



GENESIS

The miracles and the predictions according to Spiritism

Can one consider Spiritism as a revelation? By whom? What is its character?

CHARACTER OF SPIRITIST REVELATION

God

God is supreme and sovereign intelligence, eternal, unchangeable, immaterial, all-powerful, sovereignly just and good, infinitely perfect, unique.



Good and Bad

Wickedness does not derive from either God or Satan. However, bad exists and has a cause rooted in human ignorance.



"The special object of Spiritism is the knowledge of the laws of spiritual principles."

- Chapter 1, item 16

Had we had, in the 19th century, sufficient scientific knowledge to answer the questions around Genesis?

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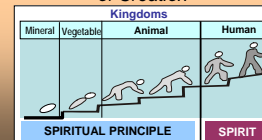
Systems, Uranography, Theories

Hindu and Greek mythology, Thales of Miletus, Ptolemy, Copernicus, Galileo, Kepler



Organic, Spiritual, and Mosaic Genesis

Spontaneous Generation, Spiritual Principle, Reincarnation, Adamic Race, Original Sin, The Six Days of Creation



"Following step by step the series of beings, one can say that each species is a transformation of the species immediately below it."

- Chapter 10, item 28

Does God perform miracles?

MIRACLES AND PREDICTIONS

Fluids

Spiritual Fluid, Perispirit, Second Sight, Cures, Apparitions, Somnambulism, Mediumship, Obsessions, Possessions



Miracles, Prophecies, and Predictions of the Gospel

Resurrection, Transfiguration, Cures, Miracles, The Consoler, Last Judgment, The New Generation



"The cure is performed by the substitution of an unhealthy molecule for a healthy one. The faculty to cure by the fluidic-influx is very common, and can develop itself by exercise."

- Chapter 14, items 31-34

4.5 billion BC
Planet Earth formed

roman empire
(27 BC - 385/395)

6 BC - 4BC birth of Jesus of Nazareth; death of Jesus circa the year 33

renaissance
(14th - 16th century)

1473-1543 Nicolaus Copernicus, Polish astronomer and mathematician proponent of the view of an Earth in daily motion about its axis and in yearly motion around a stationary sun

industrial revolution
(18th century)

1868 - Genesis, The miracles and the predictions according to Spiritism by Allan Kardec



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pre-history

ancient history

50 - 1400 AD

1500 - 1800

1800 - 1900

1900 - 2007

circa 3 million BC
birth of the human race

624 - 547 BC Thales of Miletus, Greek philosopher and mathematician; sphericity of the Earth, cause of eclipses

85 -165 Claudius Ptolemy, Greek astronomer and geographer proposed the geocentric theory that prevailed for 1400 years

middle ages
(500 - 14th century)

1564-1642 Galileo Galilei, Italian scientist, invented the telescope, espoused the Copernican cause

1571-1630 Johannes Kepler German mathematician and astronomer discovered that the Earth and planets travel about the sun in elliptical orbits

1804-1869 Allan Kardec
1857 - The Spirits' Book



1809-1882 Charles Darwin
1859 - The Origin of Species

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