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# CHAPTER ONE

## Miraculous Images

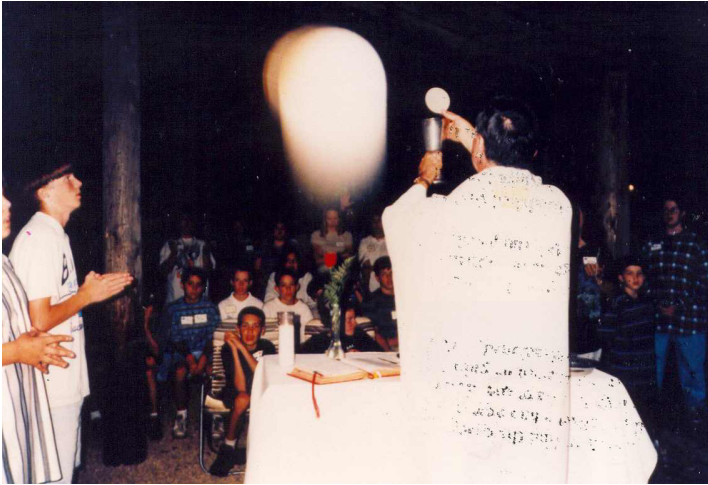




# Miraculous Images and Photographs



**Miraculous Image of St. Michael Taken from the  
Hubble Telescope in 1998.**



**Miraculous Picture of a Priest Consecrating a Host.**

### **Miraculous Rose Petals.**

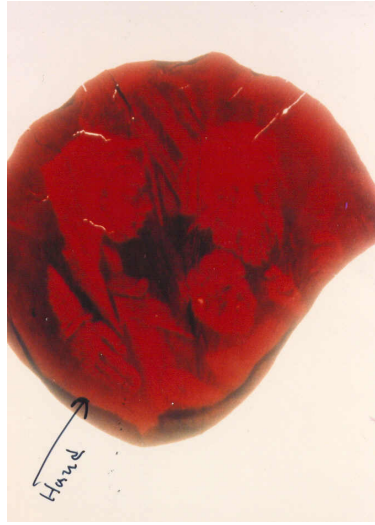
**Around the year of 1984, Felix Pinada in the Philippines planted rosebushes in the front of a Statue of Our Lady in his yard. The statue began to weep and they noticed that the petals that fell from the rosebushes retained strong scent. Observing further, they discovered that holy images were showing up on the rose petals. These are just a four of several hundred that they have gathered.**



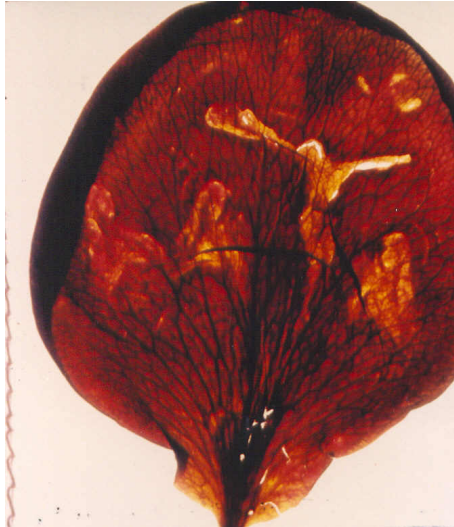
**Blessed Virgin with Twelve Stars.**



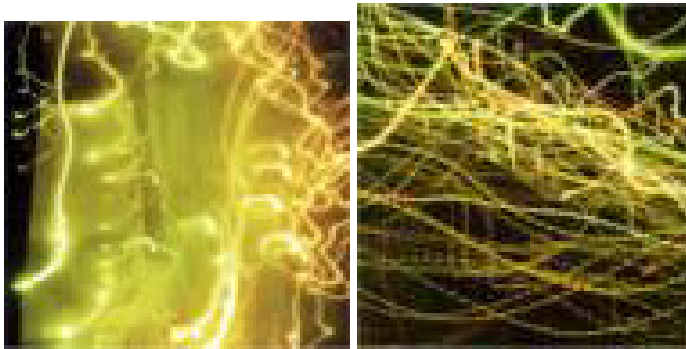
**Blessed Mother Praying.**



**The Holy Family.**



**Jesus on the Cross with the Two Holy Women and  
the Beloved Disciple.**



**Miraculous Lights of Energy Surround the Statue of Mary at this anonymous Shrine. Many pictures are taken where such lights and energy appear at this special holy place.**

Raymond Nader, a Lebanese Christian Maronite citizen and scientist began to search for answers concerning creation, the universe and God's mystery. The mystery of the Eucharistic Sacrament has always perplexed Raymond since his childhood.

He studied and prayed about it from 1985 to November 9<sup>th</sup>, 1994, when he went on retreat to the St. Peter and Paul hermitage in Annaya and started to feel changes in his surroundings. Winds began to blow, temperatures rose and the flames on the candles simmered to silence. He was now in a different world, losing his senses of hearing, sight and feeling. Transported to the center of brilliant light, he felt a presence communicate to him telepathically. Before he had a chance to ask a question, he received an answer from someone that he believed to be St. Charbel. "You are not dreaming... you are now more conscious than any other time in your life!" He stayed in this ecstatic state for four hours. When returning, he realized that the saint had left a burn mark from his hands on his arm.



St. Charbel.



**Raymond Nader.**







**A ghostly image of a woman praying appears in a picture taken at the Shrine to Beatified Native American, Kateri Tekakwitha.**



**Picture Taken at Medjugorje, Yugoslavia by Mary Nikalson on October 22, 1998. The Blessed Mother Appears in the Center of the Crowd Before the Church.**





**Jim Cochran in Australia received this photograph from a farmer in Brisbane who took this after a thunderstorm, noticing only the rainbow. But the Blessed Mother appeared in the sky with the Baby Jesus in her arms in the actual photograph.**



**Picture Taken on Apparition Hill at Medjugorje, Yugoslavia. Notice that the Blessed Virgin stands before the crowd. There is no such statue at this site.**



**An Italian Pilgrim in Medjugorje (May 1989), took a picture of the priest holding the host as it was being consecrated. This is what appeared after the film was developed.**



**A picture was taken of a flat landscape with a few trees in the background, and this is what showed up on the film (Jesus Coming Down from Heaven).**



**When the Medjugorje Visionaries came to Caritas, Alabama, this picture was taken during the apparition of the Blessed Virgin and shows the Doorway to Heaven that Our Blessed Mother travels through.**



**Tourists took a picture of a Catholic Church and this is what showed up on their film.**





**Jesus appears in the clouds as if stretched out upon  
the cross.**



**A normal crucifix to the human eye, but after being photographed and developed, this crucifix developed a huge light coming directly from the heart of Jesus.**



**This picture was taken at a Catholic conference of a normal crucifix which in the photograph ended up showing the marks of the scourging. These marks were not and still are not on the original crucifix.**





**This photograph was taken at an Orthodox Mass (The Church of the Holy Sepulcher in Jerusalem – Christ’s Tomb) on October 24, 1994. There are no statues in that part of the church and no one was standing anywhere in the vicinity of the priest offering Holy Communion to the faithful.**



**Gina Apodaca took this picture in Betania, Venezuela. Several hundred people had experienced a vision of the Virgin the night before, and Gina was trying to take a picture of the mountain in memory of the occasion. This was what showed up on her film instead of the mountain.**



**Tom Bachor of Little Neck, NY took a picture of John M. (who is kneeling in the picture). Hours before the Vigil of Easter on November 25, 1978 about 70 yards from the Vatican Pavilion in Flushing Park, Queens, New York.**



**Our Lord appears in a sky photograph. Unknown date or origin.**



**Taken February 1<sup>st</sup>, 1979 by Ray W. of Hartford, CT. St. Francis appears above the Shrine Vigil Statue of Our Lady, although there are NO St. Francis statues on the shrine grounds.**



**Taken at a Vigil in 1974, the Blessed Virgin appears over the crowd with her arms outstretched and wearing her blue mantle.**



**A visionary, Veronica, receiving sacramentals reveals a supernatural arm extending them to her.**



**A Nun visiting Venezuela took a picture of the clouds, and the Blessed Virgin appeared on the film when she got the pictures back.**



**This picture was taken of a tabernacle containing the Sacred Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ on September 10, 2003. You can clearly see the image of Christ's face above it.**



**Christ descends from heaven for the camera of Margaret Chadek in 1995 while watching the miracle of the sun as it was spinning in Medjugorje.**



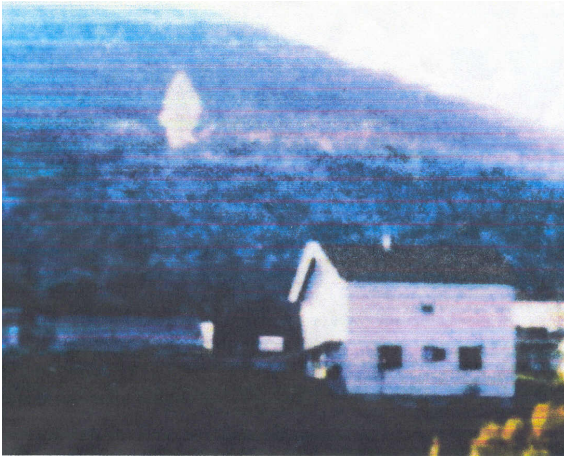


**Miraculous photo of a Nun in full habit visiting Our Lady of the Roses Shrine showing the energies of holiness which surround her. Apparently, in many of the Blessed Virgin Mary's messages to us, she has spoken of her preference for Nuns to wear the full habit. In an apparition at Our Lady of the Roses Shrine, St. Therese said this: "The road to Heaven, my sisters, is a narrow one and not difficult to follow unless you choose to turn away. Even a short duration in the world will soil your soul. You must not, my sisters, give yourselves to the world in thought or deed or dress. Your example must be as one as Our Lady is dressed - a long habit that reaches to the ground. When you, my children, and sisters, discard a proper attire - dress and habit - you do much destruction to your order, to your vocation, for you no longer are an example of purity and commanding respect." (St. Theresa, October 2, 1975)**





**Jesus Christ descends from heaven in a photograph taken during the October 2, 1980 Vigil at the Vatican Pavilion, Flushing Meadows, New York, U.S.A. There was no statue of Jesus on the grounds.**



**Image of Mary at Apparition Hill in Medjugorje.  
Photographer or Date Unknown.**



**A traveler in the Middle East was walking an ancient trade route near the sea where Jesus and his disciples had often walked. Taking landscape shots only, as the area was completely isolated; he was surprised to find this to be the last image on his roll of film.**



**Taken on September 10, 2003 at Ground Zero (where the Twin Towers used to stand) in New York City, U.S.A.**



**This photograph was taken of Our Lady's Statue, which stands before the 'Cemetery of the Murdered Martyrs.' A shower of hosts appears in the picture taken by Eugene Fernandez, Toronto, Canada.**



**A photograph taken of the night sky appears to show a man's soul going up the staircase to heaven in a chair.**

**Photo by Al Arcovitch of Bayonne, NJ.**



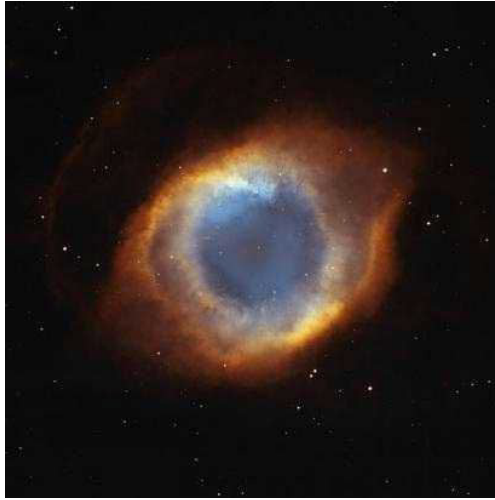
**Photo taken of the Grotto at Lourdes by an anonymous photographer showing blue lights surrounding the grotto where St. Bernadette Soubirous saw the apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary.**



**Picture taken on a clear night at the entrance to the Convent of the Poor Clare's in France, winter, 2005, by Duff Simbeck of Mancos, CO.**



**The hands of God appear in the sky, taken by Mrs. Nova, April 7, 2005.**



**Although not perceived as a true miraculous photo, this picture taken by the Hubble Telescope is affectionately referred to as 'The Eye of God.'**



**An Anonymous woman took a picture of apparition hill in Medjugorje, Yugoslavia, (where the Marian Apparitions have been occurring since the mid 1980's). This is a hill with a cross (no crucifix) at the very top. This is what appeared on her film when she got it back.**



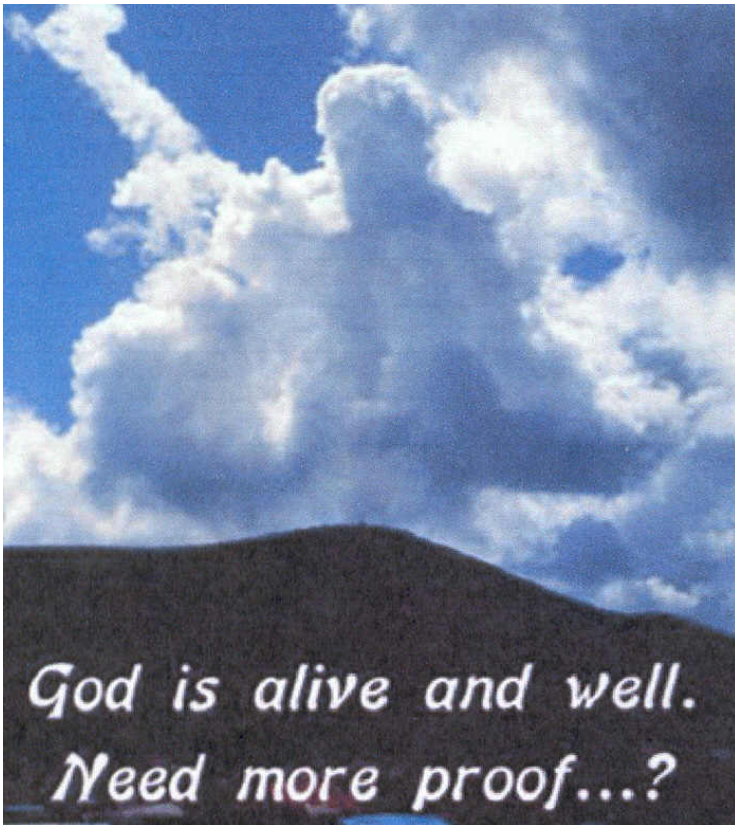


Miraculous host appears in the wound on Jesus side at the shrine of 'Our Mother of the Eucharist,' 1995.



**While having a portrait taken in the late 1800's, Reverend Stainton Moses and friend appear to receive a visit from someone in the spirit world.**





**This picture was taken on Easter Sunday, 1988 in Medjugorje, Yugoslavia over Mt. Krizevac (Cross Mountain).**

# CHAPTER TWO

## Illuminated Manuscripts



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Throughout the ages, illuminative artists have written the words of ancient sacred texts and the deepest teachings of the prophets in picturesque language that transcends human understanding, thus bringing the interior meaning of these words to a higher level within the soul.

We begin our journey with a collection of illuminative texts from many religions and aeons of time.



**Egyptian depiction of the 'Shem' (Soul) following the body of the person who is experiencing death. (From the 'Egyptian Book of the Dead')**

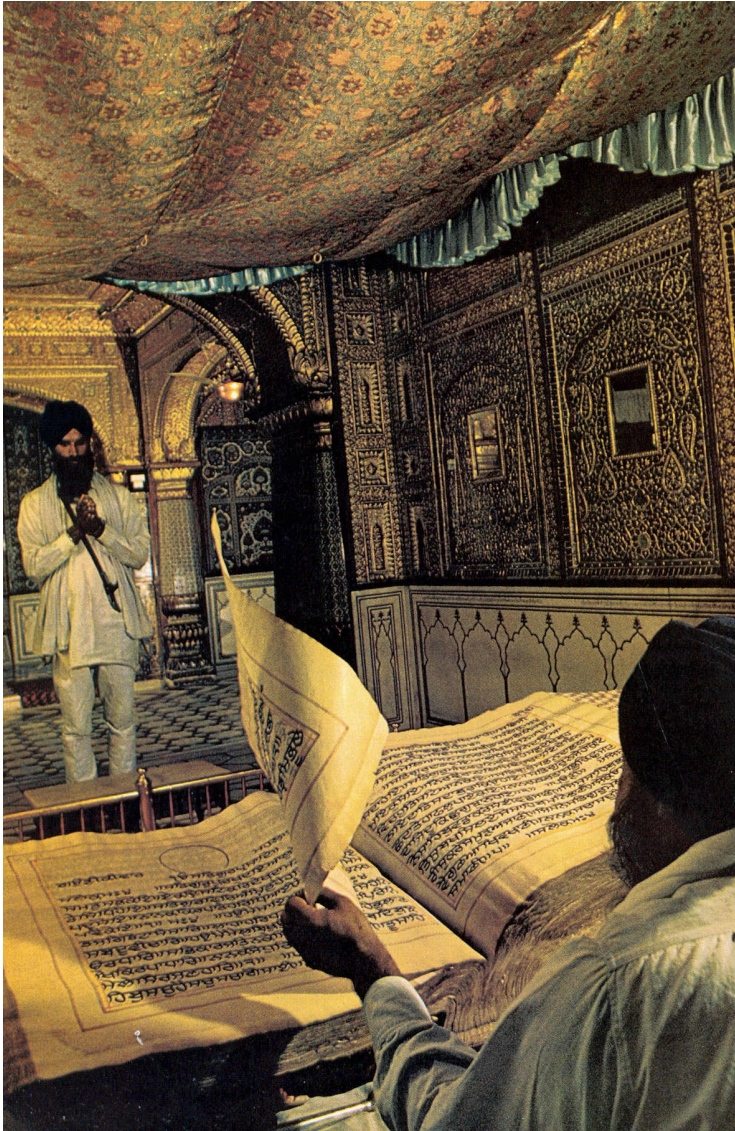


Egyptian image of a virgin and child.





Ten sons of leading Romans are sent to Etruria to be instructed in religious ceremonial.



**Sikh Priest reads from the scripture, 'Sri Guru Granth Sahib.'**





Venus, Greek Goddess of Love, sits on a rainbow while devotees offer their hearts to her.



Judith is blessed by Jewish High Priest.





Jewish Torah, Book of Genesis.



Jewish Torah, Exodus.





Jewish Torah, Deuteronomy.

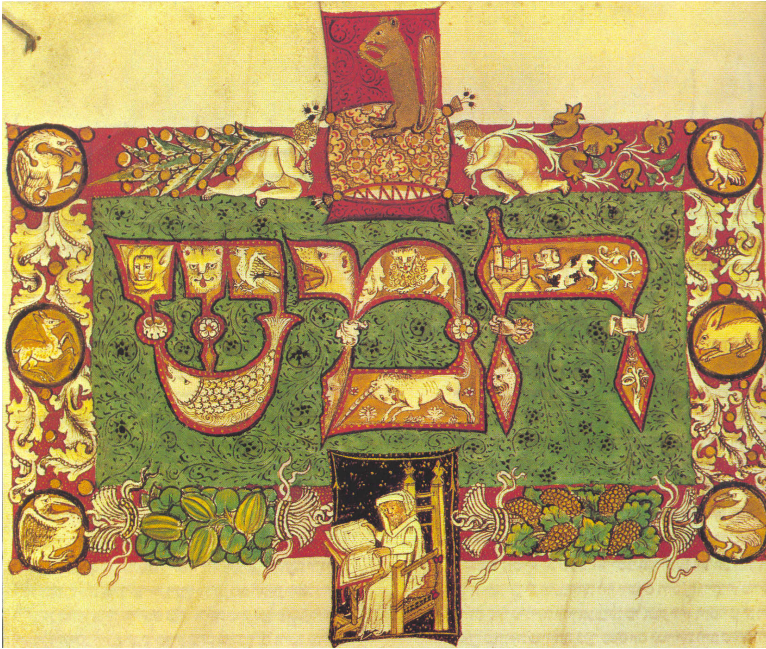


Jewish Torah, Leviticus.





Jewish Torah, Numbers.



**Jewish Talmud.**



**Talmudic Writers - Rabbis Eleazor and Gamaliel.**



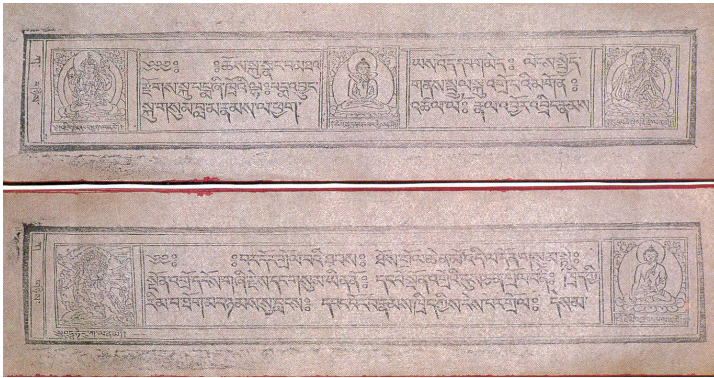


Moses is ordered by God to make a seven branched candlestick in the Jewish illumination of the book of Exodus (Menorah).

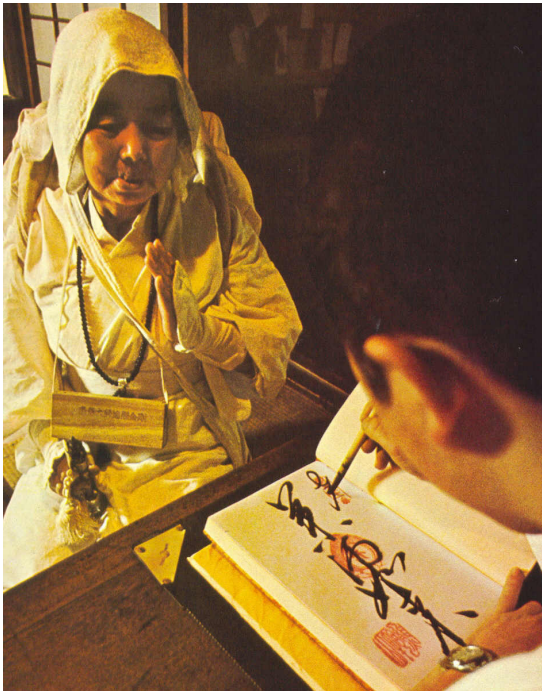




Jewish and Christian Ark of the Covenant.



**Illumination of the Buddhist Tibetan Book of the Dead showing various Bardos and scenes in preparation for death.**



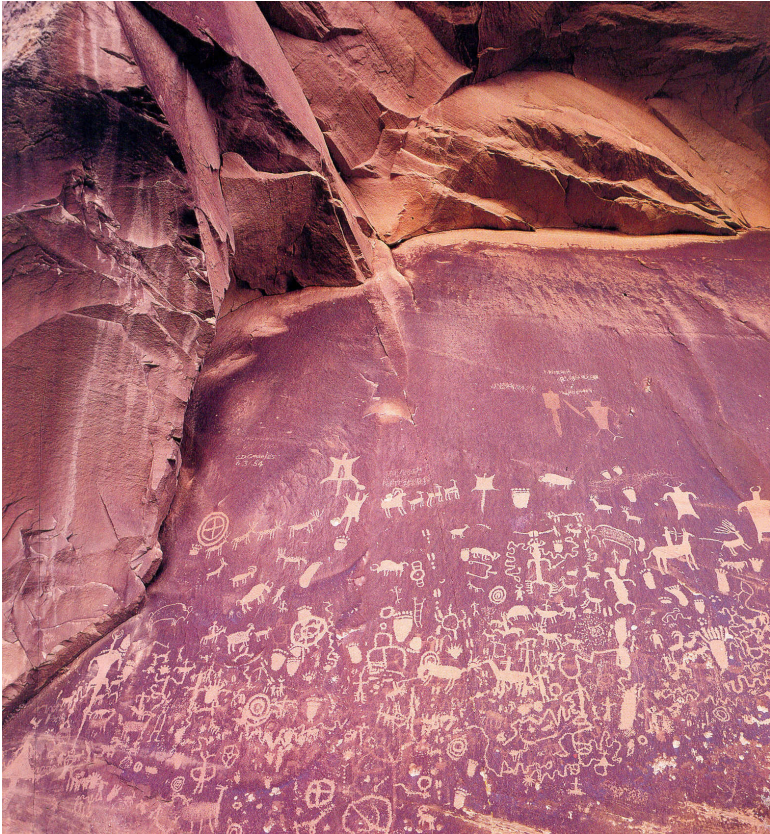
**Modern Buddhist Priest writing an illumination before a devotee.**



Page from the Persian Gulshan-i Ishq (Rose Garden of Love).



### Persian Illumination.

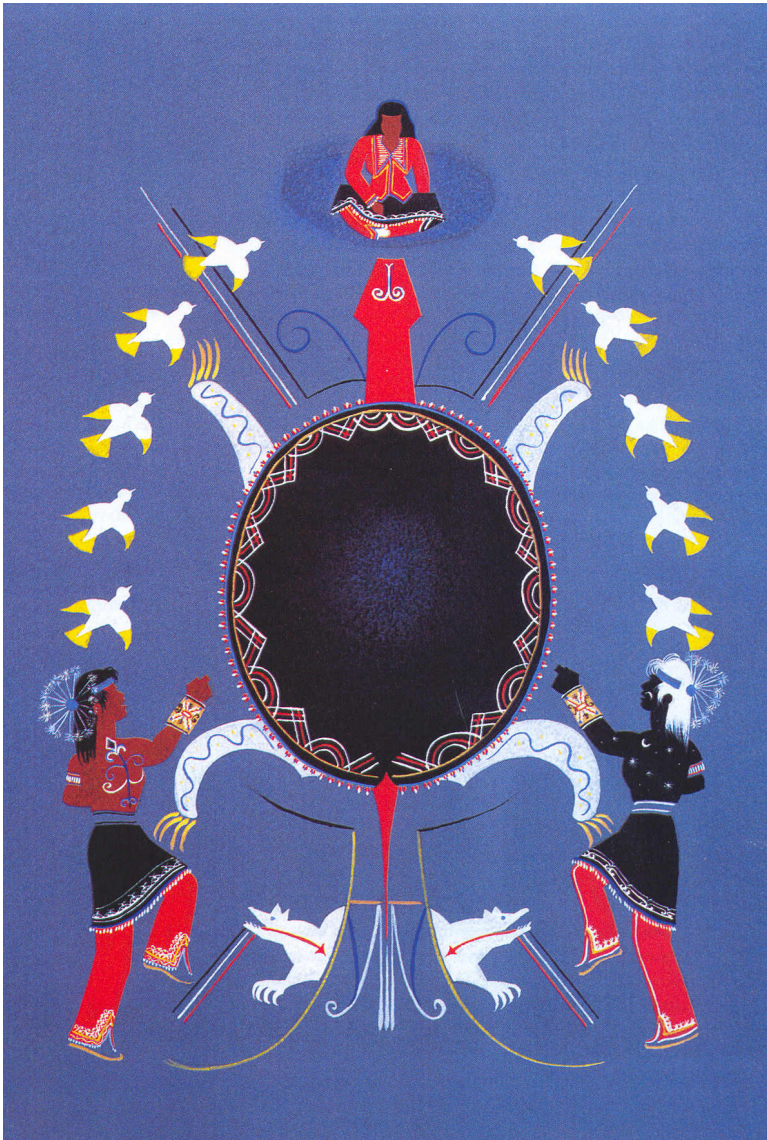


**Newspaper Rock Petroglyphs (Native American Illumination).**



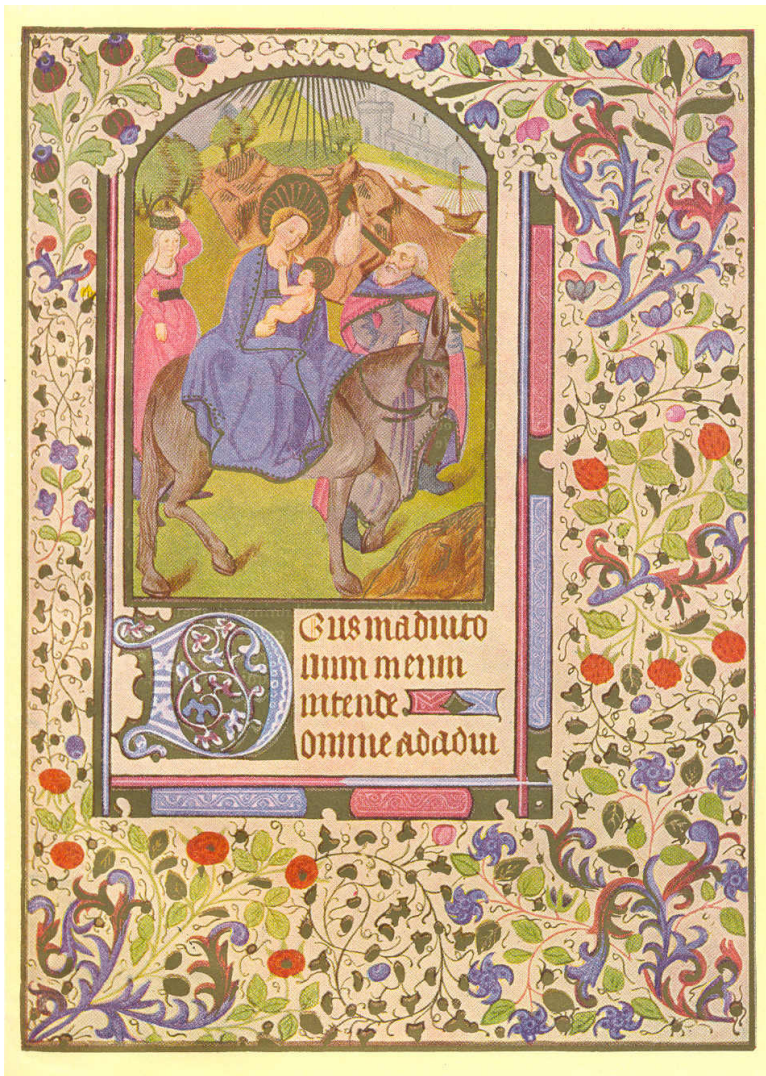
Mayan Popol-Vuh.





**Illumination of the Onondaga Creation Story (Native American).**





The Christian flight of Mary, Joseph and baby Jesus into Egypt. This is the hour of vespers in the seven hours contained within the 'Book of Hours.'



Christian illumination of the raising of Lazarus from the dead and Jesus's triumphal entry into Jerusalem.





Christians listen to sermons, pray, flagellate themselves and show charity.



The Christian acts of mercy, sheltering strangers,  
 burying the dead, visiting the sick, feeding the hungry,  
 giving drink to the thirsty.





Procession of Christian Monks, 14th Century  
illumination.



Illuminated Christian Psalter for Daily Mass.



**Illumination of the Christian virtues of prudence, wisdom and knowledge.**



**Castle of Wartburg, East Germany, Luther Bible  
Where Martin Luther was shielded when he introduced  
the first bible in the language of the people.**

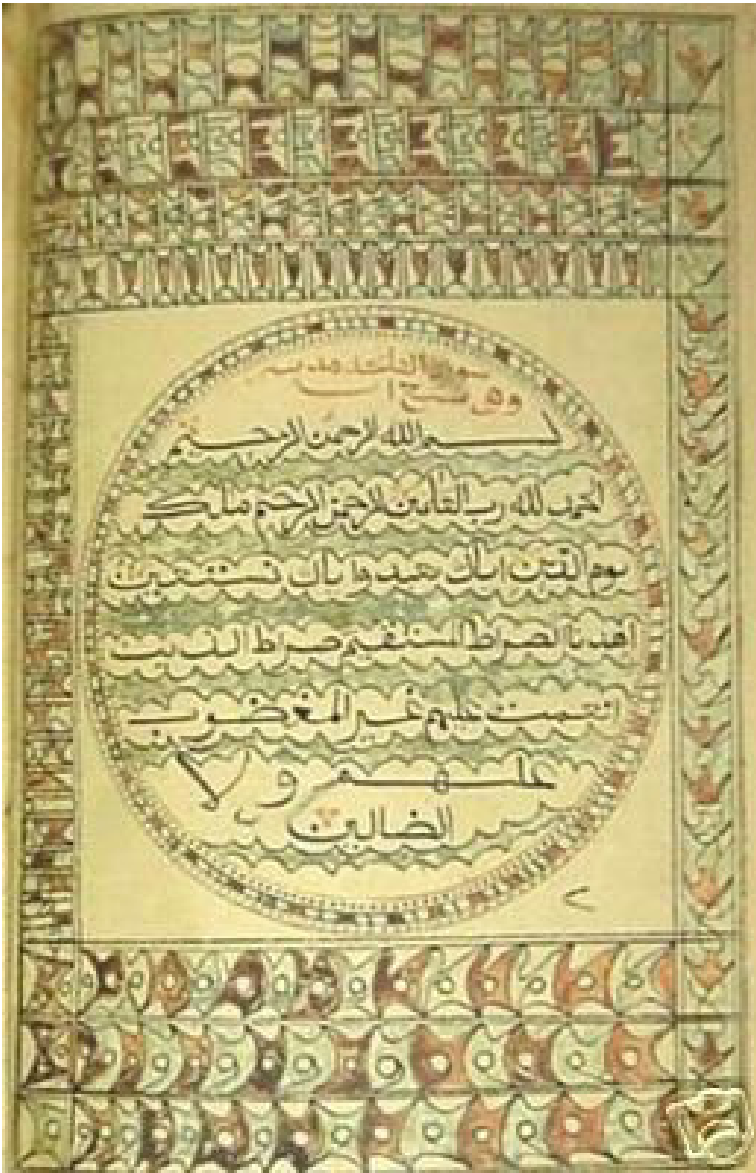




Page from the Islamic Holy Qur'an.



Golden illumination (actually made with pure gold) of the Islamic Holy Qur'an.



Early illumination of the Islamic Holy Qur'an.



**Refused ferry passage, an Islamic Sufi Mystic skims across the water on a holy prayer mat.**

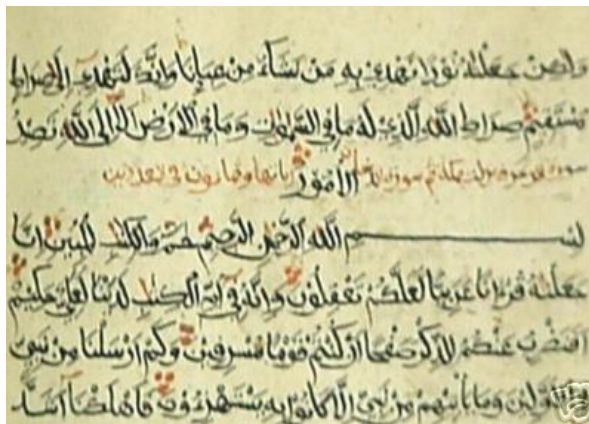


**Whirling Islamic Sufi Dervishes show the spiraling journey to divine union.**





Illumination of the life of the Prophet Muhammad of Islam.



Simpler illumination of the Islamic Holy Qur'an.

# CHAPTER THREE

## The Tree of Life from Around the World





# Tree of Life

Many people do not realize that the Tree of Life is a very Universal symbol used in almost every world religion and/or tradition.



**Ancient Sumerian Tree of Life.**



**Greek Tree of Life.**



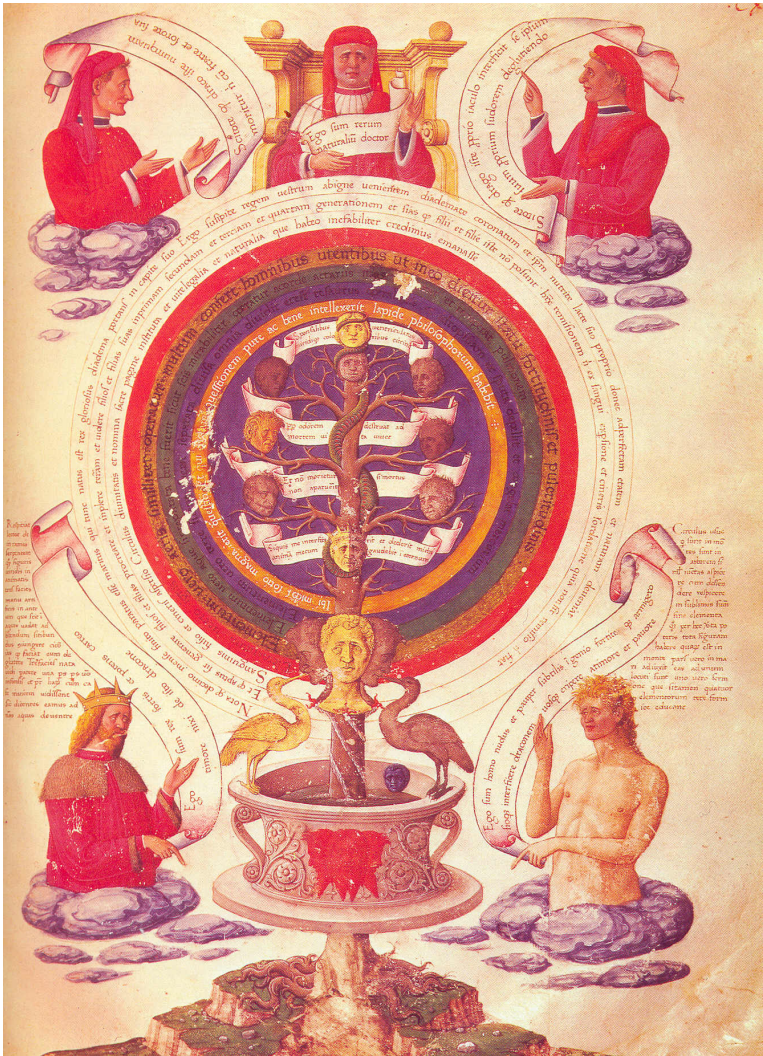
**Egyptian Tree of Life.**



**Norse Tree of Life.**



Celtic Tree of Life.



## Hermetic Tree of Life.





**Rosicrucian Tree of Life.**



**Hindu Tree of Life.**



**Another version of the Hindu Tree of Life which is inverted with the tree going into the earth.**



**Zoroastrian Tree of Life.**



**Persian Tree of Life.**





**Jewish Quabbalistic Tree of Life.**

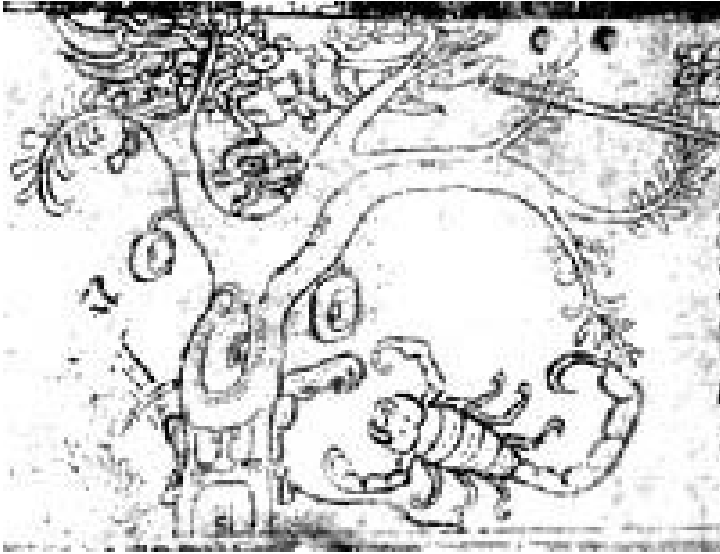




Seven branched Jewish menorah, 14th Century Spanish illumination from the Tree of Life representing the divine world of emanation.



Modern interpretation of the Buddhist Tree of Life.



Mayan Tree of Life.



Christian Tree of Life.





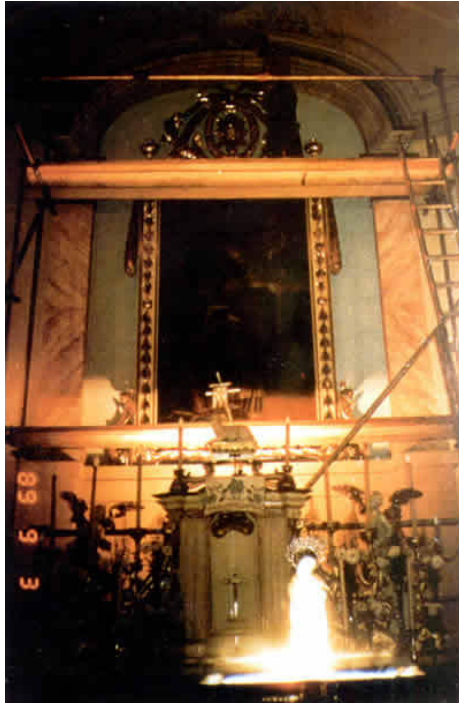
## Christian Tree of Virtues.



## Islamic Tree of the Qu'ran.

# CHAPTER FOUR

## Apparitions of Jesus and Mary



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The Blessed Virgin Mary and her Son, Jesus Christ, have appeared to many people all over the world throughout the last two thousand years. Here are a few of those occurrences.



**Our Lady of Guadalupe, Guadalupe, Mexico, 1531.**  
Appeared to Juan Diego in 1531 several times for the purpose of converting the native peoples of South and Central America.



**Our Lady of the Pillar, Saragosa, Spain, 40 A.D.**  
Appeared to St. James in 40 A.D. when he became disheartened at the 'failure' of his mission. Our Lady of the Pillar gave him a small wooden statue of herself. This is the oldest known apparition of the Blessed Virgin.





**Our Lady of the Rosary, Prouille, France, 1208.**

St. Dominic made his way to France and while praying in a chapel in Prouille, Mary appeared and gave him the rosary imploring him to spread it to others to utilize against heresy and sin.



**Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Mt. Carmel, England,  
1251.**

In 1251, Our Lady appeared to St. Simon Stock as the Holy Virgin handed him the brown woolen scapular and promised that anyone who would wear it at the time of their death would not suffer eternal fire.



**Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal, Rue de Bac, France,  
1830.**

At 11:30 PM on July 18, 1830, St. Catherine Laboure<sup>1</sup> was awakened by an angel, who announced that Our Lady was going to soon appear in the convent chapel where she was to see her for the first of several visits. Mary asked Catherine to have an image of her made into a medal.



**Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal.**



**Our Lady of Lourdes, Lourdes, France, 1858.**

The Blessed Virgin appeared to the young Bernadette Soubirous in the first of many apparitions which led to the discovery of a healing spring of water which is still in use today to heal the sick.





**Our Lady of Fatima, Fatima, Portugal, 1917.**

The Mother of God appeared to three peasant children with a series of prophetic messages and warnings, all of which came to pass just as she had foretold.



**Visionaries of Fatima, Portugal.**

Jacinta, Francesco, Lucia.



**The crowd watching the miracle of the sun at Fatima.**

The sun appeared to dance in the sky and then it came towards them as if it was going to hit the earth. Despite the fact that torrential rains had soaked everyone and everything before the miracle, afterwards everything was made perfectly dry.



**Saint Faustina Kowalska standing beside the vision of the Divine Mercy of Christ, Plock, Poland, 1931.**



**Jesus, I Trust in You - the Divine Mercy image, Plock, Poland, 1931.**

Sister Faustina Kowalska began having visions of Jesus Christ in her cell at the convent in Poland in 1931 wherein he gave her a series of revelations concerning the Chaplet of Divine Mercy and other Devotions to invoke the Divine Mercy of God and conversion for sinners. This image is now venerated around the world and the Sunday after Easter has now been officially declared Divine Mercy Sunday by the Catholic Church.





"Whoever gazes upon Me  
already consoles Me."  
*(Our Lord to Sister Pierina)*

**The Holy Face of Jesus.**



**Zeitoun, Egypt, 1968.**

The Blessed Mother was witnessed by thousands and broadcast live on Egyptian television.

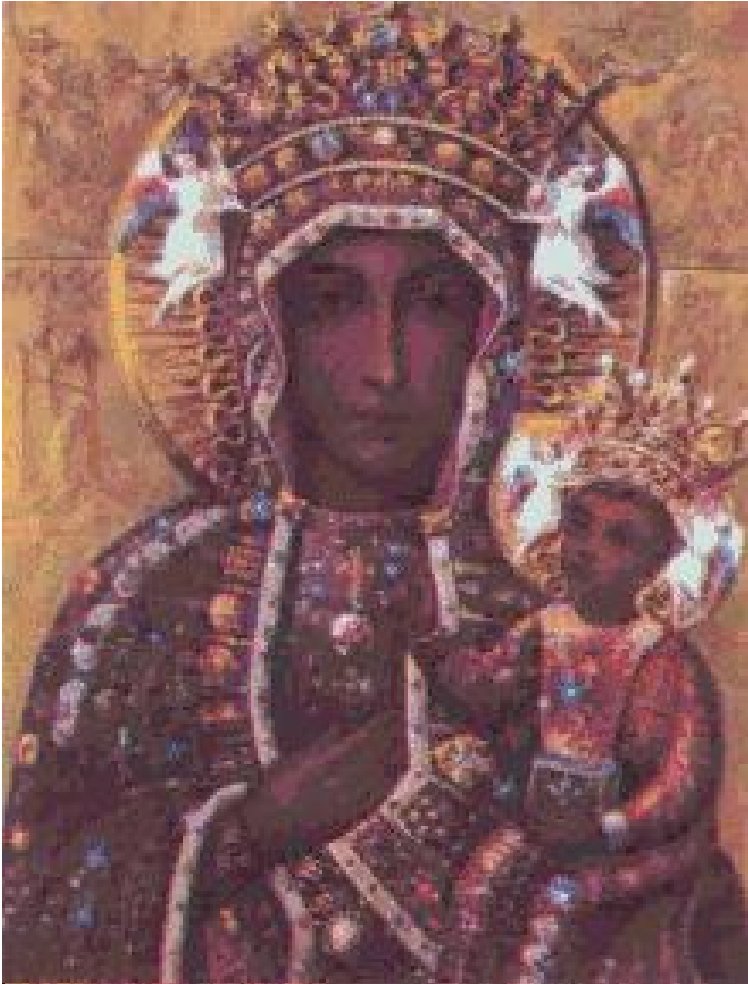


**Garabandal, Spain , 1961, Visionaries - Conchita, Jacinta, Maria.**

Three young visionaries had repeated visitations from the Blessed Virgin Mary. "She is dressed in a white robe with a blue mantle and a crown of golden stars. Her hands are slender. There is a brown scapular on her right arm, except when she carried the Child Jesus in her arms. Her hair, deep nut-brown, is parted in the center. Her face is long, with a fine nose. Her mouth is very pretty with lips a bit thin. She looks like a girl of eighteen. She is rather tall.

There is no voice like hers. No woman is just like her, either in the voice or the face or anything else. Our Lady manifested herself as Our Lady of Carmel."





**The Black Madonna, Czestochowa, Poland, Early Christian Era.**

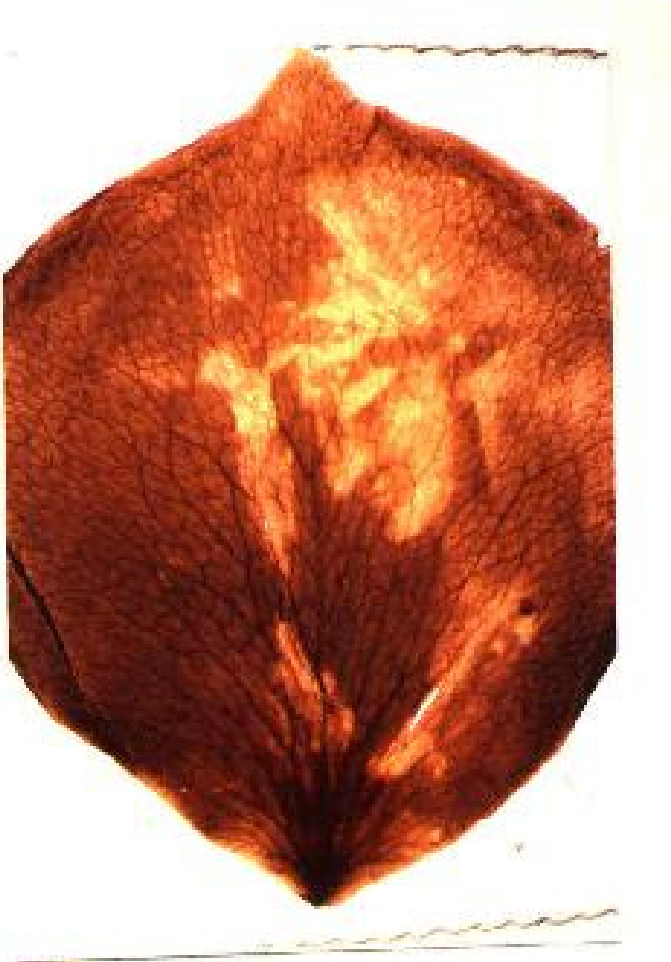
The Black Madonna was painted by St. Luke the Evangelist; and it was while painting the picture that Mary told him about the life of Jesus which he later incorporated into his gospel. The next mention of it occurs in 326 A.D. St. Helen found it in Jerusalem and gave it to her son and had a shrine built for it in Constantinople.





**Our Lady of Good Counsel, Genazzano, Italy, 1467.**

In the year 1467 on the feast of St. Mark during a Festival in Genazzano, Italy, a cloud came down from the sky and set itself upon a 5th century church in bad repair dedicated to Our Mother of Good Counsel. Whence the cloud disappeared, a small and very fragile picture of the Blessed Virgin with the Baby Jesus remained on a thin sheet of plaster, floating without support on a small ledge.



**Our Lady, Mediatrix of All Grace, Lipa, Philippines,  
1948.**

Sister Teresita Castillo was praying in the convent garden when a vine began to shake. Our Lady approached her on a cloud, dressed in white, hands clasped with a golden Rosary dangling in her right hand. Many miraculous accounts abound regarding these visits, including the miraculous images that appeared on the showers of red rose petals in the garden.



**Our Lady of the Roses, Bayside, Queens, New York,  
USA, 1970.**

Wife, mother of five children and a grandmother, Veronica Leukin was visited by Our Lady in her home telling her that she would soon appear on the grounds of the old St. Bellarmine Church in Bayside which she did. Vigils are still held there to cure the sick.



**Our Lady of Soufanieh, Damascus, Syria, 1982**

Myrna Nazzour receives messages from Our Lady of Soufanieh and Jesus. The icon of Our Lady oozes pure olive oil. The primary messages ask all of us to achieve unity of all Christian hearts and the feast of Easter.





**Our Lady of Peace, Medjugorje, Bosni-Herzegovina,  
1981 and still going . . .**

Mary, Mother of God, has been appearing in a village to six visionaries - Ivan, Jakov, Marija, Mirjana, Vicka, and Ivanka. She says: " I have come to tell the world that God exists. He is the fullness of life, and to enjoy this fullness and peace, you must return to God." Coming with messages of peace and love, she also warns that we must convert.



**Our Lady of Peace, Medjugorje.**

This picture was taken by a tourist traveling towards Medjugorje. She noticed a pretty bush covered in red roses. When it was developed, Our Lady appeared in the photograph but the roses did not.



**Conyers, Georgia, USA, 1990.**

Nancy Fowler was experiencing despair when suddenly Jesus silently appeared to her and changed her life. In 1990, Our Holy Mother began to appear to her on October 13th of every year. She also receives daily private revelations. Healings at Conyers are for all Christians, and many Protestants have been healed along with Catholics.



**Our Mother of the Eucharist, Rome, Italy, 1995.**

Visionary Marisa Rossi has been the subject of many unusual visitations from Our Mother of the Eucharist. Holy Hosts suddenly become visible between her hands, and she's found hosts on flowers, plants, and statues.



**Our Lady of the Americas, Phoenix, AZ, USA, 1988.**  
Estela Ruiz receives monthly messages from Mary for the  
world and wishes to be known as Our Lady of the  
Americas.





**Virgin Appears on finance building, Clearwater, FL,  
USA, 1996.**

More than 500,000 people came to see this image which appeared on the windows of the Seminole Finance Company of Clearwater, Florida. The image resembles, as can be plainly seen, the Blessed Virgin Mary as Our Lady of Guadalupe.



**Our Lady of Reconciliation, Betania, Venezuela, 1976.**



**Maria Esperanza Bianchini, Betania, Venezuela,  
Visionary.**

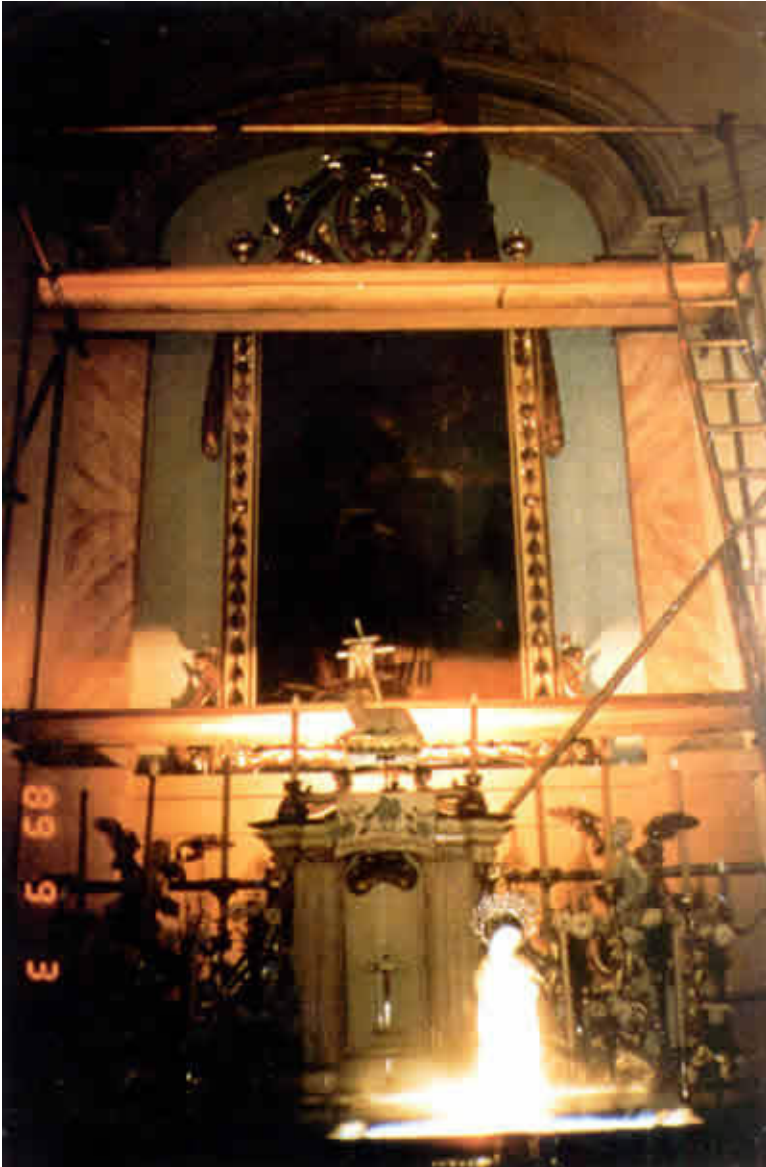
Maria received several visions of the Blessed Virgin. The first told her of that which was to come, the second came on the feast of the annunciation with this message: "I come to reconcile them, to seek them out, to give them faith,

which has disappeared in the noise and din of an atomic awakening which is at the point of bursting out. My message is of faith, love and hope. More than anything, it brings reconciliation between people and nations. It is the only thing that can save this century from war and eternal death...If a change does not come and a conversion of life, one will perish under the fire, war and death."

Think these apparitions  
are something of the  
past? Think again . . .

September 3, 1989

A man working on restorative work at this church in Hungary turned around and saw standing on the altar the Blessed Virgin behind him. He asked a photographer present who could not see her, to take his picture immediately. Although only the restorer could see her and the photographer could not when taking the photograph, she appeared in the picture when it was developed . . .



Our Lady of Hungary, 1989.



# CHAPTER FIVE

## Bleeding and Weeping Statues



## Statues That Cry Tears of Water, Blood and Oil

Not everybody has heard about the famous statues, mostly Catholic, which weep actual human tears, various types of oils and human blood, usually type AB. But whether or not you've heard of them, you're about to take a look at this amazing phenomenon.



**Naju, Korea.**

This bleeding statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary is only one of many wonders occurring in Naju, Korea around the mystic and stigmatist Julia Kim. Look for Naju, Korea in the chapters on **Eucharistic Miracles** and **Stigmatists**.



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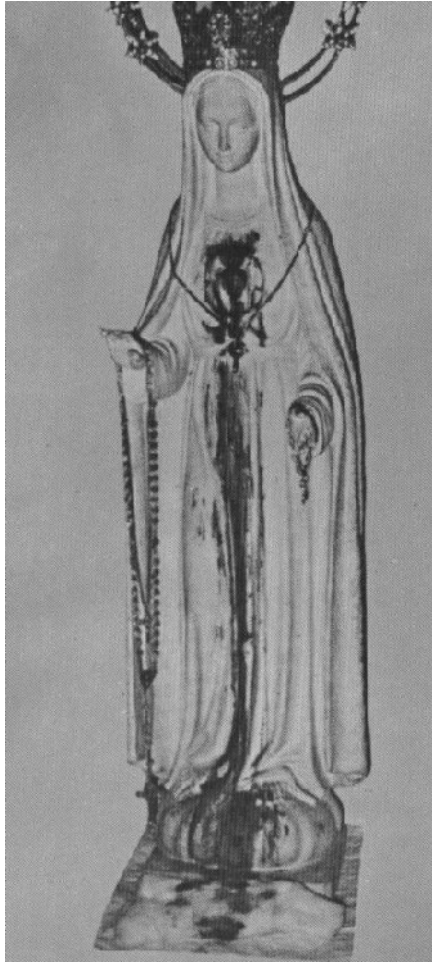
### **Our Lady of the Roses.**

Painting of an apparition of Mary weeps oil. Although the tears are not visible in the picture, it is a beautiful apparition of Our Lady.



**Italy.**

Bambino of Teresa Musco, Italy, weeps tears of blood.



**Castel San Lorenzo, Salerno, Italy.**

A Sorrowful Immaculate Heart of Mary statue bleeds from her heart. Picture was taken by Luigi Musco, brother of Teresa Musco to whom these phenomena are attributed.



**Bangladeshi, Port City of Chittagong.**



**Alan Ames, Healer - Crucifix.**

The bleeding crown of thorns crucifix, used by healer, Alan Ames. The crown of thorns begins to bleed when he lays hands on people for healing.



**Chile.**  
Bleeding statue of Mary.



**Australia.**  
Weeping Madonna.





**Sacred Heart of Jesus.**

Blood oozes from a picture of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.



**Belarus Russian Orthodox Church, Russia.**  
Site of many bleeding and tearing statues and icons.



**Belarus, Russia.**  
Russian Orthodox Priest adoring a tearing icon.



**Belarus, Russia.**  
Blood drips from the foot of Jesus icon.



**Belarus, Russia.**

Our Lady the Joy of all Who Sorrow weeps pure Myrrh.





**Belarus, Russia.**  
Weeping icon of the Mother of God.





**Belarus, Russia.**  
Bleeding Jesus on the crucifix AND miraculous hosts  
appear above his hands and head.



**Belarus, Russia.**

Below the bleeding statue of Belarus, Russia; the holy water in the font first turns into oil and then blood.



**Canada.**

Immaculate Heart of Mary image sheds tears of blood.



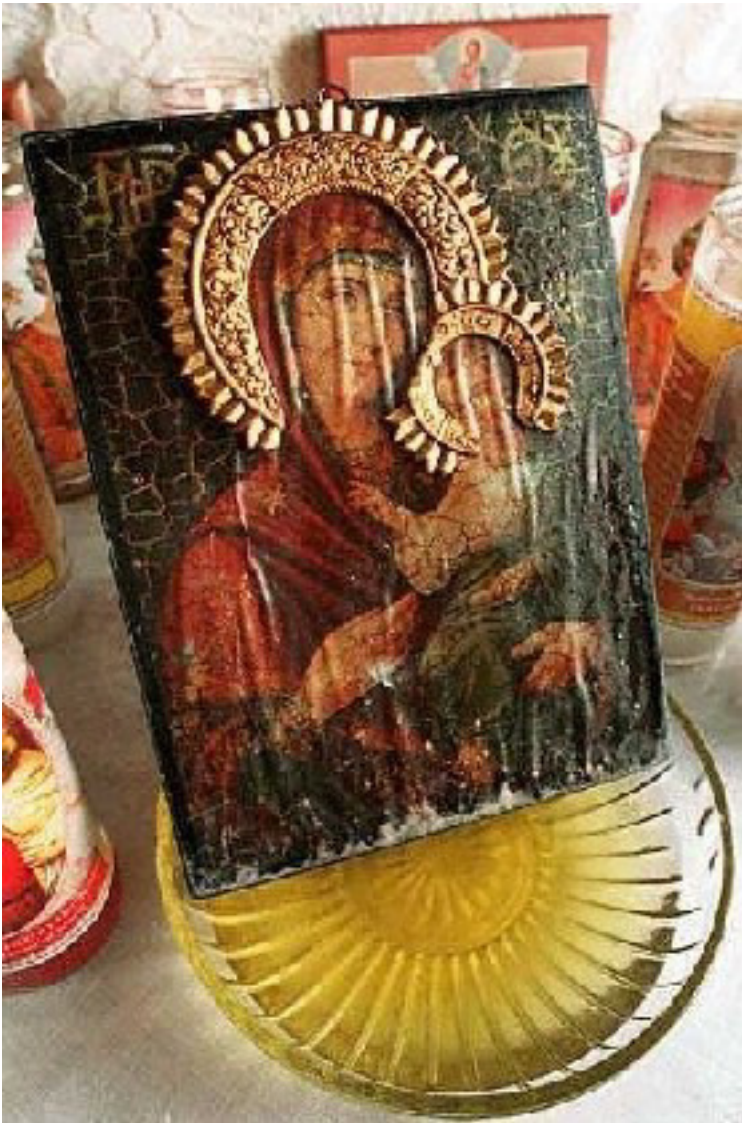
**Phoenix, AZ, USA.**

Blood weeping statue of Our Mother of the World.



**Moscow, Russia.**  
Bleeding icon of Jesus.





Holy Transfiguration Church, Livonia, MI, USA.  
Orthodox icon weeps Oil.





**Sacramento, CA, USA.**  
Statue sheds tears of blood.



**Australia.**  
Weeping statue of the Immaculate Conception.



**Madonna of Citivichavecchia, Medjugorje.**  
Weeps tears of blood.



**Chile.**

Olga Rodriguez, housewife, owns this statue in Santiago, Chile which weeps tears of blood.



**Ecuador, November 11, 1990.**

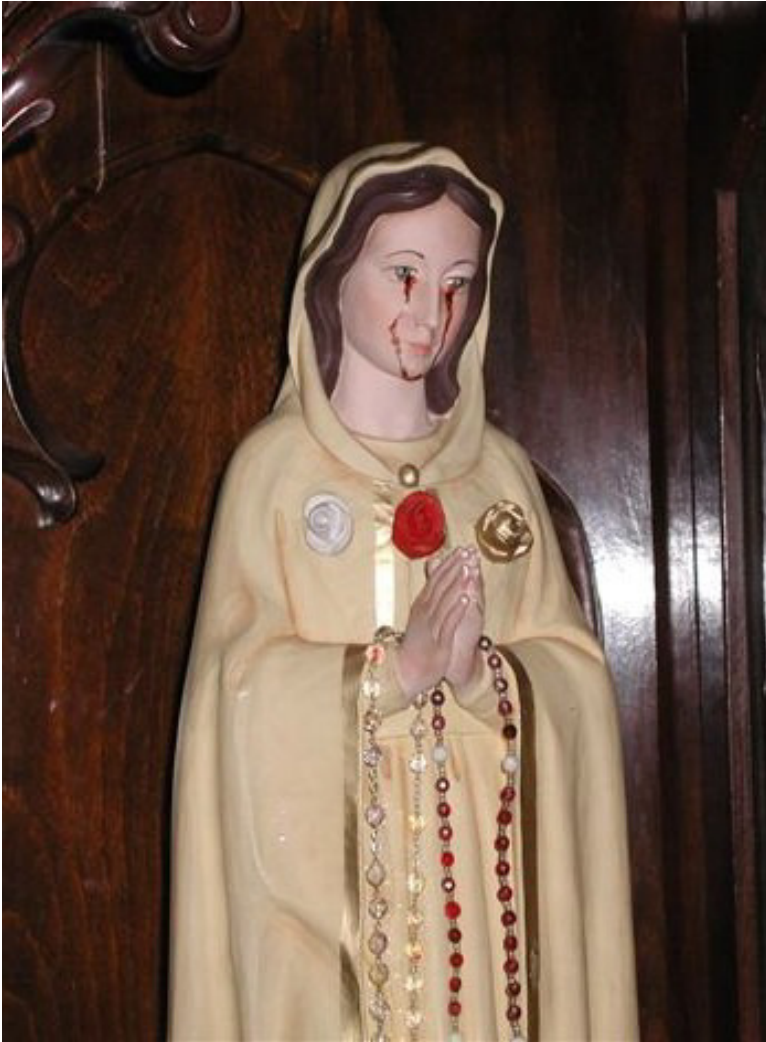
A Mystical Rose statue of the Blessed Virgin weeps blood  
in Ecuador.



**Guadalupe, Mexico.**

Missionary image of Our Lady of Guadalupe weeps tears of blood.



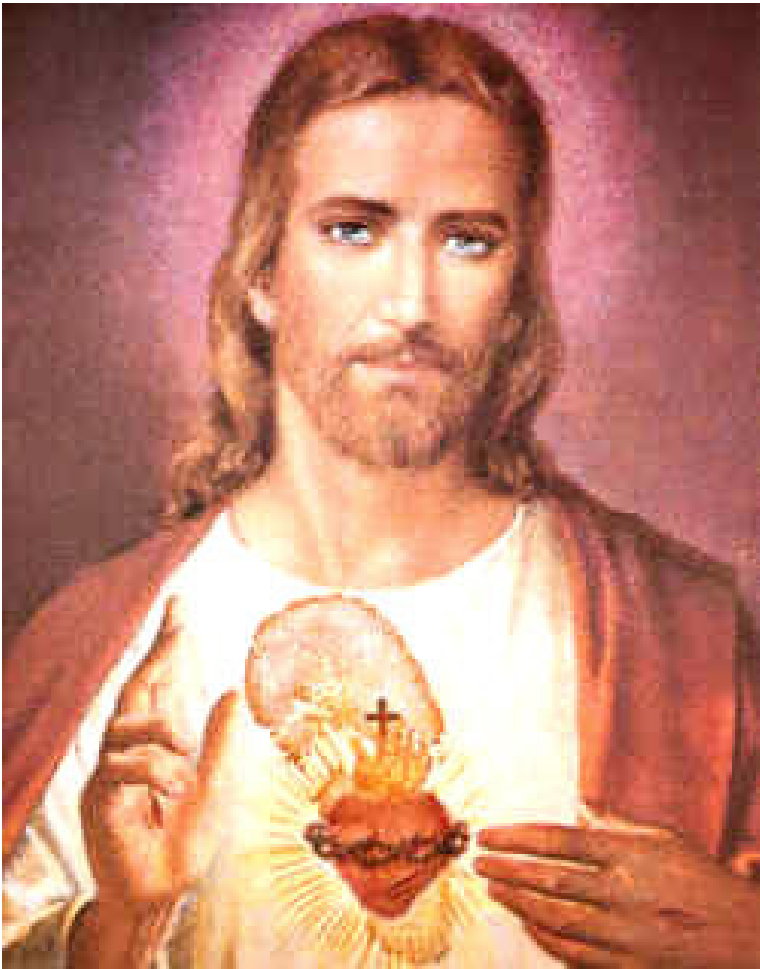


Caracas, Venezuela, March 20, 2003.



**Phoenix, AZ, USA.**

Statue of Sacred Heart of Jesus bleeds from the heart.



**Austin, TX, USA.**

Sacred Heart of Jesus picture bleeds from the heart.



**Rome, Italy.**

Our Lady's Eucharist bleeds on a statue in Rome, Italy.



**Rome, Italy.**  
Close-up of statue in Rome, Italy.





**Rome, Italy.**

Close-up of chalice on the statue in Rome, Italy.

# CHAPTER SIX Eucharistic Miracles



## Eucharistic Miracles

Even among Catholics, the fact that Eucharistic Miracles occur is not widely known. Catholics believe that the Eucharist - the bread and wine when Consecrated by a validly ordained Priest - completely and truly becomes the body and blood of Jesus Christ in a mysterious way. This is called Transubstantiation. It appears that God wants us all to know that this is true if you gaze upon the following pages.



**Bishop Claudio Gatti, June 11, 2000.**

A recent Eucharistic Miracle occurred on the Feast of Pentecost to Bishop Claudio Gatti. As soon as he finished the words of consecration, blood began to pour out of the host.



**Bishop Claudio Gatti, June 11, 2000.**



**Bishop Claudio Gatti, June 11, 2000.**  
Close-Up of Bleeding Host.





**Bagno di Romagna, Italy, 1412.**

In Bagnodi Romagna, Italy, a priest was celebrating Mass and having great doubts about the true presence. After consecrating the wine, he was shocked to see the wine had turned into blood and was bubbling out of the chalice and onto the corporal (a piece of fine linen used to handle the Most Holy Eucharist). In 1958 an investigation confirmed the corporal was stained with human blood and retained the properties of blood nearly 600 years later.



**Betania, Venezuela, 1990's.**



**Betania, Venezuela, 1991.**



**Blanot, France, 1331.**

The Eucharist fell out of a woman's mouth onto an altar rail cloth. Trying to recover the host, the priest found that all that remained was a large spot of blood the same size and dimensions as the wafer.



**Lanciano, Italy, 8th Century A.D.**

A priest had doubts about the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist. When he consecrated the host, it transformed into flesh and blood. This miracle has undergone extensive examination, and the flesh is actually cardiac tissue containing arterioles, veins and nerve fibers. The blood is type AB.



**Bolsena Orvietta, Italy, 1263.**

Having difficulties in believing in the Real Presence, a priest consecrated this host and blood began seeping from it immediately upon consecration. Pope Urban IV commissioned the feast of Corpus Christi in part as a result of this miracle. This feast is celebrated today.





**Sienna, Italy, 1730.**

These consecrated hosts have remained perfectly preserved for over 250 years and despite rigorous scientific experiments, no explanation is available to explain the phenomenon.



**Santarem, Portugal, 1247.**

Somehow, a sorceress was brought a consecrated host. Starting to bleed, the sorceress was afraid and wrapped it in a handkerchief and put in a trunk. But during the night, she and her husband were awakened by bright light coming from the trunk illuminating the room. Telling her husband of the incident, they fell to their knees in adoration. Calling a priest the next day, the host was brought back to the church and sealed in melted beeswax.



**Our Mother of the Eucharist, Rome, Italy.**  
Hosts miraculously appear on this plant near the statue of  
'Our Mother of the Eucharist' in Rome.



**Rome, Italy.**



**Naju, Korea, 1996.**

Enshrined miraculous hosts which appeared from the wounds of Christ upon a crucifix which miraculously opened and began to bleed during the ecstasies of Julia Kim, Korean Stigmatist and Seer. These hosts then fell to the altar before the statue of Our Lady.



**Najo, Korea, 1996.**

The statue of Our Lady wherein the shower of hosts fell from the crucifix behind. Notice the hosts on the altar.





**Naju, Korea, 1996.**

Stigmatist and Seer, Julia Kim, experiencing a Eucharistic Miracle. The host turns to flesh and blood in her mouth.



Julia Kim, Naju, Korea, 1996.



**Julia Kim, Naju, Korea, 1996.**



**Julia Kim, Naju, Korea, 1996.**

Pope John Paul II witnessing and confirming a Eucharistic Miracle as it occurs in stigmatist and mystic, Julia Kim.

# CHAPTER SEVEN Stigmatists



## Stigmatists

Some of you may have heard of the phenomenon of the stigmata, but perhaps not known its significance. There have been many stigmatists in the history of the Catholic Church, around 300. About 44 of them are Canonized Saints. One thing they all had in common was that at some point in their lives the Lord deigned to place the marks of his own crucifixion upon them and allow them to share in a mysterious way the sufferings of Christ; often actually mystically participating in the crucifixion on Fridays or other special holy days in relation to the cross of Christ.

I'm going to show you several examples of medieval stigmatists some of whose images were done with the stigmata shown and others not. Then I will show you the photographs taken of some modern day stigmatists. Remember that the wounds of Christ were gruesome, and some of these pictures may be shocking. Use care when showing to children, and be sure to explain their meaning.



**Stigmatist St. John of God, Granada, Spain, 1550.**





**Stigmatist Anne Marie Taigi, Rome, Italy, 1837.**



**Stigmatist Charles of Sezze, Rome, Italy, 1670.**



Stigmatist Angela of Foligno, Foligno, Italy, 1248.



Stigmatist Anne Catherine Emmerich, Germany, 1824.



**Stigmatist St. Gemma Galgani, Italy, 1903.**



**Stigmatist Margaret of Cortona, Cortona, Italy, 1297.**



**Stigmatist Rose Maria Benedetta, Rome, Italy, 1900.**



**Stigmatist Ursula Giuliani, Castello, Italy, 1727.**



**The first known Stigmatist, St. Francis of Assisi, Assisi, Italy, 1226.**

St. Francis of Assisi was not only the very first stigmatist in the Catholic faith (besides the theoretical conjectures made about St. Paul also probably being a stigmatist), he was the first of monk in the history of the Catholic Church to receive this sign. Padre Pio, a Franciscan priest in the early twentieth century, was the first priest to have borne the wounds of Christ.

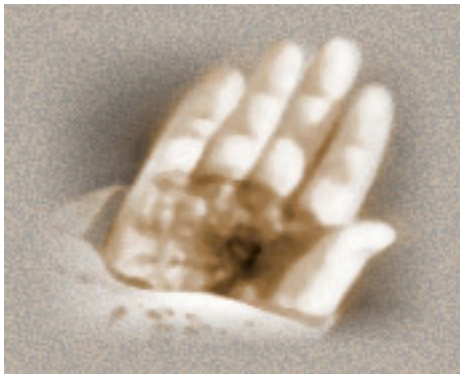




**Stigmatist St. Francis of Assisi, Assisi, Italy, 1226.**  
St. Francis receives the stigmata from a heavenly messenger shortly before his death.



**Stigmatist Padre Pio, San Giovanni Rotondo, Italy,  
Around 1920.**



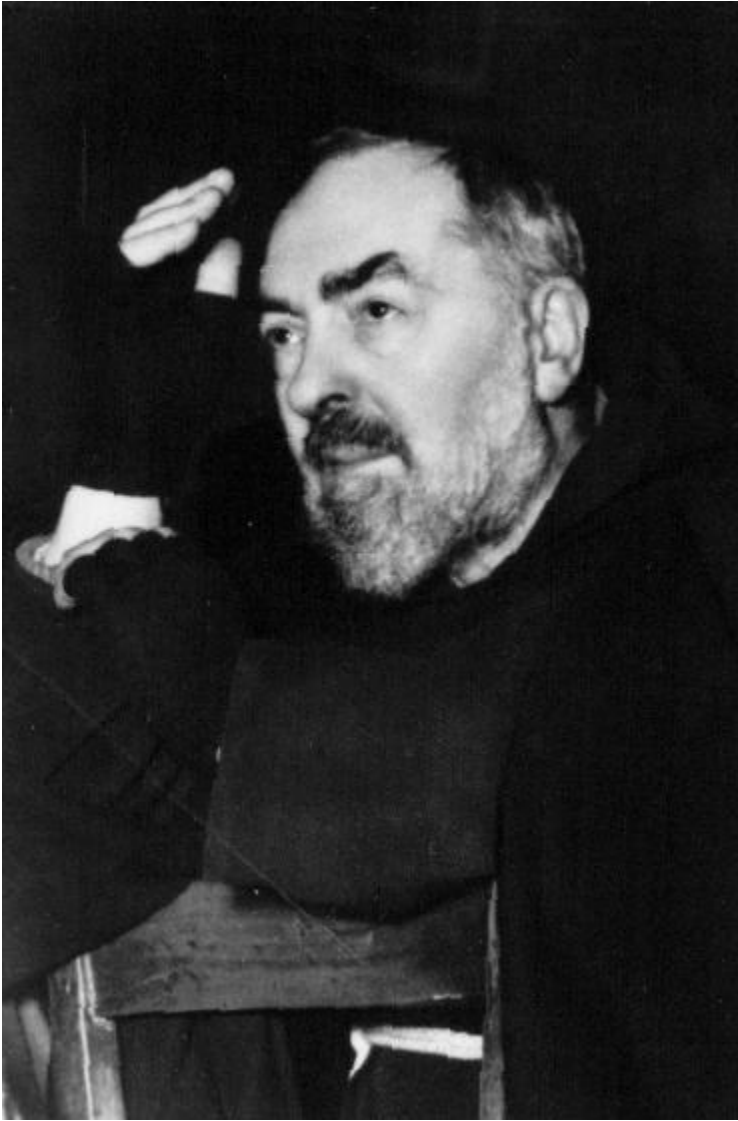
**Padre Pio, San Giovanni Rotondo, Italy.**  
Picture of his hands bleeding while performing the Holy  
Mass.



**Stigmatist Padre Pio, San Giovanni Rotondo, Italy,  
1950's.**



**Stigmatist Padre Pio, San Giovanni Rotondo, Italy,  
1950's.**



**Stigmatist and Saint Padre Pio, San Giovanni Rotondo,  
Italy, 1950's.**

Padre Pio bore the wounds of Christ in his hands, feet and side, all of which would bleed more profusely while he was performing the Holy Mass.



**Stigmatist Father Zlatko Sudac, Croatia, Medjugorje,  
Present Day.**



**Stigmatist Father Zlatko Sudac, Croatia, Medjugorje,  
Present Day.**





**Stigmatist Father Zlatko Sudac, Croatia, Medjugorje,  
Present Day.**



**Stigmatist Father Zlatko Sudac, Croatia, Medjugorje,  
Present Day.**

Father Zlatko received the Stigmata on the anniversary of Padre Pio's Death. Many of the stigmatists do not like to have their wounds photographed, but he bears the mark of the cross on the forehead. This mark on the forehead has been shared by a few other stigmatists through the centuries including but not limited to . . .



**Stigmatist Jeanne Des Anges of Loudon, 17th Century.**  
Bore the bleeding mark of the cross on her forehead along  
with traditional stigmata.



**Stigmatist Therese Neumann as a young woman,  
Germany, 1920's.**





**Therese Neumann's hand during an ecstasy, Germany,  
1940's.**





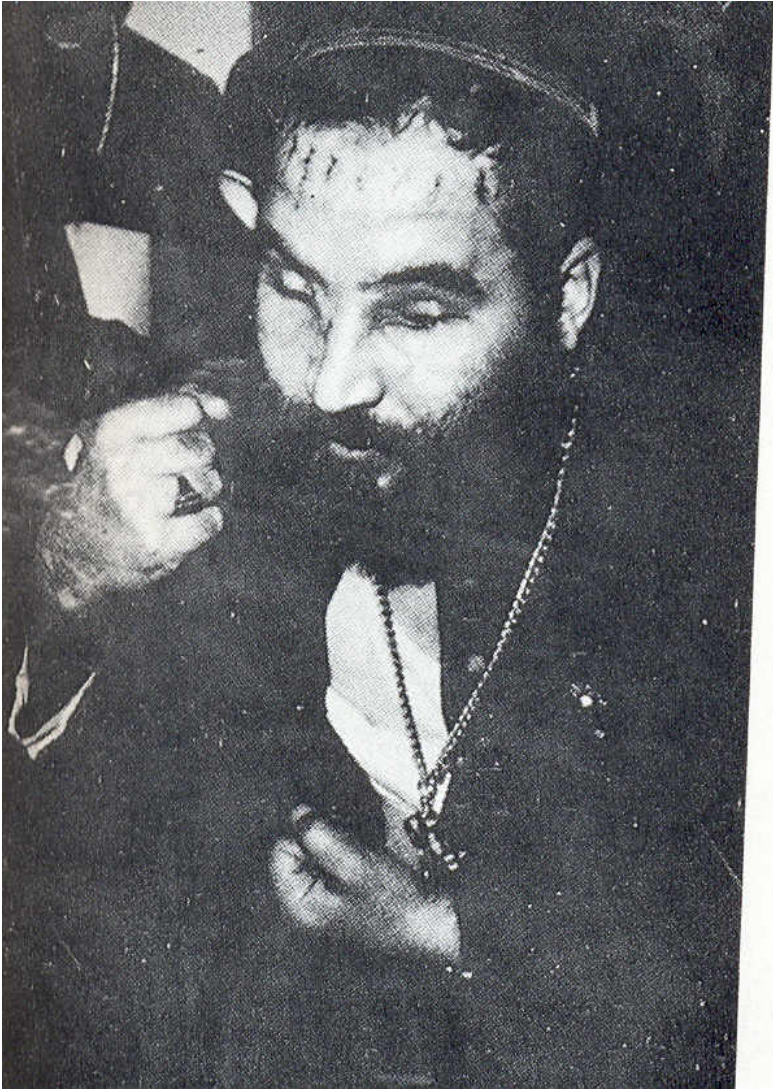
**Therese Neumann during an ecstasy, Germany, 1950's.**

Therese Neumann began the sufferings of Christ every Friday (Good Friday being the day that Christ suffered). She had the wounds in her hands and feet, and also cried tears of blood.



**Spanish Archbishop Clemente Dominguez.**

A view of the wound in his side as he experiences the suffering of Christ.



**Spanish Archbishop Clemente Dominguez.**

The wounds from the Crown of Thorns can be seen in this picture of him as he undergoes the sufferings of Christ.



**I.A.N., Anonymous Stigmatist, Current Day.**  
View of hand wounds.



**I.A.N., Anonymous Stigmatist, Current Day.**  
View of the wounds on his shoulder from bearing the cross.



**I.A.N., Anonymous Stigmatist, Current Day.**  
View of wounds on feet.



**"Francis," an anonymous stigmatist, America, 1990's.**  
"Francis" is not his real name, but this married man with five children and many grandchildren continues to experience the crucifixion of Christ every week, just like many of the other stigmatists.





Julia Kim, Naju, Korea, 2000.





**Julia Kim, Naju, Korea, 2000.**  
Experiencing the Passion of Christ.



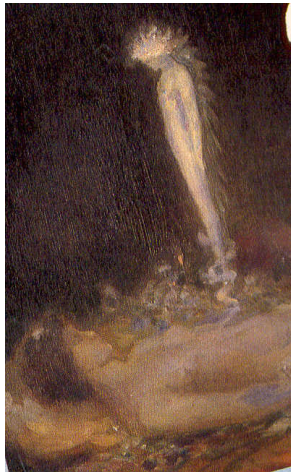
**Julia Kim, Naju, Korea, 2000.**  
View of her hands during her experience of the crucifixion.



**Father Raymond Spies, Naju, Korea.**  
Julia Kim's Spiritual Director.

# CHAPTER EIGHT

Visions of the Soul  
Leaving the Body at  
Death from Around the  
World



## Visions of the Soul Leaving the Body

Throughout the ages, people from all walks of life have contemplated what it will be like when our soul leaves our body at death. And lucky for us, many of these people captured their fleeting visions in art.



**Egyptian image of the soul leaving the body at death.**



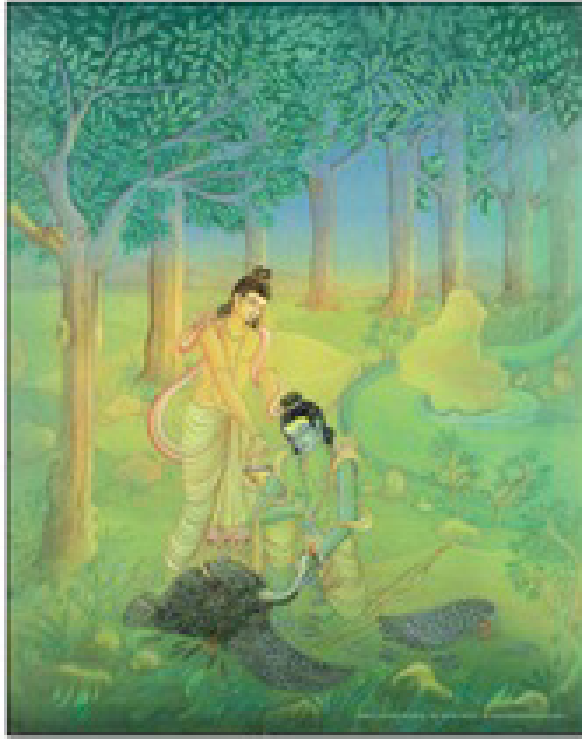


**Egyptian 'Ka' (soul) leaving the body, 1500 B.C.**



**Coffin lid of Ba depicting his 'Ka' (soul) leaving the body at the time of death.**





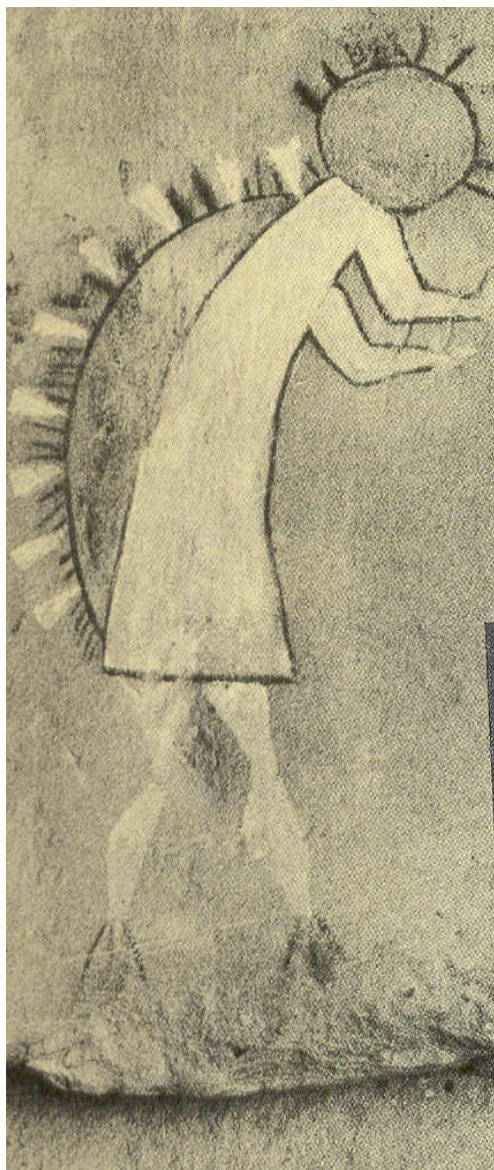
**Soul leaving his body at death, a Hindu vision of death.**



**Zarathustra (Prophet of Zoroastrianism) pictured with his soul above his head as he prepares for death.**

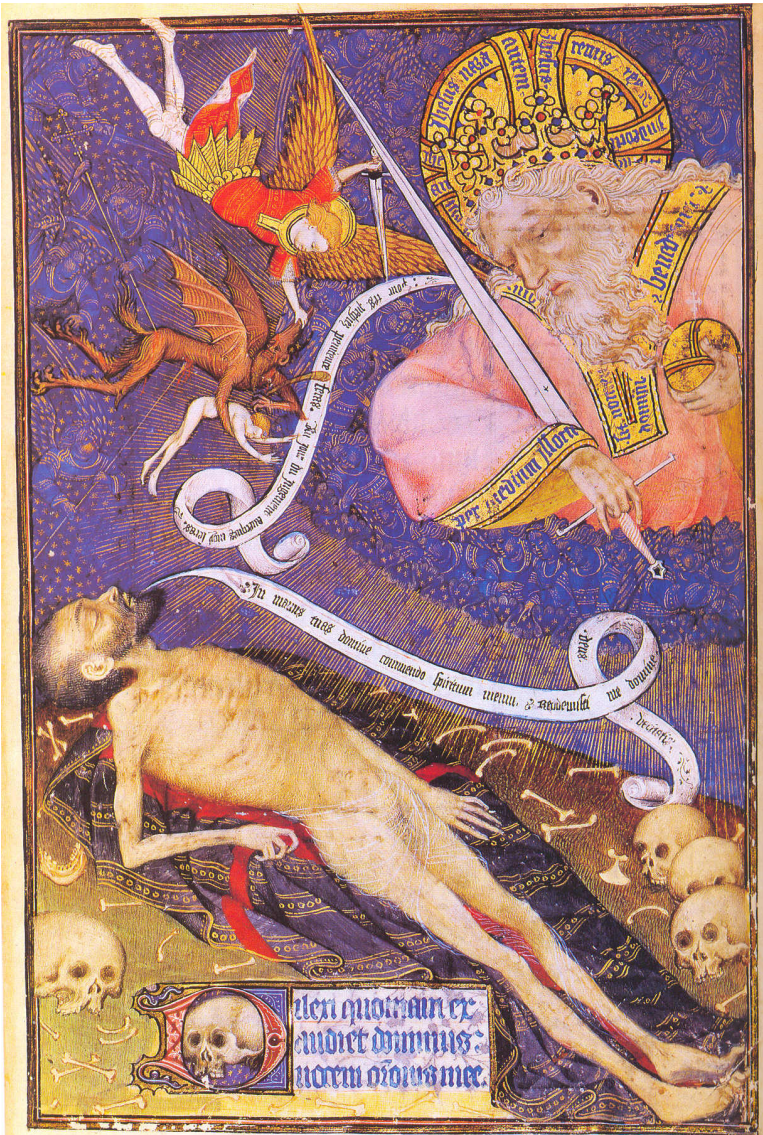


**Jewish depiction of the traditional Jewish belief that the Angel of Death arrives to greet the soul and prepare him for his journey at the time of his death.**



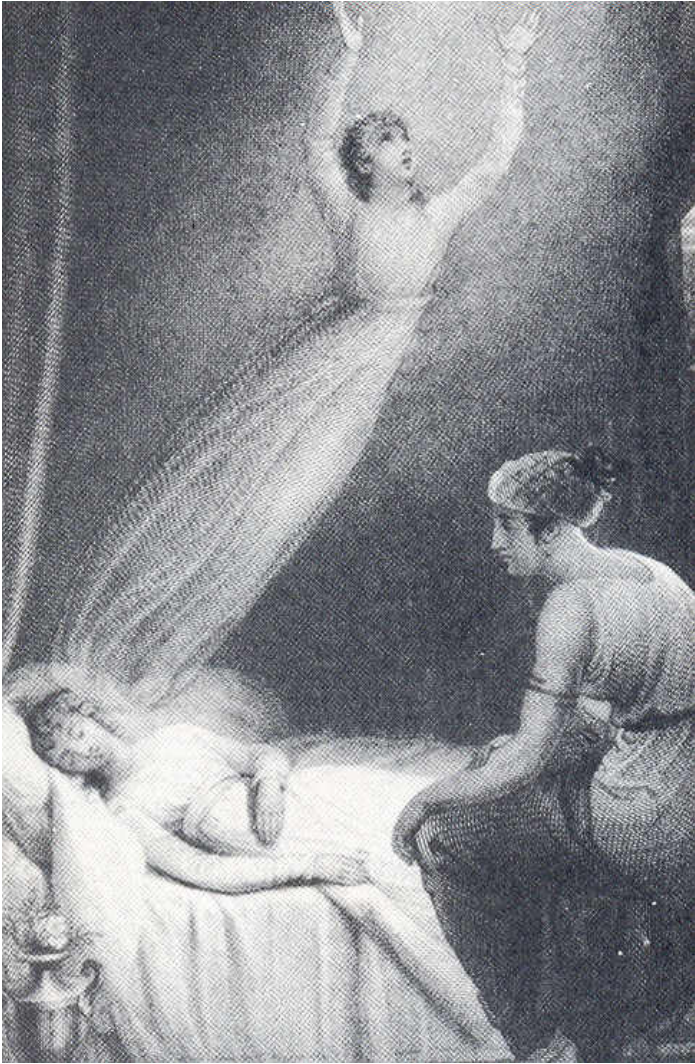
**18th century Navajo painting showing the soul of the Navajo circling his body.**



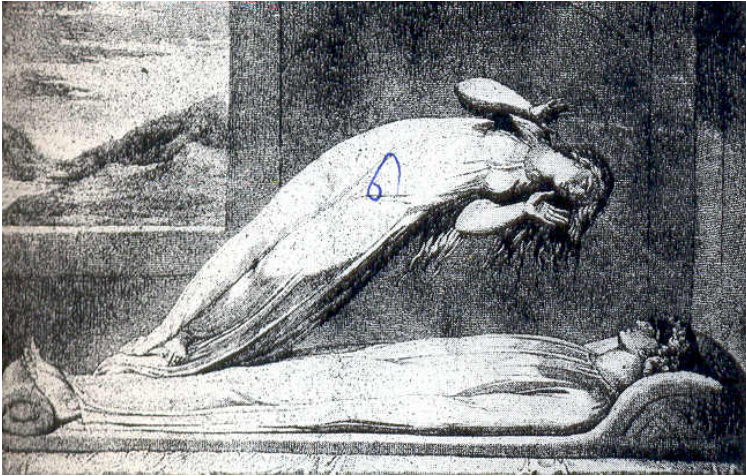


From the Christian 'Rohan Book of Hours,' 'A Man Yields His Soul to God.'

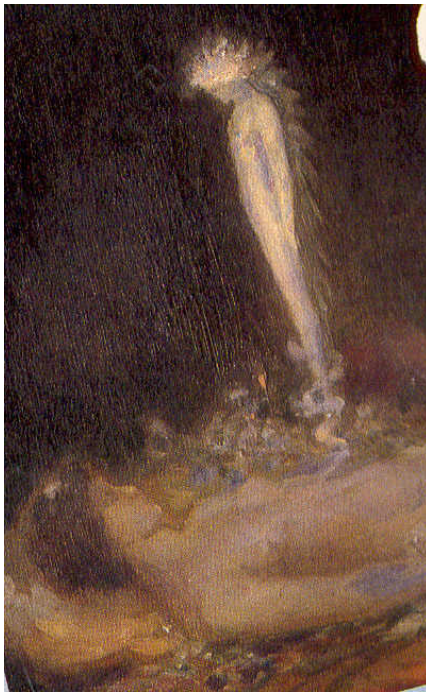




**A 19th Century Image of the soul leaving the body at death.**

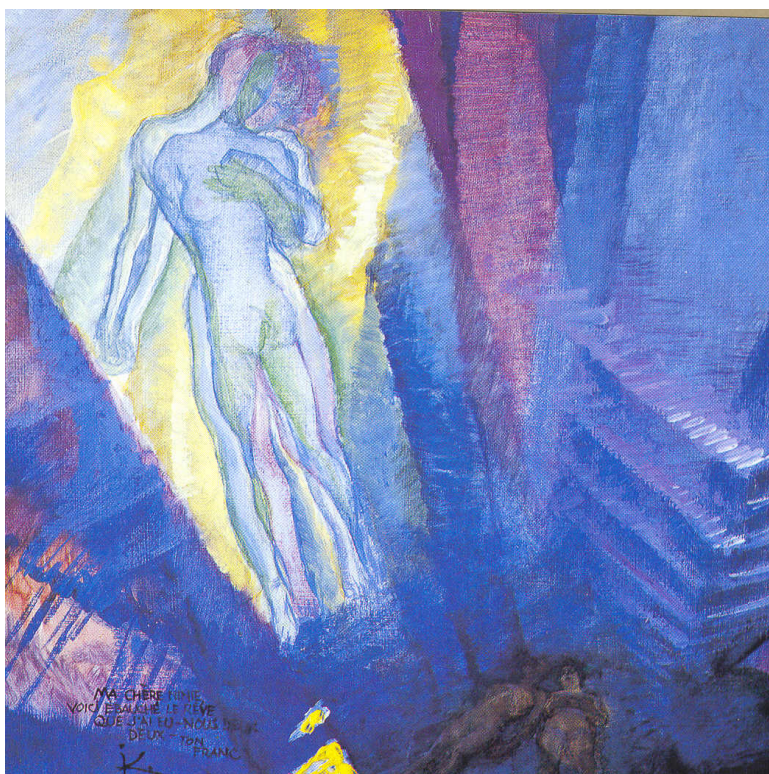


**Blake's vision of the soul leaving the body at death.**



**20th century Irish view of the soul leaving the body at death.**





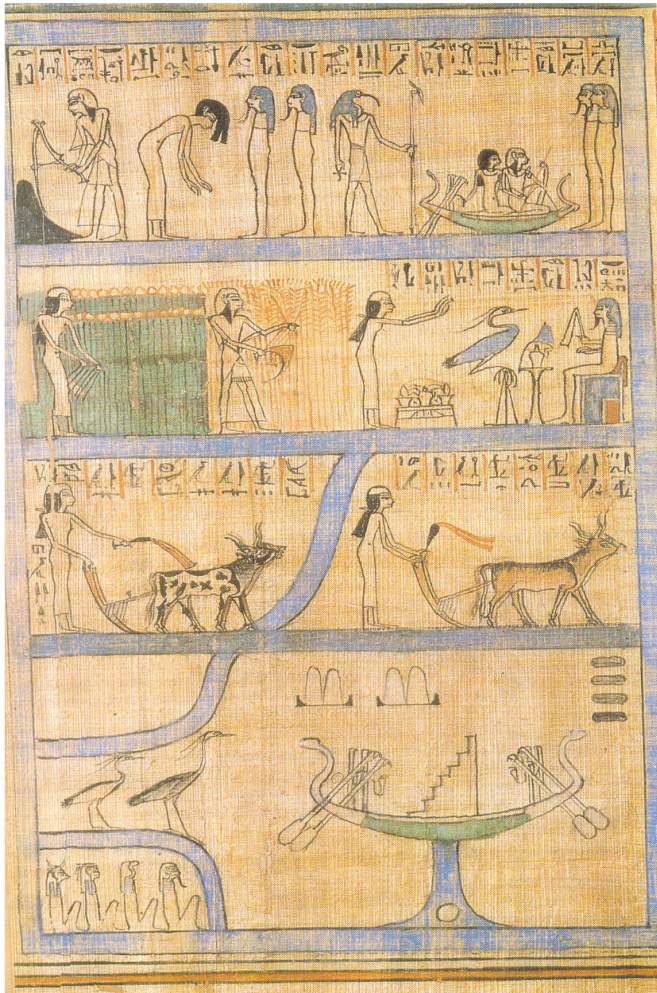
**19th century Czech vision of the soul leaving the body at death.**

# CHAPTER NINE

Visions of Heaven and  
the Afterlife from  
Around the World



# Visions of Heaven and the Afterlife



**'The Field of Rushes,' An Egyptian view of the afterlife.**





**One portion of an Egyptian Heaven.**



**A Hindu view of Heaven.**

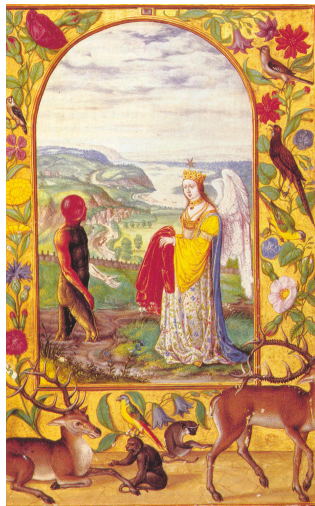




Hindu perception of the afterlife, 18th Century.



**The Heavenly Jerusalem of Judaism.**



**'Splendor Solis,' rebirth of the soul according to Alchemy.**





**Buddha entering Nirvana.**





**Buddhist Heaven.**



**Chinese Christian rendering of Heaven.**



**Blake's stairway to Heaven.**





**Christian Heaven.**

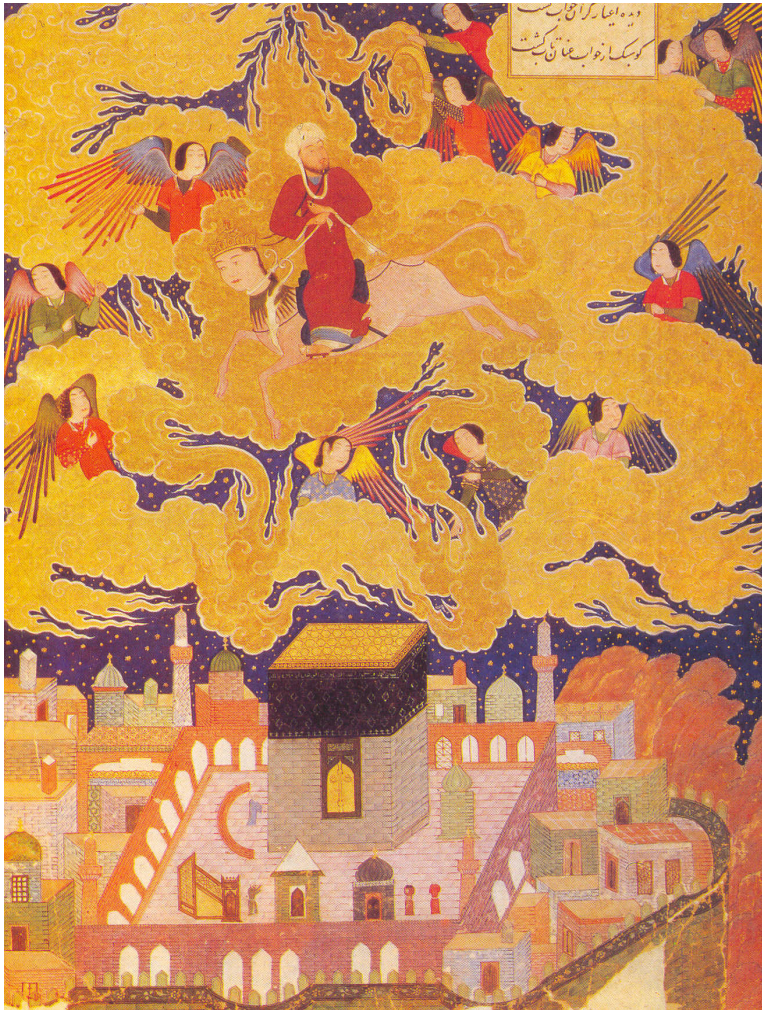


**Heavenly City.**



**15th Century Christian vision of Heaven.**





Islamic Prophet Muhammad's 'Night Journey' to Heaven.





**Modern 14-year old girl's Near Death Experience of Heaven.**



**The ascent into the empyrean Heaven, a typical description given in modern Near Death Experiences.**





20th century depiction of the Resurrection.



**The Second Coming of Christ, a popular view.**

# CHAPTER TEN

## Incorruptibles





## The Incorruptibles

Christ said that those who would overcome themselves in this life, would put on incorruptibility in the next - even in death. In the history of saints (primarily Catholic, but there are saints in other religions with this quality, as well), some seem to have attained to such a high level of holiness that their bodies do not corrupt - even after death - like the rest of us. Here's a sampling of just a few of them.



**Incorruptible St. Veronica Giuliani (1660-1727).**



**Incorruptible Blessed Imelda Lambertini, died 1333.**



**Incorruptible St. Clare of Montefalco while living.**



**Incorruptible St. Clare of Montefalco today, died 1308.**



**Incorruptible St. Clare of Montefalco.**

In her heart, they found a piece of flesh in the form of a crucifix. This is that crucifix in her heart as it stands today.



**Incorruptible St. Maria Mazzarello, died 1881.**



**Incorruptible St. Catherine Laboure, died 1876.**

Saint of the Miraculous Medal.



**Incorruptible Hindu Yogi Paramahansa Yogananda  
during life.**



**Incorruptible Hindu Yogi Paramahansa Yogananda's  
Incorrupt body after his death in the 1950's.**



**Incorruptible St. Vincent de Paul during his life.**



**Incorruptible St. Vincent DePaul's today, died 1660.**





**Incorruptible St. John Vianney, the Cure' of Ars while living.**



**Incorruptible St. John Vianney, the Cure' of Ars today, died 1859.**



**Incorruptible St. Bernadette Soubirous, visionary of Lourdes while living as a young girl.**



**Incorruptible St. Bernadette Soubirous at the time of her death.**



Incorruptible St. Bernadette Soubirous today, died 1869.



Mary, Queen of Scots before her execution in 1587 . . .

**"In my end is my beginning."**

**"Six feet of earth for my body and  
the infinite heavens for my soul is  
what I shall soon see."**

Anne du Bourg, French martyr, executed 1559.



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