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Pathways to Wisdom

Core Truths of the Western Mystery Traditions



Introduction to Zoence

Geomancy - Cosmology - Initiation
Healing - Harmonisation - Illumination





About Zoence

Zoence, which takes its name from the Greek word 'Zoe' meaning 'life' or 'pathway of the soul', is a science of harmony and creativity, the practice of which is an art.

Developed from the Wisdom traditions of the West, such as Rosicrucianism, Neoplatonism, and the Hermetic, Magian, Hebraic, Orphic, Celtic and Christian traditions, Zoence synthesises the essence of these traditions and presents the basic truths with new discoveries and insights for the world of today and tomorrow.

Zoence provides us with a working knowledge of the subtle energies and higher laws of life, and develops our sensitivity, intuitive awareness and perceptive understanding. It helps us to create harmonious relationships between ourselves as human beings, between ourselves and our environment, and between ourselves and nature.

Geocosmology

One of Zoence's unique features is its inclusion of the landscape within its integrated structure of wisdom, demonstrating how space, time, energy, matter, form, spirit, soul, body, angels, human beings and nature are all intimately linked in a wonderful cohesive wholeness.

Keys to Harmony and Illumination

Another of Zoence's unique features is that it shows how the three Great Archetypes of life are intimately related to each other and how they manifest in our lives and environment, both natural and man-made. These provide the keys to living life well - to living in harmony, creating beauty and attaining joy. Joy is illumination.

Training Course

Zoence Academy runs a training course in Zoence and runs various special events in many countries.

Goals

- To share the wisdom of ages.
- To train and empower individuals and groups.
- To heal and raise consciousness.
- To create harmony, beauty and joy in the world.
- To show how nature, humanity and the spiritual realms are inextricably linked, and work with all three.
- To create the light body of humanity and the planet.

The Three Great Archetypes

The three Great Archetypes are the 'Wheel of Life', the 'Tree of Life' and the 'Chakra System'. These are patterns of energy, consciousness and wisdom that underlie all forms of life and are the key to the interplay of the three Worlds of Spirit, Soul and Body. They govern not only life and the life process but also show the interrelationship of time, space and consciousness.

Zoence incorporates all three Archetypes in its philosophy and teaching, showing how they relate to each other and how we may helpfully work with them.

The Wheel of Life

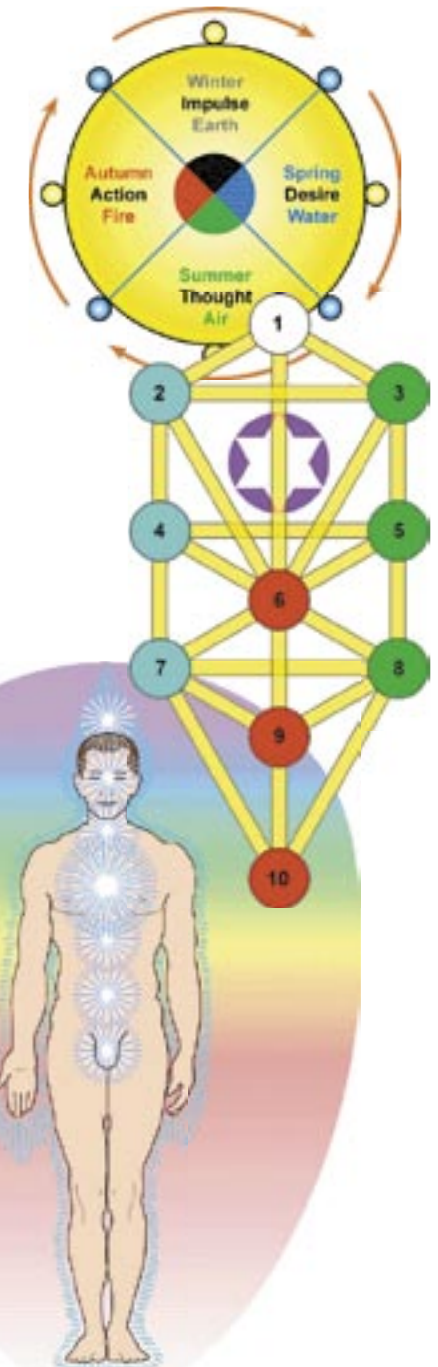
The Wheel of Life is also known as a 'Mandala', 'Medicine Wheel', 'Wheel of Fortune' or 'Magic Circle'. It governs both space and time. By means of the Wheel of Life we may understand how space and time are interrelated, how the process of life works, and how to not only better our lives but also go through initiation and reach a state of illumination and joy. Through this Archetype all things are integrated.

The Tree of Life

The Tree of Life reveals the principles of life and, in particular, their relationship to the human form and consciousness - divine, spiritual, psychological and physical. An understanding of this pattern can help us to achieve balance and harmony in our lives and on all levels of our being. Since this Archetype is also to be found in our environment, both man-made and natural, it helps us to understand better the nature of place and how it affects us.

The Chakra System

The Chakra System is the basic energy structure within all human and natural forms of life, including the landscape. The chakras are both foci of consciousness and 'activity areas' that require to be in a certain order, position and functioning for there to be healthy and effective life. They enable us to live and be aware on all levels of being. They do, however, need to be developed. When highly developed they produce the celestial form of consciousness - the immortal body of light. Chakra means 'wheel', for each chakra is a specific type of Wheel of Life.



The Zoence Training Course

The course is composed of the Introduction followed by the Fundamental Training.

The Introduction comprises the Introductory Workshop and the book, *Zoence: Science of Life*. The Introductory Workshop acts as the Zoence Gateway and has to be completed first before proceeding further in the course.

After taking the Introductory workshop, participants can choose whichever Fundamental Training Workshops they want to do, and in any order, as they become available. Each of these workshops is a 2-day module.



Programme of Events

The workshops take place at various venues in the UK and other countries. The Programme of Events (available as a leaflet or on the Zoence website) will inform you of when and where each event is held, and how to book a place.

Zoence Website: www.zoence.co.uk

Zoence Course Workshops

1. Introduction

- *The Wheel of Life*

2. Fundamental Training

Space

- *Orientation: Directions of Space*
- *Chakras: Power Points in Space*
- *Sacred Structures*

Time

- *Path of Initiation: the Stages of Life*
- *Festivals: Power Points in Time*
- *Levels of Life and Consciousness*

Creativity

- *Dance & Movement*
- *Song & Chant*
- *Meditation, Invocation & Prayer*

Angels

- *The Hierarchy of Angels & Mankind*
- *The Great Angels of Time & Space*
- *Devas & Nature Spirits*

Nurturing

- *Pilgrimage Skills*
- *Light Centre Skills*
- *Ceremonial Skills*

Healing

- *Healing the Person*
- *Healing the Environment*
- *Soul Rescue*

Synthesis

- *Zoence Special Events*

Pathways of Learning

The Fundamental Training Workshops can be taken in any order and as many or few as required. However, there is a hidden structure to the course. For instance, the first two sections on Space and Time offer what might be called the foundation workshops (although this does not necessarily mean you have to do these workshops first). The next two sections on Creativity and Angels add to and refine that knowledge. Following these, the two sections on Nurturing and Healing provide specific forms of service or goals to attain.

Through these three levels weave seven main pathways that could be followed in order to acquire a full and rounded knowledge for seven particular purposes or end results. These can be enumerated as:-

A	Self Knowledge
B	Celebrating Festivals
C	Building a Light Centre
D	Pilgrimage
E	Healing the Person
F	Healing the Environment
G	Soul Rescue

The following chart sketches out the pathways to follow through the workshops for these specific ends:-

	Workshops	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
SPACE	Orientation							
	Chakras							
	Sacred Structures							
TIME	Path of Initiation							
	Festivals							
	Levels of Life & Consciousness							
CREATIVITY	Dance & Movement							
	Song & Chant							
	Meditation, Invocation & Prayer							
ANGELS	Hierarchy of Angels & Mankind							
	Great Angels of Time & Space							
	Devas & Nature Spirits							
NURTURING	Pilgrimage Skills							
	Light Centre Skills							
	Ceremonial Skills							
HEALING	Healing the Person							
	Healing the Environment							
	Soul Rescue							

Seven Paths of Service

Self Knowledge

Ancient wisdom teaches that all things exist so that God might know God. Mankind, as an aspect or 'image' of the divine, is a partaker in this process. To know oneself leads to knowledge of God. Such knowledge is called illumination, which is a supreme joy. To achieve illumination is itself a path of service as it fulfils God's will. Moreover, since the nature of God is love, or goodness, to know this nature means also expressing it, and that is of benefit to all.

Celebrating Festivals

Celebrating the Great Festivals is a powerful way to cleanse, heal, inspire, educate, uplift and bring joy to people, the environment, nature and the whole world. It builds friendship amongst families, groups and communities, and helps world evolution. It works with the power-points in time to turn the wheel of fortune in ways beneficial to all.

Building a Light Centre

Building a light centre - a centre of love and joy, or illumination - is of vital importance to us all. Ideally, every home should be a light centre and, if such a home can be opened up to welcome greater numbers of people than just family, it is of greater use. When such homes are also sited on power-points in the landscape they have a potent effect for good on the whole etheric body of the planet, helping the planet to build its light body.

Pilgrimage

Pilgrimage, especially geomantic or geocosmological pilgrimage, works with the earth energies of the planet and the cosmic energies of the spiritual world to help heal, balance, transform and illuminate the Earth and all who dwell within her. It is one of the most ancient forms of service.

Healing the Person

Healing is one of the most needed forms of service, and healing the person means helping someone to achieve good health and wholeness of mind, body and spirit. Healing and teaching/learning go hand in hand.

Healing the Environment

Healing the environment is equally important as healing the person, as every person is affected by (and affects) the environment. Many people do not fully realise the powerful influence that the environment has on our health, consciousness and ability to do things.

Soul Rescue

Soul rescue is a specialist work requiring more dedication and care than most, but one that is vitally needed. Earth-bound souls constitute one of the world's great tragedies, which, like pollution, affects us all, often in very negative ways.

Peter & Sarah Dawkins

Peter is a teacher, philosopher, geomancer, consultant, author and seer, and the founder-director of Zoence Academy and The Francis Bacon Research Trust.

Concerned especially with the harmonious relationship of humanity with both the spiritual and natural world, Peter's pioneering researches have led directly to a developing science of 'landscape temples'. This, together with his knowledge and synthesis of the wisdom traditions, has been named 'Zoence'.

Besides giving seminars and workshops and leading geocosmological pilgrimages internationally, Peter also teaches 'the Wisdom of Shakespeare'.

Sarah is a feng-shui consultant and co-director of Zoence Academy. Like her husband Peter, she teaches and leads workshops and pilgrimages internationally. She also teaches circle dance and panerhythmy.

Consultancy

Many of the problems we encounter in our lives can be attributed to a lack of harmony and disturbed energy patterns in our environment, both natural and man-made. Advice, on a Zoence/feng shui consultancy basis, can be given to help create a more harmonious environment.



Zoence Training Course

Geomantic Pilgrimage

Mystery Schools

Healing of People, Buildings & Landscape

Geomantic Design of Buildings & Environment

Ancestral Healing

Soul Rescue Work

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