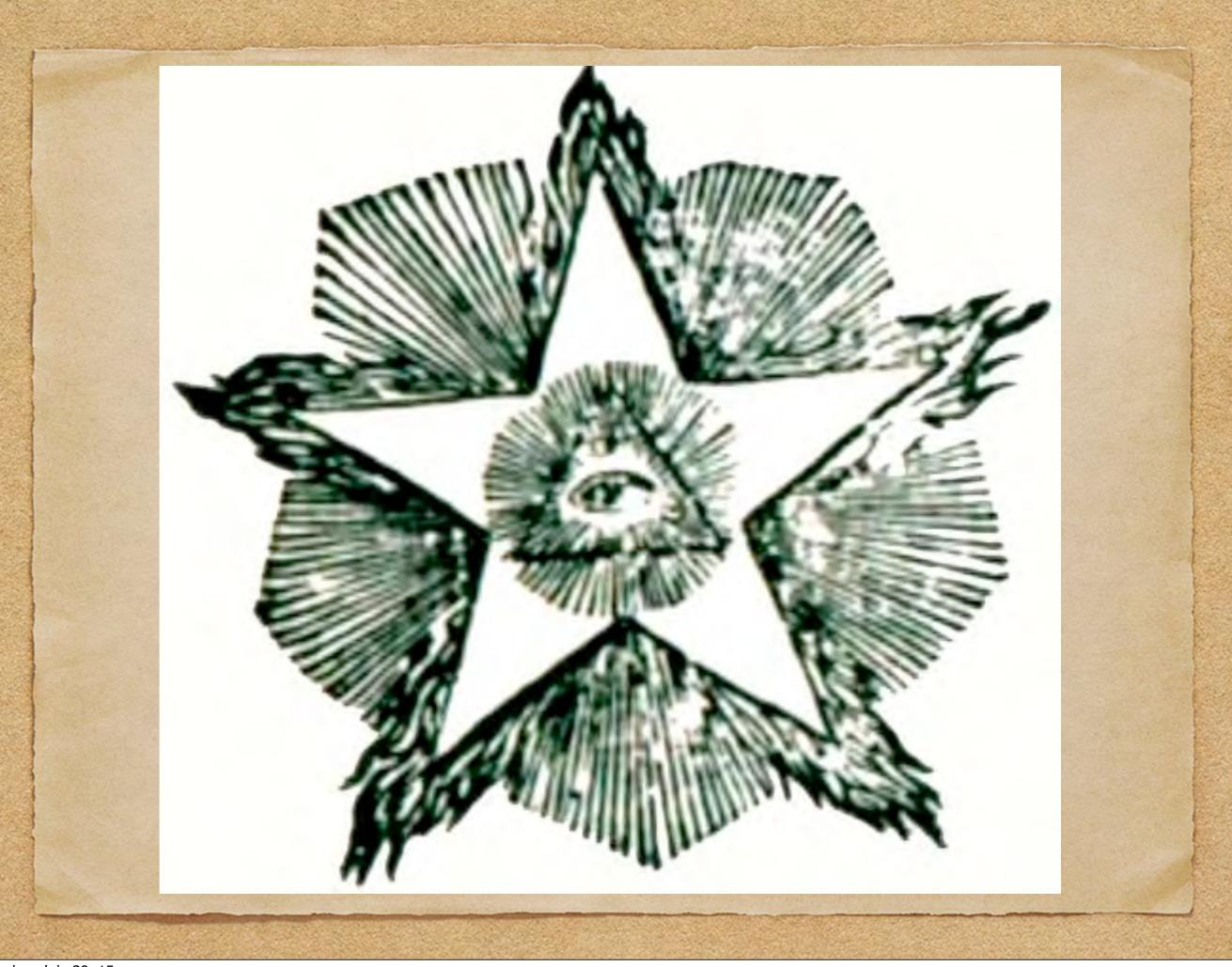
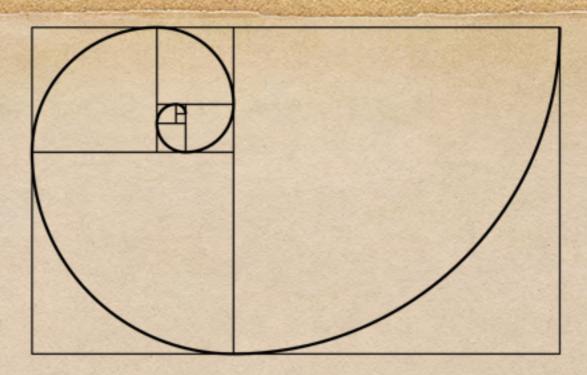


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"The study of symbols... when carried out with faithfulness and diligence, will produce three effects:

1. It trains in the power to penetrate behind the form and to arrive at the subjective reality.

2. It tends to bring about a close integration between soul-mindbrain, and when that is brought about, the inflow of the intuition and, consequently, of illumination and truth becomes more rapidly possible.

3. It will put a strain upon certain unawakened areas in the brain and arouse into activity the brain cells there found, and this is the first stage in the experience of the aspirant." Glamour, A World Problem, AAB

"This power to interpret symbols ever precedes true revelation. [Only using] the activity and accuracy of the memory will do naught to awaken the dormant brain cells or call into play the intuition. It must be remembered that the plane whereon the intuition manifests and where the intuitional state of consciousness is active is that of the buddhic or intuitional plane. This plane is the higher correspondence of the astral or emotional plane, the plane of sensitive awareness through a felt identification with the object of attention or attraction. It becomes evident therefore that if the intuitional faculty is to be brought into activity through the study of symbols, the student must feel with, or be in some way identified with, the qualitative nature of the symbol, with the nature of that reality which the symbolic form veils." Glamour, A World Problem, AAB





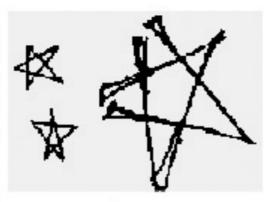
















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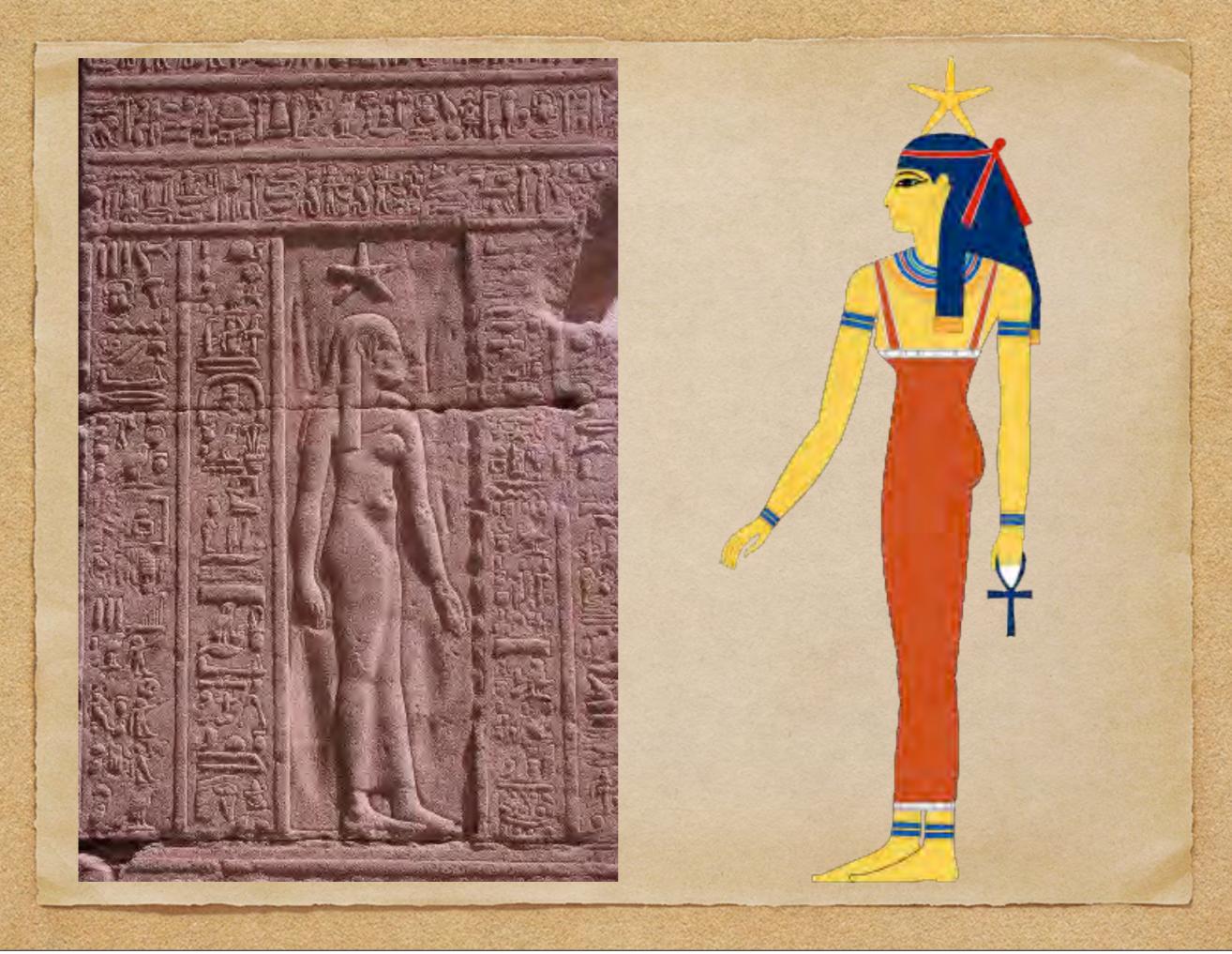


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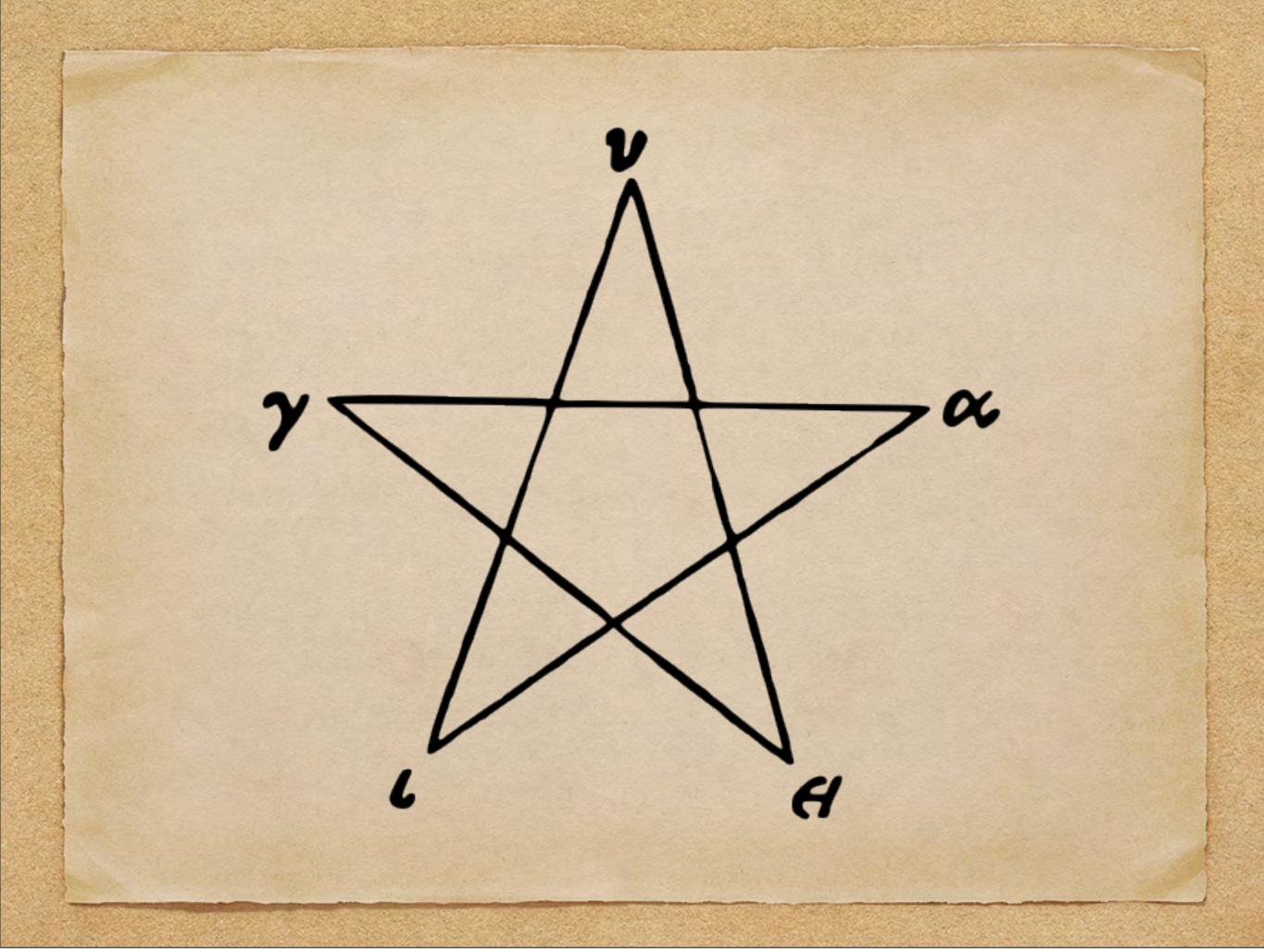


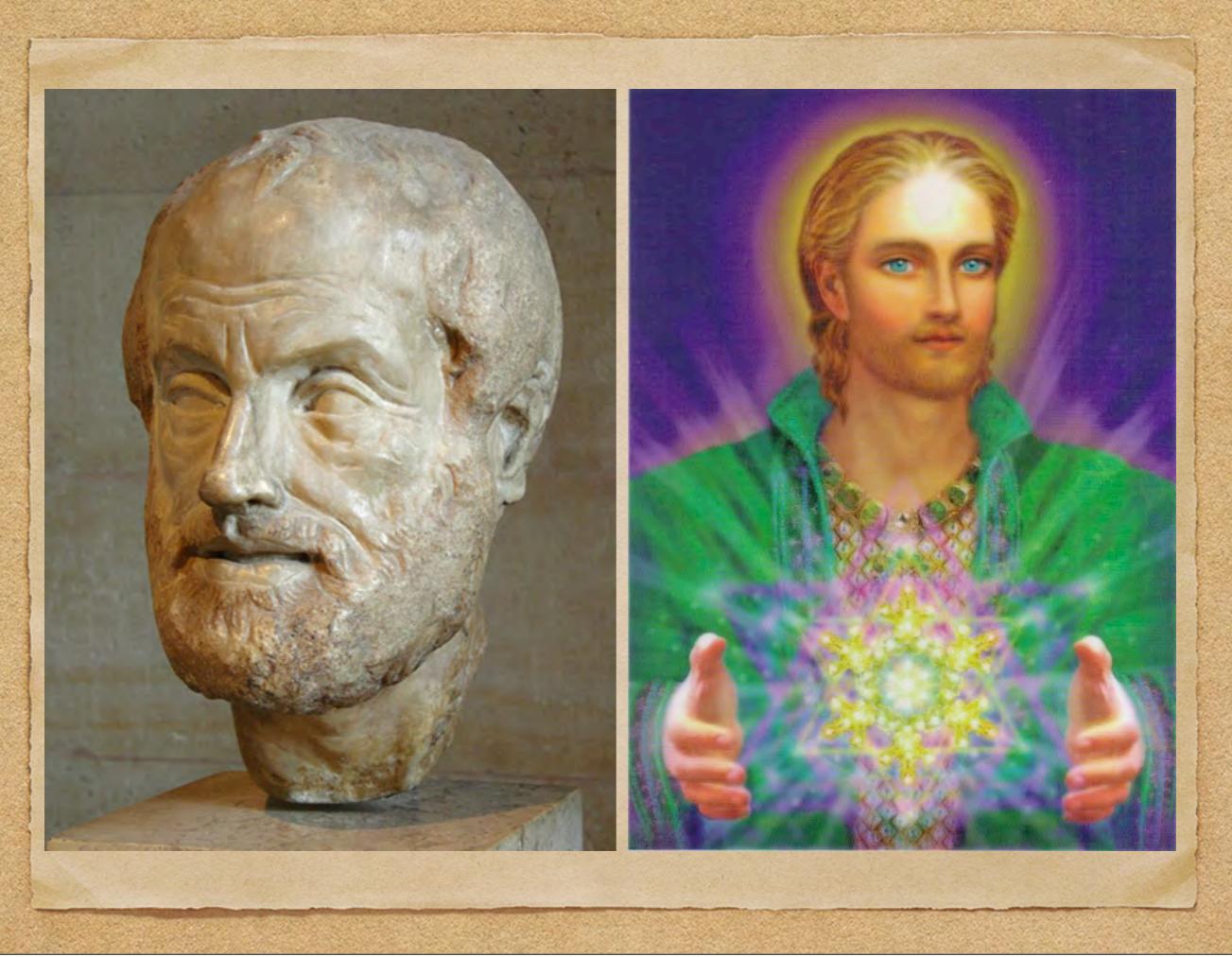
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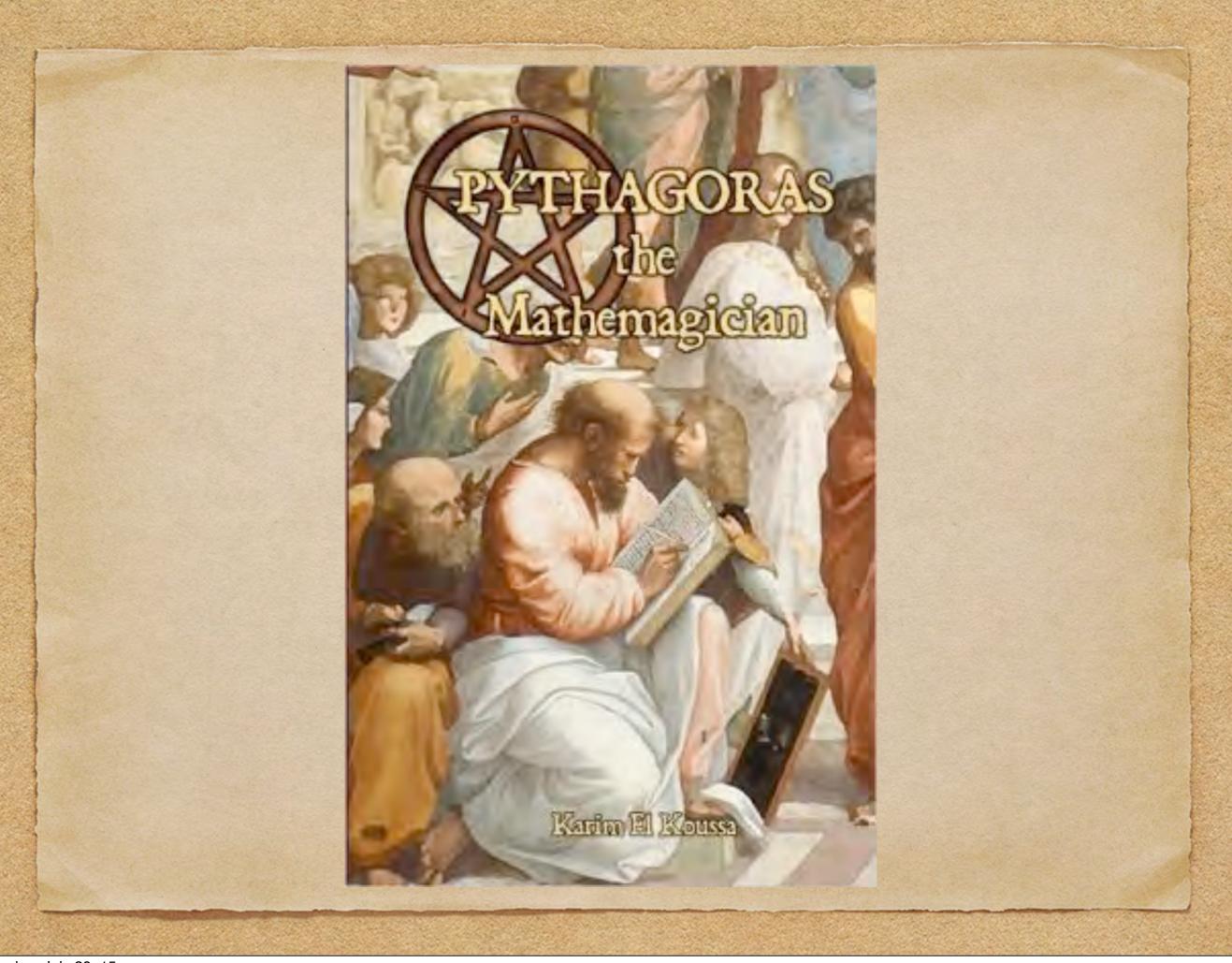


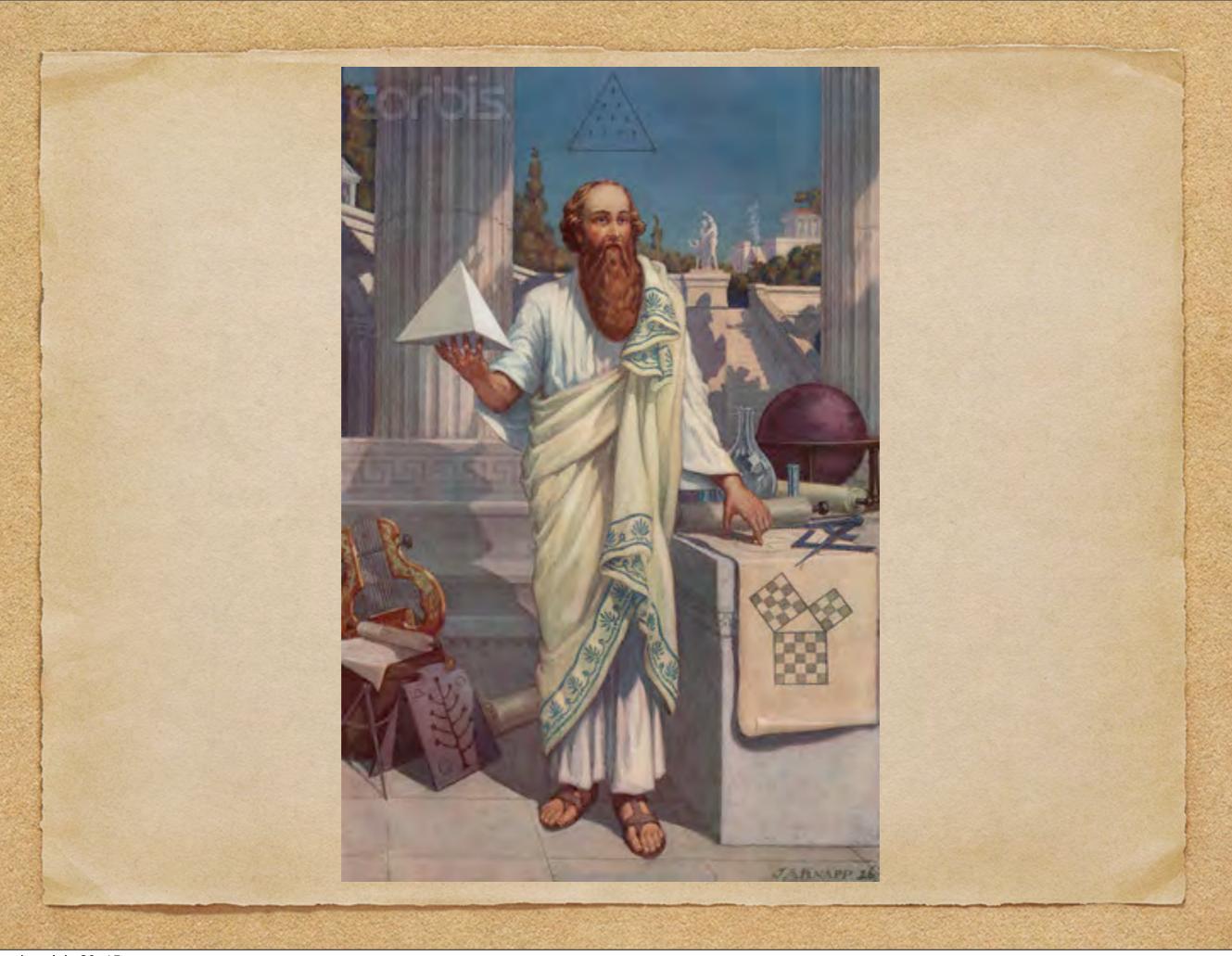


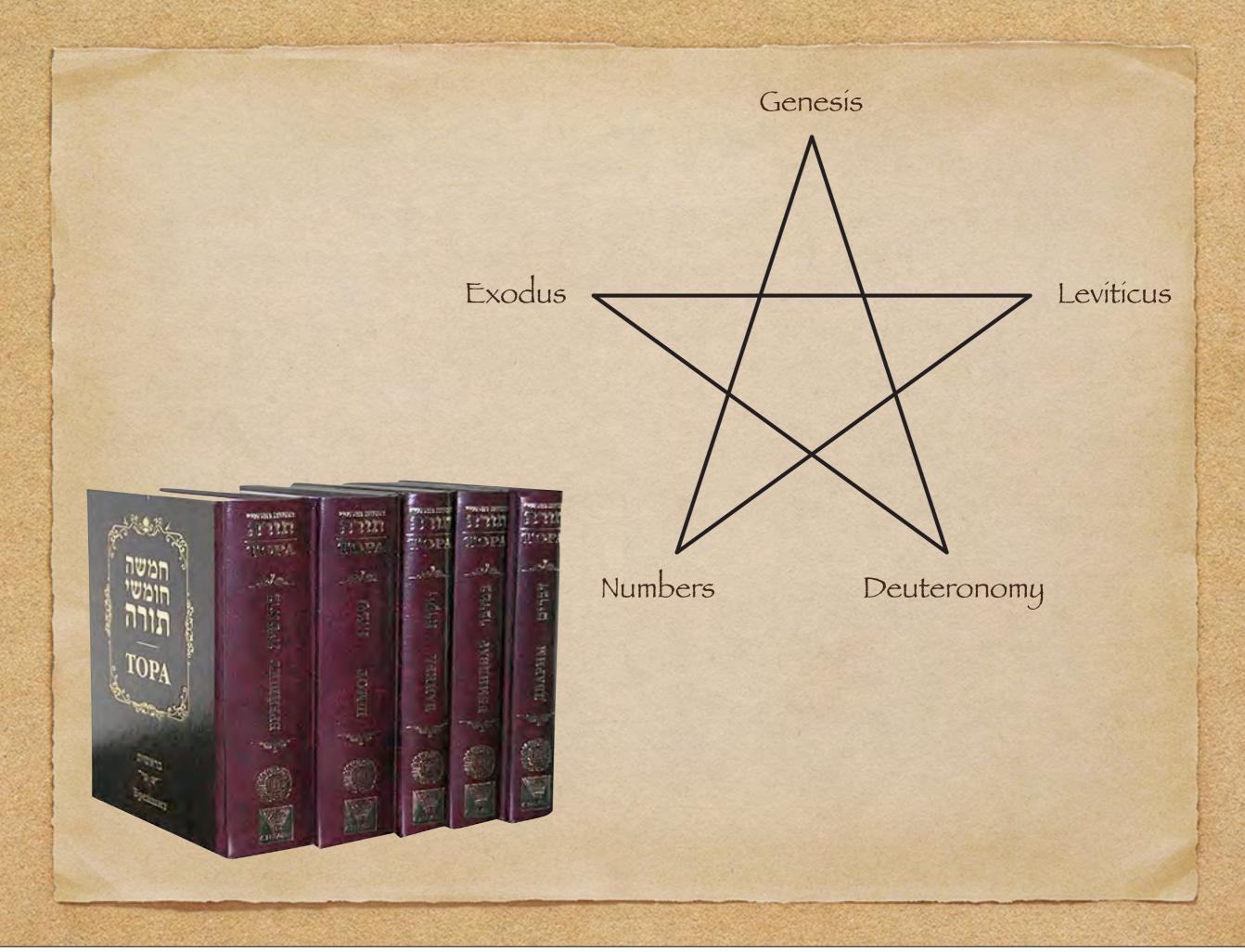










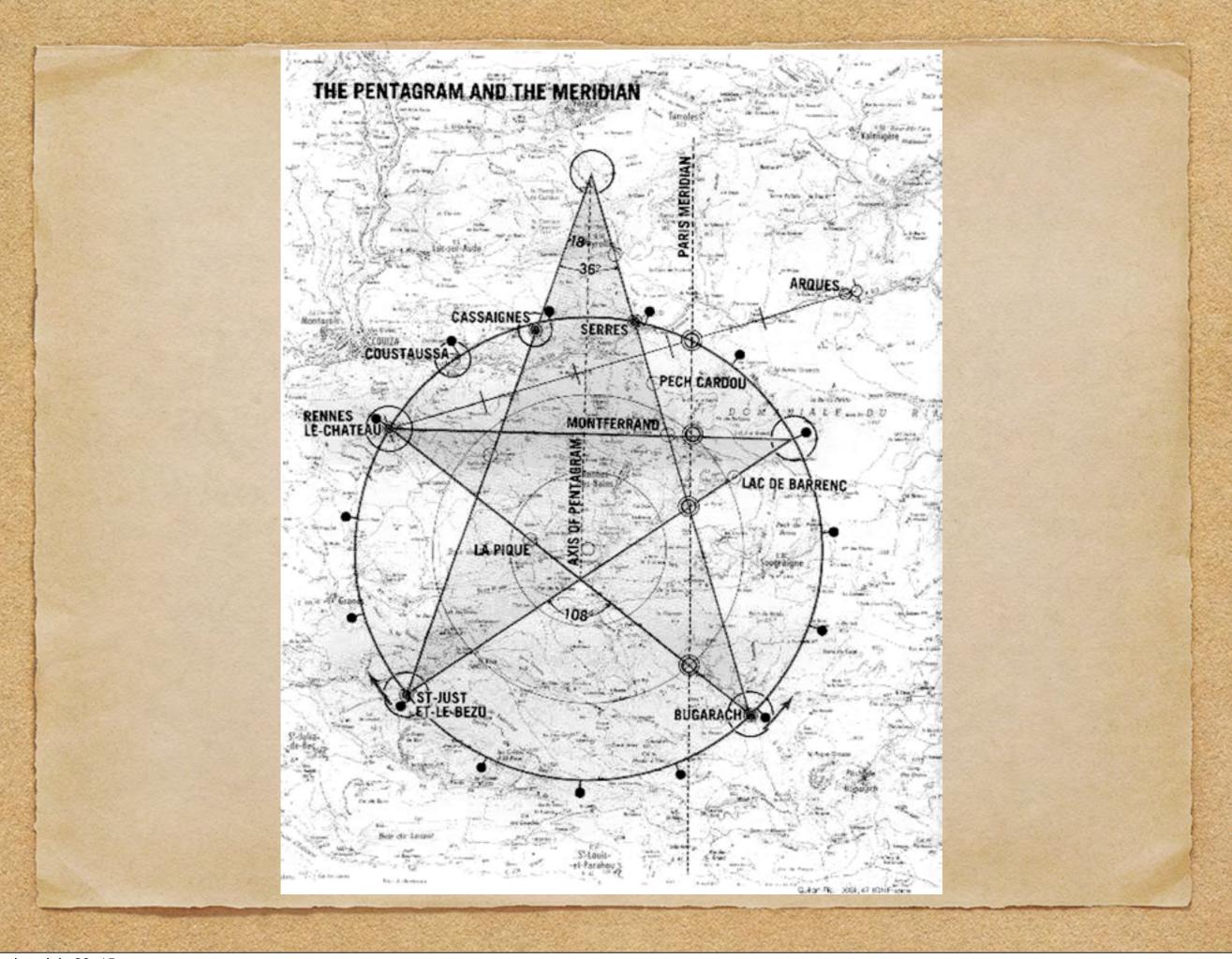


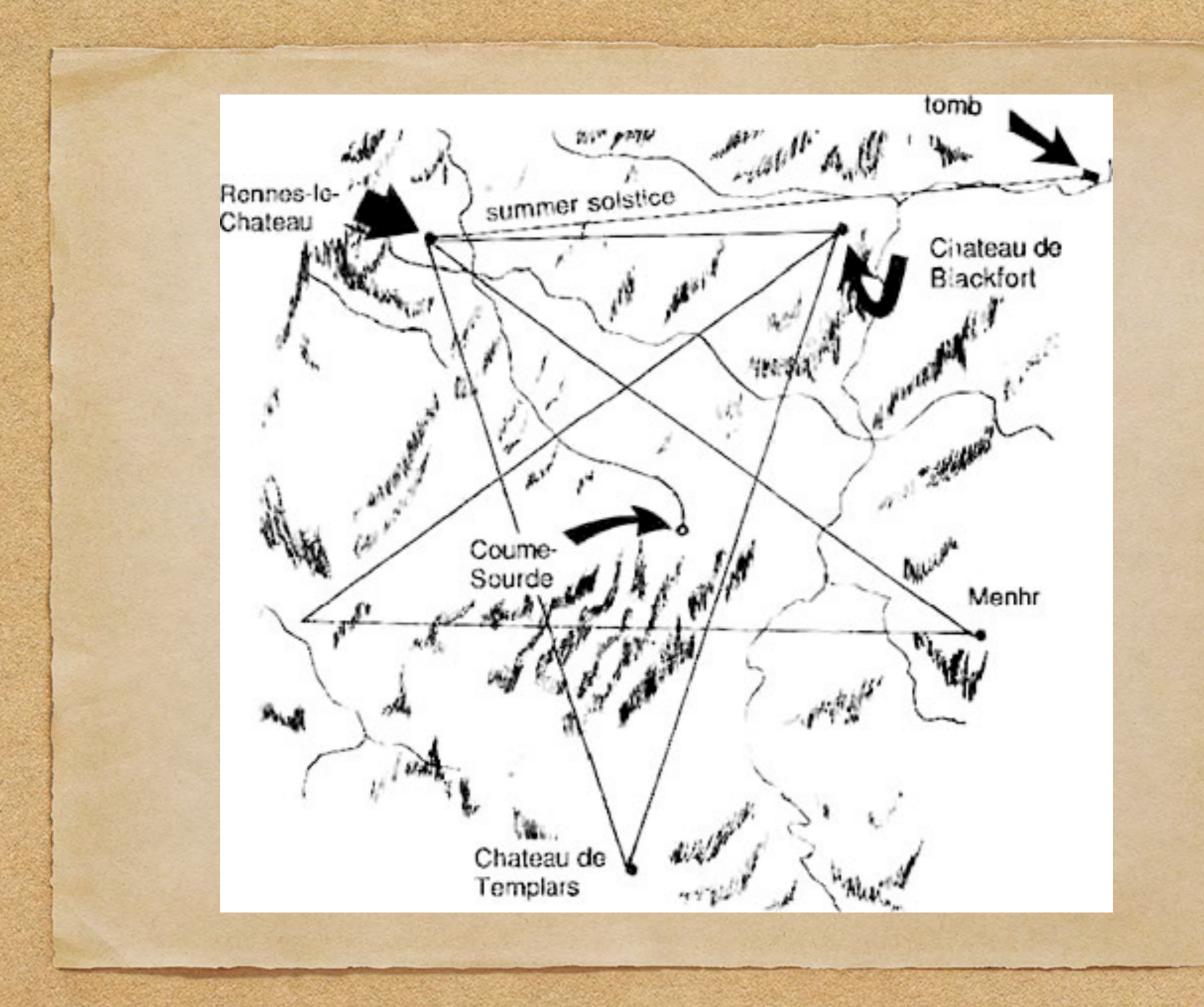


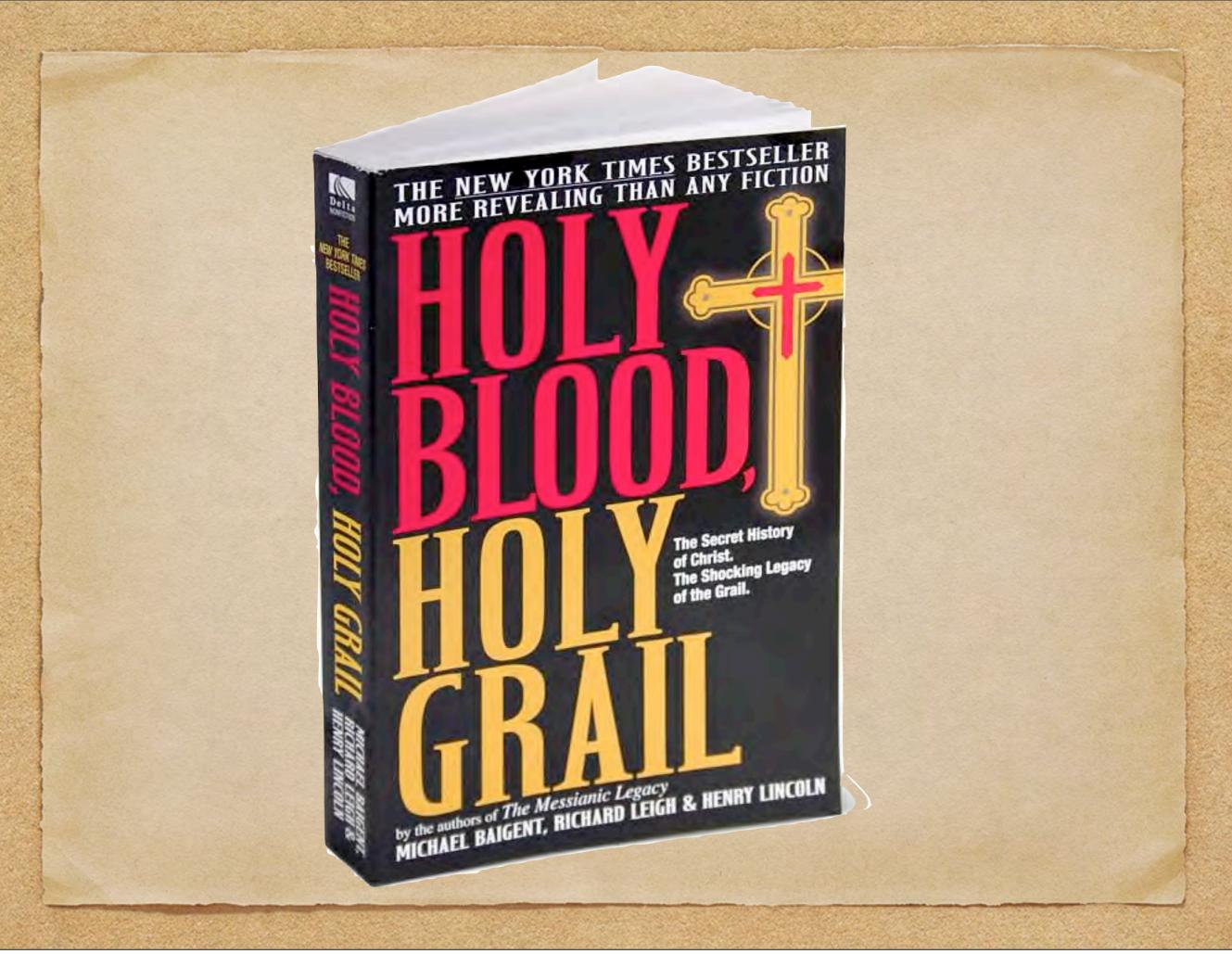




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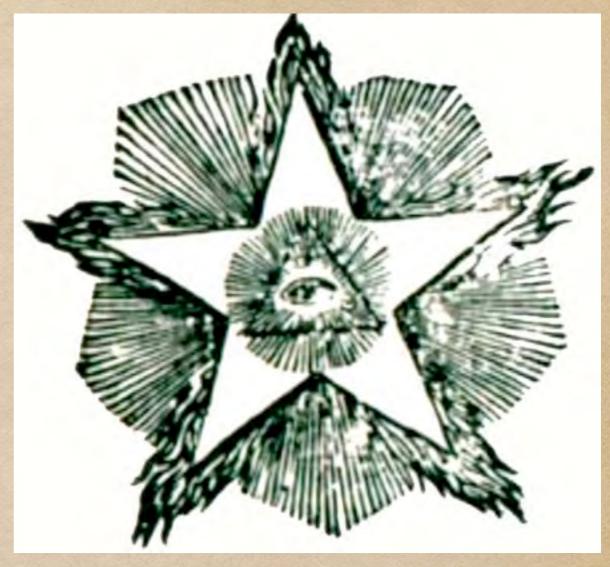




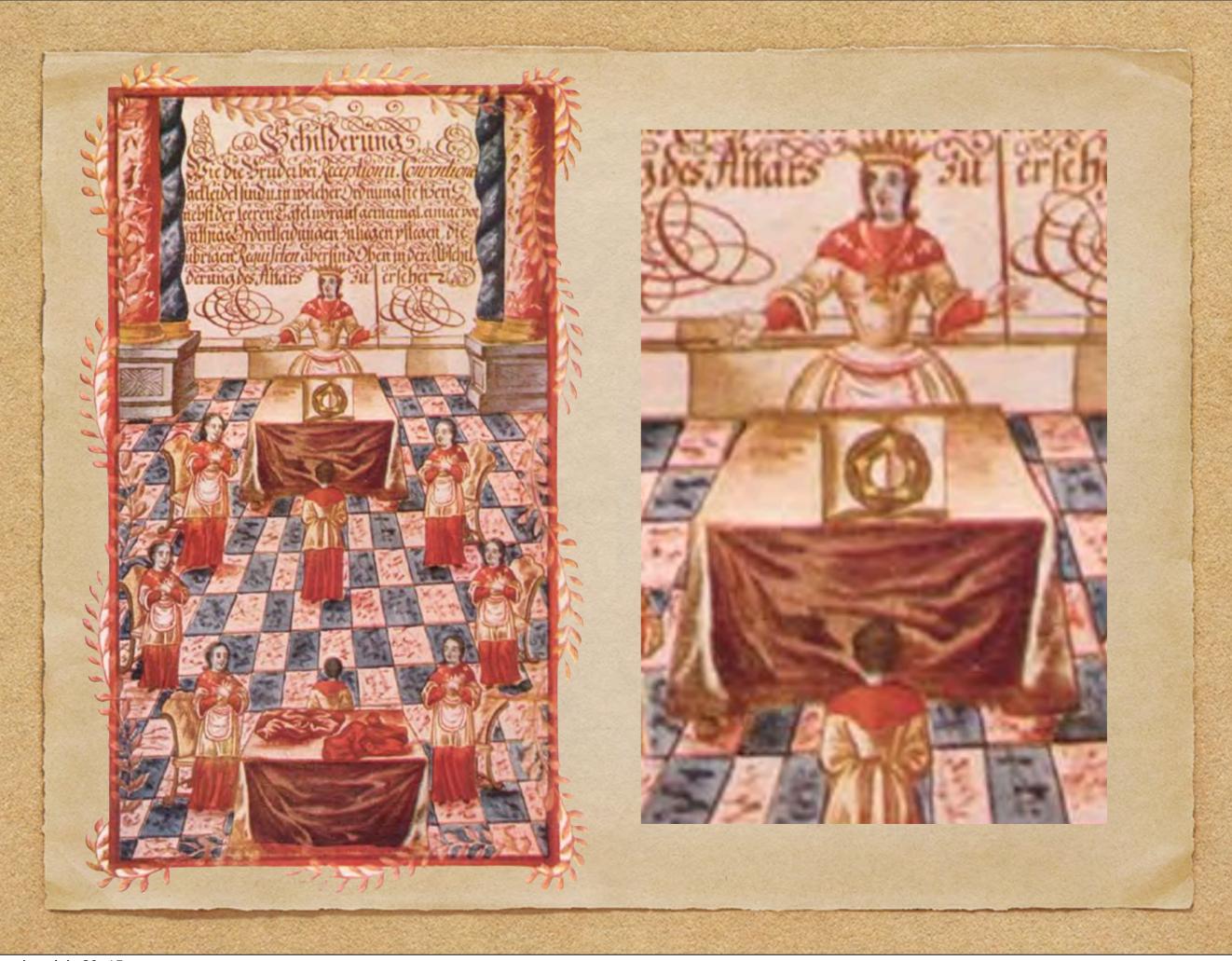






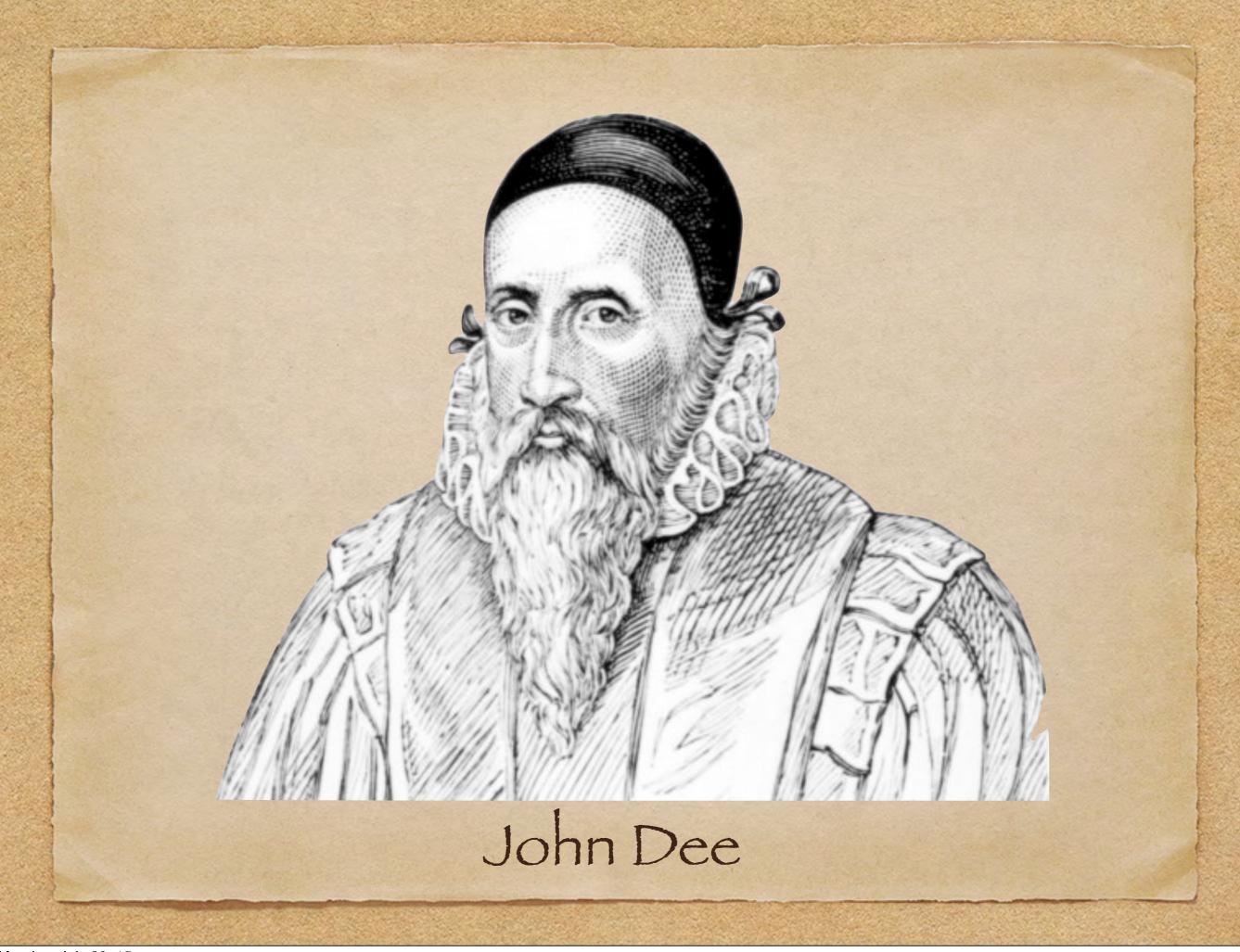


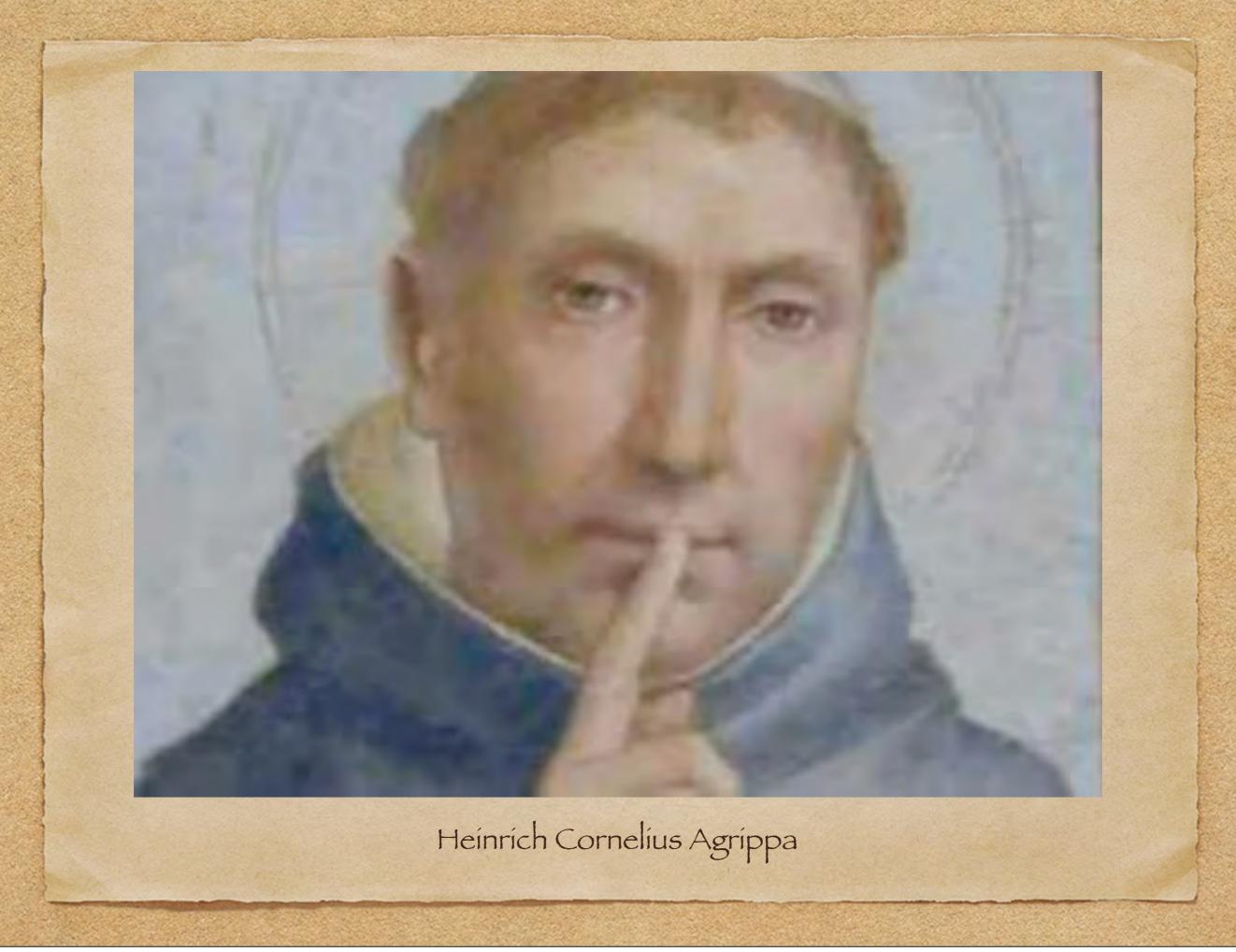
"Our Ancient English brethren also considered the pentagram to be an emblem of the Sun. In the old Lectures they said: 'The Blazing Star in the center refers us to that Grand Luminary the Sun, which enlightens the Earth, and by its genial influence dispenses blessings to mankind." Morals and Dogma, by Albert Pike

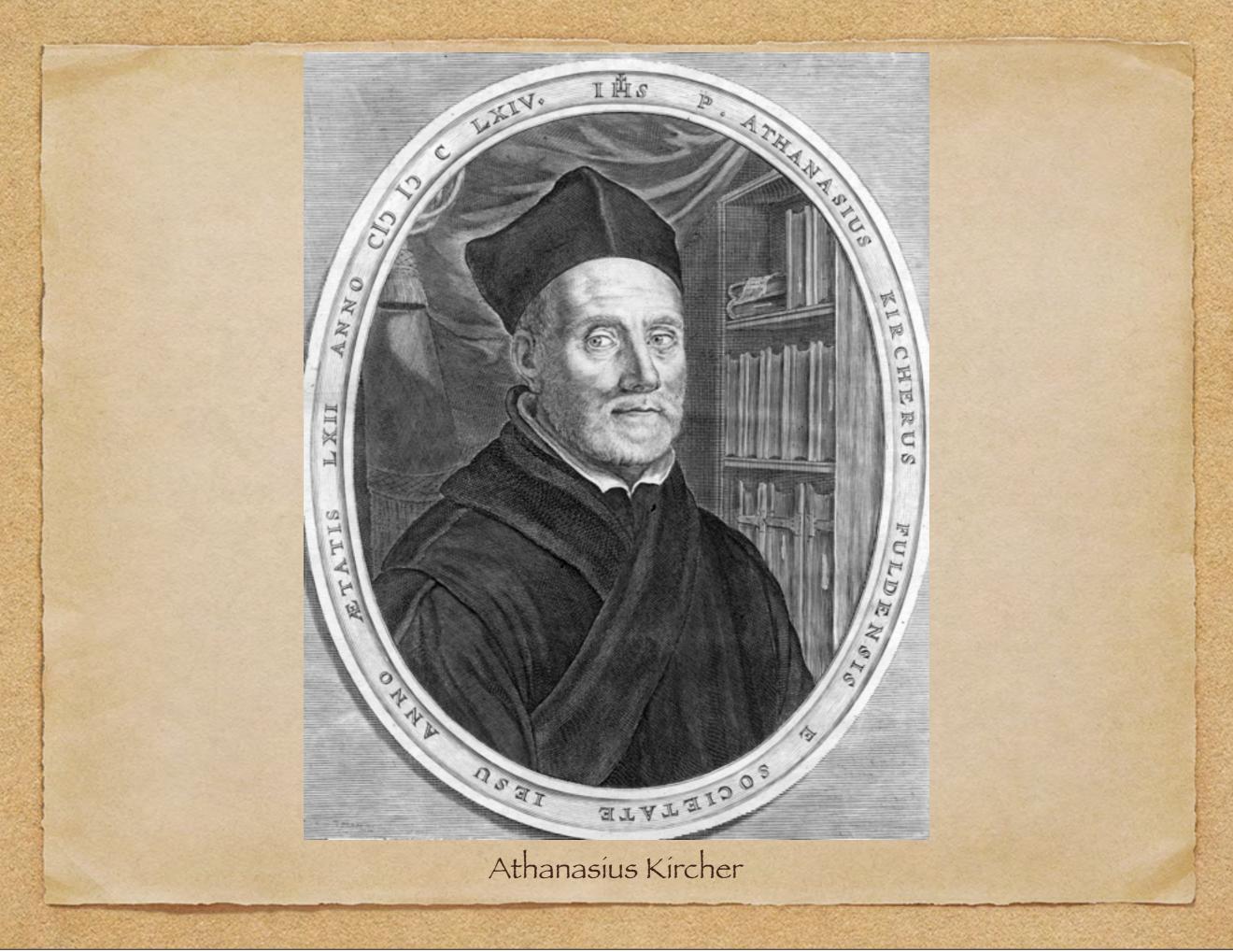
















John Dee's 'Sigilum Dei Aemeth' on display at the British Museum



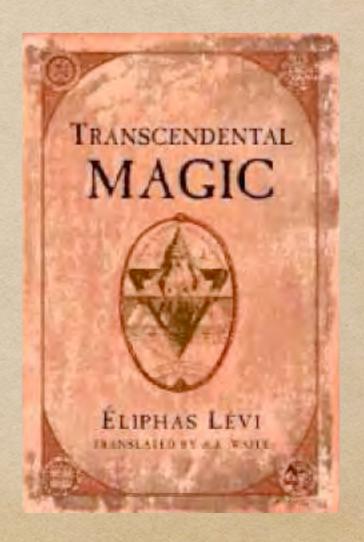
The two initiations called the sixth and seventh take place on the buddhic and atmic planes; the five-pointed star "blazes forth from within Itself," as the esoteric phrase has it, and becomes the seven-pointed star; it descends upon the man and he enters within the flame. Initiation Human and Solar, p. 16, AAB

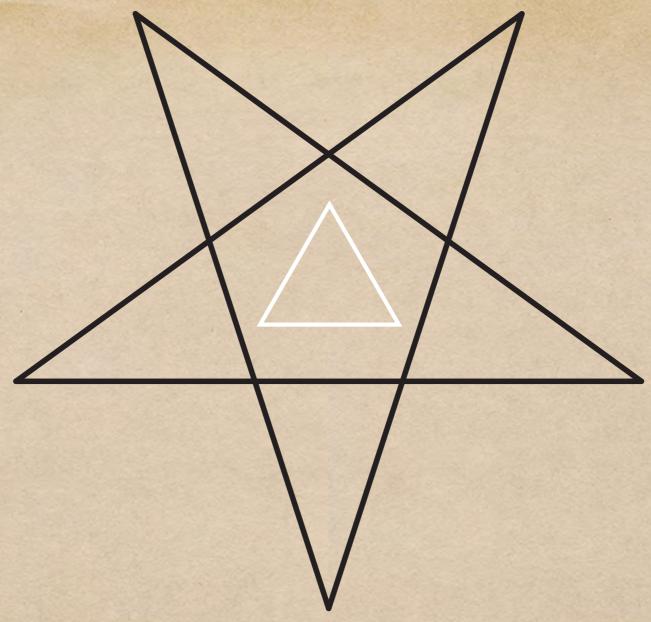


"[The Pentagram] carries with it the power of commanding the spirits of the elements and thus cannot be dispensed with."

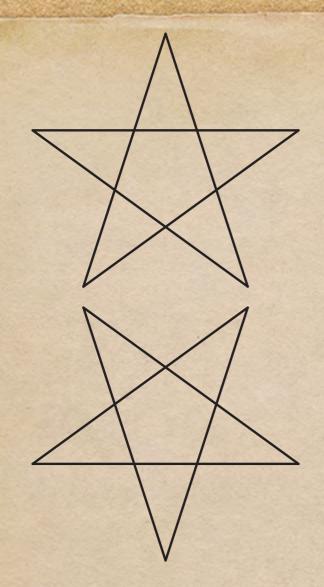


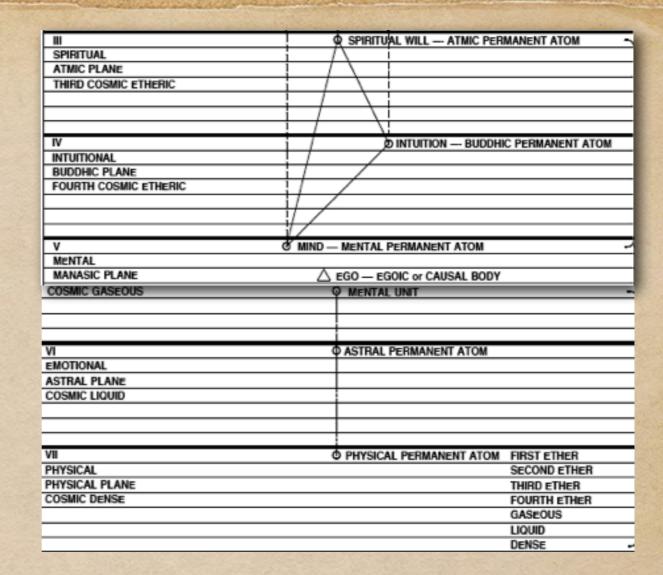
"Let us keep the figure of the Fivepointed Star always upright, with the topmost triangle pointing to heaven, for it is the seat of wisdom, and if the figure is reversed, perversion and evil will be the result."





One symbol that may be found in the archaic records in lieu of His Name or description is an inverted five-pointed star, with the luminous Triangle at the centre. It will be noted that the points involved in this symbol number eight—a picture of that peculiar state of consciousness brought about when the mind is seen to be the slayer of the Real. A Treatise On Cosmic Fire, p. 705





"...the power of the Dark Brotherhood is apparently dominant on the physical and emotional planes. Not so on the mental, the plane on which the Brothers of the Light work. Mighty dark magicians may be located on the lower mental levels, but on the higher, the White Lodge dominates, the three higher subplanes being the levels that They beg the evolving sons of men to seek; it is Their region, to which all must strive and aspire." Letters On Occult Meditation, p. 133



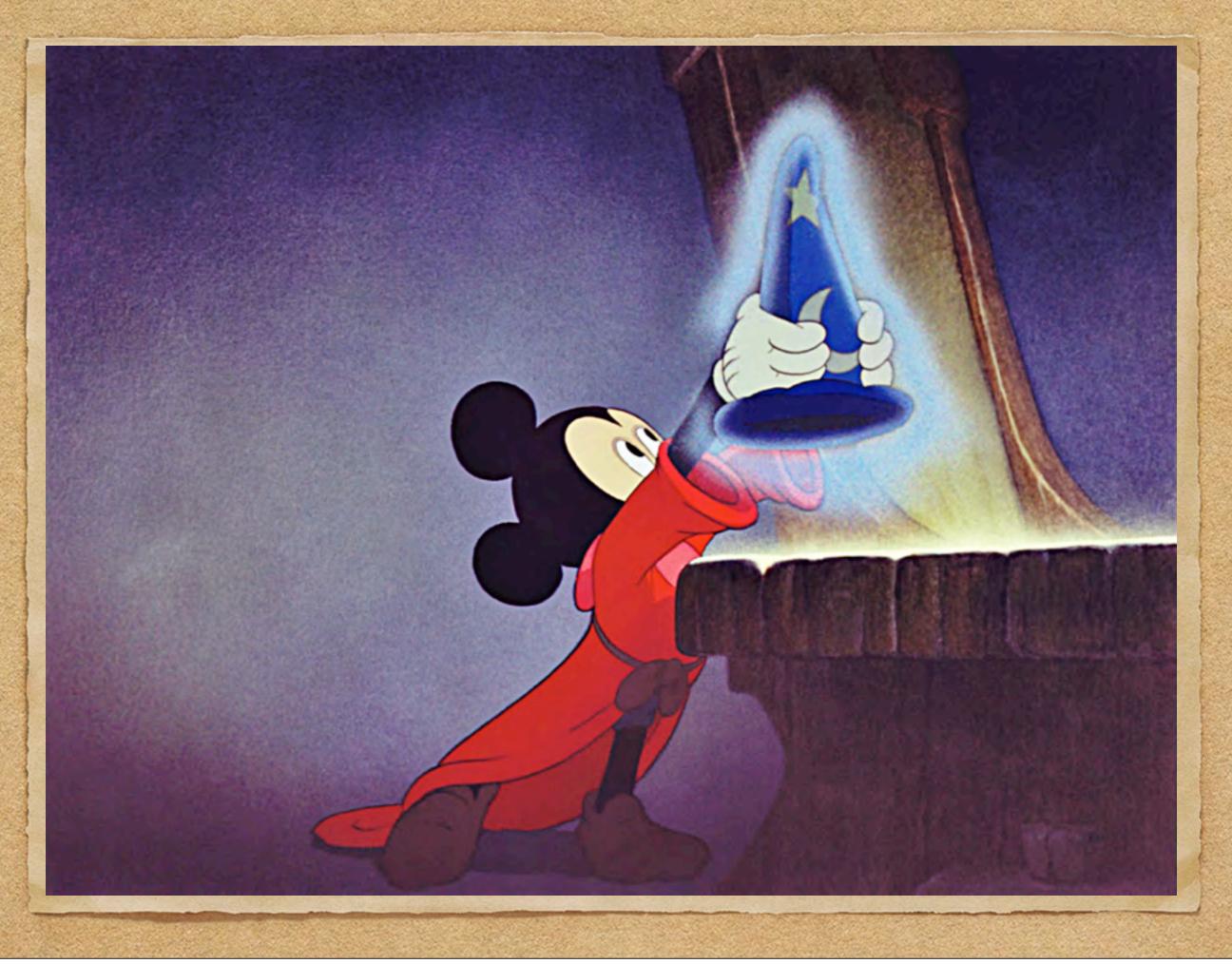
"[We have] the symbolism of the Unicorn in which the two horns and the single eye are blended and depicted by the long straight horn of the unicorn in the centre of the forehead." Esoteric Astrology" p. 154

"This sign portrays to us... the triumphant initiate, the "unicorn of God," the symbol of the unicorn, with its one horn out-thrust like a single spear upon his brow instead of the two horns of the scavenging goat."

Esoteric Astrology" p. 153

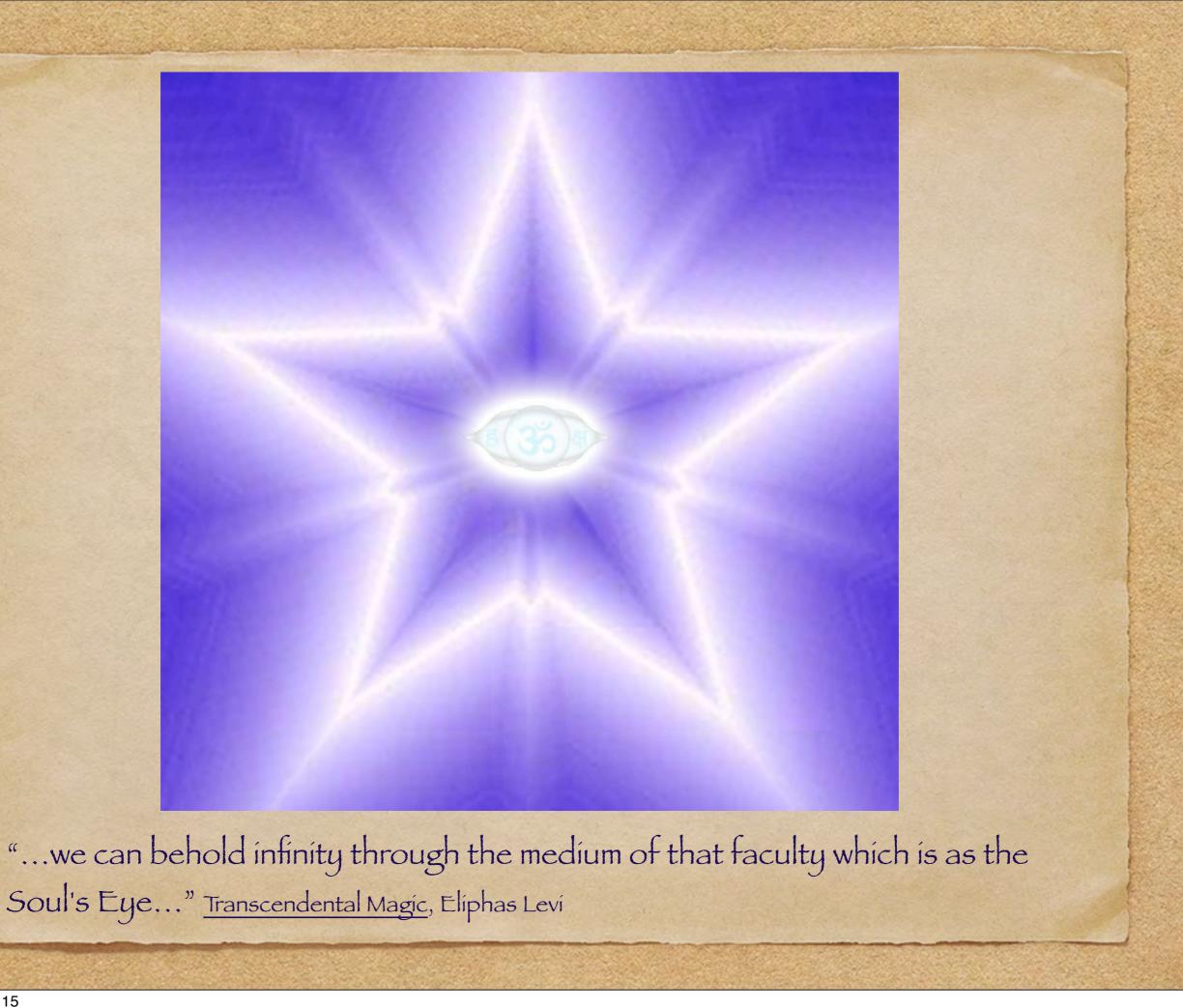


"The Pentagram expresses the mind's domination over the elements and it is by this sign that we bind the demons of the air, the spirits of fire, the spectres of water, and the ghosts of earth. It is the Star of the Magi, the burning star of the Gnostic schools, the sign of intellectual omnipotence and autocracy. In its complete comprehension is the key of two worlds--it is absolute natural philosophy and natural science. Its use, however, is most dangerous to operators who do not completely and perfectly understand it. All mysteries of magic, all symbols of the gnosis, all figures of occultism, all Qabalistic keys of prophecy, are resumed in the sign of the Pentagram, which Paracelsus proclaims to be the greatest and most potent of all." Transcendental Magic by Eliphas Levi



"...this absolute sign, this sign as old or older than history, should and must exercise an incalculable influence on souls disengaged from their material envelope. Armed therewith and suitably disposed, we can behold infinity through the medium of that faculty which is as the Soul's Eye, and can cause ourselves to be served by legions of angels and demon hordes. The empire of the Will over the Astral Light which is the physical soul of the four elements, is represented in magic by the Pentagram." Transcendental Magic by Eliphas Levi





## Mephistopheles:

I must confess, my stepping o'er

Thy threshold a slight hindrance doth impede;

The wizard-foot [Drudenfuss] doth me retain.

## Faust:

The pentagram thy peace doth mar?

To me, thou son of hell, explain,

How camest thou in, if this thine exit bar?

Could such a spirit aught ensnare?

## Mephistopheles:

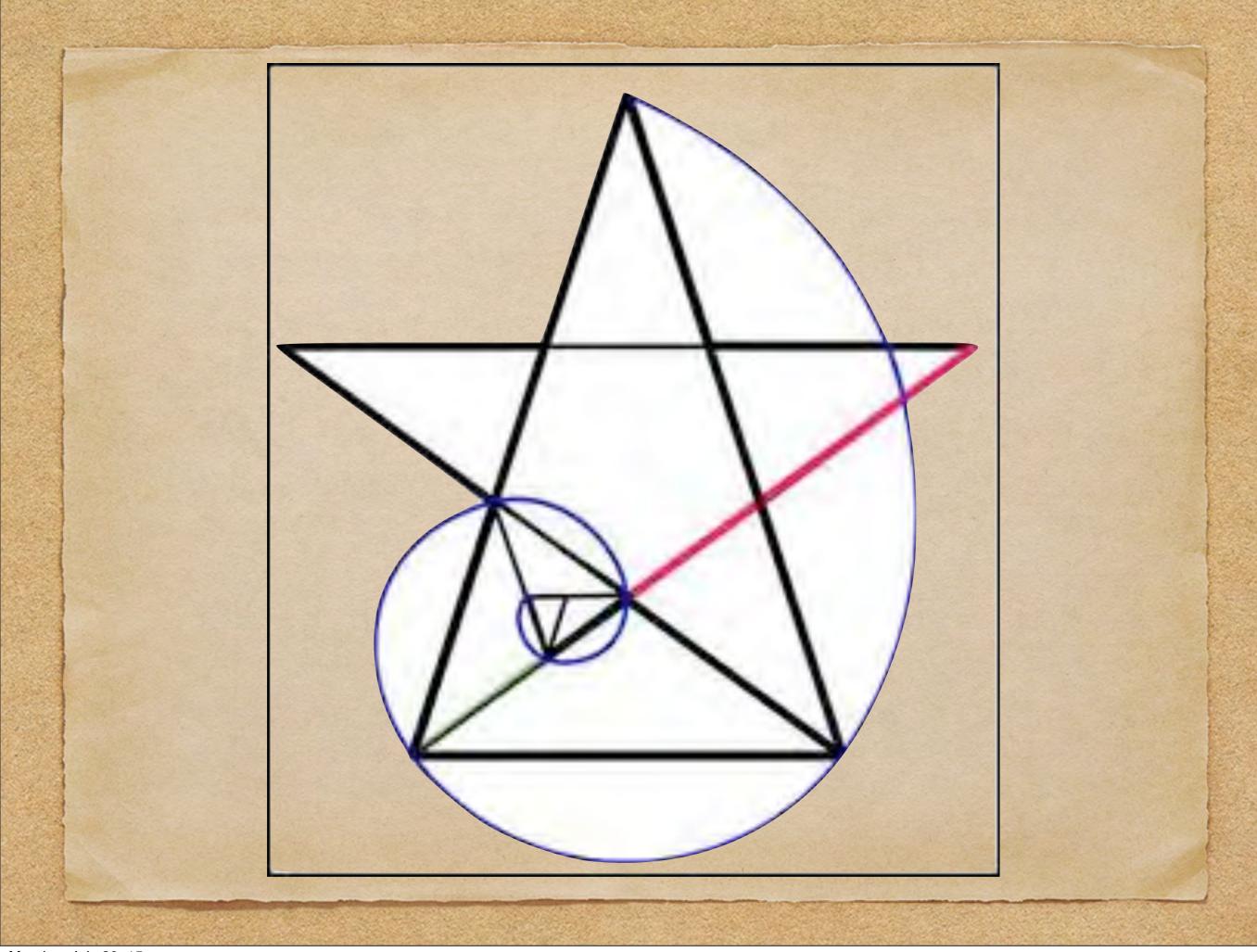
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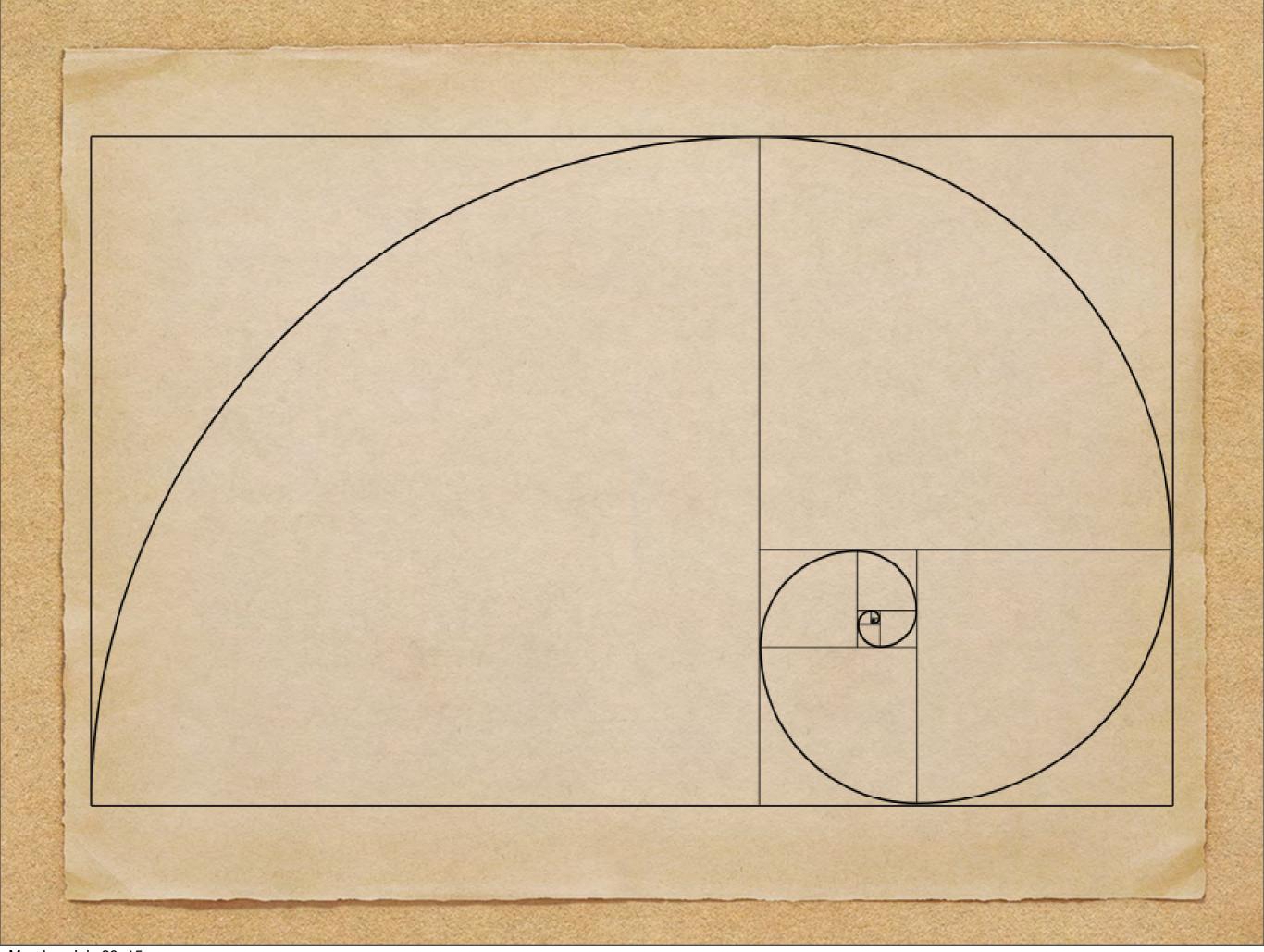
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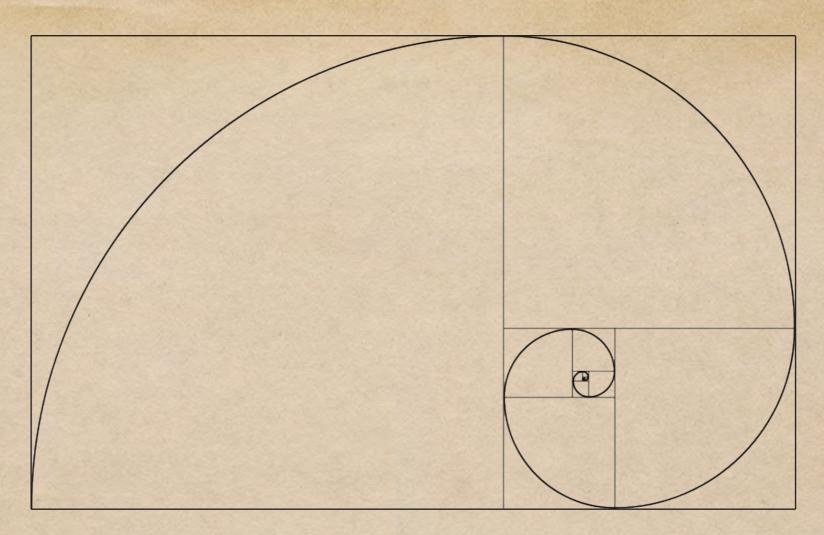
Is, as thou seest, not quite closed.



"...they must walk clear-eyed through world difficulties and—holding His five-pointed star before them—pass unscathed and successful through the midst of all frustrating factors." The Externalization of the Hierarchy p. 619





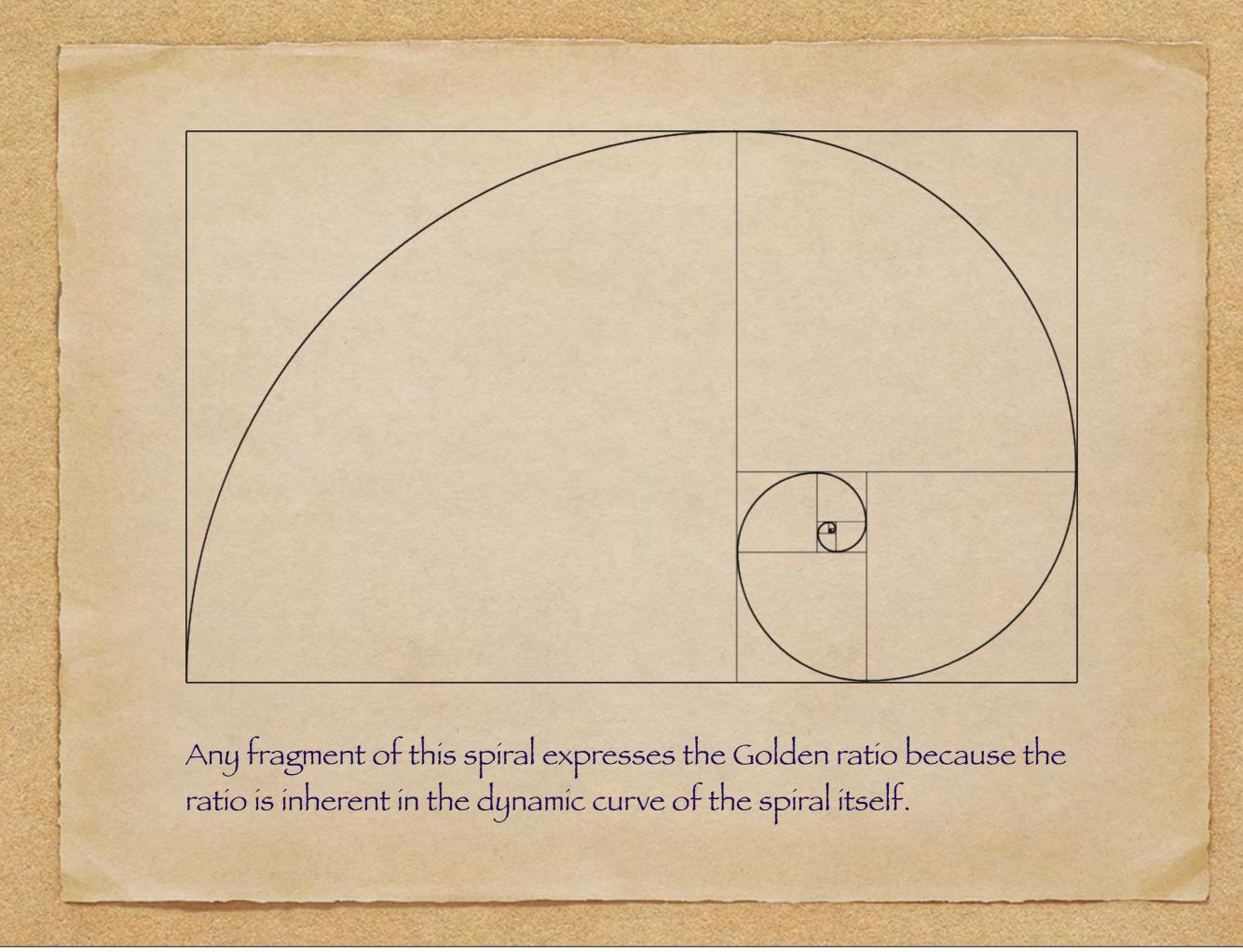


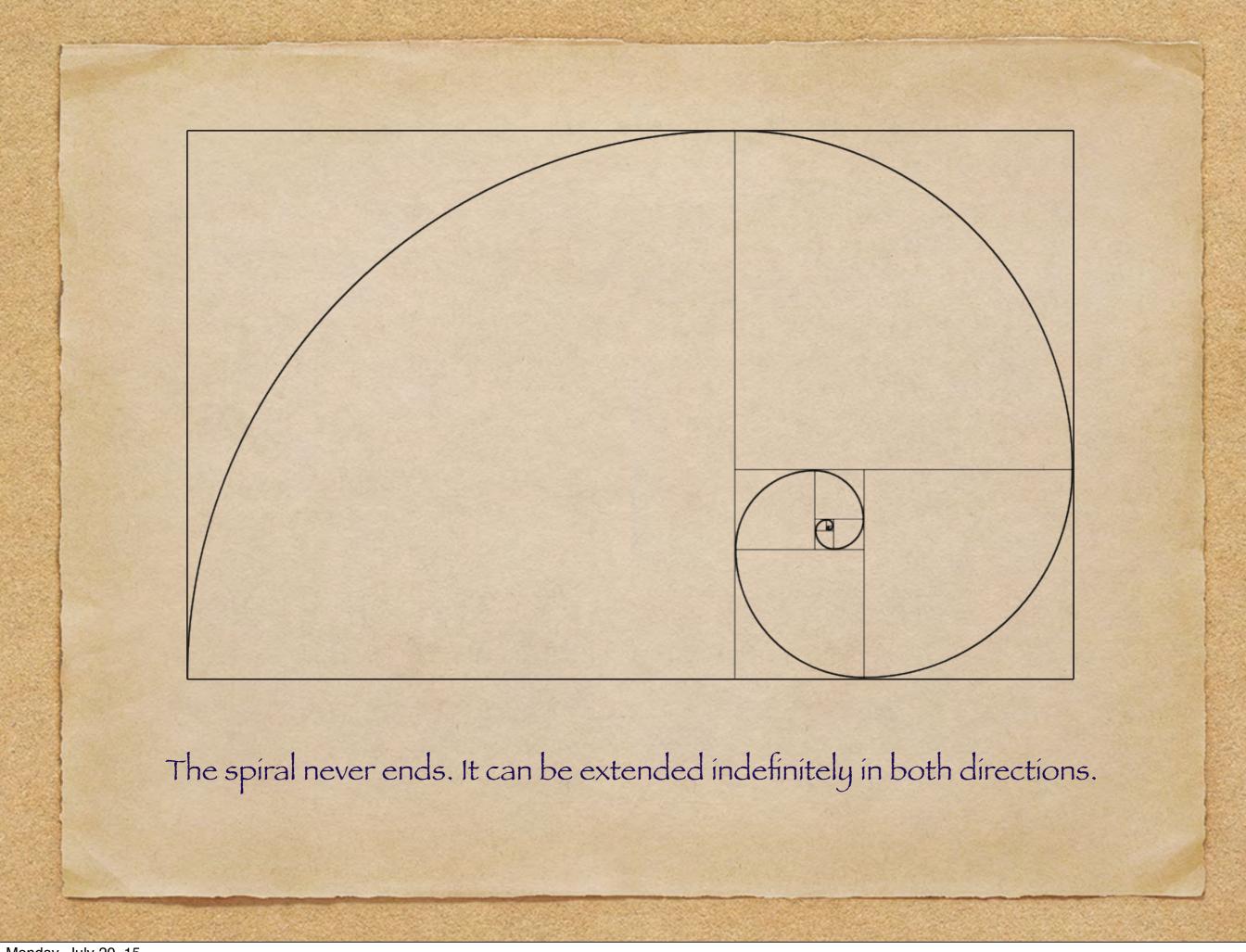
"Exoterically. This involves study of its form as a whole, of its lines, and therefore of its numerical significance, and also study of its sectional forms—by which I mean its arrangements."

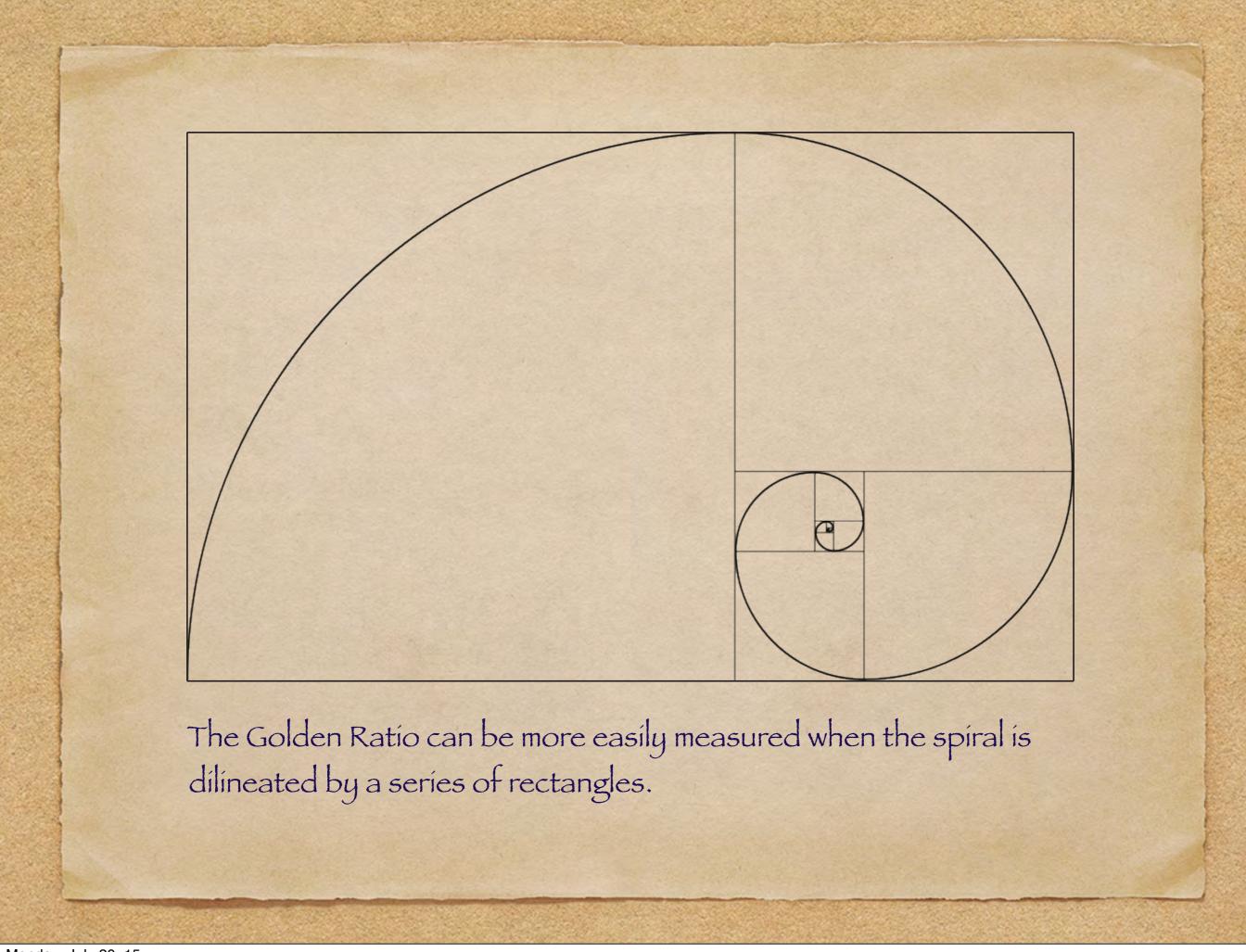
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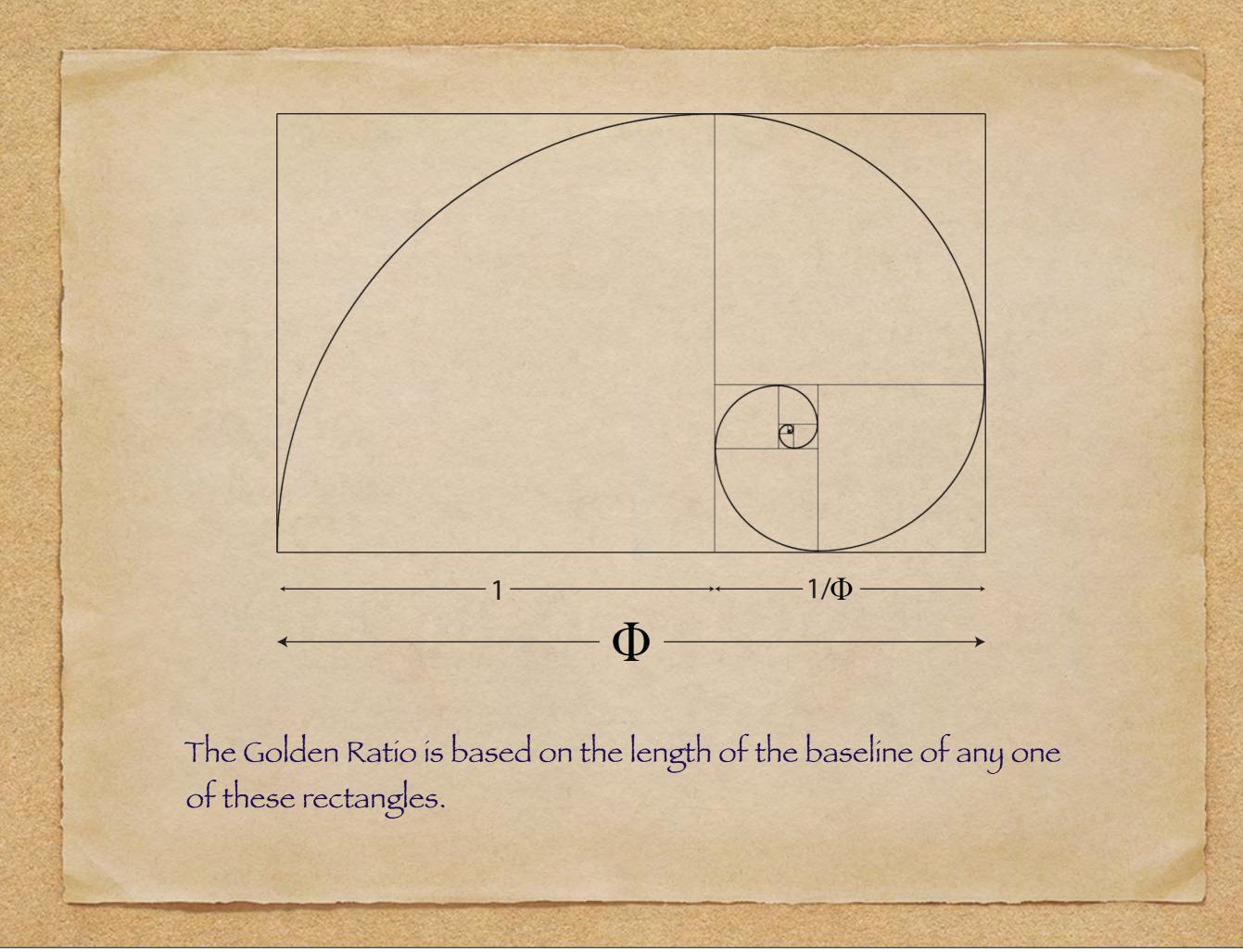
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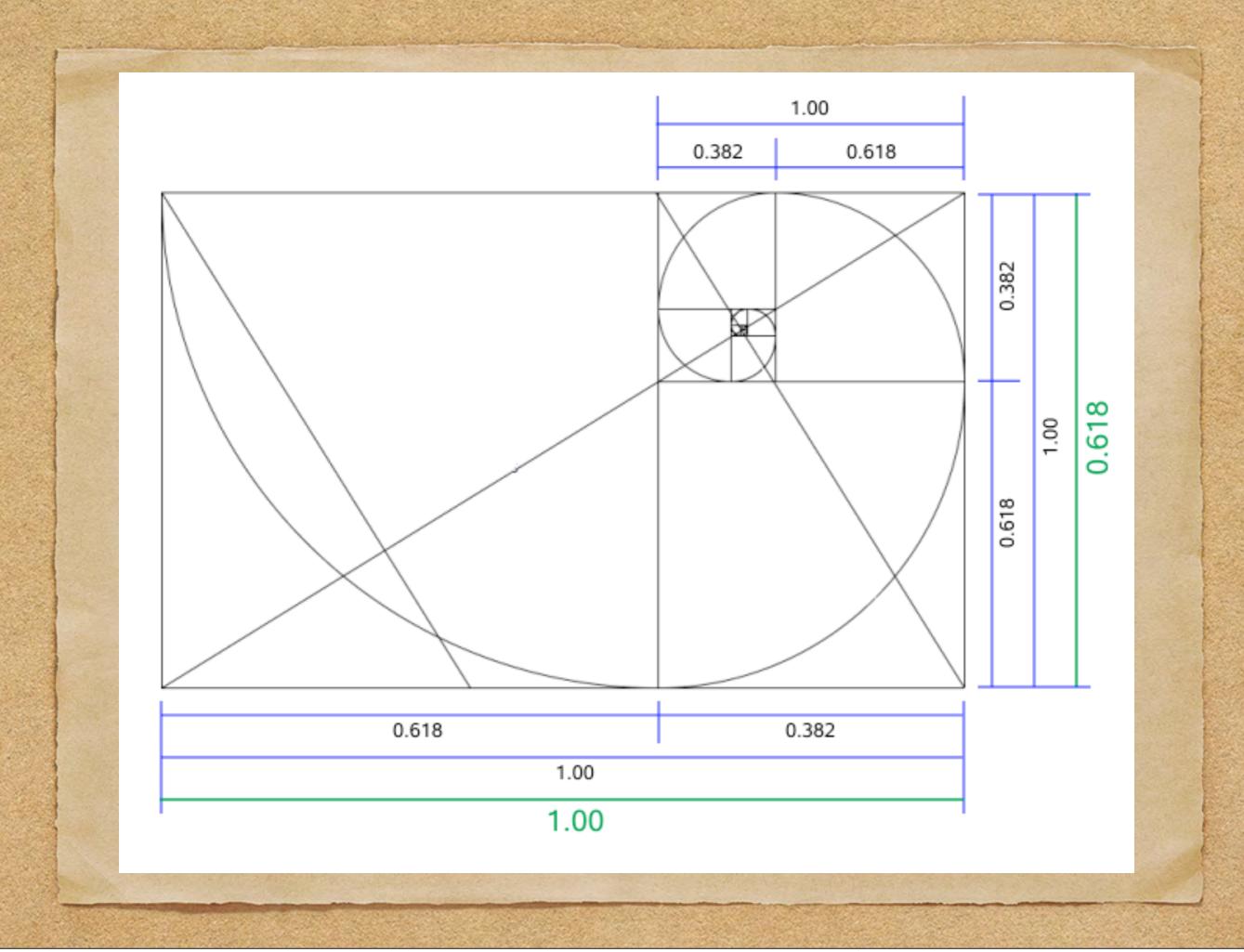
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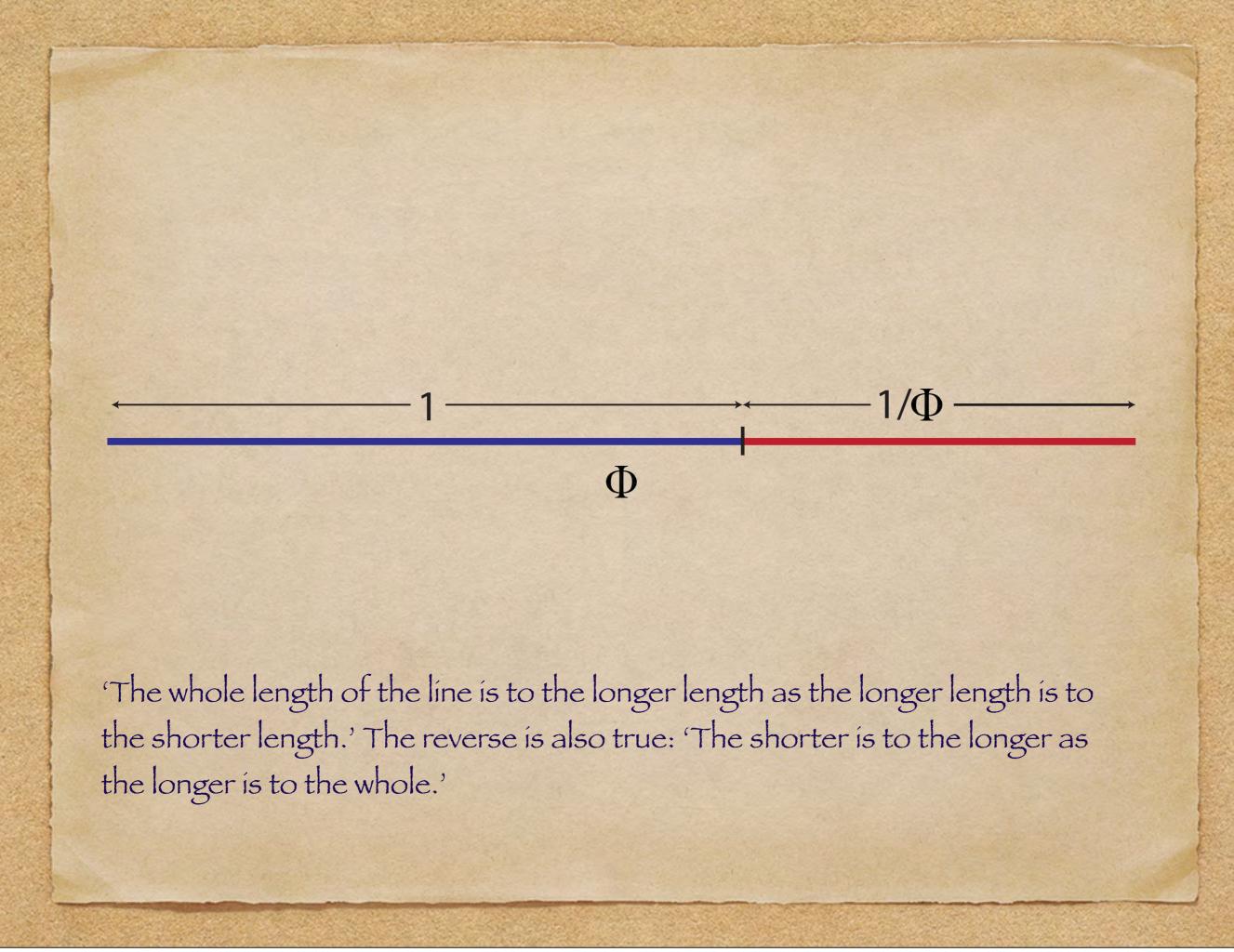


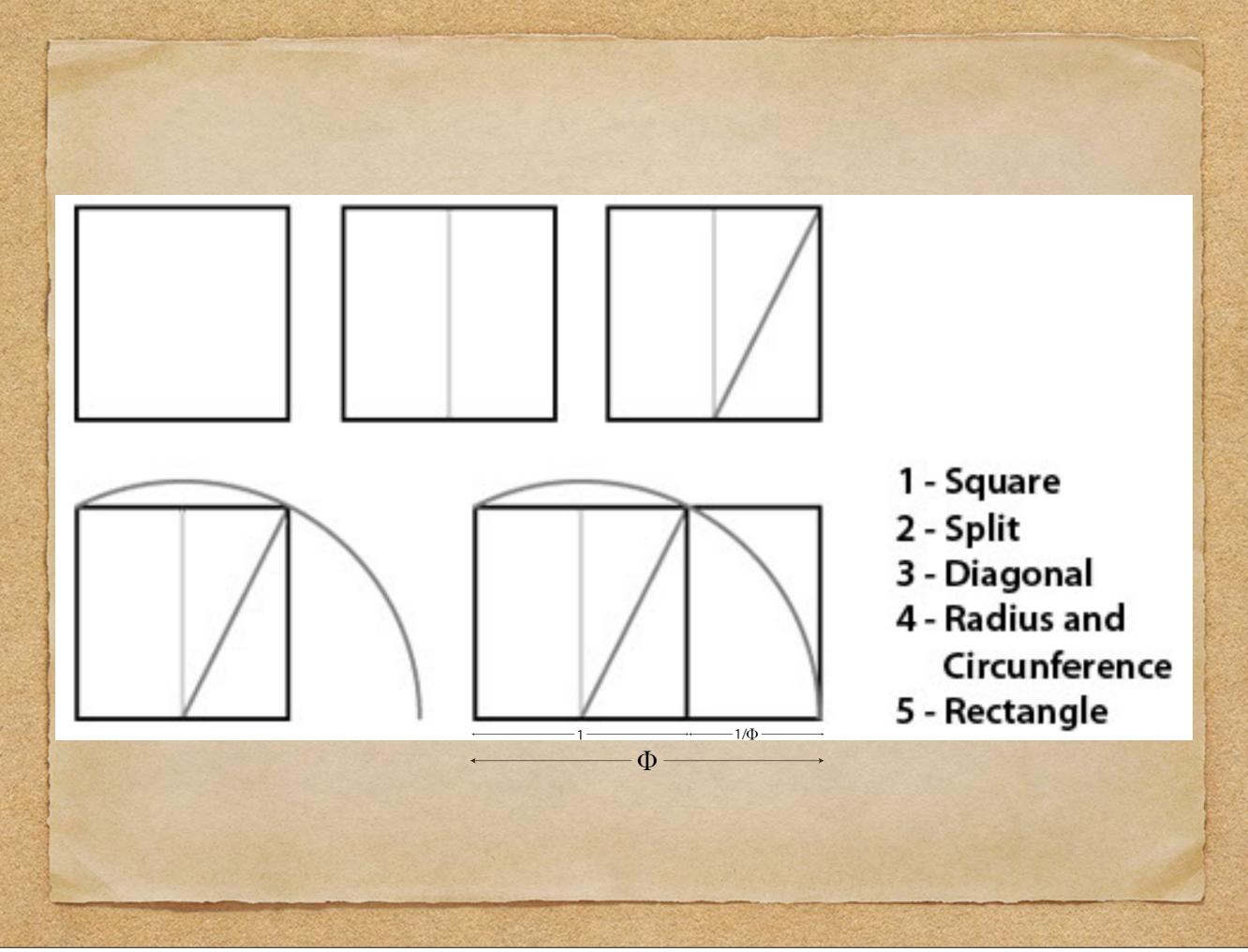


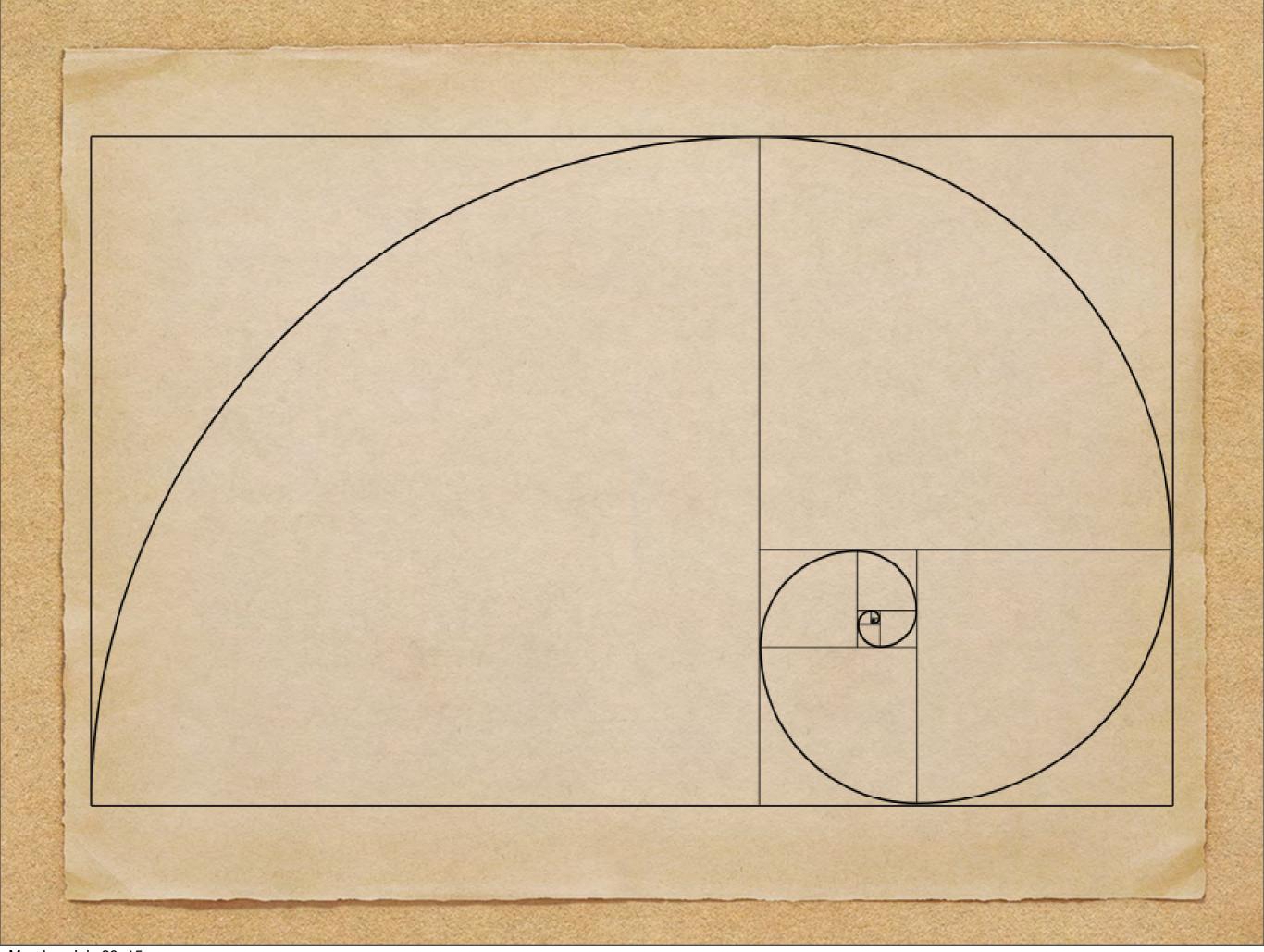


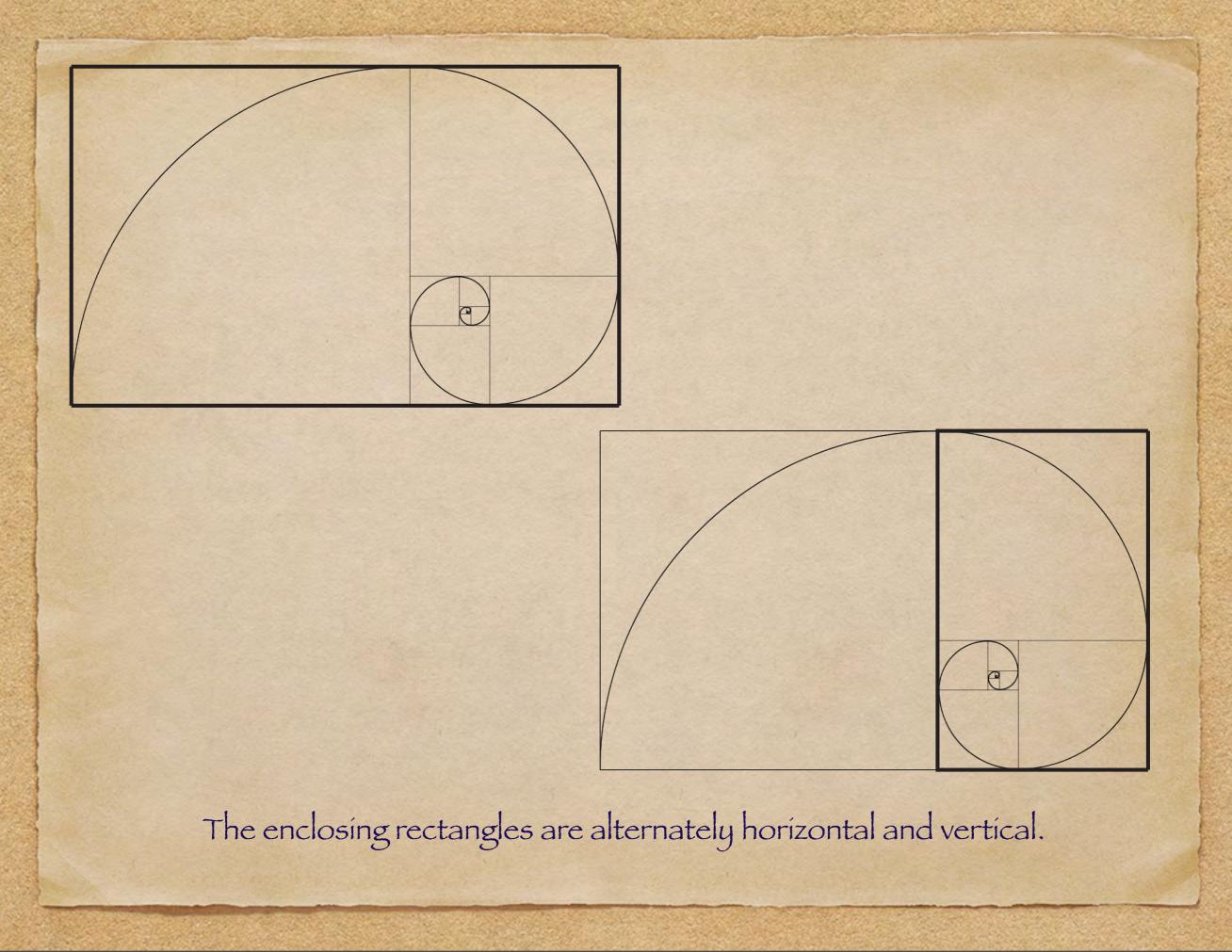


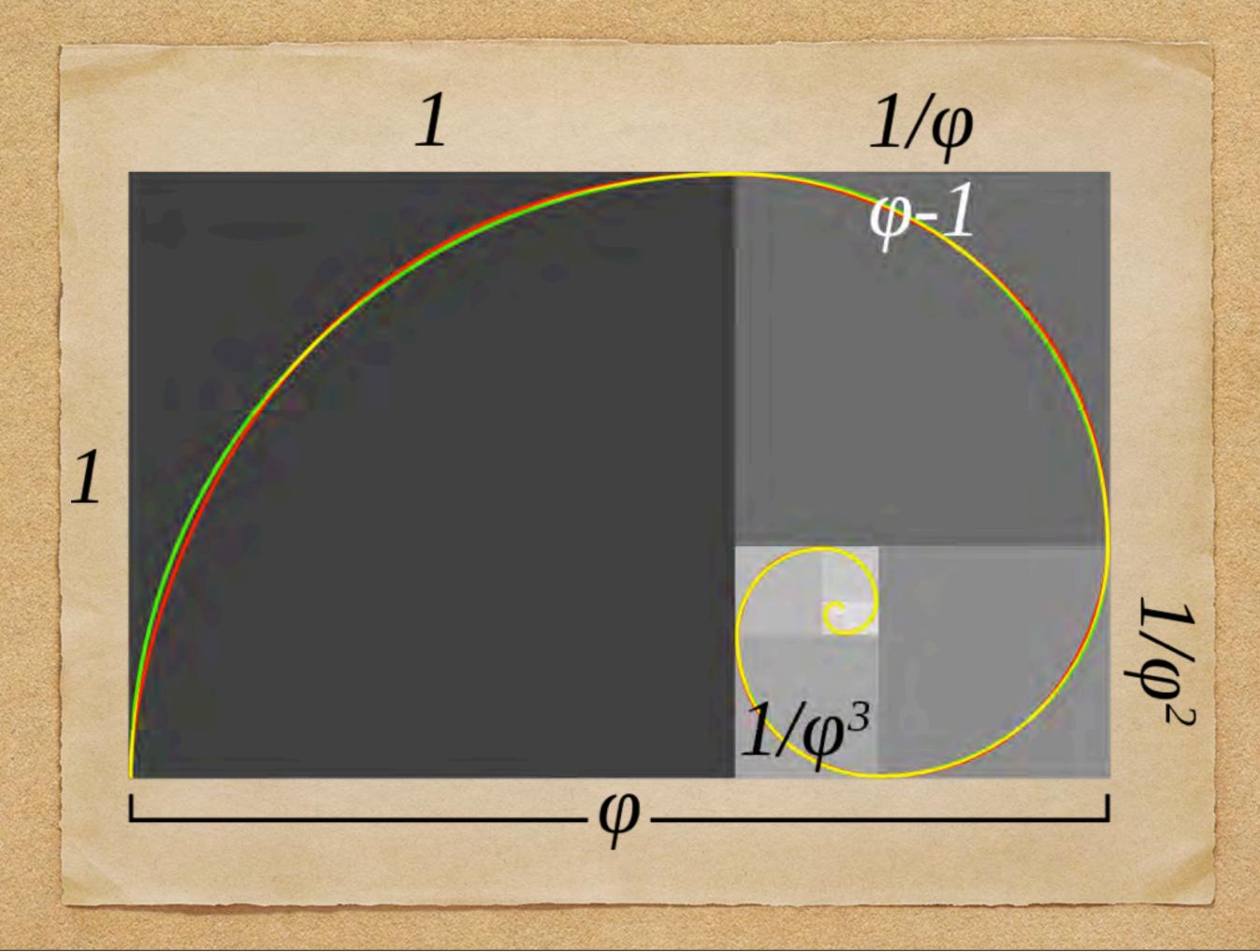


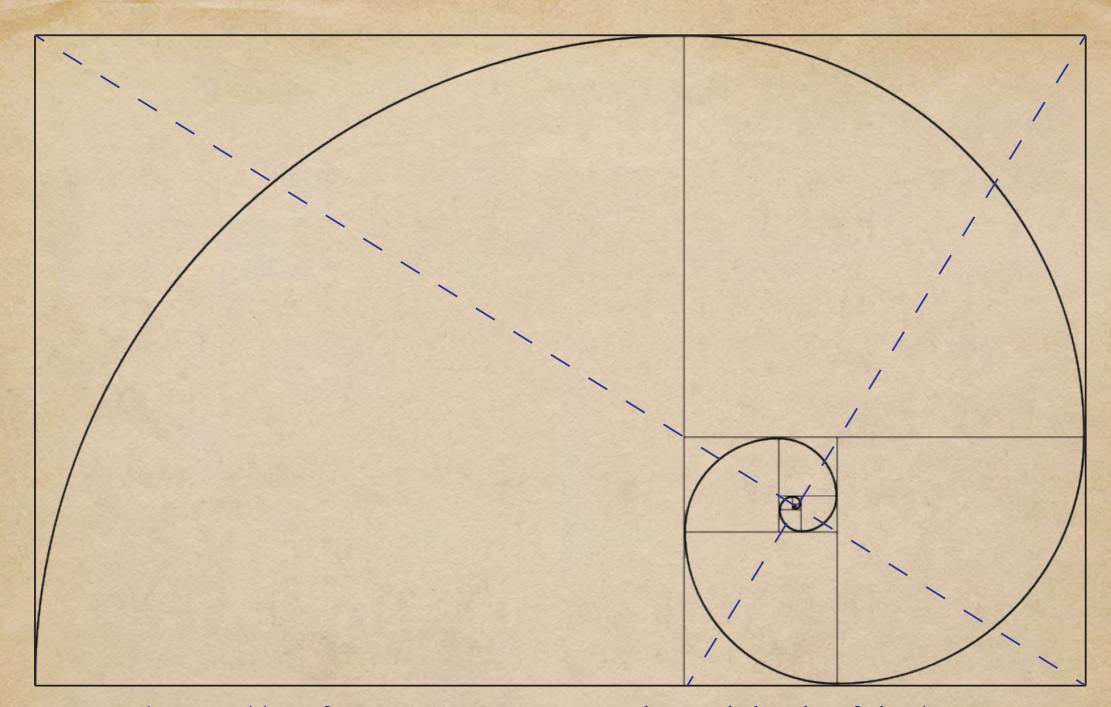




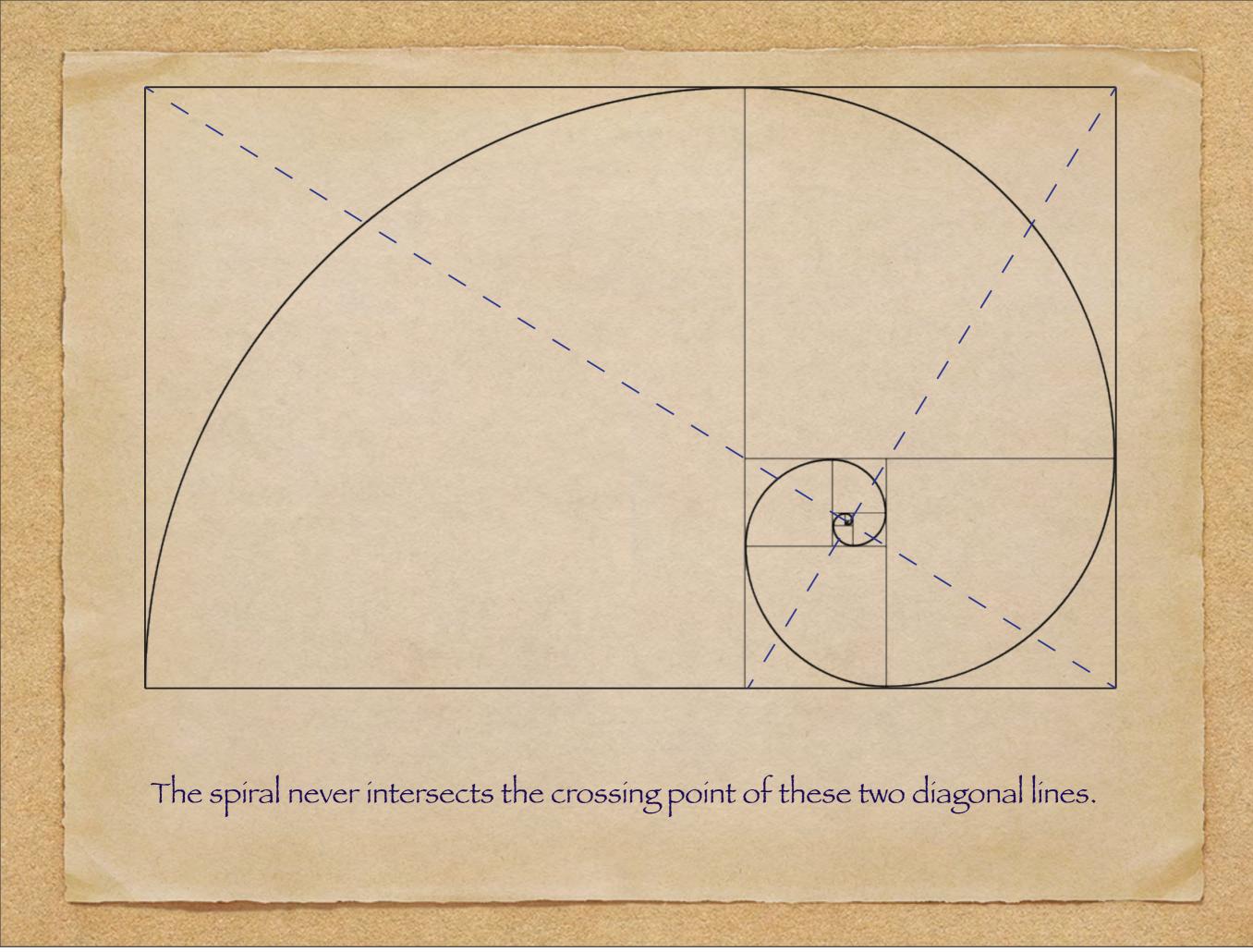


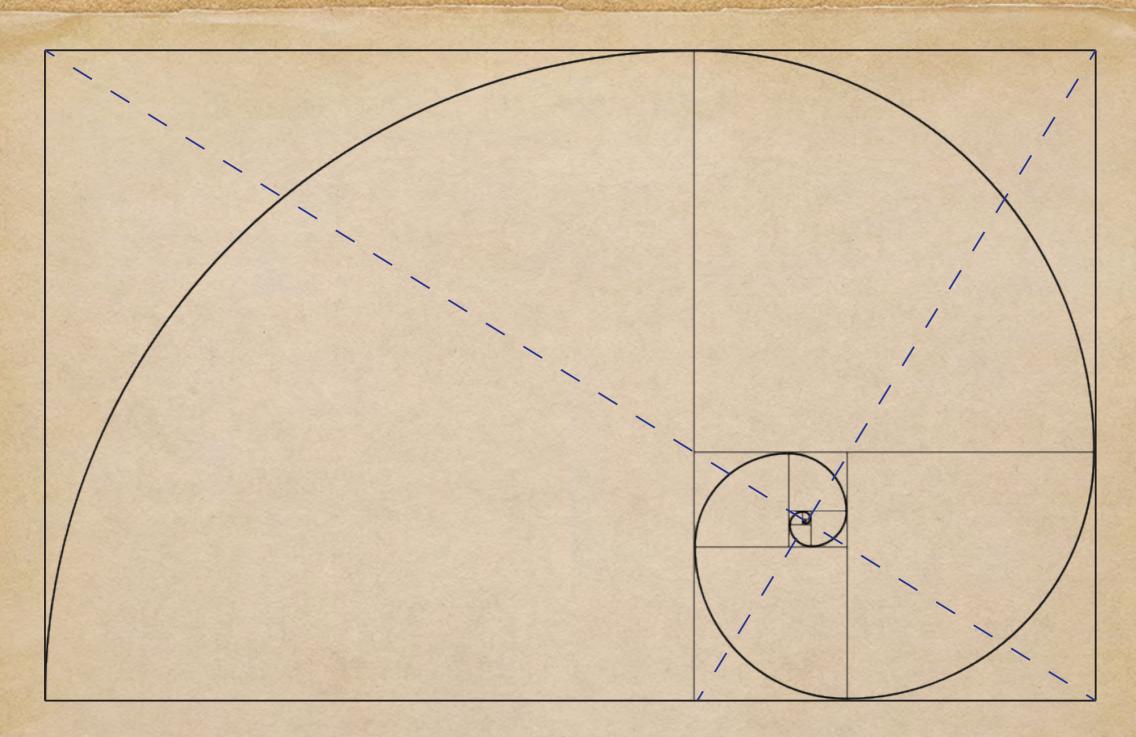






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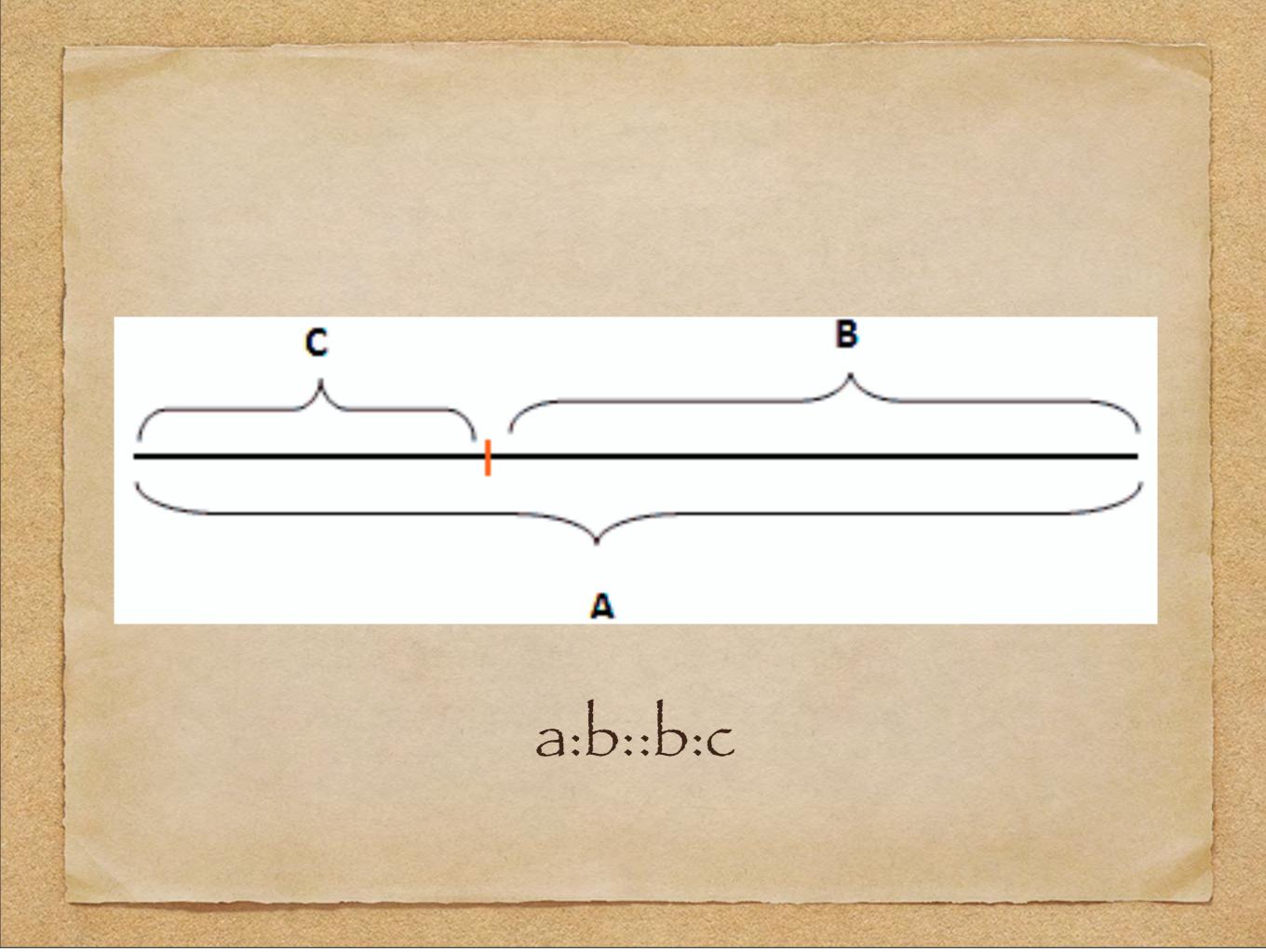
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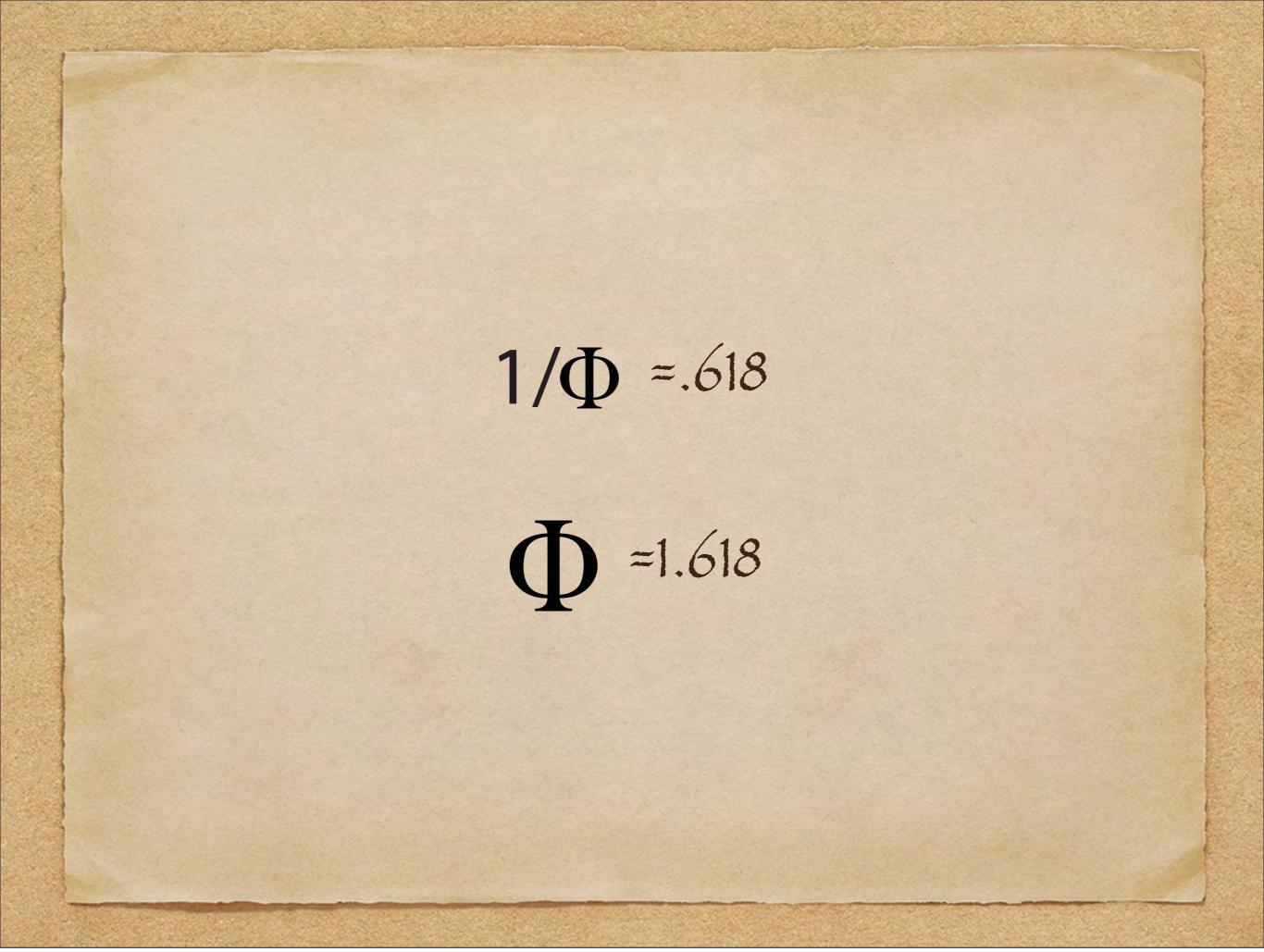


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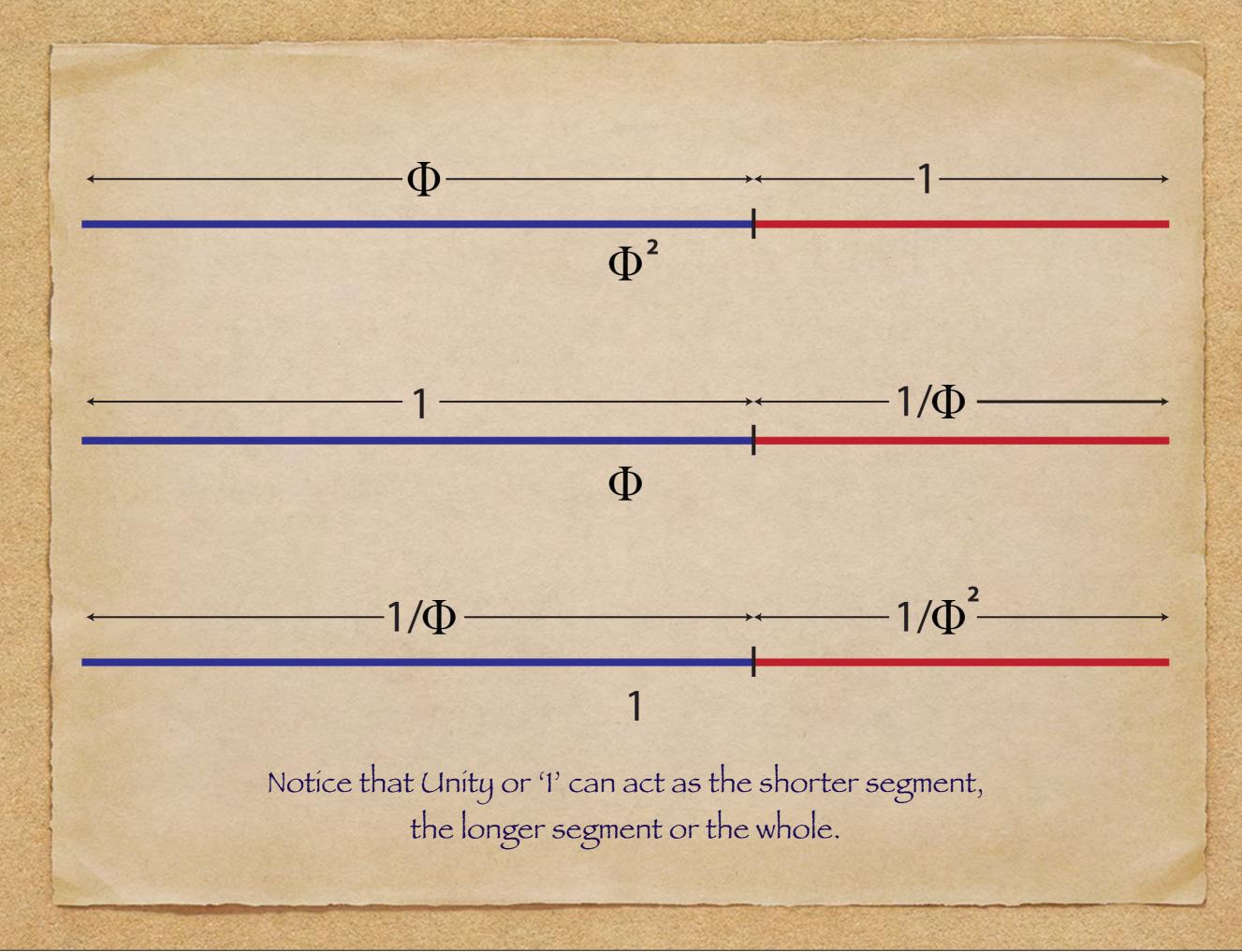
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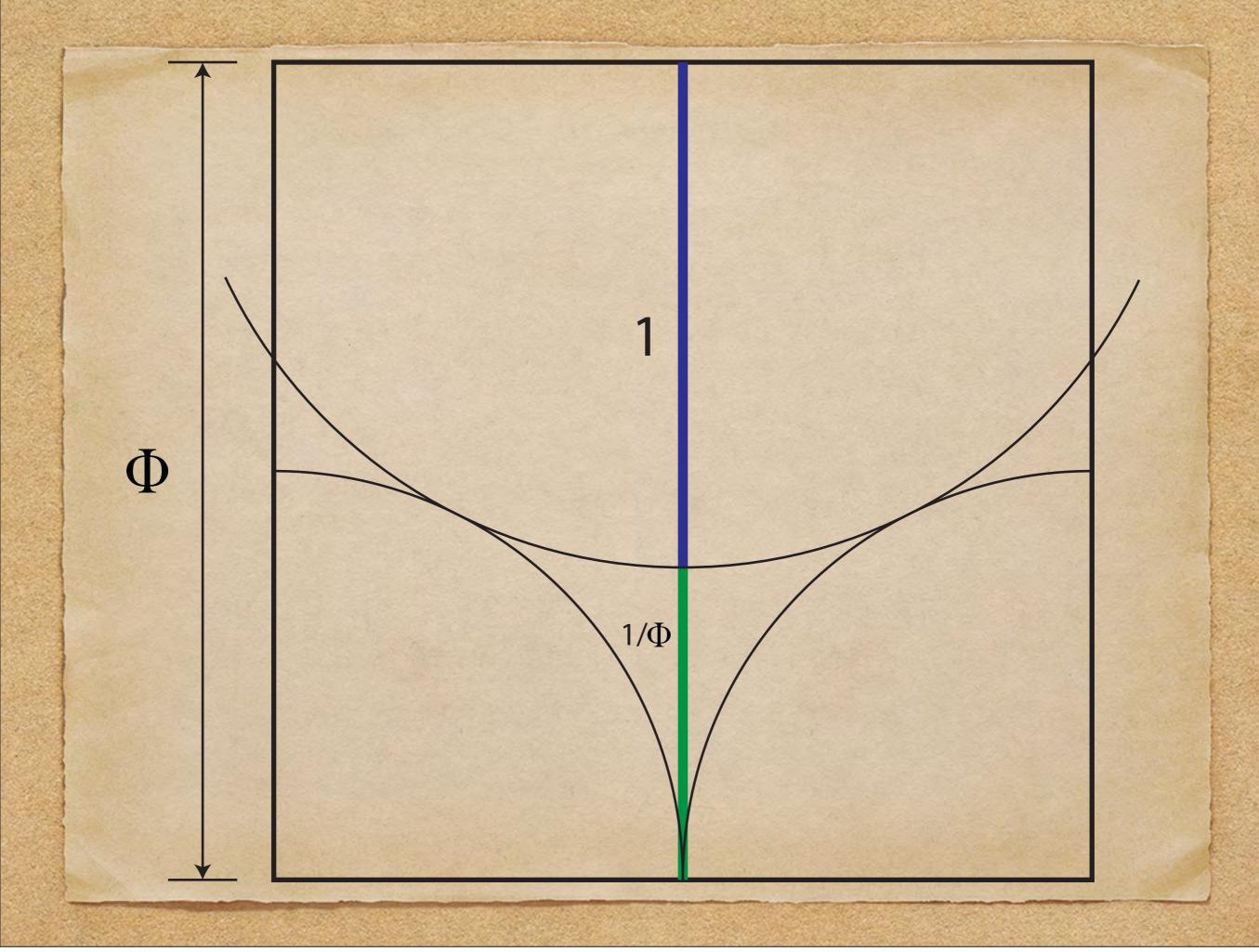
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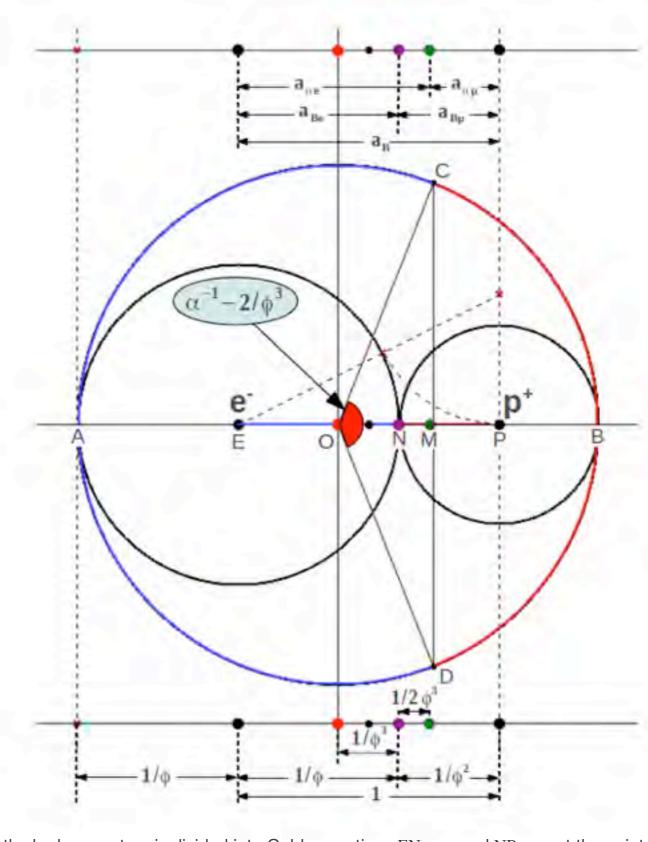


"b. Conceptually. This involves arriving at its underlying idea, which may be expressed in its name; at its meaning as that emerges in the consciousness through meditation; and at its significance as a whole or in part. You should, when doing this, bear in mind that the idea connotes the higher or abstract intent; that the meaning is that intent expressed in terms of the concrete mind; and that its significance has in it more of an emotional quality and might be expressed as the type of desire it arouses in you."

Glamor, A World Problem, AAB

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- The rectangles chart the Golden Ratio expressed by the spiral.
- Any fragment of this spiral expresses the Golden ratio because the ratio is inherent in the dynamic curve of the spiral itself.
- The spiral is infinite. It can be extended indefinitely in both directions.
- The Golden Ratio can be determined or measured when the spiral is enclosed in a series of rectangles.
- The Golden Ratio is based on the length of the baseline of any one of these rectangles.
- · 'The whole length of the line is to the longer length as the longer length is to the shorter length.'
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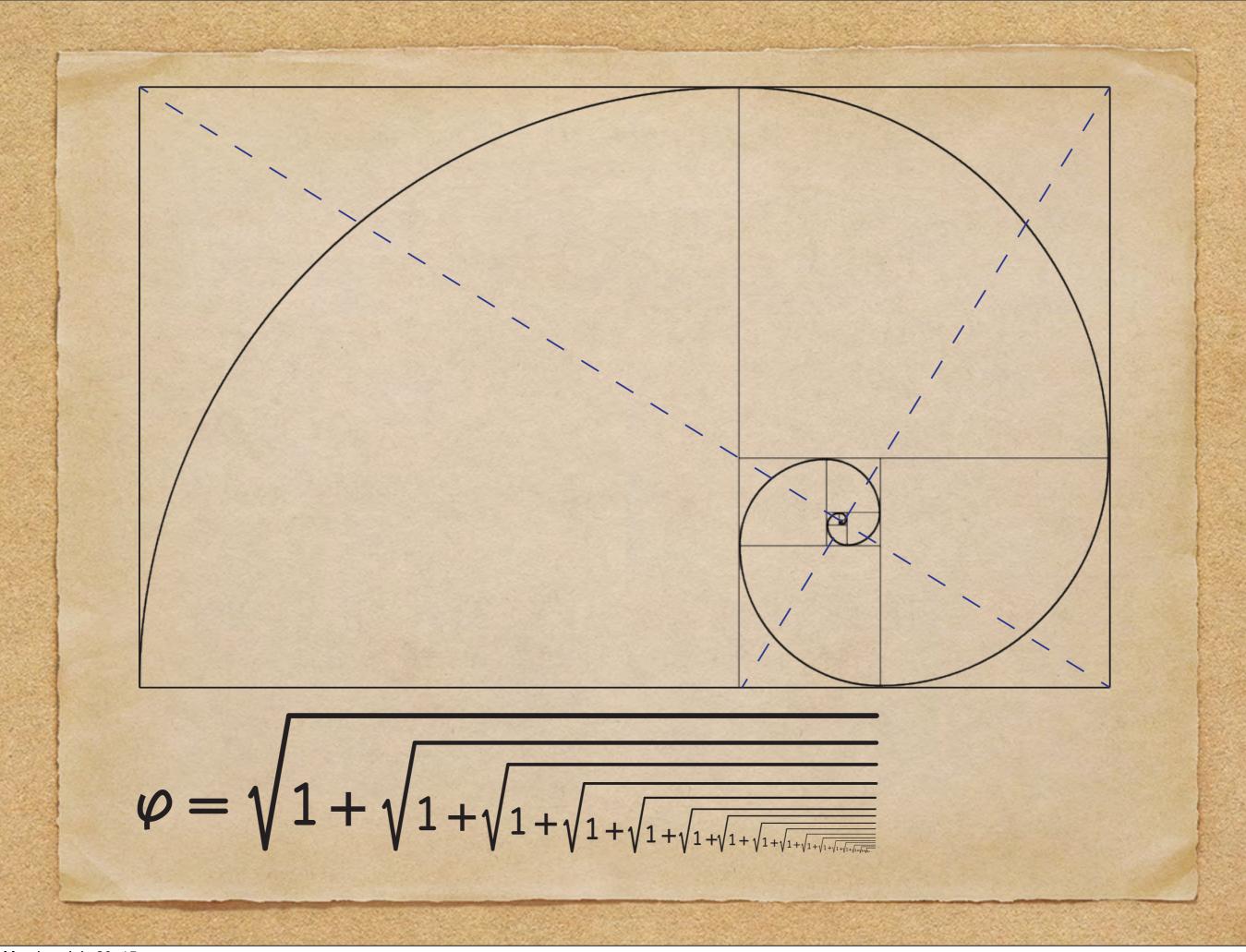
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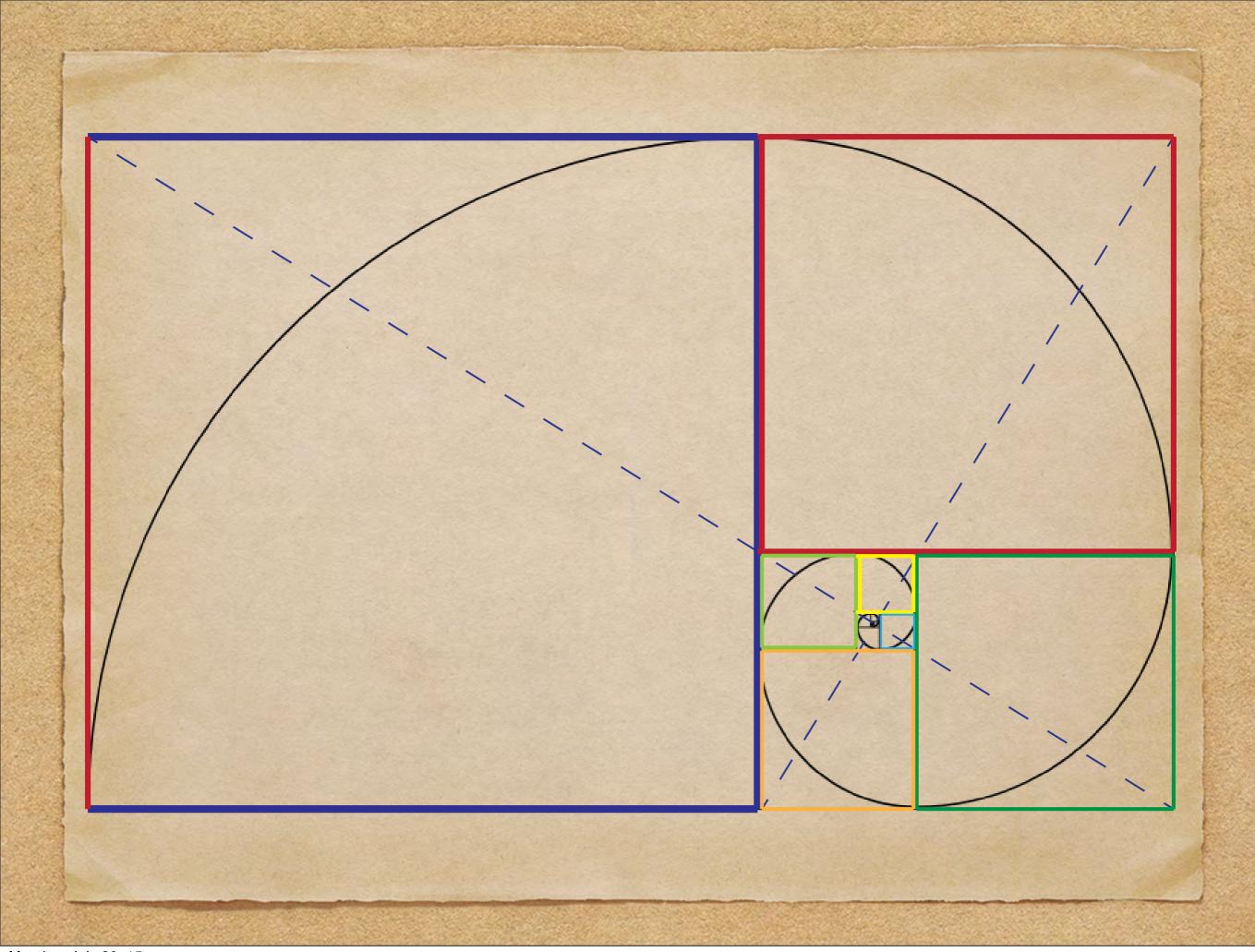


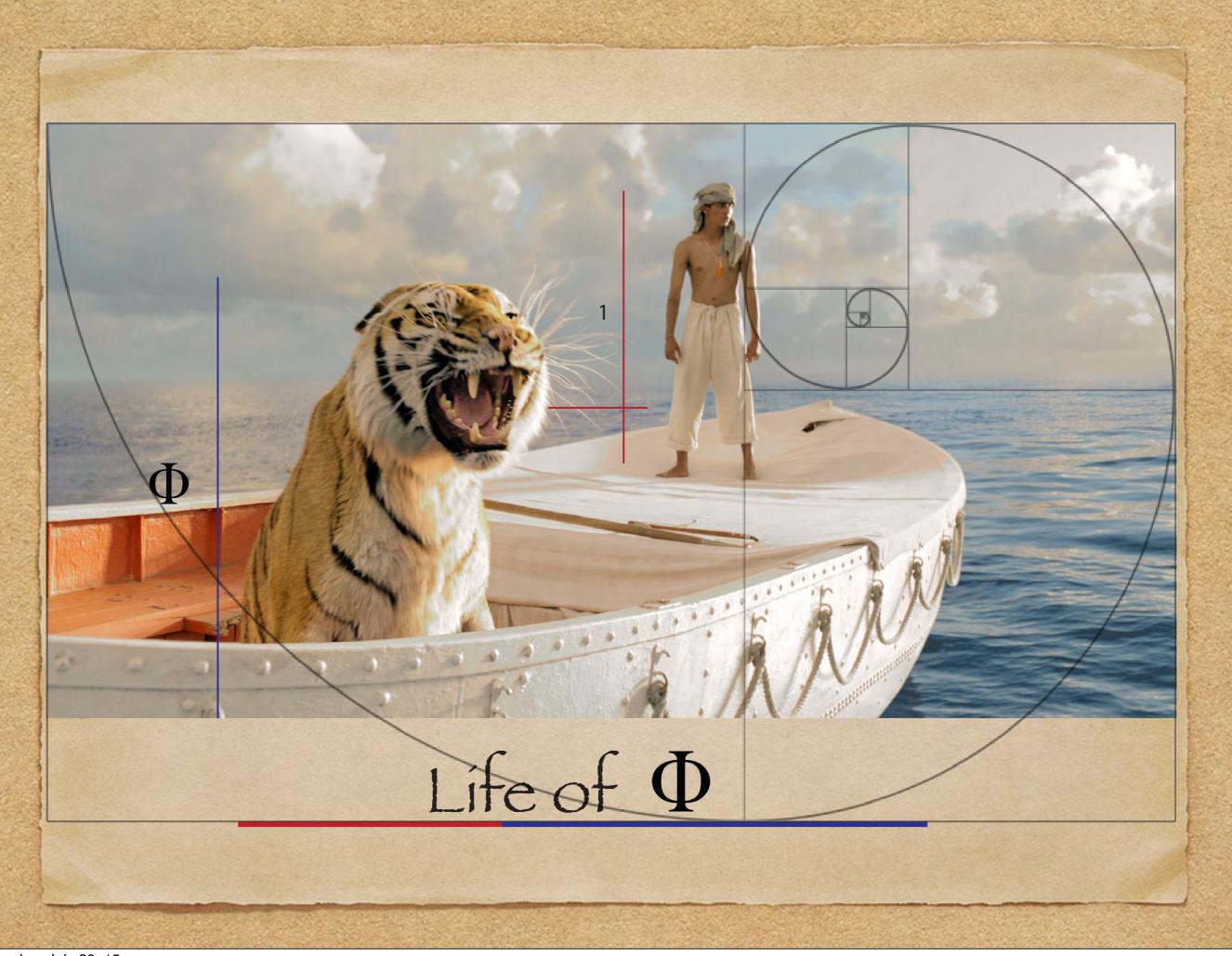


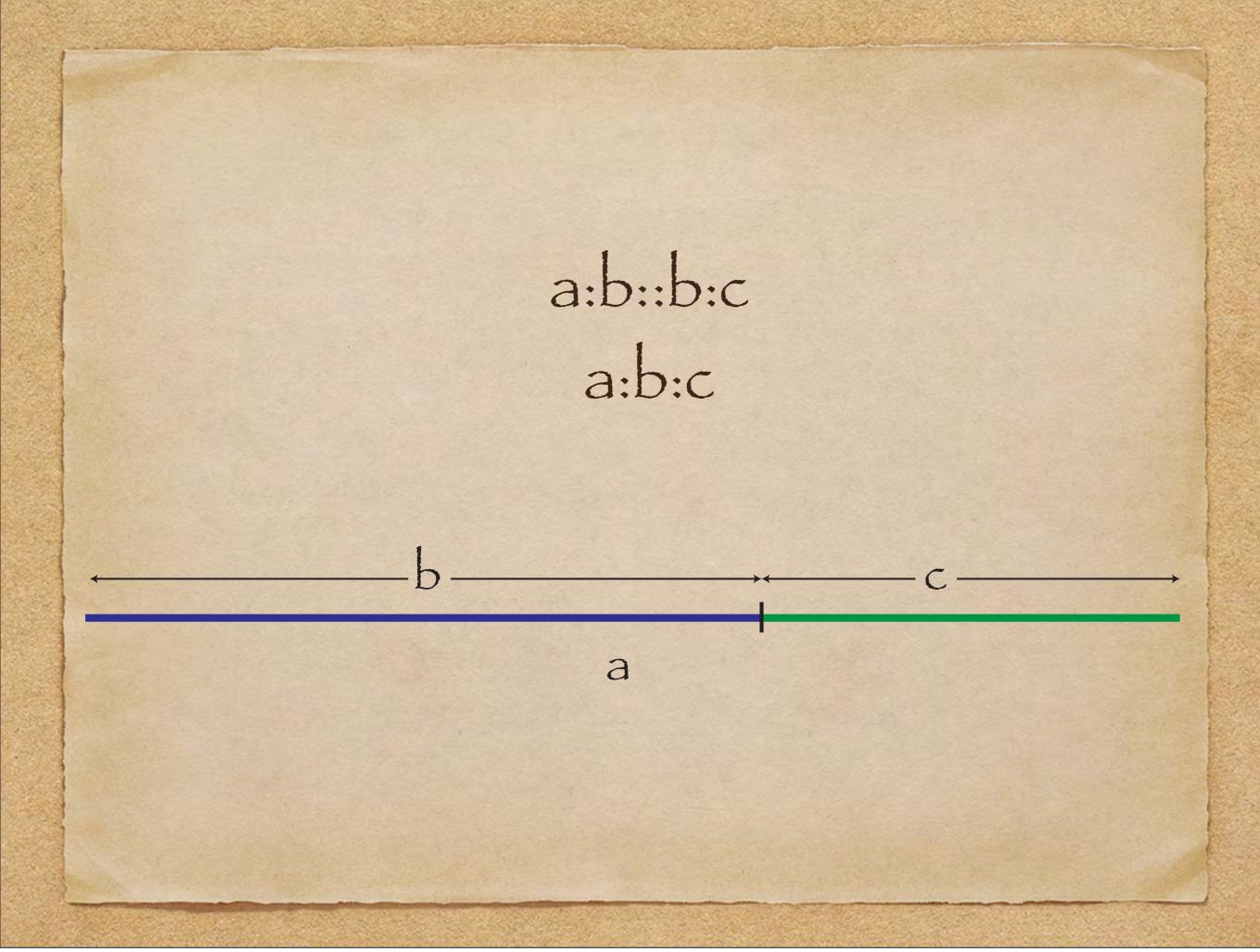
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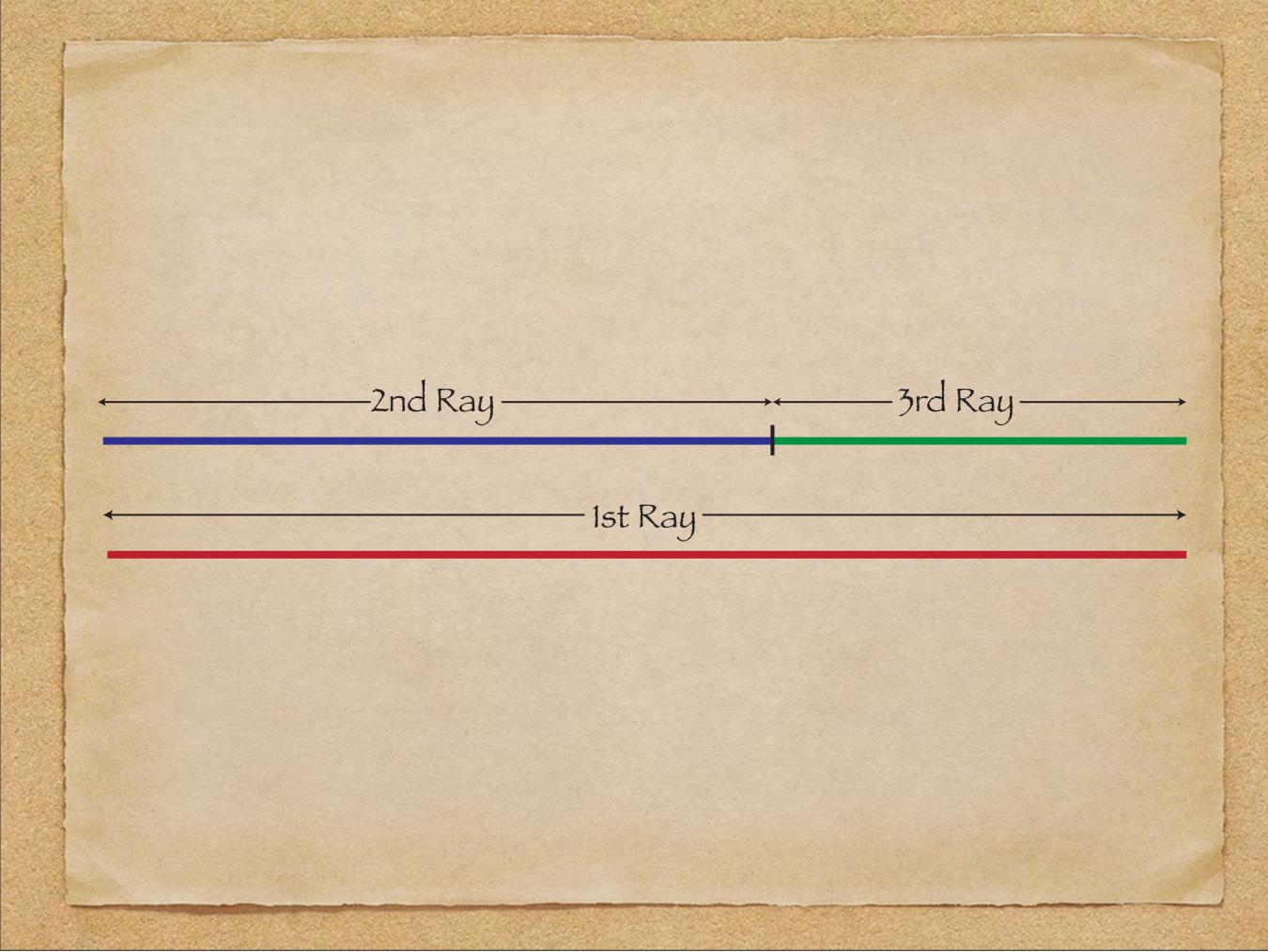
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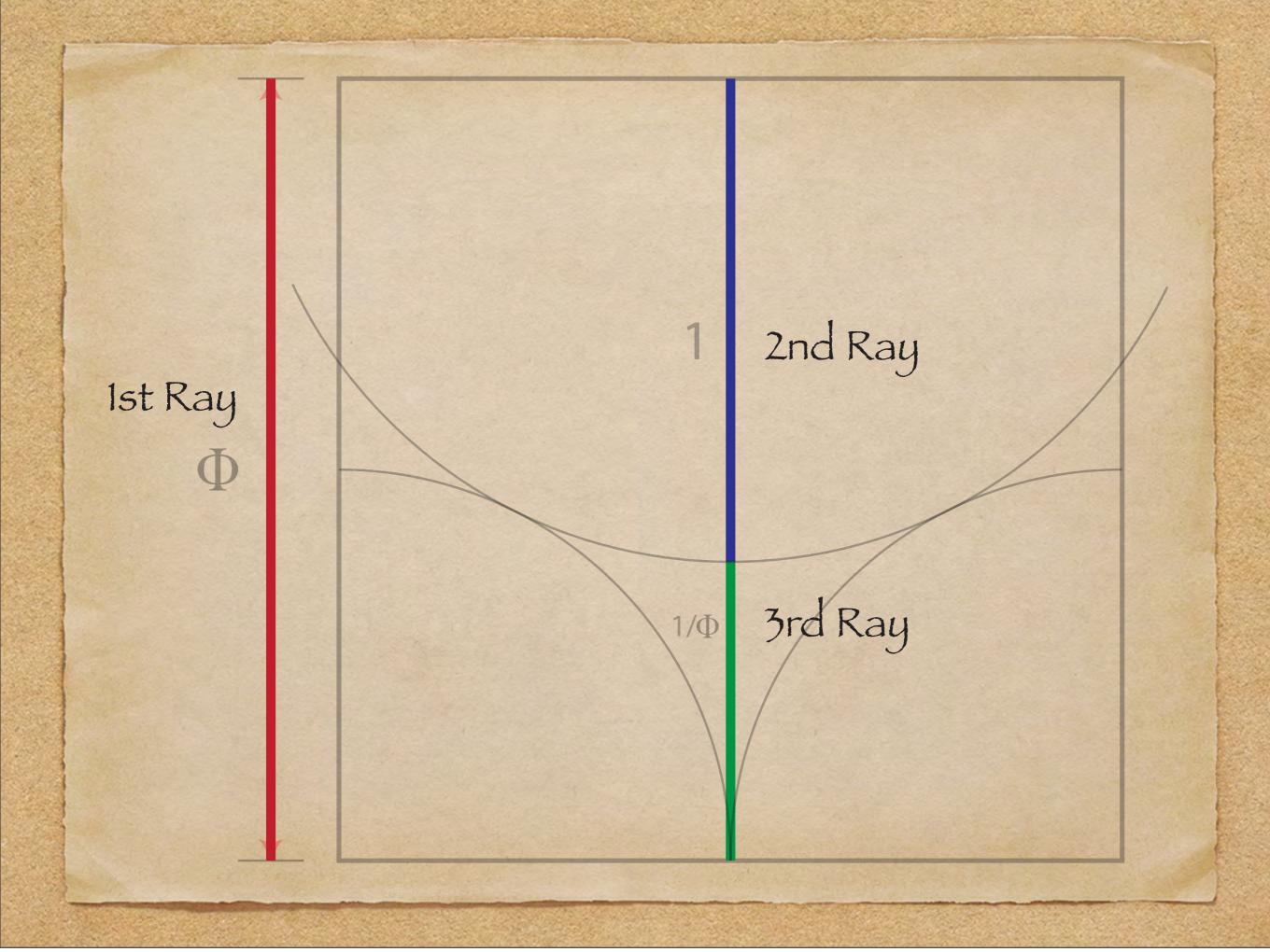


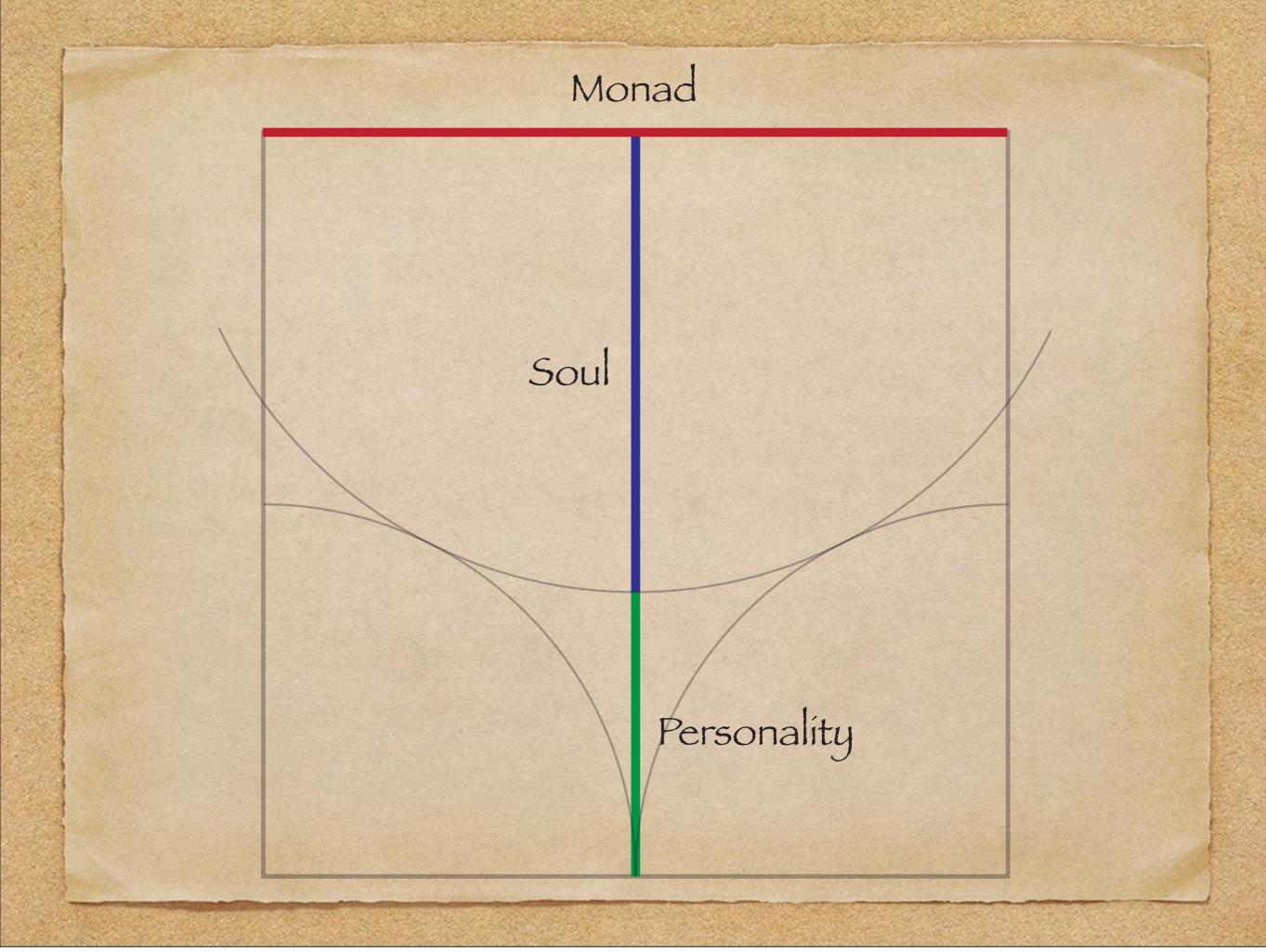


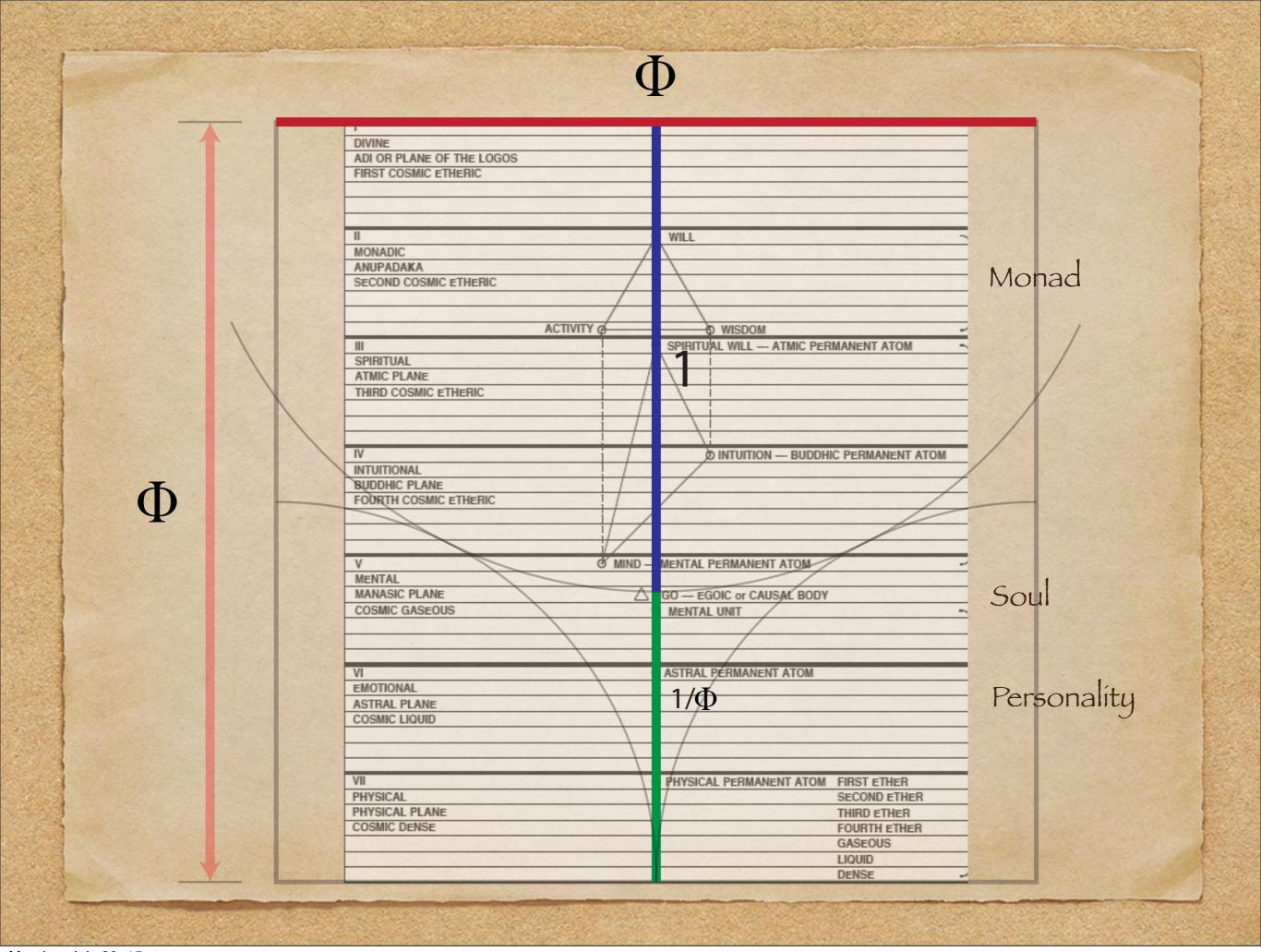


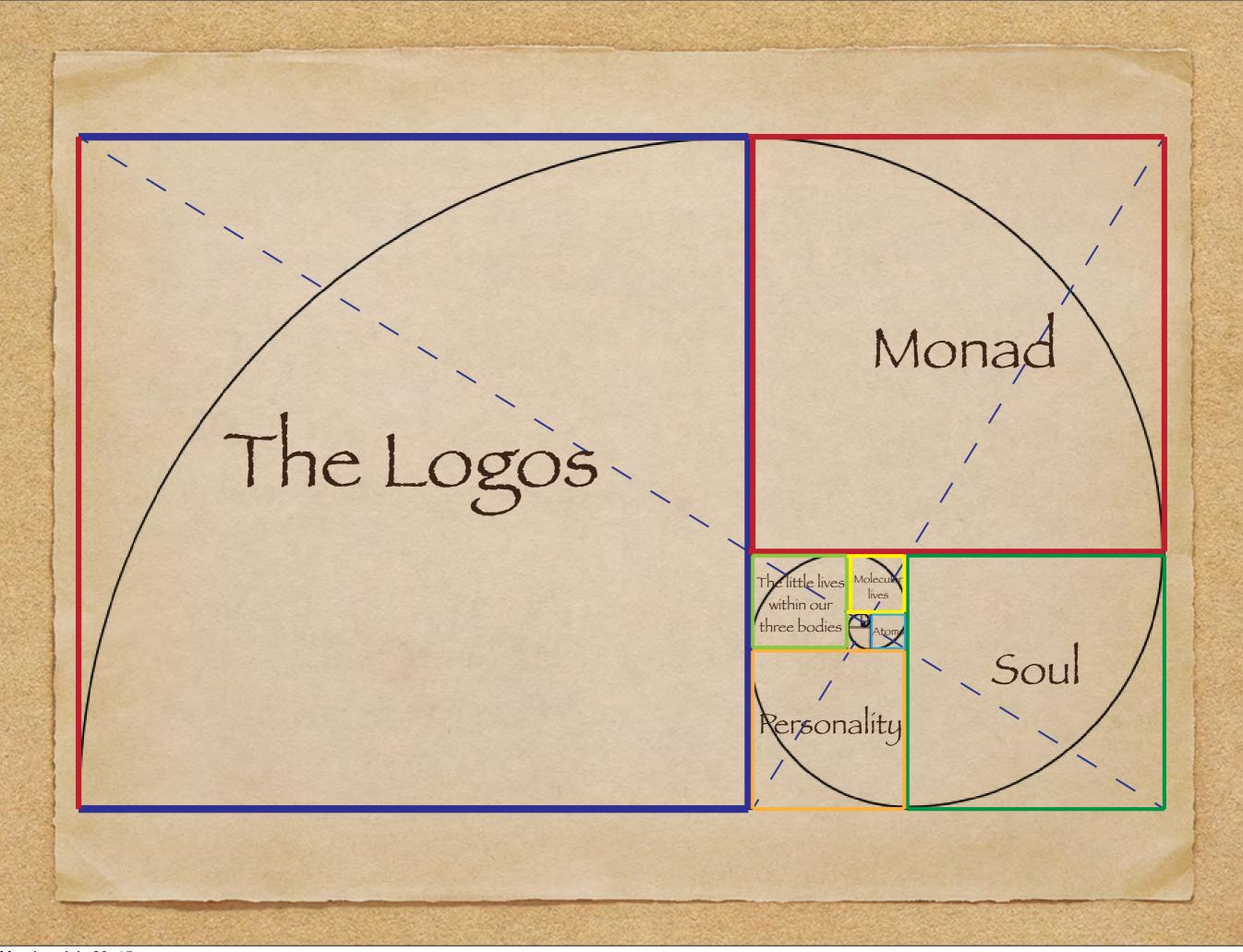




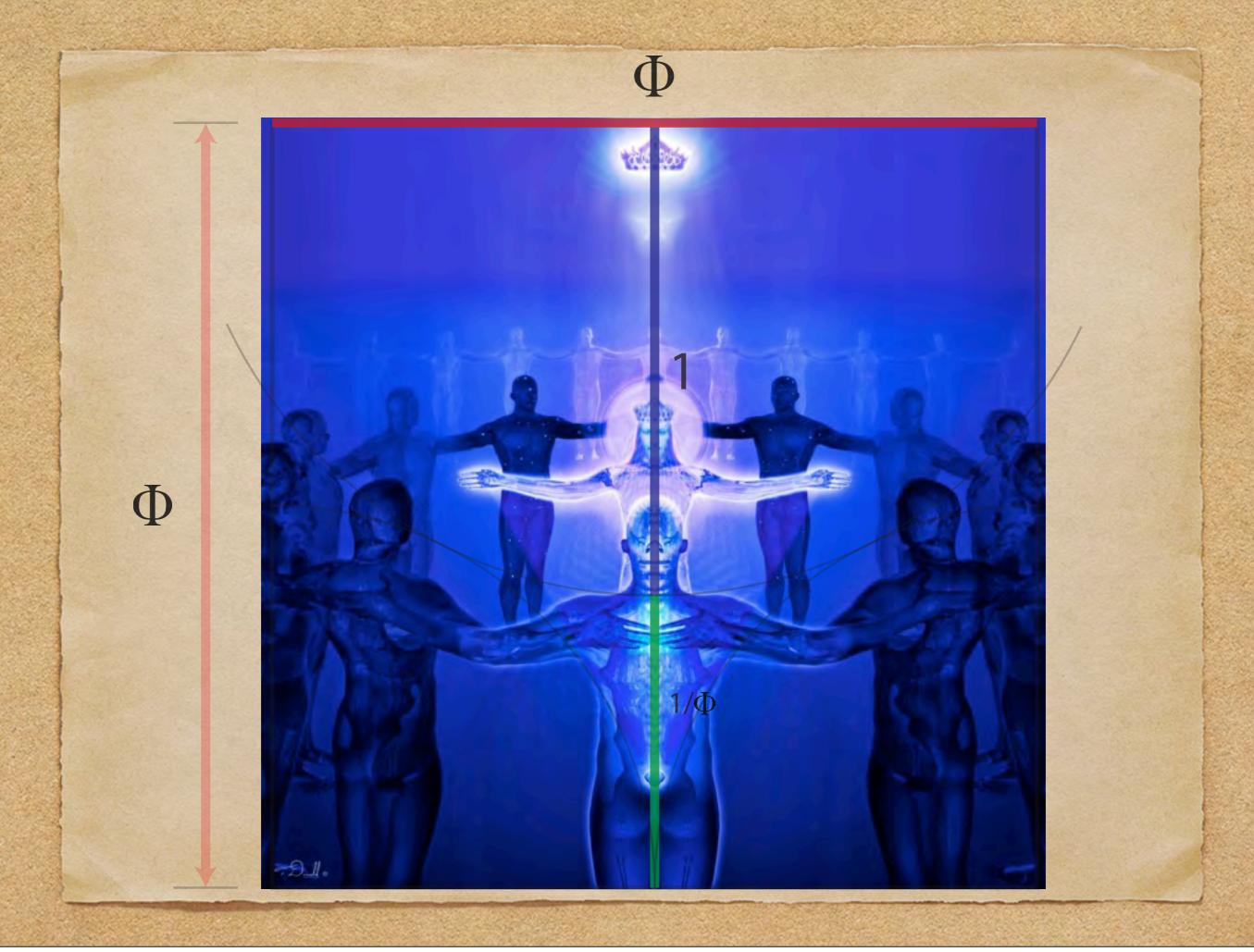


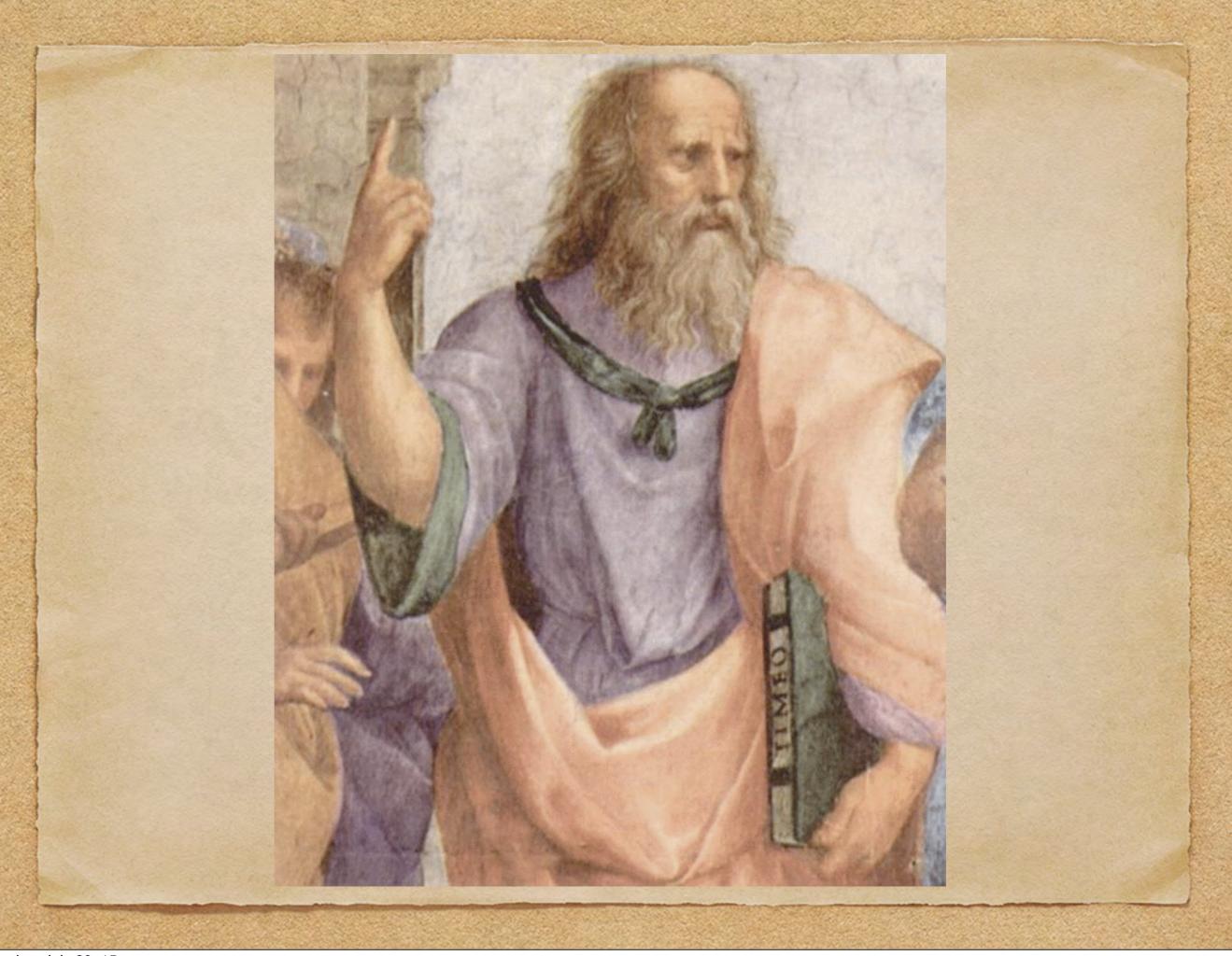


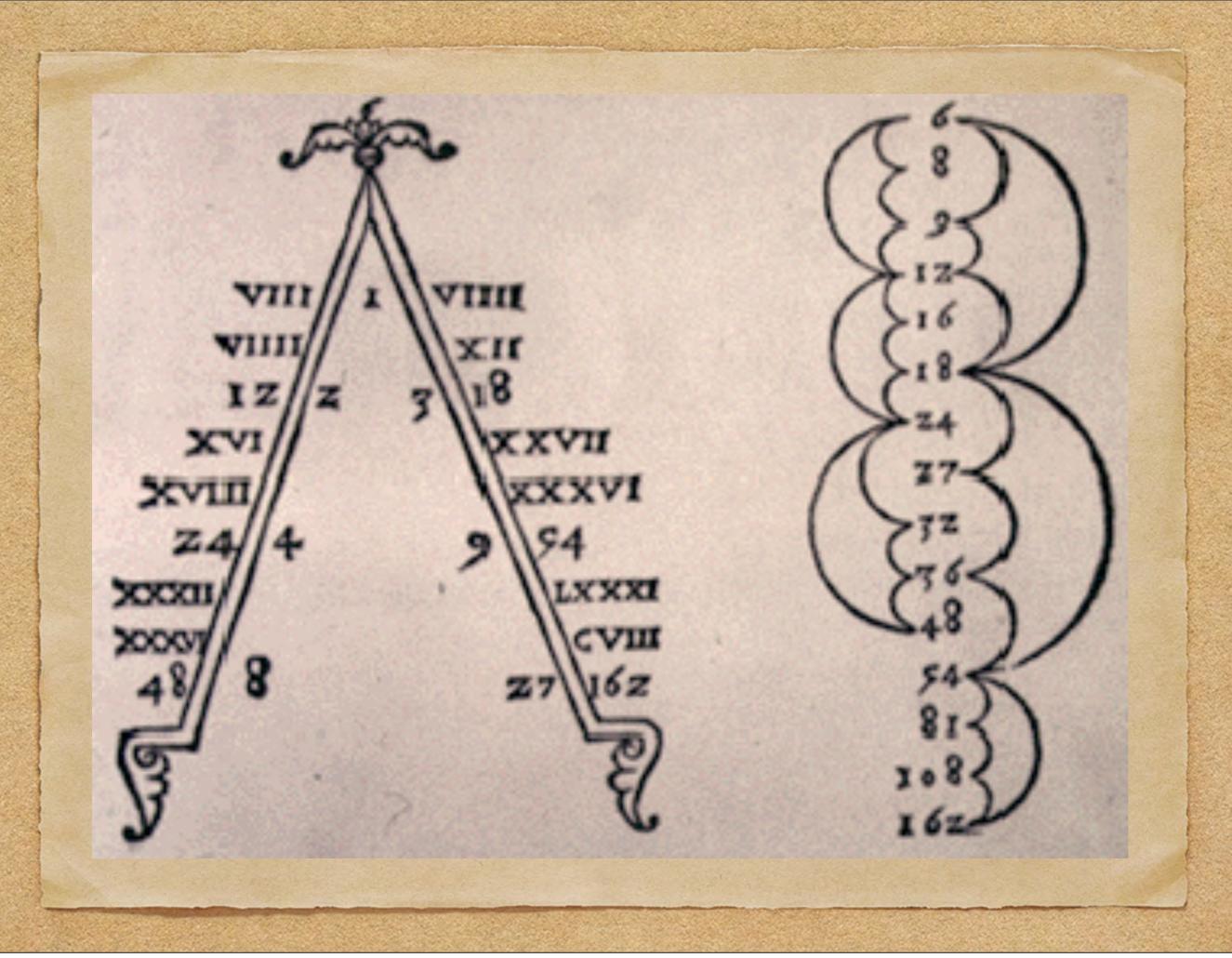


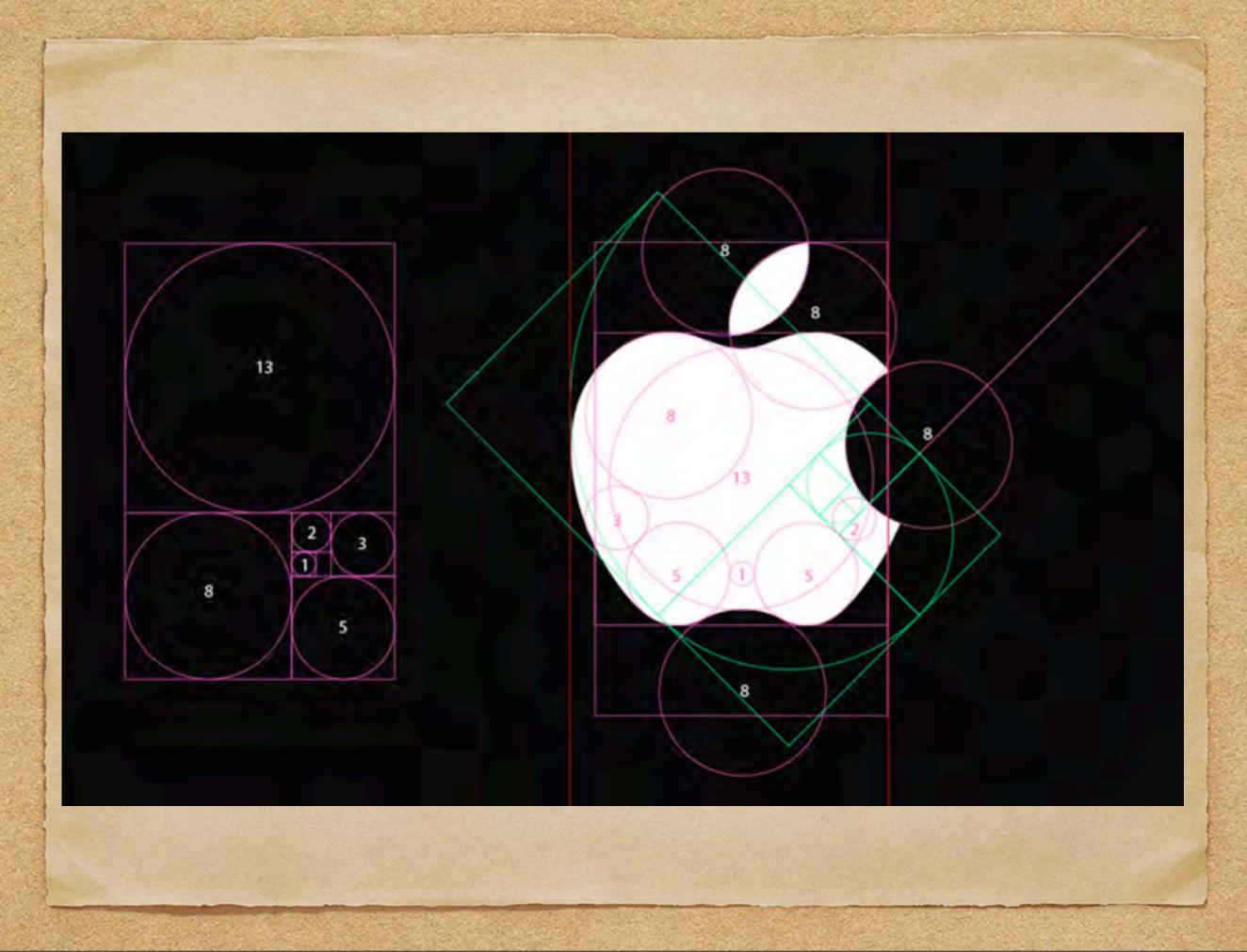


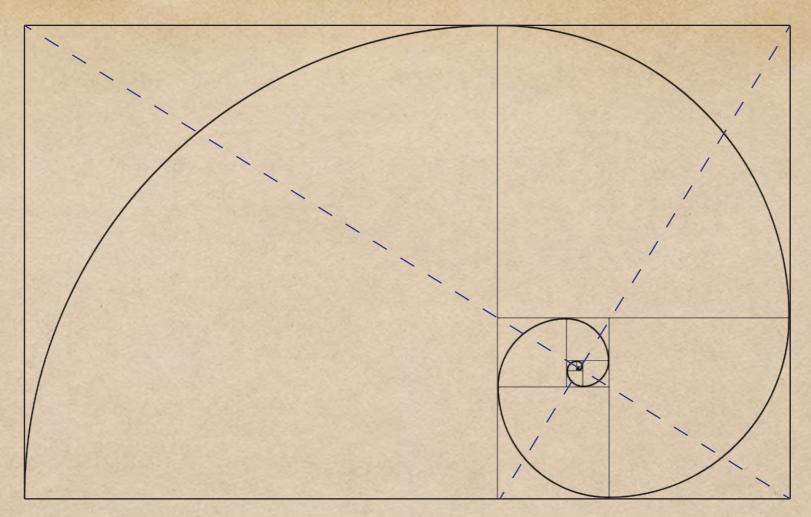












"c. Esoterically. This would cover the effect of the force or energy upon you and of the quality of the vibration it may arouse in you, perhaps in some centre, perhaps in your astral body, or perhaps only in your mind." Glamor, A World Problem, AAB

## Reading List

- 1. The chapters on the number five in The Key To The Universe v. 1 by Hariette and Homer Curtiss.
- 2. The chapters on the number five in A
  Beginner's Guide To Constructing The Universe
  by Michael Schneider.
- 3. The Golden Section by Scott Olsen.
- 4. Sacred Geometry, p. 44-64, by Robert Lawlor

## Stanza V

The Lords of Flame arose and prepared Themselves. It was decision's hour. The seven Lords of the seven spheres watched breathless the result. The great Lord of sphere the fourth awaited the oncoming.

The lower was prepared. The upper was resigned. The great Five waited for the point of equidistant merging. The foundation note ascended. Deep answered unto deep. The fivefold chord awaited the response from Those Whose hour had come.

Dark grew the space between the spheres. Radiant two balls became. The threefold thirty-five, finding the distance just, flashed like a sheet of intermittent flame, and lo, the work was done. The great Five met the Three and Four. The point intermediate was achieved. The hour of sacrifice, the sacrifice of Flame, arrived, and for æons hath endured. The timeless Ones entered into time. The Watchers began Their task, and lo, the work proceeds.

