

THE ORIGINS OF MODERN DEMONOLATRY

~3rd Century CE

“The 1st Grimoire”

THE TESTAMENT OF SOLOMON

(translated from the codex of the Paris Library, after the edition of Fleck, *Wissensch. Reise*, bd. ii. abth. 3).

Greek title :—

1. Testament of Solomon, son of David, who was king in Jerusalem, and mastered and controlled¹ all spirits of the air, on the earth and under the earth². By means of them also he wrought all the transcendent works of the Temple. Telling also of the authorities³ they wield against men, and by what angels these demons are brought to naught⁴.

Of the sage Solomon.

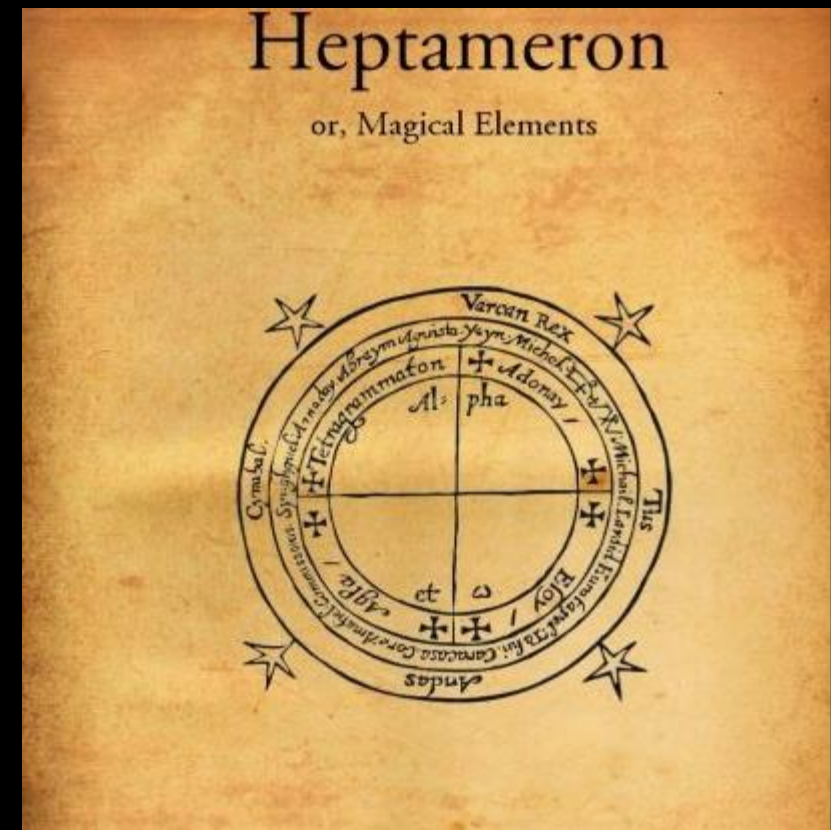
Blessed art thou, O Lord God, who didst give to Solomon such authority. Glory to thee and might unto the ages. Amen.

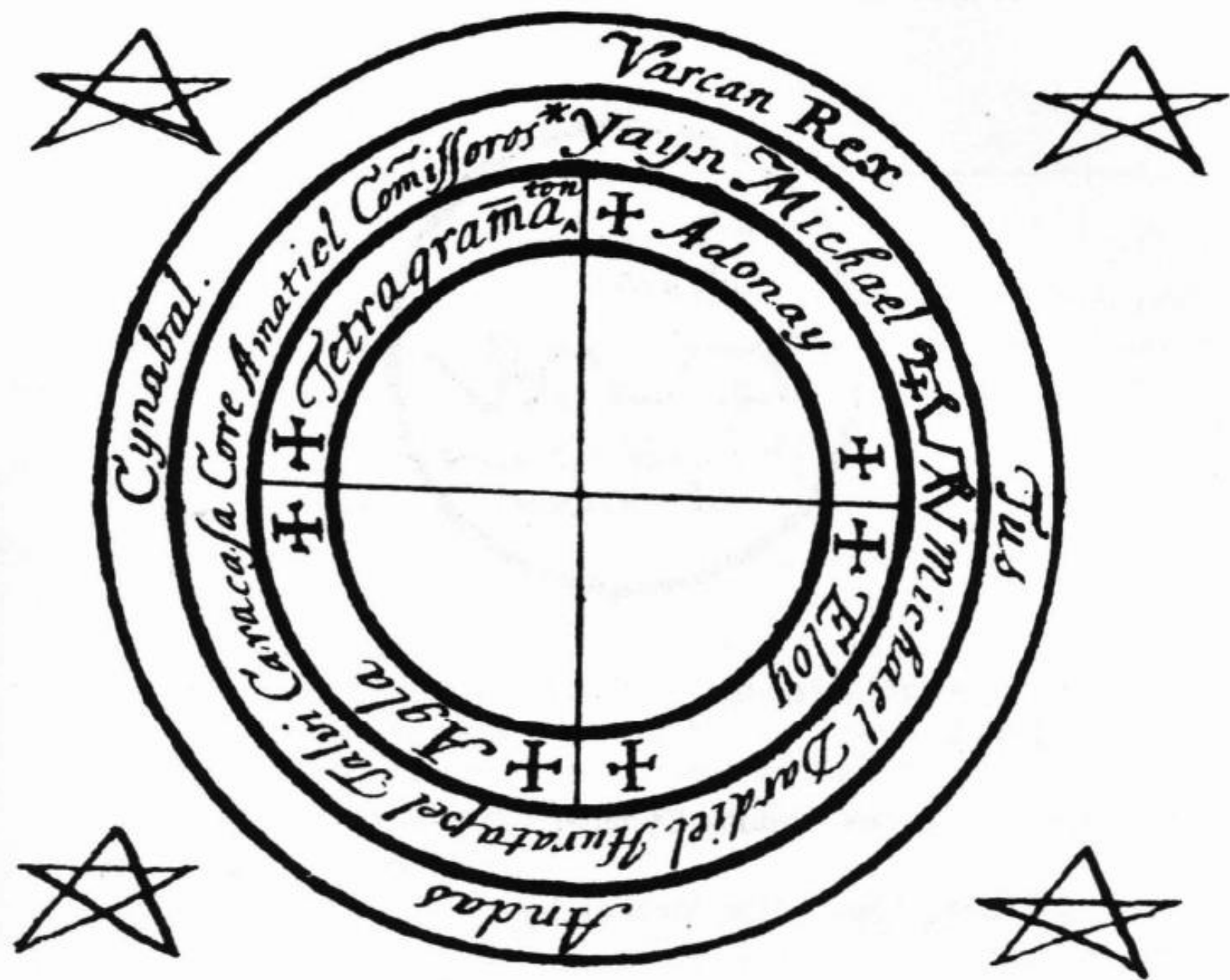
2. And behold, when the Temple of the city of Jerusalem was being builded, and the artificers were working thereat, *Ornias* the demon came among them toward sunset; and he took away the half of the pay of the chief-deviser's⁵ little boy, as well as half his food.

King Solomon
and his Daemons

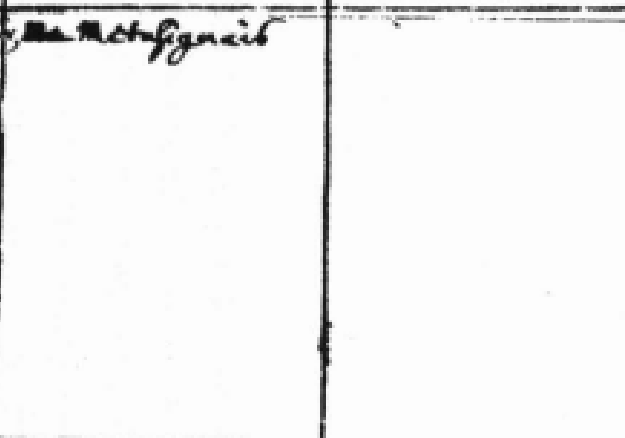
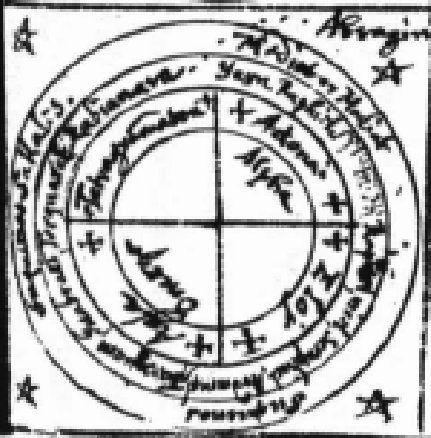
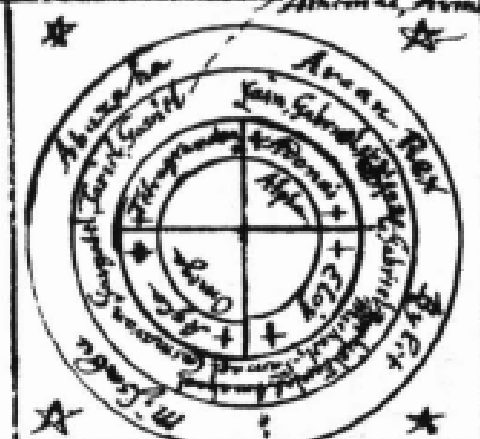
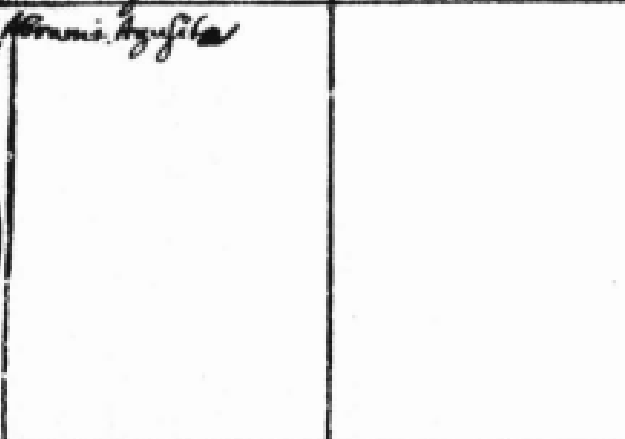
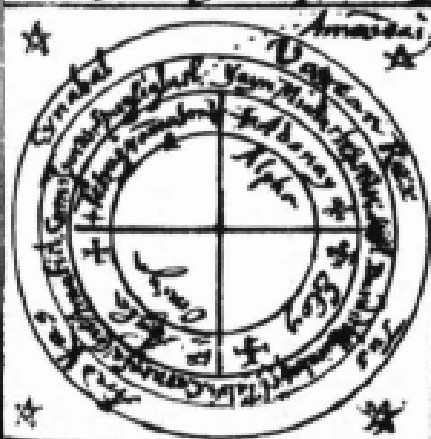


Pietro D'Abano
b. 1257 CE



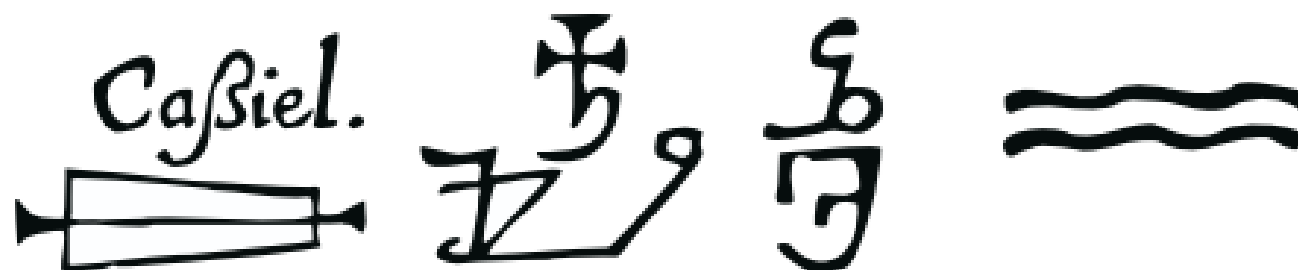


An Exemplification of four several circles for four several daies in the fourth line:
 Signes of the year for the first house each day.



Considerations of Saturday, or the Sabbath day.

The Angel of Saturday, his Seal, his Planet, and the Signe governing the Planet.



THE ANGELS OF SATURDAY.

Cassiel. Machatan. Uriel.

THE ANGELS OF THE AIR RULING ON SATURDAY.

Maymon, King.

MINISTERS.

Abumalith. Assaibi. Balidet.

THE WINDE WHICH THE SAID ANGELS OF THE AIR AFORESAID ARE UNDER.

The Southwest-winde.

THE FUMIGATION OF FRIDAY.

Sulphur.

The Conjunction of Saturday.

Conjuro & confirmo super vos Caphriel vel Cassiel, Machatori, & Seraquiel Angeli fortes & potentes: & per nomen Adonay, Adonay, Adonay, Eie, Eie, Eie, Acim, Acim, Acin, Cados, Cados, Ina vel Ima, Ima, Saclay, Ja, Sar, Domini formatoris seculorum, qui in septimo die quie ut: & per illum qui in beneplacito suo filiis Israel in hereditatem observandum dedit, ut eum firmiter custodirent, & sanctificarent, ad habendam inde bonam in alio seculo remunerationem: & per nomina Angelorum servientium in exercitu septimo Pooel Angelo magno & potenti principi: & per nomen stellæ quæ est Saturnus: & per sanctum Sigillum ejus: & per nomina prædicta conjuro super te Caphriel, qui præpositus es diei septimæ, quæ est dies Sabbati, quòd pro me labores, &c. As is set down in the Conjunction of the Lords day.

The Spirits of the Air of Saturday are subject to the Southwest-winde: the nature of them is to sow discordes, hatred, evil thoughts and cogitations; to give leave freely, to slay and kill every one, and to lame or maim every member. Their manner of appearing is declared in the former book.

Theurgia-Goetia
Lemegeton

The Invocation or Conjunction [of Saturday]

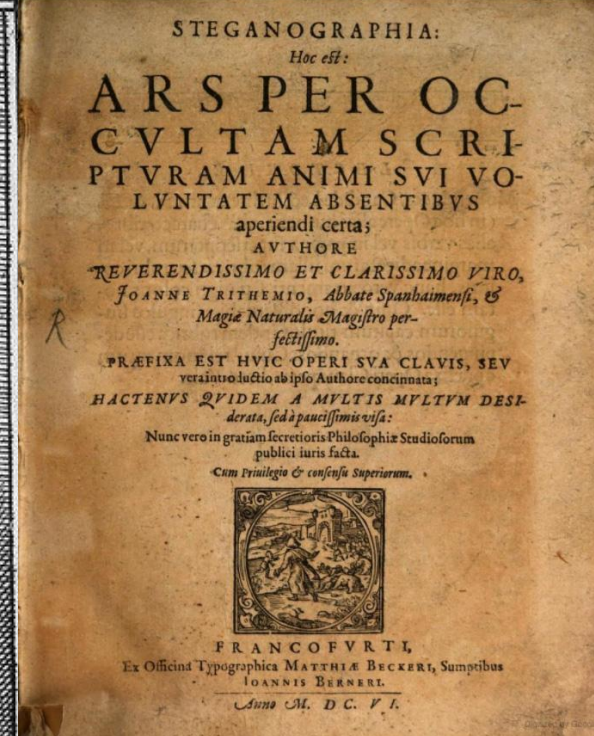
I Conjure and Confirm upon you Caphriel or Cassiel, Machatori and Seraquiel strong and potent Angels, and by the name Adonay, Adonay, Adonay, Eie, Eie, Eie, Acim, Acim, Acim, Cados, Cados, Cados, Ina vel Ima, Ima, Saclai, Ia, Sar, Lords Confirmatory of ages who rested on the seventh day: and by him who in his own good pleasure gave to the Sons of Israel unto their inheritance to be observed, that they should strictly keep and sanctify it, that they might receive hence a good reward in another world: and by the names of Angels serving in the seventh host of heaven Booel² a great Angel and a potent prince, and by the name of his star which is Saturn: and by his holy Angel Seal and by the names aforesaid, I Conjure upon thee Caphriel who art president of the seventh day which is the Sabbath day that thou labour for me &c [Here set forth your Request].

The Spirits of the Air of the Sabbath day or Saturday are subject to the Southeast wind. The nature of them is to sow discords hatred evil thoughts & Cogitations to give leave freely to slay & kill every one, and to lame or maim every member. We have already declared their familiar shapes.³

Johannes Trithemius

b. 1462 CE

- Likely assembled or wrote the 72 demonic seals of the Ars Goetia.
- Likely assembled the texts that would become the Lemegeton.
- Students included Heinrich Agrippa and Johannes Weir.



Steganographia

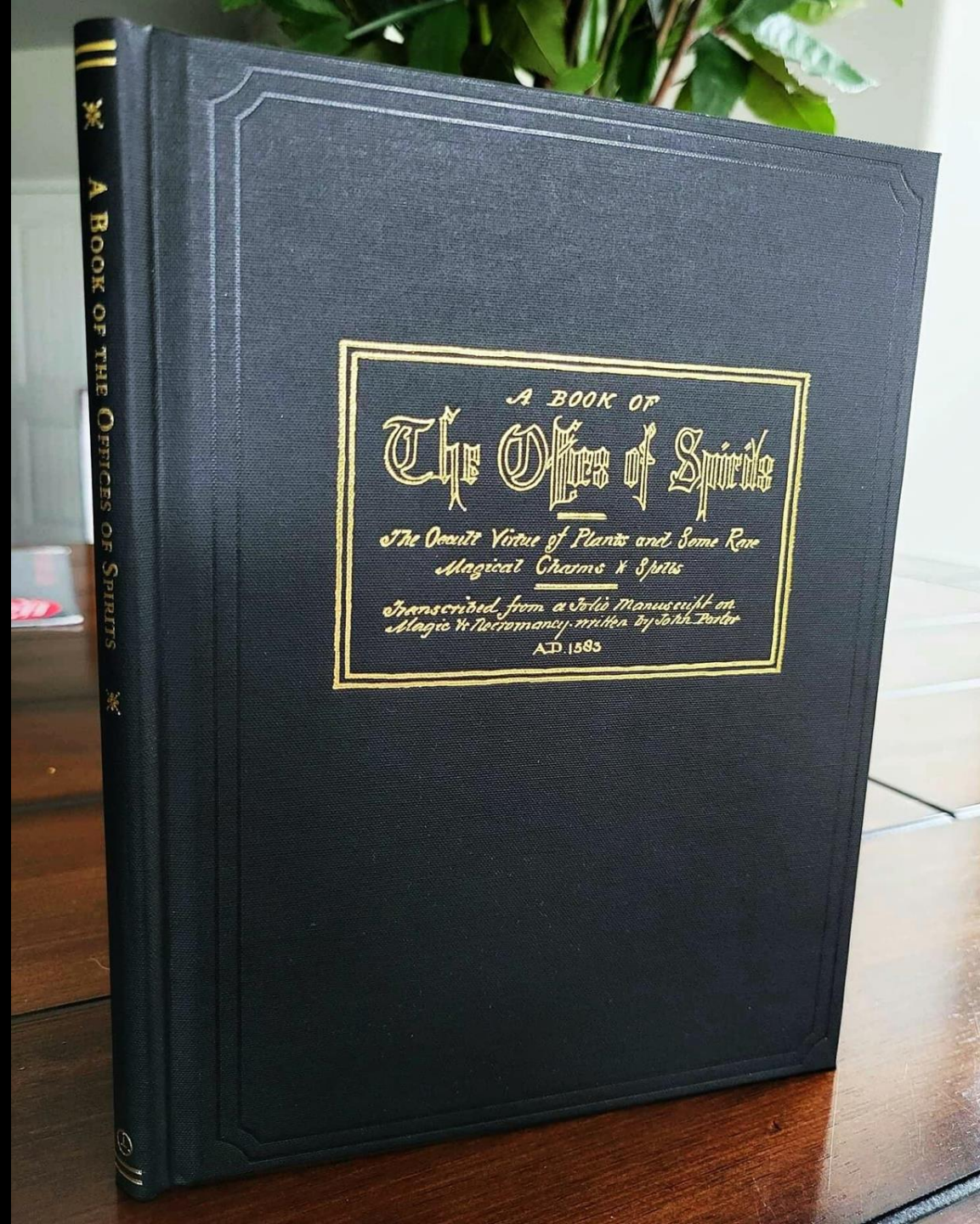
- Derives The Theurgia-Goetia, second book of the Lemegeton

A Book of The Office of Spirits

1583 CE, but existed prior - Cited
by Trithemius and Weyer

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Offices and Order of Spirits

There be four Kings of the Air:
Uriece, King of the East.³
Paymon, King of the West.
Amaymon, King of the South.
Egine, King of the North.

And there be three Devils in the art of Necromancy, viz: Lucifer, Beelzebub, and Satan.

1. Lucifer is the father of all Devils. He may not be called, for he is in the depth of Hell, yet by Tanta Valerion other devils may be conjured and bound, for all devils do reverence and worship this devil Lucifer, and that with a kind of majesty they all do obey him, for so hath God ordained and appointed them.
2. The second is Beel — the which is Beelzebub, and he is the Prince of Devils. This Beel, before the time of Solomon was thought to be the God Charon⁴ whose idol was worshipped, and he was of the Order of Cherubim, and 1,000,000 devils and wicked spirits minister unto him, he appeareth very beautiful and giveth to the Master that calleth him Gold and Silver, and maketh him expert in science, he appeareth well for half an hour and giveth of each demand a true answer, he giveth a servant or familiar who shall be in service very dutiful during a man's life, he hath one proper invocation by which he shall be called, otherwise he hath been wont to slay the master conjuror, and that in his circle, unless he did suffumigate himself well, and that with amber, aloes, wood and mastic, and he must be called toward the East, wherein he must be urged to do his office and duty.

3. An adjacent note reads "Old MS p. 73."

4. In Greek legend the god Charon would ferry the deceased across the river Styx (or Acheron) and into the underworld.

Johannes Wier
b. 1515 CE



Pseudomonarchia
Daemonum

or

False Hierarchy of Demons

1577 CE



- First Translation from Latin to English done by "T.R." - Possibly Thomas Rudd SR., father of Dr. Thomas Rudd.

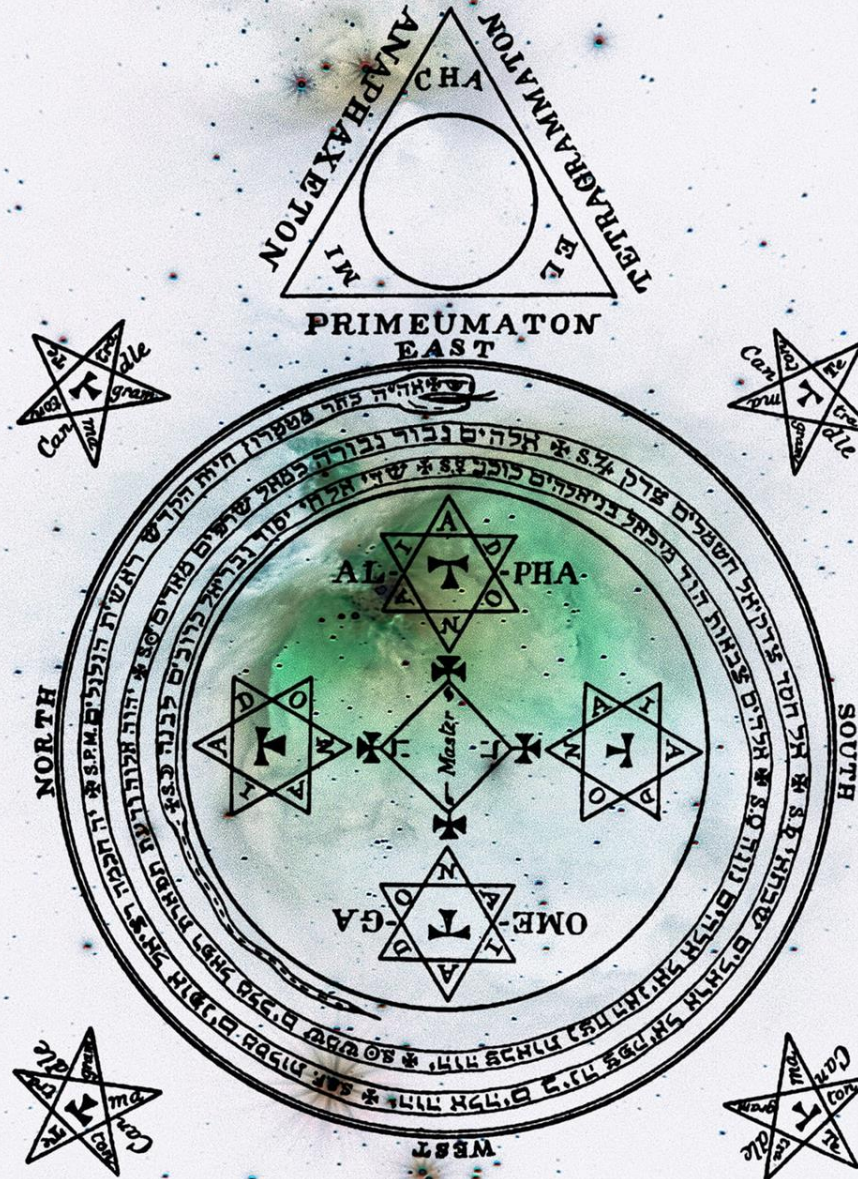
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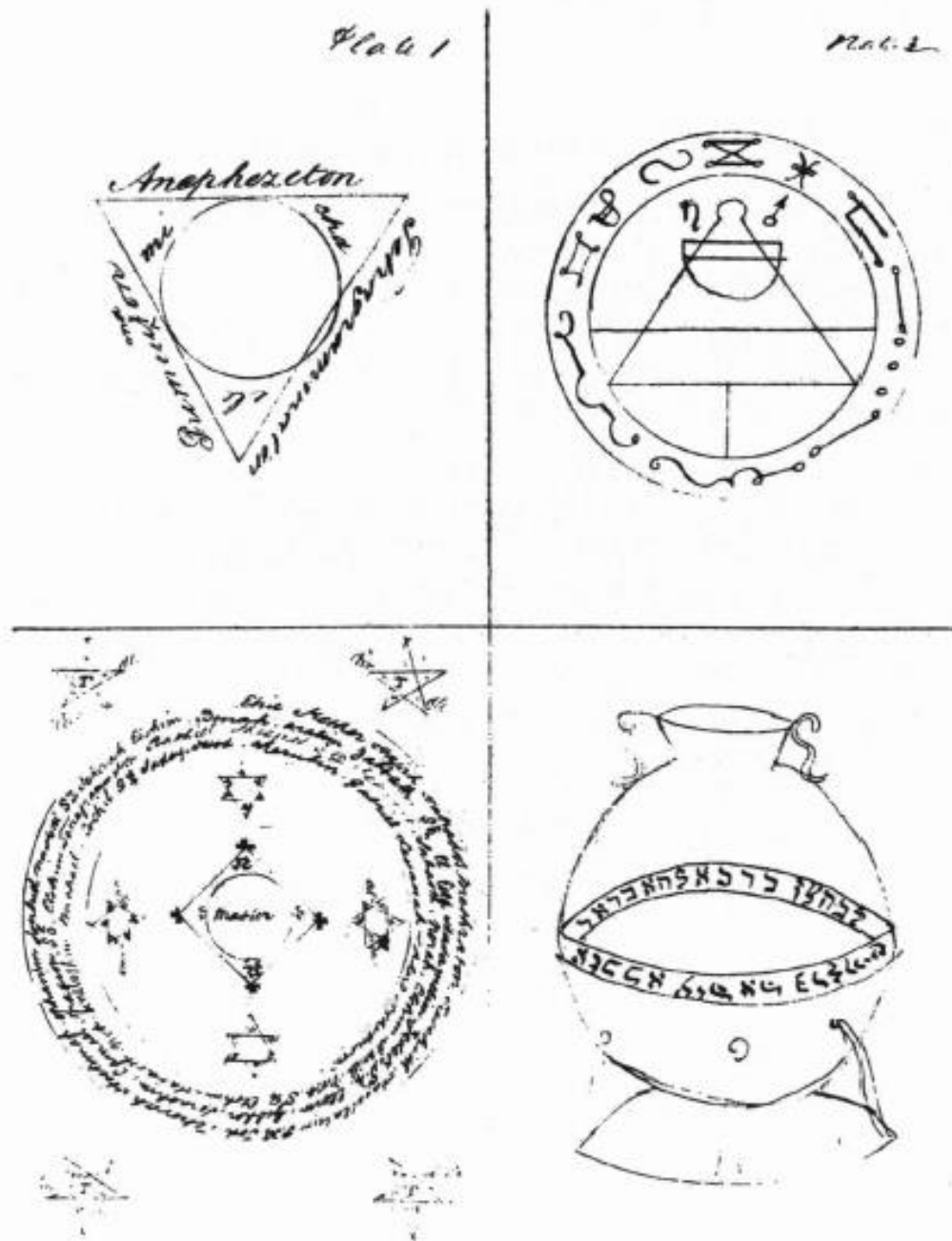


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Five Books

- Ars Goetia
- Ars Theurgia-Goetia
- Ars Almadel
- Ars Paulina
- Ars Notoria

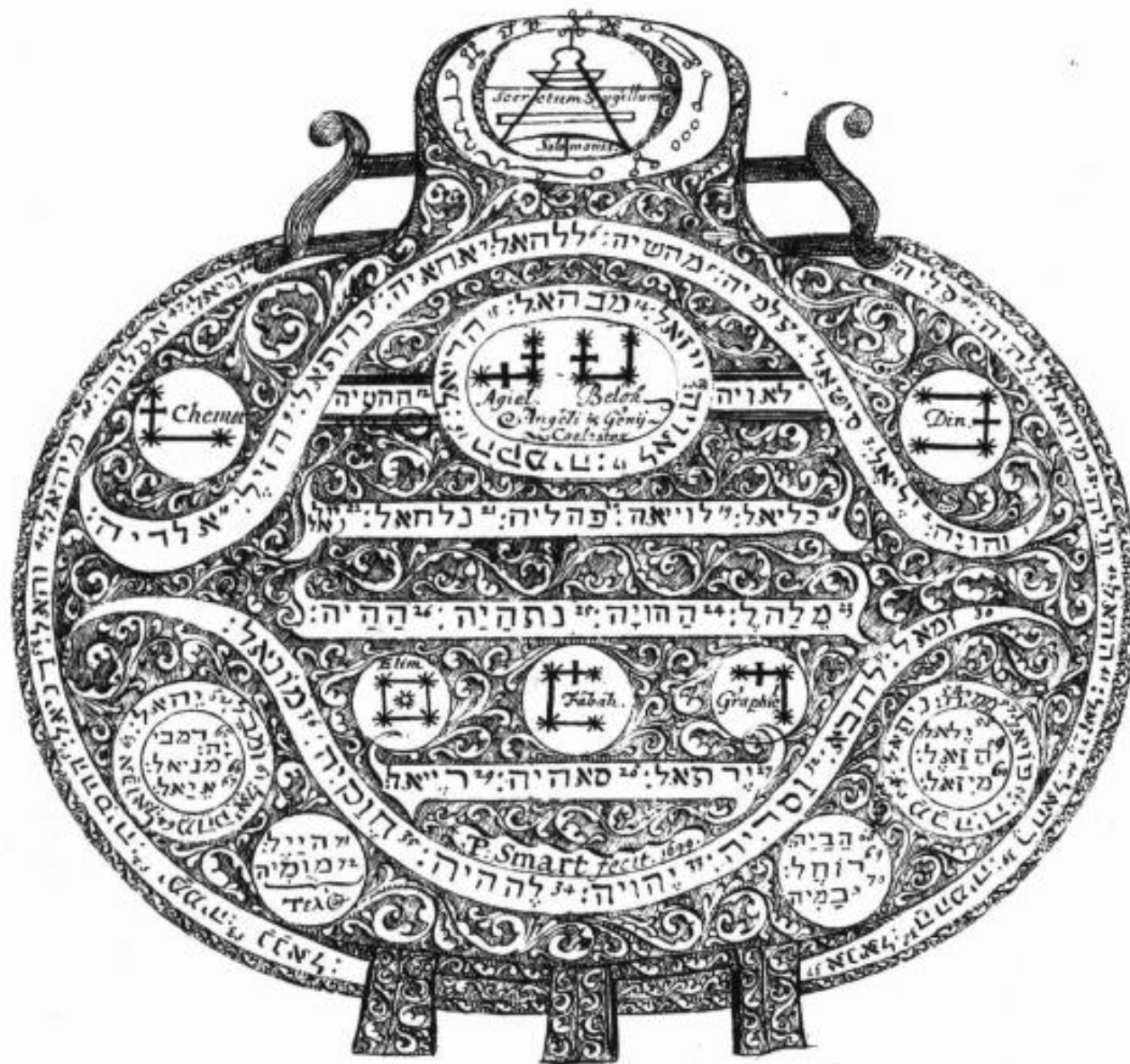
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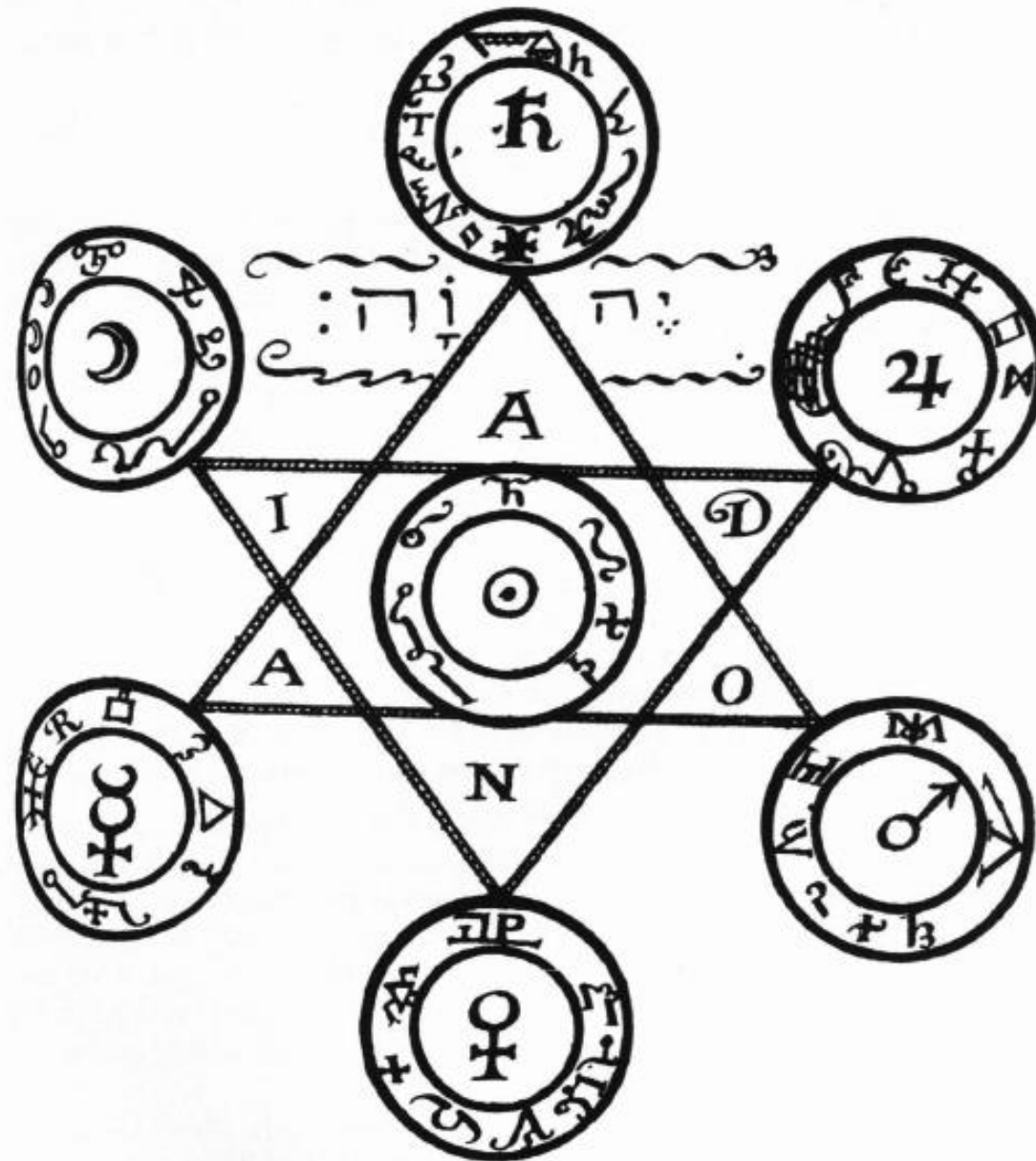


- The Triangle of Art
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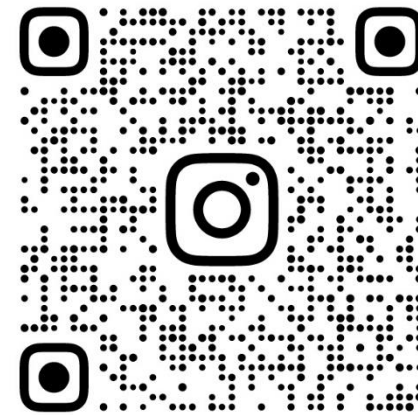


Pentagram of Solomon



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