting—i.e., unifying of the physical (Almighty) power prerogatives coming up from the Creator divinities of the grand universe, -with the spirit personality realities of God the Supreme, which come from the Paradise Deities—"you should now recognize that the 'sevenfold' encompasses the CONTROLLERS as well as the Creators of the grand universe". (1273:#5) (The Supreme Being is literally becoming —God the Sevenfold.)

THE SEVENFOLD CONTROLLERS

(1273:#5)

1. The Master Physical Controllers. (Direct offspring of the Seven Supreme Power Directors).
2. Supreme Power Centers. (Consist of Associate Power Directors; -created by the Supreme Power Directors and Seven Master Spirits.)
3. Seven Supreme Power Directors. (On Paradise periphery; created by the Master Spirits).
4. Almighty Supreme. (Evolving Deity of power and personality. Present domain is the grand universe. Evolving as over-controller of the physical power of the grand universe.)
5. The God of Action. (Infinite Spirit.)
6. Isle of Paradise. (Through the Unqualified Absolute it is a positive universe over-controller.)
7. The SOURCE of Power, the Universal Father. (Controls all universe power.)

"These seven groups are functionally INSEPARABLE from God the Sevenfold, and constitute the physical control level of this Deity association". (1273:NL)

The power potentials are co-ordinated with the spiritual person of the Supreme on the pilot world of the outer Havona circuit, and are concomitantly translated to the active functional Mind of the Supreme Being. (641:#6:2) This co-ordinating process of reality potentials is done by means of SUPREME MIND. (64:4)

Now let us view the spiritual part of God the Sevenfold----

Each of the seven physical levels are spiritually administered by the Paradise Deities. "The goodness values of divinity are the merciful ministries of the spirit personalities of the Universal, the Eternal, and the Infinite to the time-space finite creatures of the evolutionary spheres". (648:2)

Truth, beauty, and goodness values are blended in the Father's relation with EACH personal creature as divine LOVE; co-ordinated in the Son and Creator Sons as divine MERCY; —and manifested through the Spirit and his spirit children as LOVING-MERCY. (648:3)

— "These three divinities are primarily manifested by the Supreme Being as POWER-PERSONALITY synthesis. They are variously shown forth by God the Sevenfold in seven differing associations of divine MEANINGS and VALUES, —on seven ascending levels". (648:3)

RE: MICHAEL'S SUPREME SOVEREIGNTY

Michael achieved a double purpose in his seven bestowals. He experienced all creature levels of God the Sevenfold, while expressing EACH of the seven wills of the Paradise Deity. (see 'wills' 1324:2) He achieved a 'synthetic' unity of the diversified wills of the Deity, and a synthetic unity of the seven levels of meanings and values of God the Sevenfold—in the understanding experience of his local universe creatures. THIS is revelatory of the will of the Supreme Being. Michael established unquestioned authority, since it embodies, at one and the same time—the sevenfold VIEWPOINT of the Paradise Deities, —and the creature viewpoint of time and space, —the sevenfold levels. (1324:3)

The Supreme Being constantly copes with the experience of unifying the seven wills of Deity since each superuniverse is ruled by ONE of the seven wills. He is the unified summation of the entire activity of this universe age, expressing ALL of the seven wills and ALL of the physical power prowess of the seven superuniverses.

Michael not only established his own supreme sovereignty, but also he now can augment the evolving sovereignty of God the Supreme. The sum total of all seven bestowals is a NEW Nebadon revelation of the Supreme Being. (1318:5) No other beings in the universe possess such qualifications for solitary sovereignty. Michael therefore "aspired to Supremacy of Administration as the embodiment of the universe wisdom and the divine experience of the Supreme Being". He has also passed through the experience of expressing the will of the Supreme. He has identified himself eternally with the Supreme, and it is believed that he will be collaborating with the Supreme Being in the first experiential Trinity in outer space. (1318:LP)

MORTAL MAN AND GOD THE SEVENFOLD

This pattern which Michael established is the long, long future destiny of man:—to identify himself eternally with the Supreme, —to "supremacize" his mind quality with TOTAL supreme values (a synthetic unification of his concepts of God the Sevenfold)—and outwardly portray the Supreme Being and subsequently to augment the experiential endowment of the Supreme Being. (1182:3)

When ALL mortals of the seven superuniverses achieve this stage, the Supreme Being may become actualized, —then mortals may become seventh-stagers of ripening wisdom and divinity realization, —a universe child of the Mother Supreme. Man then has unified in his "triumph" mind (mortal, Adjuster, and Supreme)—God the Sevenfold.

But countless eons will pass before man can unify the seven wills of Deity. Since our superuniverse of Orvonton is ruled by the will of the Father, Son, and Spirit, we will know only ONE of the sevenfold wills until we will have experienced the traversing of ALL seven superuniverses, and (as Jesus did) live by those "viewpoints" —or laws until we 'become' those wills, —when the Supreme Being is actualized.

We will be under the supervision of the Supreme for endless ages, —perhaps eternally, and probably forever under the Trinity of Supremacy, and may ALWAYS be unifying God the Sevenfold, even when serving in outer spaces because our concepts will be ever expanding as we traverse each of the correlative segments of outer space while we re-discover God through the Ultimate, —the Absolute, and even to infinity.

THE MEANING OF THE TRINITY OF SUPREMACY;---

"The maximum of self-limitation of the Trinity is its attitude toward the finite".

"The Supreme is the nearest approach to a power-personality focalization of the Trinity which can be comprehended by finite creatures. Hence, the Trinity, in relation to the finite is sometimes spoken of as the "Trinity of Supremacy". (113:§5:4)