

**Involvement with the Occult**

The occult, soul power and soul ties can bring physical disease, emotional distress and bondage. The occult opens a spiritual door that brings captivity.

- Definition of Occult
  - ◆ Occultus - clandestine, hidden, secret
  - ◆ Hidden knowledge that comes from a spiritual source other than God and is used by Satan to trap people into seeking false gods.
- Scriptural References
  - ◆ Deut. 18:9-15 - 9 forbidden practices
    - Child Sacrifice
    - Divination
    - Sorcery
    - Interprets omens
    - Witchcraft
    - Conjures or casts spells
    - Medium
    - Spiritist
    - Calls up - consults - the dead
  - ◆ Isaiah 47:10-15 - 4 forbidden practices
    - Enchantments (casts spells)
    - Sorcery
    - Astrology
    - Prognosticator (tell the future)
  - ◆ II Thessalonians 2:9-12 - counterfeit miracles, signs and wonders (last days)
  - ◆ Punishment for Practices (Old Testament)
    - Death - Ex. 22:18; Lev. 20:27
- Involvement in the Occult stems from desire to:
  - ◆ Receive secret knowledge apart from natural realm.
  - ◆ Contact the spirit world
  - ◆ Acquire power to manipulate and control both people

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and things in the natural and spiritual worlds.

These three characteristics of the occult cannot be successfully achieved apart from the supernatural assistance from the realms of darkness.

Look at **Addendum A - Occult Worksheet** to see what occult involvement entails.

- **PLEASE NOTE:** Just because someone participated in one of the activities does not mean that a door was opened for a satanic foothold but it should be investigated and close any doors that were opened.
- **How to Break the hold of Occult Involvement in a person's life** (see **Addendum D - Typical Prayer**):

**Step 1** - Is Jesus the Savior and Lord of the person's life? If He isn't then He must be the first step.

**Step 2** - Have the person forgive anyone who has wronged or hurt them. If they cannot do this then they cannot be forgiven - Mt. 6:14-15; Mk. 11:25-26; Lu. 6:37

**Step 3** - Have the person repent and confess their sins to God and to one another - I Jn. 1:9; Ja. 5:16

**Step 4** - Have them appropriate and receive by faith the forgiveness and freedom that is theirs because of what Jesus Christ has done for them.

**Step 5** - As the Prayer Minister - rebuke and command all demons and evil spirits associated with the occult involvement to release any hold upon the person because the blood of Jesus Christ has forgiven them and set them free.

**Step 6** - REJOICE with them that Jesus has set them free!

**Soul Power and Soul Ties**

**Soul Power** - *The Origin of man's soul - Genesis 2:7*

- What happen at creation?
  - ◆ First - God took the dust of the ground
  - ◆ Second - God breathed into man the breath of "lives"

When God breathed into man, that breath became man's spirit and when man's spirit reacted with the physical body, the soul was produced. See Addendum F

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- Twofold life produced
  - ◆ One spiritual life
  - ◆ One soulish life
- Man is tripartite (3 parts) spirit - soul - body
  - ◆ Genesis 2:7
  - ◆ I Thessalonians 5:23
  - ◆ Hebrews 4:12

Our soul gives us self-consciousness and our spirit gives us God-consciousness.

- What is the soul?
  - ◆ Self consciousness - our true self or natural life
  - ◆ Seat of our personality
  - ◆ Considered to encompass our mind, will & emotions
  - ◆ Psychology - scientific or objective study of the soul
  - ◆ Soul had great capabilities in Adam
  - ◆ Yet when Adam sinned then his soul was encapsulated in his flesh (sarx - Gk.; basar - Heb.)

When Adam did that, his soul released itself from the authority of his spirit and instead the soul embraced the control of the body. Adam's soul and body were now joined together to become what is called - flesh.

Adam's flesh was "devoid of the spirit", but it was also directly opposed to the Spirit of God.

When Adam sinned, he died spiritually. Satan wants to tap into the flesh of man because it taps into man's corrupt nature.

- ◆ Power of the soul is still available but it must be released
- ◆ New field of study - parapsychology - study of paranormal & psychic phenomena.
  - Telepathy - transfer of thoughts or feelings between people
  - Precognition - foreknowledge of future events
  - Clairvoyance - ESP, sixth sense
  - Psychokinesis - ability of mind to influence matter, time, space or energy
  - Apparitional experiences - encountering ghosts or spirits of dead people

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All of these activities involve the soul of man and completely exclude the spirit of man and its communication and relationship with God.

- ◆ Latent power can be released and it can bring harm to people
  - Examples:
    - \* Anger that caused a fever to spike in a physical body
    - \* Wrong prayer that blocked direction
    - \* Wrong prayer that caused pregnancy problems

**Soul Ties** - *Just as there is soul power there are also soul ties that come from the soul of man.*

- Origin of soul ties
  - ◆ God created us with a capacity for relationships
  - ◆ Within that capacity is the capability to bond and create close personal relationships
  - ◆ First mention is Genesis 2:24 where a man is to leave his father and mother and cleave (to be joined) to his wife and they shall become one flesh.
- What is a soul tie?
  - ◆ Relationship with another person or thing that exerts a distinct measure of control, dependence or influence over that person's life.
  - ◆ Soul ties were to create healthy and godly relationships that would bring a blessing
  - ◆ When a tie occurs between people with the wrong motives there is a loss of freedom and a heavy weight is placed upon the relationship.
  - ◆ Two types of positive permanent soul ties:
    - Soul tie to Jesus Christ - Mark 10:29-30; Acts 11:23
    - Soul tie to our spouse - Genesis 2:23-24
  - ◆ Positive soul ties - for a season (specific time)
    - Children to parents - Ephesians 6:1-3 until age/marry
    - Parents to children
    - Godly relationships within church - Acts 4:32; Colossians 2:2,19; Romans 12:5,10
    - Godly relationships with spiritual authority - I Timothy 1:2





### Addendum A Occult Practices and Scriptural References

#### Occult Practices

- Astrology (Isa. 47:13)
- Burning incense to false gods (Jer. 1:16, 11:12-13, 44:3-5,8,17)
- Changing form of matter (rods to snakes)
- Charms, amulets (Ezekiel 13:18-20)
- Conjuring of spells (Deut. 18:11)
- Conjuring of spirits by a spirit medium (Lev. 19:31, Deut. 18:11)
- Cursing (Lev. 20:9)
- Cutting & tattooing (Lev. 19:28, Deut. 14:1-2)
- Divination (Lev. 19:26, Deut. 18:14, Ezekiel 13:6)
- Eating blood (Lev. 19:26)
- Enchantments (Isa. 47:9-10,13)
- False dreams (Deut. 13:1-3)
- False miracles & signs (Deut. 13:1-3)
- False prophecy (Deut. 13:1-3, 18:20, Ezekiel 13:2-3,17)
- False visions (Ezekiel 13:2-8)
- Fortune telling or soothsaying (Lev. 19:26, Deut. 18:10)
- Idolatry (Lev. 19:4, 26:1, Deut. 5:6-10, 27:15 29:26-27, 30:17-18, 31:18, Jer. 1:16, 2:5, 10&11, 26-28 10:2-5, Ezekiel 14:2-9)
- Incantations (Isa. 8:19)
- Interpretation of omens (Deut. 18:10)
- Libation (pour out drink offerings to queen of heaven) Jer. 44:17
- Magic (Ezekiel 13:18-20, Acts 19:19)
- Making children pass through fire (Lev. 18:21, Deut. 12:31, 18:10)
- Making head veils to curse & kill people (Ezekiel 13:18-20)
- Necromancy, calling up the dead (Deut. 18:11, Isa. 8:19)
- Prostitution & prostituting daughters (Deut. 23:17-18; Lev. 19:29, 20:5-6; Jer. 2:20)
- Shaving in certain ways (Lev. 19:27, Deut. 14:1-2)
- Shrines & high places (Ezekiel 16:30-31)
- Sorcery (Deut. 18:10, Isa. 47:9-10, 13))
- Spiritism (Lev. 19:31, Deut. 18:11)
- Offering cakes as offerings to gods (Isa. 44:19)
- Offering children as sacrifices (Lev. 20:2, Ezekiel 16:36)
- Trances or altered states of consciousness (peep and mutter) (Isaiah 8:19)
- Witchcraft (1 Sam. 15:23, Isa. 8:19)

#### Associated practices

- Injustice (Jer. 7:9)
- Sexual deviancy & worship
- Adultery (Lev. 18:20, 20:10)
- Bestiality (Lev. 18:23, 20:15-16, Deut. 27:21)
- Homosexuality (Lev. 18:22),
- Incest (Lev. 18:1-17, 20:11-14 & 17; Deut. 27:20,22-23)
- Slavery—(Isa 61:1; 2 Tim. 2:26)

### Addendum B

#### Occult Worksheet

Participating in any of these activities does not automatically mean that demonic inroads are opened into a person's life, but these activities can open a person and make them vulnerable.

#### Occult games or activities

- Attend a séance or spiritualist meeting
- Participated in astrology by:
  - read or follow horoscopes
  - astrology chart made for self
- Party games involved with:
  - automatic writing
  - clairsentience (through touch)
  - clairvoyance / mind reading
  - crystal ball gazing
  - ESP (Extra Sensory Perception)
  - healing magnetism
  - hypnotism
  - levitation (lifting bodies)
  - magic eight ball
  - mental suggestion
  - mental telepathy
  - Ouija Board
  - palm reading
  - perceiving auras
  - precognition
  - psychometry
  - self hypnosis
  - speaking in a trance
  - table tipping / lifting
  - tarot cards
  - telekinesis / parakinesis (move objects with mind)
  - visionary dreams with spirit guides
- Consulted a medium, numerologist or hand writing analyst
- Invited and/or interacted with ghosts

#### Psychic experiences, metaphysics

- Sought psychic experiences
- Practiced mind control over anyone
- Have or had a spirit guide
- Received or participated in psychic healing or psychic surgery
- Practiced psychic sight or third eye training
- Received or participated in non-Christian faith healing
- Practiced soul travel, astral travel or astral projection

#### Magic -- black or white

- Attend or participate in Wicca (white witch) activities or church
- Attend or participate in witchcraft or voodoo
- Learned how to cast a magic spell
- Practice magic (use of true supernatural powers)
- Place, sent or spoken a curse against someone
- Participated in chain letter where there was a curse against those who did not participate
- Used a charm of any kind for protection
- Participated in or entered into a blood pact or covenant
- Sought healing through:
  - magic spells
  - charms
  - Christian Scientist reader
  - spiritualist
  - witch doctor
  - shaman
- Practiced water witching or dowsing



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- Predict sex of unborn child with divining rod
- Read or possess books about magic, magic spells, or witchcraft
- Played Dungeons and Dragons using spells and magic as part of the game

### Satanic

- Made a pact with satan or been involved in or witnessed satanic worship
- Listened to hard rock or acid rock music with satanic influence to the band
- Possessed any satanic symbols or objects – posters, pictures, jewelry
- Invited, participated with sexual spirits (incubus and succubus)
- Watched, read, been very interested in occult horror stories / movies (Exorcist, Rosemary's Baby, The Omen, Poltergeist, Amityville )
- Read or possess books about Satanism

### Occult Literature – Psychic Writings

- Read or possess occult literature
  - Book of Shadows
  - Avesta
  - I Ching
  - The Book of Venus
  - The Satanic Bible
  - The Book of the Dead
  - Secrets of the Psalms
  - The Vedas
  - Sixth and Seventh books of Moses
- Read or interested in psychic writings of:
  - Edgar Casey
  - Aleister Crowley
  - Anton Le Vay
  - Ruth Montgomery

Uri Geller  
Jean Dixon  
Nostradamus  
Joel Goldsmith  
Rosicrucian's

- Read or possessed books about psychic phenomena
- Immersed in books, TV and/or movies involving magical powers / forces (Harry Potter, Abby Cadabba, Twilight, Vampire Diaries, Supernatural)
- Desire or fantasize about having magical and/or spiritual powers that you can control or channel

### Alternative medicine with New Age emphasis

- Acupuncture
- Acupressure
- Color therapy (not light therapy)
- Crystals and crystal therapy
- Guided imagery
- Healing Stones
- Healing Touch, Reiki
- Homeopathy
- Hypnotherapy
- Iridology
- Kinesiology
- Magnetic healing
- New Age medicine
- Non-Christian faith healers
- Past lives therapy
- Pyramid healing
- Radiesthesia
- Reflexology

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- Zone therapy

#### Mind altering drugs – non-medical purposes

- LSD, LSA, DMT
- Opiates (heroin, morphine, Percocet, Vicodin, codeine, Demerol)
- Barbiturates (downers, reds, yellow jackets)
- GHB
- Valium (diazepam, roofies)
- PCP (phencyclidine, angel dust, hog)
- Special-K (ketamine)
- DXM (dextromethorphan)
- NOX (nitrous oxide - whippets)
- Marijuana (pot, refer, weed)
- Peyote / Mescaline
- Alcohol
- Cocaine / crack
- Inhalants (propane, butane, Freon, solvents, alkyl nitrites, paint thinners, correction fluid, glue)

#### Cults, false religions

- Possess any pagan religious objects, jewelry, statutes, icons
- Visited any pagan temples, shrines, meeting-house, house of prayer
- Participated in non-Christian or cult religious activities such as:
  - Baha'ism
  - Black Muslim
  - Children of God
  - Christian Science
  - Church of the Living Word
  - Eckankar

Father Divine

Fetishism (practices using objects of worship / idols)

H. W. Armstrong (Worldwide Church of God)

Hare Krishna

Hinduism

Islam

Jehovah's Witnesses

Kabbalah

Martial Arts (Aikido, Judo, Karate, Kung Fu, Tae Kwan Do)

Matthew Manning

Mormonism

New Age Movement

Rosicrucianism

Roy Masters

Science of Creative Intelligence

Science of the Mind

Scientology

Silva Mind Control

Swedenborgianism

The Way International

Theosophical Society

Transcendental Meditation

Unification Church

Unitarianism

Unity School of Christianity

Yoga (Karma, Bhakti, Jnana, Raja, Hatha)

Zen Buddhism

- Participated in a secret society
  - KKK (Ku Klux Klan)
  - Knights of Columbus

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Freemasonry - Masonic Order  
Eastern Star  
Rainbow Girls or Job's Daughters  
Order of DeMolay  
Rosicrucian  
Illuminati  
Bloods  
Crips  
Mafia (La Cosa Nostra)  
Triad  
Tong  
Skull & Bones  
College Fraternity  
College Sorority

#### Ancestral Transfer of demonic influences (Generational Sins & Iniquities)

- All Nationalities
  - Sickness
  - Prejudice
  - Negative emotions
  - Alcoholism
  - Poverty
  - Sex sins
- African
  - Witch Doctors — Idolatry
  - Incantations—gyrations
  - Cannibalism
  - Guide spirits
  - Fear of unknown
  - Fear of control
- Catholic
  - False religious spirits
  - Idolatry
  - Necromancy
  - Madonna

- Legalism
- Prejudice
- Arrogance
- Papal worship
- English
  - Self
  - Idolatry — King & Queen worship
  - Frigidity
  - Witchcraft—tea leaves—fortune telling
  - Dominating father
  - Superstition
- German
  - Strong will
  - Stubborn
  - Self will
- Greek
  - Pride
  - Traditionalism
  - Intellectualism
  - Idolatry—myths
  - Strife, destruction, anger
  - Murder—suicide
  - Adultery—lust
  - Blindness—deception
  - Rejection
  - Stubbornness
  - Respecter of persons
  - Witchcraft— (control, manipulation, superstition)
- Irish
  - Superstition
  - Alcoholism
  - Temper
  - White magic
  - Love to fight
  - Druids—trolls
  - Selfish
  - Fantasy

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Italian

Strong mother

Anti-Christ

Control

Lust (wine, women, song)

Native American

Alcoholism

Poverty

Sexual Sin

Murder

Revenge

Idolatry

Witchcraft

Mysticism (depraved spiritual awareness)

Superstition

Pride

Anger

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#### Description of the Occult Practices and Terms Used on the Occult Worksheet

##### Occult Games or Activities

**SÉANCE** – A meeting of people who are gathered to receive messages from spirits or to listen to a spirit medium discourse with or relay messages from spirits.

**ASTROLOGY** – The beliefs that the relative positions of celestial bodies and related details can provide information about personality, human affairs, and other matters.

**AUTOMATIC WRITING** – A process or production of writing material that does not come from the conscious thoughts of the writer. Practitioners say that the writer's hand forms the message, with the person being unaware of what will be written. In some cases, it is done by people in a trance state. In others, the writer is aware (not in a trance) of their surroundings but not of the actions of their writing hand.

**CLAIRSENTINECE** – A form of extra-sensory perception wherein a person acquires psychic knowledge primarily by means of feeling or touching a person or an object.

**CLAIRVOYANCE** - The ability to gain information about an object, person, location or physical event through means other than the known human senses. Typically it comes from the mind of one person to the mind of the other person.

**EXTRA SENSORY PERCEPTION** - Commonly referred to as the sixth sense, involves reception of information not gained through the recognized physical senses but sensed with the mind.

**HEALING MAGNETISM** – Developed by Anton Mesmer who believed that by using his hands he could move things within a person's body. This is similar to Therapeutic Touch and Reiki. From this practice, a trace state of mediumship was developed and this led into the beginning of spiritualism.

**MENTAL TELEPATHY** - Communication through means other than the senses, or thought transference. A person is able to read the thoughts and stored information in the brain of others.

**OUIJA BOARD** – Known as a spirit board or talking board. A form of divination that is used to spell out messages from spirits.

**PALM READING** – By looking at the lines, patterns and marks on a person's hand, the person's character or future can be foretold.

**PERCEIVING AURAS** – The ability to see or sense the energy field (aura – invisible emanation) that surrounds and penetrates the human body.

**PRECOGNITION** - The ability to foresee events before they happen, and before there is normal evidence that they are going to happen.

**PSYCHOMETRY (PSY)** – The ability to interpret the psychic vibrations contained in an object. The ability to sense or read an object's history or the history of those who may have handled it in the past.

**TAROT CARDS** – 78 cards used for divination, fortune-telling or as a map of mental and spiritual pathways.

**TELEKINESIS (TK)** – The ability to move objects from a distance by an act of the will or mind.

**PARAKINESIS** – The ability to move objects, that were touched first, by an act of the will or mind.

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**MEDIUM** - The ability of a person (the medium) to experience what he/she or others believe is contact with spirits of the dead, angels, demons or other immaterial entities. The role of the medium is to facilitate communication with spirits who have messages to share with others. Common term used within the New Age movement is “channeling” and a person channels information from their spirit guides, Ascended Masters or fallen angels.

#### Psychic Experiences, Metaphysical

**SPIRIT GUIDE** - A spiritual entity who provides information of “guidance,” often through a medium or channeled. The Spirit Guide provides guidance only after the channeled person relinquishes his perceptual and cognitive capacities into its control.

**PSYCHIC HEALING** - A method used by New Age/Occult healers for the purpose of curing mental or physical illnesses from the cosmic energy emanating through the healer’s hands – similar to Reiki.

**PSYCHIC SURGERY** - Psychic “surgery” is a type of non-surgery performed by a psychic healer. The make an incision by running a finger along the patient’s body, apparently going through the skin without using any surgical instruments. The healer pretends to dig his hands into the patient’s innards and to pull out sickness and disease.

**PSYCHIC SIGHT / THIRD EYE** – A person who develops the capacity to utilize their third eye is known as a seer. The eye is associated with the sixth chakra and is in the geometric center of the brain. The Third Eye is associated with visions, the ability to see chakras and auras, precognition and out-of-body experiences.

**SOUL TRAVEL / ASTRAL PROJECTION** – This is an out-of-body- experience where the astral body separates itself from the physical body and travels in the astral plane. Witches and other occult members use this practice to spy on others, to cast spells, and to attend satanic rituals when it is not possible to be there in person.

#### Magic – Black or White

**WICCA** - Wicca is the largest of the Neopagan religions and is a form of modern witchcraft. Wicca is primarily a religion that worships nature, and sees all creation as sacred. Wicca also worships both a male and female deity, a female Goddess and a male God, who had together created the world and everything in it.

**SPIRITUALIST** – A person who believes in communicating with the spirits of dead humans usually through séances or trances.

**SHAMAN** – A member of certain tribal societies who acts as a medium between the visible world and an invisible spirit world and who practices magic or sorcery for purposes of healing, divination, and control over natural events. Originally associated with Arctic and Central Asian people. Another term to describe them is medicine man or priest.

**DOWSING / DIVINING ROD** – An L-shaped or A-shaped twig or rod that is used as a type of divination tool to locate ground water, buried metals or ores, gemstones, oil or other important items. A crystal, metal object or other material suspended on a chain like a pendulum is used in divination.

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**INCUBUS** – An evil spirit, demon or fallen angel that takes on the shape of a man that lies upon a woman to have sexual intercourse with them as they sleep.

**SUCCUBUS** - An evil spirit, demon or fallen angel that takes on the shape of a woman that lies upon a man to have sexual intercourse with them as they sleep.

##### Occult Literature – Psychic Writings

**Book of Shadows** - Wicca

**Avesta** - Zoroastrian

**I Ching** – Book of Changes - Chinese

**The Book of Venus** - Satanism

**The Satanic Bible** - Satanism

**The Book of the Dead** – Egyptian & Tibetan

**Secrets of the Psalms** - Kabala

**The Vedas** - Hinduism

**Sixth and Seventh books of Moses** – Magic of Moses

**Edgar Casey** – “Christian” Medium

**Aleister Crowley** - Magic

**Anton Le Vay** – Church of Satan

**Ruth Montgomery** – “Christian” psychic & medium

**Uri Geller** – Psychokinesis – spoon bending

**Jean Dixon** – Astrologer & psychic

**Nostradamus** – Seer & trances

**Joel Goldsmith** – Spiritual healer

**Rosicrucian’s** – Secret Society & mysticism

##### Alternative medicine

**ACUPUNCTURE** - It involves the use of sharp, thin needles that are inserted in the body at very specific points. This process is believed to adjust and alter the body’s energy flow into healthier patterns. The practice is based on the principles of Yin and Yang as found in the I Ching, thus it has occult associations.

**ACCUPRESSURE** - Acupressure is a form of touch therapy that utilizes the principles of acupuncture and Chinese medicine. In acupressure, the same points on the body are used as in acupuncture, but are stimulated with finger pressure.

**COLOR THERAPY** - Color therapy, also known as Chromotherapy, is based on the premise that certain

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colors are infused with healing energies. The therapy uses the seven colors of the rainbow to promote balance and healing in the mind and body. Color therapy is rooted in Ayurveda, an ancient form of medicine practiced in India. Both Hinduism and Buddhism have influenced the development of this therapy.

**CRYSTALS AND CRYSTAL THERAPY** - Crystals are placed on different parts of the body, often corresponding to the chakras in an attempt to construct an energy grid, which is believed to surround the person with healing energy. The healing is supposed to remove blockages in the aura or the body's electromagnetic field.

**GUIDED IMAGERY** - Guided imagery is the use of relaxation and mental visualization to improve mood and/or physical well-being.

**HEALING TOUCH / REIKI** - In Healing Touch or Therapeutic Touch, the practitioner alters the patient's energy field through a transfer of energy from the hands of the practitioner to the patient. Developed by Dora Kunz, a psychic healer. Reiki is a Japanese healing system built around the use of Chi (Qi), the universal life energy, analogous to the Hindu prana. Reiki works in conjunction with the meridian energy lines and chakras through the use of the hand-positions, which normally correspond to the seven major chakras on the body.

**HOMEOPATHY** - A vitalist philosophy in that it interprets diseases and sickness as caused by disturbances in a hypothetical vital force or life force of a person.

**HYPNOTHERAPY** - Hypnotherapy is the treatment of a variety of health conditions by hypnotism. Hypnosis is the occult practice of charming or enchanting so that the hypnotist can gain control over the mind and actions of another. Originally enchanting was a form of witchcraft.

**IRIDOLOGY** - A technique whose proponents believe that patterns, colors, and other characteristics of the iris can be examined to determine information about a patient's systemic health.

**KINESIOLOGY** - Study of the mechanics and anatomy of human movement and their roles in promoting health and reducing disease. The concern comes with Applied Kinesiology (AK) because of its roots in occult philosophy. The founder of AK received his information by psychic means and is tied to the oriental practices of Yin and Yang. The treatment is to balance the energy field in the patient's body.

**MAGNETIC HEALING** - Two practices use this title. One by Anton Mesmer who believed that by using his hands he could move things within a person's body. This is similar to Therapeutic Touch and Reiki. From this a trace state of mediumship was used and this led into the beginning of spiritualism. The other practice uses magnets which are placed on the body in the diseased area in an effort to change the electrical charge or flow of energy into an area.

**PAST LIVES THERAPY** - Past life therapy is a therapy in which an individual is regressed to past lives in order to heal and resolve ailments and situations from the current life. Past life therapy is based on the ancient belief of reincarnation which is the foundation of Hindu philosophy.

**PYRAMID HEALING** - The belief that objects placed within a pyramid structure can be affected by the structure. The pyramid shape conducts a supernatural source of power and energy. This energy is then used by spirit guides or guardian angels, who work with the person, to channel the energy to where it is needed.

**RADIESTHESIA** - This is also commonly known as dowsing. It is regarded principally as a mystic art that has many facets and applications. Basically, it is the process of locating the presence of an object, or assessing the energy given off by a subject, with an implement known as a dowsing rod, which is a Y-shaped hazel, beech, or alder branch or a copper rod. The practice is a form of divination.



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**REFLEXOLOGY** – A method using the physical act of applying pressure to the feet and hand with specific thumb, finger and hand techniques without the use of oil or lotion. It is based on a system of zones and reflex areas that reflect an image of the body on the feet and hands with a premise that such work effects a physical change to the body. It uses the concepts of Yin and Yang and the principles of acupressure to accomplish its effects on the body.

**ZONE THERAPY** - This therapy can be traced to the Egyptians. It is the origin of hand and foot reflexology. The zones also have a relationship to the acupressure circuitry. This therapy is used to balance the energy within the body.

#### Mind Altering Drugs

All mind altering drugs, not used for medical purposes, can open a person up to a demonic spirit. The Greek word translated in the New Testament for “sorcery” is pharmakia. We get our English word pharmacy and it means drugs. Drugs were used in the New Testament in the practice of magic and sorcery. Thus people who took drugs as a part of occult practices, the term pharmakia, came to be associated with sorcery and witchcraft. Basically, the drugs gave the demonic spirits more control over the person and this is still true today.

#### Cults, False Religions, Secret Society

The purpose of all cults, false religions and secret societies is to take a person away from the true God and have them focus on other gods. This is idolatry and breaks the First Commandment found in Exodus 20:3.

When we compare true Christianity to the other religions in the world, there are Seven basic areas where Christianity will differ with other religions and cults. These areas are:

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| 1. God          | 5. Redemption  |
| 2. Jesus Christ | 6. Salvation   |
| 3. Holy Spirit  | 7. Retribution |
| 4. Sin          |                |

For definition purposes, a cult is any religious group that deviates from the fundamental teachings of the historic, Bible-based, Christian faith as confirmed through the ancient ecumenical creeds.

A secret society is listed under cults because it:

1. Secretive in nature rather than being open to the world like Christianity
2. Secret passwords, practices, rituals, rites have roots in Egyptian, Babylonian, Indian, and Chinese mystic religions.
3. Oaths are taken which violate Scriptural prohibition to not swear an oath
4. Membership requires a Christian to become unequally yoked with unbelievers.

**KU KLUX KLAN** - A secret society of white Southerners created to resist Black emancipation.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** – A Catholic Society formed from Freemasonry roots after the Catholic Church banned church members from belonging to the Masonic Lodge.

**FREEMASONRY / EASTERN STAR / RAINBOW GIRLS / ORDER OF DEMOLAY** – A secret society all with roots from Freemasonry.

### **Addendum D** **Typical Prayer to be Prayed - Occult Involvement**

Heavenly Father, I acknowledge that Jesus Christ is my Lord and Savior. I believe that Jesus is Your only Son and that He died on a cross for my sins. Lord Jesus, Your blood has purchased me and redeemed me from the curse of the Law. You rose again and are alive and have called me to be with You forever.

Lord Jesus, I recognize that I cannot be forgiven if I haven't forgiven others. By a decision of my will, I choose to forgive all who have harmed me or wronged me. In particular, I now forgive the following people: \_\_\_\_\_ (list the people).

Lord Jesus, I also confess that I have sinned and have been involved in the following occult groups, activities, or practices: \_\_\_\_\_ (list the items checked from the Occult Worksheet).

I recognize that my involvement is sin. I confess my sins to You and renounce my involvement in any of these occult groups or practices. I ask You to forgive me and cleanse me from all of this unrighteousness. Lord Jesus, because I want to be totally free from all occult involvement and bondages, I will burn and destroy all objects in my possession which connect me with any occult groups, activities or practices.

I also confess the occult sins and iniquities of my ancestor's: \_\_\_\_\_ (list those which are known). I renounce these sins and any unknown sins that they committed. I ask for Your forgiveness and that Your blood will cover over these sins and the generational consequences that they brought upon me and my family.

Lord Jesus, if my involvement in the occult or my ancestor's involvement in the occult has established ungodly soul ties, I ask You to break and sever those ties. Lord Jesus Christ, break the power of these sins and ties and set me free from all bondages and generational iniquities that have come down through the generations either to me or to my family.

Heavenly Father, I ask that You would reverse any damage that has been caused in my life or my family's life as a result of my sins or the sins of my ancestors. I ask for Your total healing and restoration to our lives.

By faith, I now receive my freedom and release from this bondage. Lord Jesus – thank You for setting me free!

**AMEN**

The Healing Minister can now rebuke and command every evil spirit and demon associated with the occult involvement to release any hold upon the person life because of the person's confession and the blood of Jesus Christ has forgiven them and set them free - I John 1:9; Revelation 12:11

**Addendum E**  
**Typical Prayer to be Prayed - Soul Ties Involvement**

Heavenly Father, I recognize that there are unhealthy and ungodly soul ties into my life. Some I have created and some were created for me by others. Lord, I ask that You forgive me for creating or yielding to unhealthy and ungodly soul ties. I forgive those who sought to control me and I renounce every unhealthy and ungodly part of that bond. Yet Lord, I ask that You strengthen every godly part of my relationship with others.

Now in the name and the authority of Jesus Christ, I break every soul tie and soul bond to my mind, my will and my emotions. I break any ties to my physical body. I also break any sexual ties or sexual desires that arose between us. I rebuke any spirits of domination, intimidation or manipulation and I bind and rebuke all spirits of witchcraft, divination and any familiar spirits from off of my life.

I call back every emotion and every thought and the part of my will that I gave to the other person. I send back to that person every thought, every emotion and every part of their will that they have given to me. I also give back to them their struggles, their sins and their corruption.

I bring the cross of Jesus Christ between me and them. I have been crucified to them and they to me (Gal. 6:14). I ask that I be made whole within my mind, my will and my emotions and that no part of me is with someone else.

Thank you Jesus for setting me free and for cleansing me by Your blood from all unrighteousness. I ask that You help me to enter into Godly associations and relations with others. Make me sensitive to those who would try to reconnect to me, so I can stop it immediately.

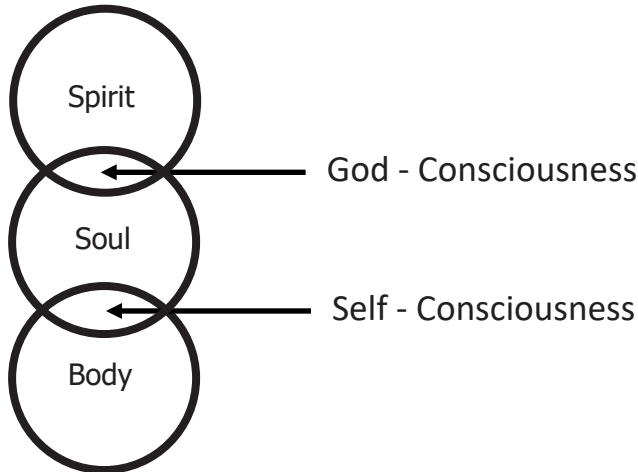
Thank you Father for the liberty that I have in Jesus Christ.

For it is in Jesus name that I pray

AMEN

**Addendum F**  
**Origin of Soul Power - Diagram**

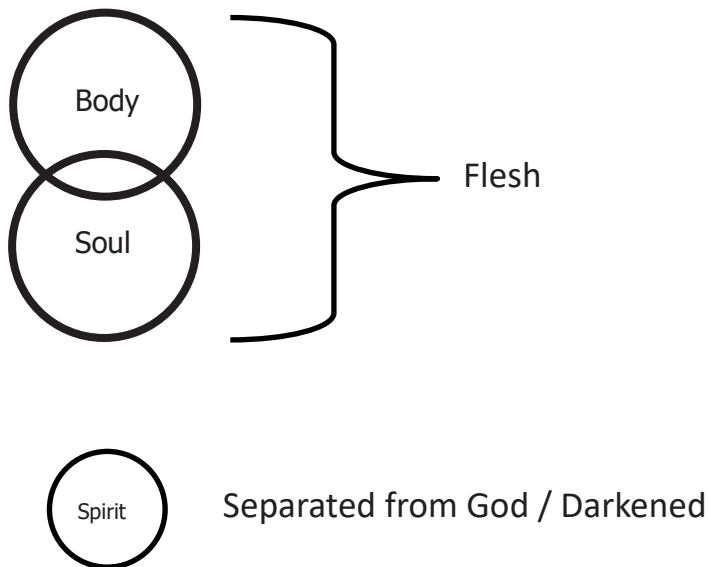
God's Original Design - Adam's Innocence without sin



**Fruit of the Spirit**

- ◆ Love
- ◆ Joy
- ◆ Peace
- ◆ Patience
- ◆ Kindness
- ◆ Goodness
- ◆ Faith (Faithfulness)
- ◆ Gentleness
- ◆ Self-control

After Adam Sinned - "you shall surely die" - Genesis 2:17



**Works of the Flesh**

- ◆ Sexual immorality
- ◆ Impurity
- ◆ Sensuality
- ◆ Idolatry
- ◆ Sorcery
- ◆ Enmity
- ◆ Strife
- ◆ Jealousy
- ◆ Fits of anger
- ◆ Rivalries
- ◆ Dissensions
- ◆ Envy
- ◆ Drunkenness
- ◆ Orgies
- ◆ Things like these