

Re: The Ignoble Origins of Science

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"Visual Purple" <DoreenDotan@xxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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> Scientists delight in disparaging mystics and those on spiritual
> quests. Though they may concern themselves with ethics as individuals
> and in an ad hoc manner, few scientists will allow that one's moral
> and/or spiritual orientation or level of development will affect the
> outcome of one's experimentation or theoretical calculations. Most
> scientists will tell you that the saint and the scoundrel will produce
> the exact same results in a laboratory if both keep to exactly the same
> algorithms.

This post really made me think....Mostly, when
will this imagined fatuous foolishness end, already?
Ta ta, I have to run now.

GWC

> This and more, most scientists are of the opinion that those who are
> spiritually inclined are those who are not capable of rigorous
> "scientific method" and/or "higher mathematics".
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> I will demonstrate that the very inverse is the case. Science is none
> other than degraded mysticism. Science was created for those who were
> not able to perceive or appreciate the depths of existence with awe by
> those who had this ability and wished to protect their Wisdom from
> non-initiates who would attempt to plunder their spiritual riches and
> use them for debased purposes. Science is, and was, created expressly
> for those who do not possess the ability to look into the Soul of
> matter. Science was a device for keeping the attention of those who
> could not be initiates into the secrets of Truth busy with what they
> imagined were very esoteric matters, but which were, in truth,
> meaningless activities.
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> It is commonly agreed that alchemy is the progenitor of science.
> Please see: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alchemy>
> As we can see alchemy is called "protoscience" and alchemists
> "pseudo-scientists".
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- > But what was alchemy? From whence came alchemy?
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- > The answer lies here: "But it (Hermetic Philosophy) is not found in
- > books, to any great extent. It has been passed along from Master to
- > Student; from Initiate to Hierophant; from lip to ear. When it was
- > written down at all, *its meaning was veiled in terms of alchemy and
- > astrology so that only those possessing the key could read it aright.
- > This was made necessary in order to avoid the persecutions of the
- > theologians of the Middle Ages, who fought the Secret Doctrine with
- > fire and sword; stake, gibbet and cross.* Even to this day there will
- > be found but few reliable books on the Hermetic Philosophy, although
- > there are countless references to it in many books written on various
- > phases of Occultism. And yet, the Hermetic Philosophy is the only
- > Master Key which will open all the doors of the Occult Teachings!
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- > In the early days, there was a compilation of certain Basic Hermetic
- > Doctrines, passed on from teacher to student, which was known as "THE
- > KYBALION," the exact significance and meaning of the term having been
- > lost for several centuries. This teaching, however, is known to many to
- > whom it has descended, from mouth to ear, on and on throughout the
- > centuries. Its precepts have never been written down, or printed, so
- > far as we know. It was merely a collection of maxims, axioms, and
- > precepts, which were non-understandable to outsiders, but which were
- > readily understood by students, after the axioms, maxims, and precepts
- > had been explained and exemplified by the Hermetic Initiates to their
- > Neophytes. *These teachings really constituted the basic principles of
- > "The Art of Hermetic Alchemy," which, contrary to the general belief,
- > dealt in the mastery of Mental Forces, rather than Material
- > Elements—the Transmutation of one kind of Mental Vibrations into
- > others, instead of the changing of one kind of metal into another. The
- > legends of the "Philosopher's Stone" which would turn base metal into
- > Gold, was an allegory relating to Hermetic Philosophy, readily
- > understood by all students of true Hermeticism."* Source:
- > <http://kybalion.home.att.net/kybalion.html>
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- > Now we see that alchemy was the result of people who did not understand
- > the allegories of mystical principles of mental states trying to put
- > into practice the *allegories* that the principles were written in.
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- > Alchemy was a wild goose chase that those who could never be initiated
- > into higher truths but wished to use Wisdom for debased purposes were
- > sent on. And science is alchemy's child!
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- > To this very day it is true that most scientists are people who are
- > incapable of peering beyond the physical into the moral and the
- > spiritual. They are people who not only cannot see the Soul of matter,
- > they disdain those who can and say that those who claim that they can
- > see inner dimensions of reality are deluded or lying for cynical
- > reasons.
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- > Science is for those who can only see with their physical eyes. Science

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> from its inception was, and is, for those whose eye of the Soul is
> blind.
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