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Friends of the Jesus-Revelation through the writing-servant and writing-prophet Jakob Lorber feel connected to all the people of the world as creatures and children of one and the same Father. This heavenly Father embodied Himself in Jesus Christ 2,000 years ago [25-28 AD.] All spirit-friends of the Jesus-Revelation recognize in this eternal Revelation a new and great Word of God and strive to come to a mutual joyful exchange.

INTROSPECTION – SELF-EXAMINATION



- We wish you a blissful enjoyment in reading-

In this edition:

Differences between soul and spirit;

Sympathizing with the identical monthly magazine of the English and Portuguese Jakob-Lorber Edition under the home page address: homepage-address: <https://www.refugiobetania.org/>

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Gerhard from Germany

Dear Gerard,

First of all, thank you for the monthly sendings of the Lorber bulletins !!! Because I am currently reading the 6th book of the great Gospel of John, I came across comparisons with the greatness of the Universe and this in terms of the number of suns, etc.

My question is now, for Wilfried Schlätz and through you, or the riddle of the 6. part of the. GGJ-226: 2 - regarding the 12,000 souls - Could these souls be dissolved into one atom of the Earth?

This answer can be mediated via the Jakob Lorber Bulletin or directly send to my e-mail address. It is up to you or Wilfried Schlätz how the answer can be achieved.

With many fraternal greetings,

Gerhard

Answer

Dear Gerhard,

Of course, would I like to pass on your subject to Wilfried, but I must add that he is very limited in his writing. Because he is almost completely paralyzed!

I will make an effort to contact him. As soon as I know more, I will include your question or topic in one of the following bulletins.

So I called him and your question was asked to Wilfried Schlätz. Since he has been in bed for three years now and he says he needs a lot of patience from God, he can only use his left arm a little. I have read your question about GGJ6-226: 1,2 to him at his request.

His answer was clear: "The **12.000 souls** cannot be dissolved into one atom." This was only meant as an example.

He asked me to read to him about this subject from the 10th part of the GGJ chapter 180 with the successive texts. It became clear that the human soul consists of three animals, namely: the jackal, the giant eagle and the Gazelle: [this is about the **SOUL** after all].

‘On this occasion, we saw a fleeing gazelle that was chased by a jackal. In a short time the jackal overtook the gazelle and provided itself with a morning meal, and at about 500 paces away from us, it did not take long before it completely finished the captured morning meal. Then it went very slowly further to the south to possibly capture also a midday meal.’

‘But quickly, quite high in the sky, an Arabian giant eagle saw the crawling jackal. As fast as an arrow it immediately lets itself fall down upon it from its height and despite its resistance, it carried it high into the sky. Then it lets it drop on a place that was very stony everywhere. This meant the death of the jackal. The eagle came down quickly, convinced itself that the jackal was dead, grabbed it with its claws again and flew with it southwards to a favorable spot where the jackal and the gazelle that was eaten by it served the giant eagle for breakfast.’ [GGJ10-180:15,16]

Wilfried continued: "**We also have the characteristics of these three animals in ourselves**". However, we can now find out for ourselves what the characteristics are.

Then Lucifer's "solving" was also discussed in this telephone conversation. Wilfried told me that Lucifer would go back someday to his Creator, but only after very long endless times. **Because God saves everyone!** And before the Creator might also save Lucifer, in case he really wants to be saved, then

In **the eleventh part of the GGJ, chapter 16:15, Jesus is talking to Lucifer**. ‘I said [to Lucifer]: “What I will lead Myself into My Kingdom is lost for you forever. Since the first beginning of the world, I know best which ways will lead to salvation. But beware, your measure is full. Out of love for the creatures of My Heavens and globes I came back, and out of love for them, I will accomplish the work, despite your stubbornness!

Do not boast about the fact that **with your destruction also the destruction of all the created beings out of you are sealed** so that their time also depends on yours. Once the time will come that you will stand before Me, not only stripped of your brilliance like now, but also stripped of every being out of you, and then no created being will be affected by your destruction anymore. Then you will have to decide again, in case you do not prefer to come to Me earlier in your free will. But now go

away from here, for My decision stands firm, and My will shall be done! Then Lucifer disappeared. ”

Well Gerhard, I hope that Wilfried has been able to help you further and perhaps this extraordinary question has been clarified for you.

Warmest greetings, also from Wilfried.

G.

Are there any differences between the soul and the spirit?

It is not easy to explain the differences between "soul and spirit", because they are intertwined and they also stand on their own. Given that this question continues to be asked repeatedly, the answers to it are apparently still vague or unsatisfactory. In the literature of Jakob Lorber, the writing-servant of God in 1840 and the following 25 years, we can find plenty of information about this.

As a reader [and hopefully acting] of Jakob Lorber and the Bible, I will make a cautious attempt to summarize how I have experienced, considered and now expressed that theme myself.

The creation of man took place more than 6,000 years ago in the year 4151 BC. The creation of Adam consisted of the fat clay of the earth, and God blew - after the formed "shape" His Odem [life light] in the formed form became a living SOUL so that we can say that the form [the body] was "spirited." [Gen.2.] Eve was not "spirited" by God but received from Adam a **"soul division"** whereby she - taken from Adam's rib - also received a soul. Two souls in one, on which the later marriage is based.

As long as the indwelling soul of a human connects too much with the sensuous body, it will be difficult to get in touch with the related [nerve] spirit.

If the soul or the psyche renounces its pride, which lurks in every soul and takes a repentant attitude, it will easily be able to awaken - its spirit that resides **on the other side** - and become one with it [the soul]. **Every person is given a strengthening of the spirit at birth**, to free the [indwelling spirit] from its isolation during life on Earth. **This reinforcement is the Divine spark, which is still an un-created spirit**, the smallest part of God. The spirit in man comes from the heart of **God and this spirit**

is the love spark, the love flame. [Note: With the physical birth of a human being, an eternal spirit from God is ALWAYS given the eternal flame of love which organizes everything in man.]

Originally the being, later called human, came as created spirit - **directly from God!** Once, in the time of primordial creation, billions of years ago, our spirit fell. **There is no question of a fallen soul here!** For our spirit in the spirit realm remained a spirit, it was not a soul, but it did have a spiritual body! The creature was purely spiritual. Until ... he fell ... from the spiritual Kingdom of God into the infinite eternal depth.

Because of the fall of Lucifer - a very high beautiful female angel next to God - who also produced innumerable spiritual beings [by the will of God] she had to fall into the depths of the unprecedented times, together with her countless billions of spiritual created (children's) beings, and so on in the infinite space. **Why?**

Lucifer preferred to be above the Creator, which became her eternal fall. By the grace of the Lord, the Deity decided in His infinite flare of fire to cease **this terrible fire for the most part. And the fire solidified and became matter, from which the stars, earths and planets later emerged.**

Both on these earth globes and above and in these material worlds, "incarnated light beings" could eventually arise which, however, banished [locked up] in the stones [minerals], plants and animal life, eventually became a human being through the evolution plan. All these beings - so we - had to take the "test of millions of years" in the material world! The state of mind of the fallen light beings had to allow themselves to be swallowed up [transformed!] by the elemental matter particles - starting in the grains of sand [silicea = silicic acid]. Sand is made into stone and glass and contains the Latin word for **silica sand (quartz sand) SILICEA.**

SIL is also synonymous with **SOLE**ile [= SUN] and with the German word for **SEELE** and the Hebrew word for the **soul** [Sheoul] **and hell** (school) have the same or identical letters.

The former **light beings** had to **"in-spirit"** the matter, from which the word SOUL eventually came. From a linguistic perspective, "hell" also means "light" (Lucifer = light carrier), albeit in a negative sense. [The fallen light or the fallen love parts of the light beings!]. In the Great Gospel of John by Jakob Lorber, the vice-emperor Cyrenius of Syria asks Jesus, who was almost 31 years old at the time, what that is about the splintering of the spirit particles of the light beings who were destined to become human. [During the "fall of created beings!"] GGJ4-160

Cyrenius therefore asks here: 'I still do not understand why our human soul, before its transformation into a fully intelligent human form, must exist fragmented into thousands of plants, yes, or even minerals or an even greater number of animals. (GGJ4-160,2)

Before becoming a perfect human soul, it must be released by lightning and rain from rocks - and who knows from what else – its deliverance so to speak being achieved by flushing it out after a fire?! Afterward this soul migration and amalgamation story went slow en tardy through the whole plant and animal world, until finally it is honored, as its power as a human soul develops, to be slaughtered as at least twenty oxen accompanied by about one hundred sheep, calves and donkeys?! This is what we Romans call Doctrina dura (a difficult lesson). (GGJ4-160)

Is it then not be possible for God to immediately create a perfect human soul and then to clothe it with flesh and blood? Why does the process take so long? Look at our Raphael [The archangel] here! What is he lacking, a perfected life?! What are we compared to him? [...] Or was it also necessary for his spirit as a former soul to complete this immense journey on who knows how many levels? (GGJ4-160:3)

In his writings, Your Moses says: 'And the Lord God made man from a lump of clay, and blew the breath of life into his nose. The Man then became a living soul.' According to this, of course, a quite vague description - taking the words literally - if You as God indeed blew an already perfect soul into a man's nose, the whole man would then be an already perfected soul in Your own image.. (GGJ4-160:4)

Furthermore, Adam's body has been created and given its shape in accordance to My Will and My established ordinance, as I have shown you a short time ago, using the ethereal elements of the finest clay on this earth. Once My Will had charged up his body with a wealth of experience and when it had reached the necessary level in its physical strength which compels it to transform itself into **a fully active external sphere of life** and when finally he fell into a deep sleep, exhausted by work and travel, only then had the moment arrived **for a natural soul embracing all the levels in the natural world which are familiar to you, to enter the external sphere of Adam's life.** [GGJ.04_162,04]

This soul, finding itself to be in the external sphere of his life, immediately began to create from the **very attractive external elements in Adam's life sphere,** or from the extremely rich vapors of life itself - just as even today the souls of some dead people will do if they seek to make a final brief appearance before mankind [GGJ.04_162,05]

When Adam awoke, **he was full of amazement** and **happiness seeing his image beside him,** which of course well disposed towards him as it had to be because its **body originated from his own being.** [GGJ.04_162,06]

Adam said: 'We, I as a man and you as a woman grown from my rib (near my heart) in accordance with God's plan, are therefore one flesh and one body. You are the most treasured part of my life, and so it shall remain, for man will leave his father and mother (the man's seriousness and care) and will cling to his wife!' [GGJ.04_162,07]

Here Jesus explains in pictures that Eve came from the etheric fluid of the rib [in the heart and chest of Adam], **not from the literal rib, but from Adam's inner, powerful love life.** The rib that protects life. The wound on the detached rib that God covered with Adam came from Eve's flesh, thus actually from [Adam] Himself. [GGJ.04_162]

The essence of the above descriptions shows that **soul and spirit are two different things** that have been given insufficient clarification. THE SOUL IS A SPIRITUAL PRODUCT FROM MATTER! Because ... in matter the fallen spirit of Lucifer and the attracted beings of light have come into spiritual focus and those spirits are still waiting for their release until all matter is solved, i.e. the solution of the sun and its planets and all matter Earth globes in the infinite spaces through the unknown times. [Note: So one could say here: through the fall of Lucifer, there has been a condensation into the matter that is waiting to be dissolved [Spiritualized] and returned to its origin!]

According to Jakob Lorber, there are two kinds of people on our earth and human souls - **one higher kind of man** comes from the star and solar world, **the other lower kind** from the earth. For the most part, the creatures of the Earth come from the bound Satan, deep underground.

You are "**children of Satan,**" Jesus pointed out to the Pharisees in the New Testament! These higher and lower beings on earth live together and side by side. Both grouped beings must find their way back to the truly living and loving FATHER in the Kingdom of Heaven.

The Earth is the bearer of Satan, who lives imprisoned in judgment, that is, with limited space for free movement and lifestyle. Most of the souls that inhabit the Earth consist of separate parts of life that have been taken away from Satan. So the more specific is taken from this former light being, which is experienced as terrible pain by Lucifer and all hell dwellers.

The Lord: "If you pull one hair out of your head, the whole being suffers from this horrible pain. You can see it that way. But the ghost is still in the bottle, so trapped. He cannot get out of this very large earth lump. So he will have to sit out for a very long time unless he will turn to the PRIMAL FATHER ". [See also Gifts of Heaven1-41.3.25.36] and Heaven and Hell 1-53] (Note: recognizable is the association and recognisability with the Arabian fairy tale: the spirit is in the bottle and as soon as the spirit is liberated it can create a miracle that goes beyond the power of the earthly, the matter !)

Innumerable beings are still in our Earth Globe, where in the very depths of the interior of the Earth the old Satan [Lucifer] resides. Gradually such imprisoned spirits evolve [in the material matter!] And they have been given the opportunity to go through the mineral world [inter alia the silica sand] to plants and animals and finally to human life. [GGJ4-57: 2]

(Note: this is in line with the theory of the Jesuit priest: Teilhard de Chadin, who supported the teachings of Darwin if he said that God created man from the water (materially). This is part of this creation, that the individual phases go through the animal until the creature comes into being.)

Once bundled together into a potential force [so many primordial soul particles], they work themselves up into an earthly soul. We now call the entire earthly being taken from Satan SOUL PART! No soul has a memory of its previous form of existence, because the composition apart from the minerals, plants and animals, has NO separate conscious intelligence. [GGJ3: 221: 7]

A HUMAN SOUL therefore consists of endless many individual soul substances which are ethereally composed of very many light atoms. In a sense, the soul is something of the material. A dying person was once placed on a sensitive scale and at the time of death, dying people lost 21 [7 + 7 + 7] grams after they blew out their final breath.

What is the soul?

The soul is a mixture of finely material primordial light particles. The soul of a human being descends from the unclean primordial soul of the fallen Satan and part of him penetrates the entire body of the man.

The soul is the whole person and the body the copy thereof. That is why we, as human beings, also have to show a resemblance to him. Hard to accept, but that's just a fact.

Fortunately, the soul works together with the living spirit of God, who lives above her, who lives in her. That is why the soul can never exceed the limits of its spirit. She, the soul - must be permeated by the spirit and not the other way around. The soul is absorbed by her spirit and can therefore "spiritualize" and thus merge with her.

The soul is 'immortal', but can still 'die' in the sense of being shattered, when its primordial particles have to make a new round through matter, if it refuses to connect itself with the Deity and unworthily accused God. So normally the soul is immortal, but the spirit can NEVER die.

In the Hebrew language, there are connections between the LOWER SOUL = particles of Satan and the HIGHER SOUL = particles of the spiritual spark from God. Satan [the fallen high angelic spirit Lucifer!] Then spoke through the serpent [dematerialization of the most cunning animal] to the woman [particles from Adam].

(Note: in a meditative singing club there is a song: in the heart a spark of love to me, that is love in the universe in the little spark here!)

The Hebrew word-value of SNAKE is:

NaChASh

N = 50
Ch = 8
Sh = 300 = 358

The Hebrew word-value for 'Falling' is:

NoPhaL

N = 50
Ph = 80
L = 30 = 160

The lower (subordinate) **SOUL of man** in Hebrew is:

NePheSh

N = 50
Ph = 80
Sh = 300 = 430 (compare here the recurring numbers 5-8-3)

It is as the wording suggests here: The physical soul that lives in the human [**Anima** = female side of man - and - **Animus** = male side of a woman.

And

'Animal'

means animal.

The physical soul is related to instincts and bodily feelings. The observant reader immediately sees that numbers similar to these values are prominent.

Nephesh is the soul that is still chained to matter. Think, for example of the **430-year bondage [captivity] of the Israelites**, who lived in the Goosen part of Egypt and had to work there.

They built the city:

Raämses

R = 200
AÄ of IJ = 70
M = 40
S = 60
S = 60 = **430**

The higher soul in the human is the:

NaShaMah: of the higher soul

N
Sh
M
H

Blowing in the Divine Breath. So the material in the human is therefore from this Earth, the LOWER SOUL and it is breathed in by God, that is the HIGHER SOUL.

Eve is taken from Adam's soul atoms. Eve is also partly Adam. The body "embodies" or "represents" the soul. As humans, we all have the DNA of Adam and EVA - the first people, resembling large countless forms, but not exactly! **Every soul consists of the smallest intelligence parts of minerals, plants, and animals.**

In the spiritual Sun, the Lord speaks of two Judas [Spiritual Sun, part 2-7:11]: The Lord speaks: "Listen, My beloved son, there is not one, **but there are two Judas Iscariot. The first is the man who lived with Me on Earth and the other is Satan, who in his freedom at the time, had made this man indebted to himself. This second Judas Iscariot is indeed all too completely the basis of the very lowest hell, but not the man Iscariot, for he was forgiven.** And to know to what extent, you only have to turn around. Because the person who is just talking to your brother there and who is also committing a betrayal of love by witnessing to My brother in advance of My great love, is now precisely that Judas Iscarioth you were worried about ...

(Note: there is a verse from Goethe: The soul of man resembles the water, which rises to heaven and which must go back to Earth and always back and forth!)

The TIGER has the largest share of soul troubles of the primordial king of the Earth, Satan. The soul can therefore be "divided" or "split up", as was the case with Eve, the wife of Adam.

With Adam the Neshamah = the divine soul was blown in. With Eva that wasn't necessary. She received these immortal soul atoms from Adam and with them the Divine spirit of love. The Lord describes, through Jakob Lorber, **that the division of every soul also takes place at the conception [begotten] and that therefore children - physically committed - look a lot like the parents.**

The body and soul mirror each other back and forth. The **eyes** represent the **face** of the soul. Our physical soul is animalistic and there is no difference with that of an animal soul. Only man has received the divine soul [the higher ego] which makes man personal and conscious. That which connects man with God is the spiritual essence within man himself. And this spirituality, which belongs to God, must come into contact with the soul and then he can be "**born again.**" It is the **RoeaCh**, the spiritual watchman over soul and body; especially the soul wants to connect with him.

According to the writings of Jakob Lorber, man has the same soul condition of an animal, but with the difference that man is in possession of the complete will with intellect. Animals also have that, but to a limited extent, writes Swedenborg.

The soul of man is on the same level as that of an animal [the **NePheSh**], but the difference is that man receives the "inspiration" from the divine spiritual spark [the **NeShaMaH**] who lives in him. The higher soul part is connected to the Divine spirit. The intention is that the animal soul in man does not identify with her body, but rather with her indwelling divine spirit and as a result, she can come to a higher heavenly plan.

The divine Spirit in the created "beings" **fell with** Lucifer while the remaining spiritual beings remained faithful to God. The Hebrew word for **falling** is "**NoPhaL**]" with the number value **50-80-30 = 160** [= 10x16]. All Hebrew numerical values with **160** have to do with the "fall" of man in one way or another.

As an example, we set the Hebrew word for "**tree**" here as:

Ets = tree

E = 70
Ts = 90 = 160

The tree is connected with **shadow**:

TseLeM

Ts = 90
L = 30
M = 40 = 160

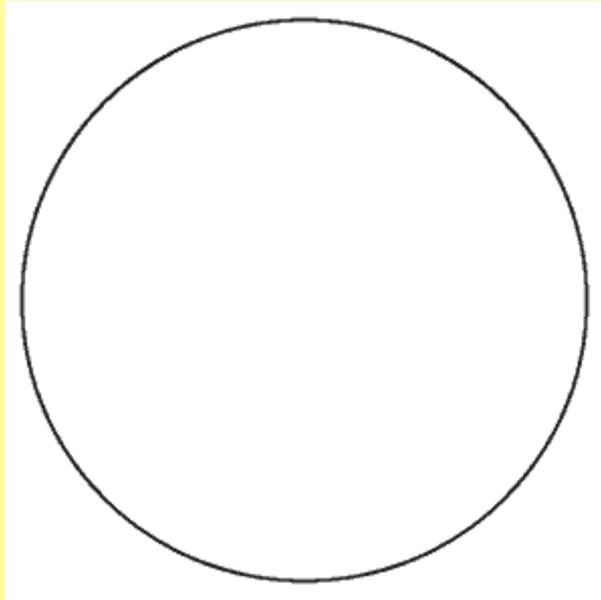
"People look like trees." That's what the blind man said in the NT. He said, "**I see people walking like trees.**" So shadow and tree are related. One creates the other. The tree with its green twigs looks like the grandchildren, according to the Lord in Jakob Lorber. **But in nature, the human must complete her entire round through all matter.**

The rebellion of Lucifer's pride later ensured - what science calls the big bang has been nothing but the solidified wrathful firepower of God, which has "matter" [concatenated masses of matter in the void of space or ether] which we now call Universe [Suns, stars, planets, etc.]. The Matter was therefore necessary to give the fallen primal spirits a place somewhere [outside the spiritual world] and they had to [and must still] find the way through the trapped matter, i.e. in an evolutionary way [via minerals, plants and animals] and be formed into a soul. [Scripture secrets 1-22: 18]

(Note: The created innumerable spiritual beings existed before the fall of Lucifer as created beings (of Lucifer).

We can also interpret this through a full circle of 360 degrees:

1 = The heavenly sphere of God



- 1 = The heavenly sphere of the Deity
- 2 = The heavenly sphere of the Angels
- 3 = Communicative will to the outside world
- 4 = Astral feeling sphere animals - people
- 5 = The Plantsphere, water, emotions
- 6 = Microbial world, Luciferic-sphere
- 7 = Mineral earthy atmosphere
- 8 = Atmosphere of harmony, assimilative expressions
- 9 = Intellectual mobile travel atmosphere
- 10 = Back to the Father's house, transf.

The order as described above is indeed a hypothetical thought, but strictly speaking, corresponds exactly to what Lorber and Swedenborg describe, namely: the path through matter, back to God.

The deepest matter [in all Universes] is earthly and Earth contains iron and steel. After all, we have iron and steel in our blood. The Hebrew word for blood is "Dam" = 4-40 = 44. And the human Adam was formed from the Earth! [Hebrew word for this is: "Adamah" = that is the red Earth. [The loam from which the first human was formed.]

The HB level says a lot about our I-power, because iron makes you take initiatives. [What you are capable of"!] So corresponds to the lowest number, which is opposite the Creator. [1 = also the spiritual Sun, so God Himself! And 6 is the counterforce - the war, the month of March the 6th planet = Mars.]

The compass is made of iron and iron attracts iron. It is therefore logical that the compass needle points north because the pole contains the most magnetic attraction there. The compass will get you on the right course. Man himself has an inner course and navigates with his compass to the desired goal.

The word course (driving direction) can be associated here with "cursor" or "course" (training). After a very long and endless time, the soul has become free and purified from matter.

The wheel of the first (material) "rebirth" takes place here.

We also find it in Job **33:3** where the word "odem" is mentioned. That is again identical to the name for the human: **Adam**.

The symbolism of the word for **symbol** in Greek means "**sym-ballein**", which corresponds to "**the total sphere**". Draw a small **circle**! Looks like the letter O or the zero! Add up all numbers from 1 to 10, which contains a zero. The result is **33** [6.8.9 and 10, as $6 + 8 + 9 + 10$]. - Three = to turn or circle.

Man himself is originally composed of the Earth or clay; another word for this is "**telluric**." Count also means "number" or quantity [heap, elevation, hill] and **counted** according to the order.

Man is a "counted" and arranged in soul-like light atoms. We incarnate, so to speak, through the "**wheel of rebirth**," which means "incarnation." The Hebrew word for "rebirth" in this case means **GiL-GaL** = $3-30-3-30 = 66$. [= 2×33]

The word soul means in old Germanic "**Salwalo**"; in Hebrew, it is a primal word for "**Sheola**", which means "**hell**" with the interpretation for "**school**".

We can compare the soul with the light-etherically substantial body of the spirit. That is the ethereal non-physical body of the spirit, which - according to the texts in Lorber - must be fully imbued with the primordial love within itself so that it must thereby become more alive in all its parts. [GGJ 7-66: 6 and Gifts from Heaven 1-3: 6]. The soul is therefore in conjunction with heaven and hell to his own free choice ...

The name "Sheol" or "**Sheoula**" means further broken down into She, Shei, Shela] - "it thirsts me!" And "oul", "voul" = **the abandoned person**. [GGJ5-72: 2]. I was reminded of King **Saul** of Kis. He became depressed at one point, that is, he left the light in himself and was at the mercy of a dark sphere.

Lucifer was the fallen head angel. He was able to create innumerable beings and that power was allowed to him by God. At some point in the primal time, he thought he could outdo God, but that was his eternal fall. He was cast out of the kingdom of light and fell into an immeasurable depth so far that he felt he did not stop falling. With him, "his creatures" fell into the unknown dark spheres.

However, by the grace of the Lord, countless material worlds were created for them with suns, stars, planets, and moons, and to Lucifer, **along with his creatures, his dwelling place in the midst and the depth of the Earth.** These got and still get the chance to climb up through matter again to a living **soul-like being.** They had to go the way through the "trapped matter" to climb up step by step and through the mineral world and stones, through the plants and the wood and finally through many animals to become HUMAN.

To become "human" again, a fallen primordial spirit can make an evolutionary journey of millions of years through the Earth to reach the childhood of God. Many processes precede this. There are also many star dwellers [however, a small proportion] who were not created from Lucifer. They too can, may and want to attain the childhood of God - but not through the path of evolution to become human! The fallen spirits with Lucifer do have to go this way. **Star dwellers** immediately incarnate through a human conception, while the fallen primordial spirits still have a very long way to go through the matter through the Earth.

Jesus told the Pharisees: **"You have another father!"** [Children of Lucifer!] And that means that their alignment does not come from above [like the star dwellers] but from below. After all, Lucifer has her hometown in the middle of the under-Earth. A very large part is still trapped in the Earth dungeons and involuntarily undergo their material path.

Humanity is endowed with an animal soul. In that regard, humans and animals have an identical composite soul. But ... there are differences !!!

In Lorber we read about this in the eleventh part of the Great Gospel of John:

A leader is now given to the human soul, because the pure soul alone, which cannot be further developed as perfected form, would not notice anything higher than itself if a spiritual feeling could not flow in, the awareness of a power in it, which humbles him down and urges it to seek its Creator. **And this is the divine spark which is laid in it as spirit and which has to develop together with it,** has to penetrate in it more and more through the right education and must lead it into all knowledge through self-teaching. [GGJ.11_010,06]

That divine spark comes from God and contains initially all the truth and the right knowledge. By that spark, the man stands in very close connection with the initial Spirit of God Himself and he can penetrate in all secrets and the wisdom of God Himself. But very few people are aware of this. And to lighten up this awareness – which only weakly flashes by – to full certainty and to knowledge, is the goal of My work as a teacher. And the way that leads to it is given by My teaching. [GGJ.11_010,08]

For since the soul of man contains everything from all the beings that the Earth carries, as you know, it is very natural – once the spirit will rule in his house which contains everything – that he also must be able to rule over the various images of his

I. Just like a king who worked himself up from the rank of slaves to the throne will rule without resistance over all these ranks to which he belonged. [GGJ.11_011,02]

For the **self-examination**, Jesus said to the disciples, as they were on their way from Petra along the Jordan and to the north, deeper into the mountains, to a valley:
GJE11-15: [4] ...

So be prepared to search within yourselves to see where it is still dark in your heart, so that the Light, as long as it shines, can well illuminate all corners and that you will know your house well when there will be temporary darkness. [GGJ.11_015,04]

"Investigate yourself within yourself! .." [GGJ11-15: 5]

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