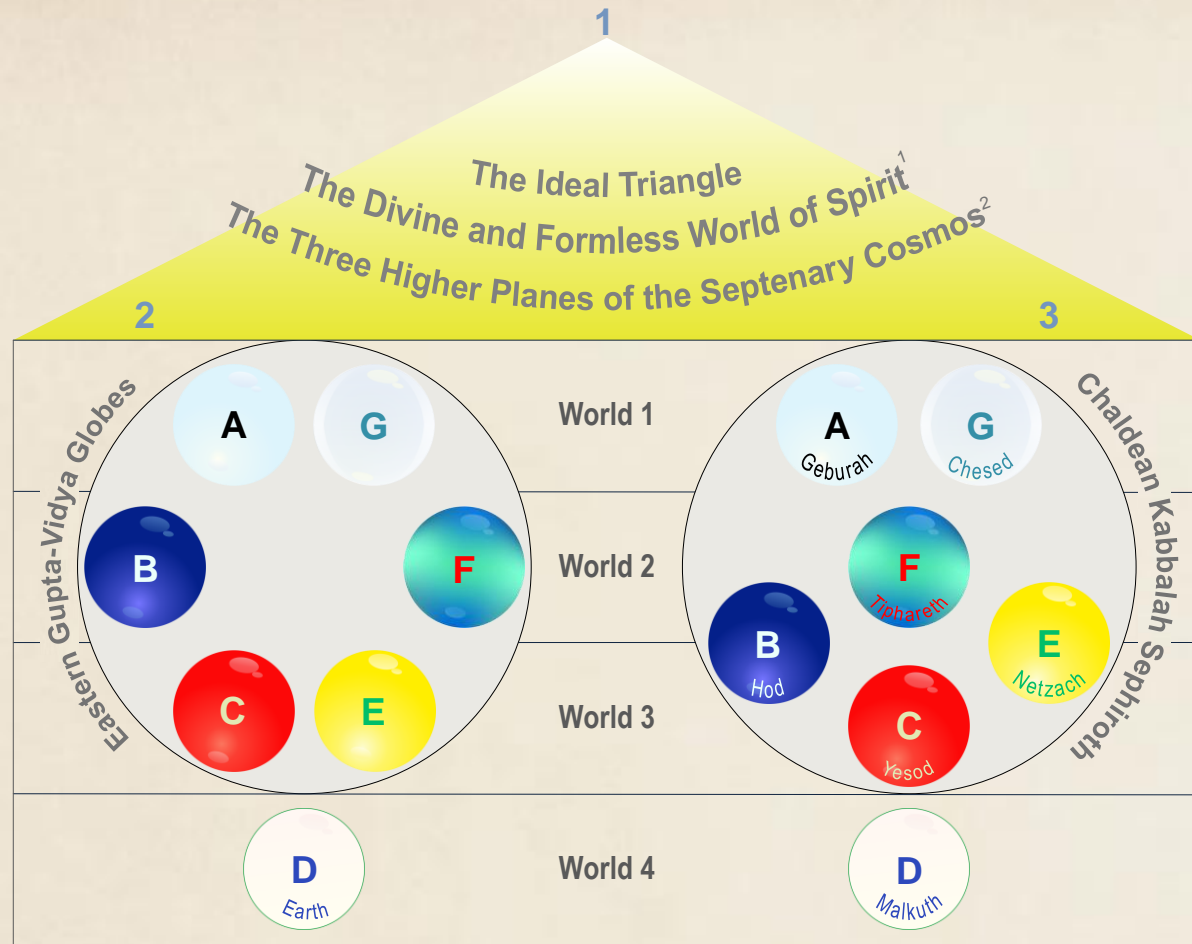


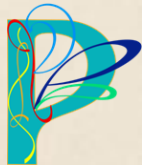
Three Principles

Four Cosmic Vehicles of Form

- Akashic³
- Spiritual
- Manasic
- Physical



- Macroprosopus
Father-Mother
- Microprosopus
The Son



¹ The *Arupa* or “formless,” there where form ceases to exist, on the objective plane. (HP Blavatsky)

² “The reader has to bear in mind that the Stanzas given treat only of the Cosmogony of our own planetary System and what is visible around it, after a Solar Pralaya.” (SD I, 13) [Cf. Kosmos, spelled with a K, is used by HP Blavatsky in the sense of the Manvantaric manifestation as a whole, the “Infinite Universe.” Cosmos, spelled with a C, applies only to phenomena of our own Solar System. See “Kosmos and Cosmos” in our Confusing Words Series. — ED. PHIL.]

³ [Dual-natured radiation of Mūlaprakṛiti, Noumenon of the Cosmic Septenary, and Highest State of Matter. — ED. PHIL.]

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⁴ The word “Archetypal” must not be taken here in the sense that the Platonists gave to it, *i.e.*, the world as it existed in the *Mind* of the Deity; but in that of a world made as a first model, to be followed and improved upon by the worlds which succeed it physically — though deteriorating in purity. (HP Blavatsky)

⁵ [IHVH is the Tetragrammaton of the Jews, which is simply Malkuth, the root of illusion of the material world. This quaternary has nothing to do with the Tetractys of the Greeks, which is Second Logos. The real Tetractys is beyond our mortal ken, for it is the Tetractys of the Invisible Monas or First Logos. — ED. PHIL.]

⁶ These are the four lower planes of Cosmic Consciousness, the three higher planes being inaccessible to human intellect as developed at present. The seven states of human consciousness pertain to quite another question. (HP Blavatsky)