

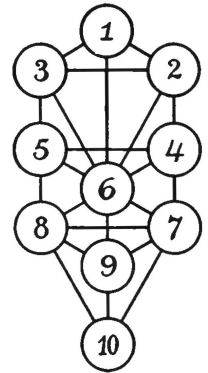
Tarot & Kabbalah in the Gnostic Tradition – Notes 27 II

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The Minor Arcana According to Eliphas Levi (Continued)

Now let us take a Tarot and reunite all its pages in order to form William Postel's Wheel or ROTA; let us group the four Aces, the four 2s, etc., and we will then have 10 packs of cards giving the hieroglyphic explanation of the triangle of divine names on the scale of 10. One can then read them thus, by relating each number to a corresponding Sephira:

The four Aces	KETHER.	"The crown of God carrying four florets."
The four 2s	CHOKMAH.	"His wisdom pours out and forms four rivers."
The four 3s	BINAH.	"From his intelligence (or intelligent understanding) he gives four proofs."
The four 4s	CHESED.	"From mercy he is four benefactions."
The four 5s	GEBURAH.	"His rigor punishes four crimes four times."
The four 6s	TIPHERETH.	"Through four pure rays his beauty is revealed."
The four 7s	NETZAH.	"Let's celebrate four times his eternal victory."
The four 8s	HOD.	"He triumphs four times in his eternity."
The four 9s	JESOD.	"His throne is supported upon four foundations."
The four 10s	MALKUTH.	"His unique kingdom is four times the same and conforms to the florets of the divine crown."



Letters of the Tetragram	from <i>Dogma & Ritual of High Magic</i>	from <i>The Elements of the Kabbalah</i>	from Letters #70, 153, 156 & 50 to the Baron Spédalieri	Synthesis
Yod י	the Club is the Egyptian phallus; Creative/Creator	the scepter of the father	Father; Atziluth : Light of glory	Club/Staff/Wand or Scepter, Phallus, Man, Father; <i>Atziluth</i> , etc.
Heh ה	the Cup is the cteis; Magnetizing	the Cup or delights of the mother	Son; Briah : Light of universal, astral and magnetic life. The world of causes.	Cup, Cteis, Woman, Mother; Son, <i>Briah</i> , etc.
Vau ו	the Sword is the conjunction of both or the lingam; Militancy	the Sword or battle of love	Holy Spirit; Yetzirah : Visible, celestial, terrestrial and igneous light. The world of thoughts or ideas.	Sword, Conjunction, Battle, Love; Holy Spirit, <i>Yetzirah</i> , etc.
Heh ה	the Circle or Pentacle, image of the world	and the Coins or fecundity	Creation; [Assiah :] The world of forms.	Circle/Coin or Pentacle, the World, Fertility; Creation, <i>Assiah</i> , etc.

One can see through this simple arrangement the kabalistic sense of each plate. Thus, for example, the 5 of clubs rigorously signifies the Geburah of Yod י, that is to say, the justice of the Creator or the wrath of man; the 7 of cups signifies the victory of mercy or the triumph of woman; the 8 of swords signifies eternal conflict or eternal equilibrium; and so forth for the others.

The name Jehovah יהוה resolves into 72 explicatory names, called *Shemhamphorash* שם המפורש. The art of employing these 72 names and of finding in them the keys of the universal science is what the kabalists have called the *clavicles* or 'little keys' of Solomon. In fact, at the end of the collections of evocations and prayers that carry this title, one may find 72 magical circles or engravings analogous to the hieroglyphic figures of the Tarot, each carrying 2 of the 72 names along with the emblematic sign of their number: making 36 talismans. This is 4 x 9, that is to say the absolute number (9) multiplied by the quaternary (4). Note that the 10s which are found in the tarot are not featured on the talismans; because the 10, being the synthesis of the unity (1), is virtually contained within the unity of each number. With the aid of these signs and through their infinite combinations (like those of the numbers & letters), one can arrive at the natural & mathematical revelation of all the secrets of nature...

		ה	ו	ה	י
Court Cards:		Pentacles/Coins	Swords	Cups	Clubs/Wands
Kings	י	65. The Creating Father	51. The Prince of Love	37. Husband of the Mother	23. The Father
Queens	ה	66. Master or Mistress of the Children	52. Princess of Love	38. Master or Mistress of Herself	24. Wife of the Father
Knights	ו	67. Conqueror of Works	53. Conqueror of Love	39. Conqueror of Happiness	25. Conqueror of Power
Pages	ה	68. [Slave of Children or Works]	54. Slave of Love	40. Slave of Woman	26. Slave of Man
Synthesis of Court Cards:		Creating, Children, Works	Love	Mother, Happiness, Woman	Father, Power, Man
Numbered Cards:					
Tens	Malkuth	69. (Air)	55. (Fire)	41. (Water)	27. (Earth)
Nines	Yesod	70. [Leveraging Resources]	56. [Stability or Imbalance]	42. Hierarchy of Love	28. Comforter
Eights	Hod	71. [Design and Implementation]	57. Eternal conflict or equilibrium [Vigilance]	43. Love of what is Just	29. Providence
Sevens	Netzach	72. [Establishment of the Divine Plan]	58. Victory	44. Science of Love	30. Foundation of all Greatness
Sixes	Tiphereth	73. [Beautiful Ideal] {A Love Affair} ¹	59. Harmony	45. Patience	31. Divine Comfort
Fives	Geburah	74. [Compensation or Conflict]	60. New Jerusalem	46. The Arcanum of Love	32. Reason for Worship
Fours	Chesed	75. [Proper Yielding or Adjustments]	61. Empire of the Verb	47. The Strength/ Force of Good	33. Four times Father
Threes	Binah	76. The Three Luminous Rings	62. Universal Peace	48. Kindness	34. Divine hope
Twos	Chokmah	77. The Two Rings or Alliance	63. Political Equilibrium	49. Salvation	35. Help of the Lord
Aces	Kether	78. The Soul of the World [Intelligent Exchange]	64. Strength/Force which Fertilizes	50. Love	36. The First Principle
Synthesis of Numbered Cards:		Resources, Planning, Ideals, Compensation or Conflict, Alliance, Everlasting.	Stability or Instability, Victory, Harmony, Empire, Peace, Equilibrium, Fertilization.	Love, Justice, Science, Patience, Strength/Force of Good, Kindness, Salvation.	Comforter, Foundation of Greatness, Reason for Worship, Hope, Help, First Principle.

¹ Given by Samael Aun Weor in Ch. 9 (Sagittarius) of his *Zodiacal Course*

Example of a Talismans (#1 of 36):

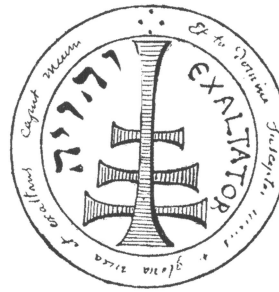
Tarot Association: Ace of Clubs

First Side's Divine Name: וְהוֹיָה or Vehuiah (#1)

Esoteric Attributes: 'Deus Exaltator' or "God exalted and elevated above all things" and Psalm 3:3

Second's Divine Name: עֲלָמִיָה or Alamiah/Elamiah (#4)

Esoteric Attributes: 'Deus Absconditus' or "The hidden or concealed God" and Psalm 6:4



First Side



Second Side

	Card Name	Levi's Association(s)
23	King of Clubs	(י) ' The father
24	Queen of Clubs	(י) ה The wife of the father
25	Knight of Clubs	(י) ו Conqueror of power
26	Page of Clubs	(י) ה Slave of man
27	10 of Clubs	(י) Malkuth (Earth)
28	9 of Clubs	(י) Yesod (#15 & #18)
29	8 of Clubs	(י) Hod (#14 & #17)
30	7 of Clubs	(י) Netzach (#13 & #16)
31	6 of Clubs	(י) Tiphereth (#9 & #12)
32	5 of Clubs	(י) Geburah (#8 & #11)
33	4 of Clubs	(י) Chesed (#7 & #10)
34	3 of Clubs	(י) Binah (#3 & #6)
35	2 of Clubs	(י) Chokmah (#2 & #5)
36	Ace of Clubs	(י) Kether (#1 & #4)
37	King of Cups	(ה) ' The husband of the mother
38	Queen of Cups	(ה) ה Mistress of herself
39	Knight of Cups	(ה) ו Conqueror of happiness
40	Page of Cups	(ה) ה Slave of woman
41	10 of Cups	(ה) Malkuth (Water)
42	9 of Cups	(ה) Yesod (#33 & #36)
43	8 of Cups	(ה) Hod (#32 & #35)
44	7 of Cups	(ה) Netzach (#31 & #34)
45	6 of Cups	(ה) Tiphereth (#27 & #30)
46	5 of Cups	(ה) Geburah (#26 & #29)
47	4 of Cups	(ה) Chesed (#25 & #28)
48	3 of Cups	(ה) Binah (#21 & #24)
49	2 of Cups	(ה) Chokmah (#20 & #23)
50	Ace of Cups	(ה) Kether (#19 & #22)

	Card Name	Levi's Association(s)
51	King of Swords	(ו) ' Prince of love
52	Queen of Swords	(ו) ה Princess of love
53	Knight of Swords	(ו) ו Conqueror of love
54	Page of Swords	(ו) ה Slave of love
55	10 of Swords	(ו) Malkuth (Fire)
56	9 of Swords	(ו) Yesod (#51 & #54)
57	8 of Swords	(ו) Hod (#50 & #53)
58	7 of Swords	(ו) Netzach (#49 & #52)
59	6 of Swords	(ו) Tiphereth (#45 & #48)
60	5 of Swords	(ו) Geburah (#44 & #47)
61	4 of Swords	(ו) Chesed (#43 & #46)
62	3 of Swords	(ו) Binah (#39 & #42)
63	2 of Swords	(ו) Chokmah (#38 & #41)
64	Ace of Swords	(ו) Kether (#37 & #40)
65	King of Pentacles	(ה) ' The creating father
66	Queen of Pentacles	(ה) ה Mistress of the children
67	Knight of Pentacles	(ה) ו Conqueror of works
68	Page of Pentacles	(ה) ה [Slave of children or of works]
69	10 of Pentacles	(ה) Malkuth (Air)
70	9 of Pentacles	(ה) Yesod (#69 & #66)
71	8 of Pentacles	(ה) Hod (#68 & #65)
72	7 of Pentacles	(ה) Netzach (#67 & #64)
73	6 of Pentacles	(ה) Tiphereth (#63 & #72)
74	5 of Pentacles	(ה) Geburah (#62 & #71)
75	4 of Pentacles	(ה) Chesed (#61 & #70)
76	3 of Pentacles	(ה) Binah (#57 & #60)
77	2 of Pentacles	(ה) Chokmah (#56 & #59)
78	Ace of Pentacles	(ה) Kether (#55 & #58)

#	Angel Name	Esoteric Attributes
1	Vehuiiah	Enhancing God; Ps. 3:3
2	Jeliel	God who Brings Help; Ps. 22:19
3	Sitaël	God of Hope; Ps. 91:2
4	(Elemaiah)	Hidden God; Ps. 6:4
5	Mahasiah	Savior God; Ps. 34:4
6	Lelahel	Praiseworthy God; Ps. 9:11
7	Achaiah	Constant God; Ps. 103:8
8	Cahetel	Adorable God; Ps. 95:6
9	Haziel	Merciful God; Ps. 25:6
10	Aladiah	Favorable God; Ps. 33:22
11	Laaviah	Exalted God; Ps. 18:46
12	Hahaiah	God of Refuge; Ps. 10:1
13	(Iezalel)	God who is Praiseworthy above All; Ps. 98:4
14	Mebahel	God the Comforter; Ps. 9:9
15	Hariel	Helping God; Ps. 94:22
16	Hackamiah	God who give Courage; Ps. 88:1
17	Loviah	Admirable God; Ps. 8:1
18	Caliel	God who must be Invoked; Ps. 35:24
19	Leviviah	Favorable God; Ps. 40:1
20	Pahaliah	Redeeming God; Ps. 116:4
21	Nelchael	The Only God; Ps. 31:14
22	Jejahiel	Right Hand of God or Supreme God; Ps. 121:5
23	Melahel	God who Destroys evil; Ps. 121:8
24	(Chahiuiah)	God who is Good in essence; Ps. 147:11
25	Nithaiah	Provider God; Ps. 9:1
26	Haajah	God who Hears the most Hidden Things; Ps. 119:145
27	Jerathel	Propelling God; Ps. 140:1
28	(Seehiah)	God who Takes Away all Evils; Ps. 71:12
29	Rejajel	God of Hope; Ps. 54:4
30	Omael	Patient God; Ps. 71:5
31	Lecabel	Doctor God; Ps. 71:16
32	Vasariah	Right/Upright God; Ps. 33:4
33	(Jejuiah)	All knowing God; Ps. 94:11
34	(Lehachiah)	Clement God; Ps. 131:3
35	Chavakiah	Joyful God; Ps. 116:1
36	(Manadel)	Honorable God; Ps. 26:8
37	Aniel	God who Possesses all the Virtues; Ps. 80:19
38	(Chaamiah)	God the Unique Goal of All Things; Ps. 91:9
39	Rehael	God who is Quick to Give; Ps. 30:10

#	Angel Name	Esoteric Attributes
40	Jejazel	God of the Cheerful/Fruitful Life; Ps. 88:14
41	Haahel	Triune God; Ps. 120:2
42	Michael	Who Resembles God?; Ps. 121:7
43	(Vaualiah)	King Dominator God; Ps. 88:13
44	(Ielahiah)	Eternal God; Ps. 119:108
45	(Sealiah)	God of Universal Movement; Ps. 94:18
46	(Ariel)	Revealing God; Ps. 145:9
47	(Asaliah)	God the Fair Judge; Ps. 92:5
48	(Mehiel)	The causing Father God; Ps. 98:2
49	Vehuel	Great/Elevated God; Ps. 145:3
50	Daniel	God the Merciful Judge; Ps. 145:8
51	(Hachasiah)	God the Impenetrable Secret; Ps. 104:31
52	(Imamiah)	God Covered by a Veil; Ps. 7:17
53	Nanael	God who represses the Proud; Ps. 119:75
54	Nithael	God the Celestial King; Ps. 103:19
55	(Mebahiah)	Everlasting God; Ps. 102:12
56	Poviel (or Poiel)	God who Supports All; Ps. 145:14
57	Nemamiah	God who is Kind/Lovable; Ps. 115:11
58	Jejalel	God who Hears the sighs of the Unhappy; Ps. 6:3
59	(Harachel)	God the All Penetrating; Ps. 113:3
60	(Mizrael)	God who relieves the oppressed; Ps. 145:17
61	Umabael	God who's name is Formidable; Ps. 113:2
62	(Jahahel)	God the Supreme Being; Ps. 119:159
63	(Anael)	Sweet or Gentle God; Ps. 100:2
64	(Mechiel)	Vivifying God; Ps. 33:18
65	Damabiah	God the Fountain of Wisdom; Ps. 90:13
66	(Mankel)	God who nourishes & nurses All; Ps. 38:21
67	Eiael	God Delighting in the children of men; Ps. 37:4
68	(Chabauiah)	God the Liberal [Giver]; Ps. 106:1
69	Roehel	God who sees All; Ps. 16:5
70	Jabamiah	God who has created everything from a word; Gen 1:1
71	Haïael	God who is the Master of All; Ps. 109:30
72	(Mumiah)	God who is the End of Everything; Ps. 116:7