

God's Own
or the leaden burden of revenge

The chosen people

Certainly the last of the Neanderthal people must have realized they belonged to a diminishing species, as the last Indians in America must have been aware of this peril. When a group falls below a certain numerical limit, this also applies to animals and plants, then that group has no longer sufficient potential to reproduce viably. Modern man also



Gorham's Cave (Gibraltar), the last dwelling place of Neanderthal man 30 millennia ago

approached that point several times at which his survival was highly uncertain. The first time, as far as is known, that modern humans had to act or die was eighty millennia ago. Man then made the choice for leaving Africa and he subsequently populated the world. Where ever the Neanderthal people isolated themselves within their last European

bastions and recently the last mountain gorillas did not leave their reverse Eden to irrecoverably wither away, man survived by changing surroundings and becoming familiar with the new environment¹⁾. Climate change and famine, the most common causes of extinction, have driven humans from their habitat often, as water shortage drove the Aryans from the Eurasian plains towards India -also the birth of Hinduism²⁾- or, more recently, as crop failures made many Irish decide to emigrate to America.

Changing from habitat or changing your habitat, two variations on the same survival strategy - change. A strategy for change that has also helped groups, languages, cultures and religions to drift apart - the actual Babel. The Ancient Spirit of the motherland Africa, however, seized on the change and transformed the separation into a difference in valuation - for what is far away and alien, is little or not entrusted. Separated groups initially exchanged brides and traded their food

surpluses, yet groups gradually became separate tribes and estranged - which often led to the abduction of women and food theft. In short, the strangers became the enemy and inferior, for we possessed the correct faith, the proper rites, the superior culture - they did not. The battle took off.

Who feels the need to defend against what comes from outside, isolates himself in the bastion of his own rightness. Who retires at the chosen property of propriety, closes the road to the inner adventure. The inner road is still walked economically, while man massively follows the path of ostentation. And when that recipe becomes ineffective, then the Ancient Spirit starts up a new formula - thus change keeps man enthralled. Adore this pantheon or else you will be devoured. No, worship that pantheon or otherwise your world will be engulfed. Worship this God of vengeance or else you will burn in hell, no adore the God who is good and your debt will be forgiven else you will scald eternally, no serve and submit to the one true God or else your soul will be eradicated. Join with us, in our political vision, no our economic assumptions, no our social views or become a failure in life. Buy this completely new product and spray it in all your cavities or go smelly through life and no one will look at you ever again. The ostentation is worshipped in all forms, from fear. From fear of not belonging to something, for fear to be forgotten, in the hope to belong to those who will be protected, hoping to belong to those who will be saved.

Consider yourself as part of God's own, the chosen people, and you do not have to feel the fear. You do not have to think for yourself either, because God does that for you, or he will tell what you ought to think. Especially do not go inside, in your soul, because out here you will experience the really cracking outward show, the colours of your team, your country. Outside you are one of the many and even the animals know that security is found in numbers. Do not go inside, because then no one knows what you are up to - no one likes an oddball. The Ancient Spirit wants to keep sight of you, because once you are inside you are hidden from him.

Go inside, take off your coat damp from fear, hang it on the peg and walk your inner path. Make your inner not into a bastion but a room for change where you can emerge from restored and then see that although the world is utterly sick, it holds no enemies. Heal yourself and then, if you can, be a healer for others.

The Eternal Jew

»Originated in the resistance of the underclass they developed an almost fanatical self-esteem, because they would not be like the others to whose oppression they had wrested. The ruling class in the cities of Canaan had used them as a doormat, abused as slaves to do the everyday and dirty work.« At the end of the Bronze Age in the eastern Mediterranean basin then unknown tribes invaded -like the Philistines, probably of Indo-European origin-, which largely meant a weakening of the ruling class in Canaan and those who felt oppressed by them saw their chance. They left for the mountainous area of the West Bank of the river Jordan and there began their own communities, away from the



The pillar of Ammurāpi with his laws engraved thereon

pools of perdition³). Collectives with new principles and an urge for egalitarianism. From far and wide these communities attracted Mosaic figures and over time, a new doctrine developed with only one God, a doctrine based on Canaanite elements, the then as innovative experienced laws of Ammurāpi and ancient Egyptian wisdom, including that of the heretic king Nefer-cheperu-Re-wa-en-Re -the probable first monotheist Amenhotep IV also known as Akhenaten-. In the reports of his battles against the invading tribes pharaoh Merneptah (1224-1214 bce) as first secular source reported the Israelites separately as people living in Canaan⁴). When their ideology really began to take solid forms the Israelites called themselves

Jews. A 'state' ideology at that time could only take the form of religion, and that of the Jews was unique because they worshipped only one God. That the Jews 'discovered' him could only mean that they held a special position and were chosen by their God in an otherwise polytheistic world⁵). The Jews not only changed from habitat, they also changed their habitat - so intensely longing for the truth of existence, they rejected the gods who embodied their bondage and they embraced

the God who became a symbol of their freedom. The freedom they seem to have found.

The God of the Jews transformed into the God of the Christians and again into the God of the Muslims, so that virtually every person in the world who adheres to one of these Semitic gods, or has adhered to, has become an eternal Jew. Forever rivetted in this life to the absolute ruler of heaven or to precisely the denial of his existence - Atheism is also a belief, because neither of the two positions can be proven. Forever tied to a god who is watching over your shoulder whether you live correctly. The God who supervises about everything there is, is a god who is born of fear -of him, the solution is hoped-, primitive man's fear, the childish fear of the bogeyman, the thunder on the savannah, the Ancient Spirit of Africa. The spirit that governed man when he saw everything for the first time, when everything was new. Without the human mind being receptive to a hierarchical pattern, the Ancient Spirit could not have been recognized. It is therefore indubitable that man and the Ancient Spirit from the outset have a common origin. The admissibility for the Ancient Spirit still governed the Jew when he saw Yahweh, the Christian when he saw God and the Muslim when he saw Allah. The Eternal Jew - the eternal human. The one the eternal human still did not see, was himself. By looking at people he never saw himself, but always the others. The other was never a mirror for him, but an annoying reflection that could blind him. Although he lowered the blinds, still one always saw him from whom he expected he could not to hide.

It is a simple matter of acceptance. Every person who recollects anything of history is afraid of the mass murderer in him⁶⁾, the poisoner in her, afraid not to be in control of his emotions at a crucial moment. Emotions must be controlled, says cerebral man, and he refers to stadiums full of misconduct and makes it the chilling example of the lack of control, forgetting that his own emotions live a frustrated life, only camouflaged by the cheesecloth of the ratio or perhaps the veneer of science. No one, thus no one hears, who lectures someone or sets himself as an example is capable of teaching or being a model. Hordes of philosophers have declared God dead, but that wishful thinking has still not deceased him. The only thing that happened is that the blinds in the bastion were fully lowered and they lost sight of God - what one does not see is not there, quite childish. Moreover, it is not about God or a god, it is here about man. It is here about man who learns to accept that he is ruled by the Ancient Spirit and who learns how to deal with that. He will never learn that with an authority as teacher. He can

only learn by identifying his own disruptions himself. Recognizing one's own potholes can only be done by walking the inner road. The God who is, will not point a person at his shortcomings, nor punish him for it. The God, if that is the name, creates the conditions and makes the resources available for a person to learn as far as he can go - at home even further. Eternal man learns, the Ancient Spirit learns.

With long strides

Man is subjected to go after ideas, tracking an ideology. It is almost impossible for him to do anything else. Spotch two blobs and a slightly curved line and anyone will recognize a face. It is not only because of his wiring and cabling, it is also his formation that produces this result. Man is able to recognize in almost everything a structure or if there is none to design one. Combined with most of the time a refined interpretation of difference or hierarchy and an almost flawlessly reasoned idea about learning, growing and authority, this provides a potentially deadly combination. It can either be a stimulus to reach greater heights than ever before, or yield a seedbed to intimidation and oppression. Those who are anxious -or let themselves make so-frequently harvest loss in a climate of intimidation and often submit in resignation - infrequently they jump up in rebellion. It is a crazy world where we all have come into, a stricken world.

Who believes he is chosen, who believes that he belongs to the people of God, who has learned the truth propagates this and will resent those who do not listen or reject, like the teacher in the classroom after years of study may be agitated by the pupil who finds his subject not relevant. A confrontation of wringing feelings from people who think they know best. It evokes emotions of punishment and revenge that rationalized are even more cruel than the emotion. The vengeance is capital, the retaliation thereupon at least as. The Ancient Spirit benefits from the separation of people because then they listen most to him, the authority - in any capacity. Disharmony is not his aim, on the contrary, but a harmony such as the Ancient Spirit sees is. That harmony cannot exist -it will not endure-, because it lacks so many elements - no lustre nor warmth, no benevolence nor dedication. The law book of togetherness the Ancient Spirit propagates, is printed in just one of the three basic colours.

The leaden burden of those who believe is the same as the leaden burden of those who think. They think they believe, yet they are led into the dark of nescience, the light that blinds and not enlightens. What they know is what they grew up with and they dare not differently, while they confound their concerns with the question of faith. The intolerable anxiety in a culture that allows doubt, only because it would lead to even stronger faith - even a person's actual doubt is annexed. Try to touch them and the lead weight of fear turns into the growl from the underbelly calling for retribution. Humans, a people to love, yet they do not understand when love happens.

The eternal subject of the Ancient Spirit has his way to get through life. Trying not to be too dazzled by the radiance that is all around in this universe, seeking the protection of a shield of some sort and going with the flow. Sometimes he ventures inside and he is puzzled rather than dazzled and with both he feels insecure. He is like the swimmer who first puts his toes in, while perchance diving in at the deep end would be solving the problem better. Most build up their fortifications and thereby spend their days in utter misery, alone amidst the crowd that does not see, while feeling watched anyhow. And all along there is the escape from this prison only to be found by looking in the mirror. No blinding light there, but the light at the end of the tunnel. However, no one has whilom come home taking long strides. Just find in time what lasts forever.

Notes to "God's own"

¹⁾ Homo heidelbergensis (sometimes called Homo rhodesiensis) is an extinct species of the genus Homo that lived in Africa, Europe and western Asia from at least 600,000 years ago and possibly even 1,300,000 years ago. He survived until 250,000 to 200,000 years ago and is the probable ancestor of Homo Sapiens in Africa and of Neanderthal man in Europe. His remains were first discovered near Heidelberg in Germany in 1907 and named by Otto Schoetensack.

²⁾ For more details, see "Book five, Heirs to the Vedas, the knowledge and the Aryan legacy, Origins of Hinduism".

³⁾ Cities such as Jerusalem, whose name means most likely "Basis of Salem" -Salem is a Canaanite god-, and the port cities Ugarit in modern Syria and Sidon and Tyre in Phoenicia, globally the current Lebanon. Including also Bethlehem and Jericho.

⁴⁾ The stela of Marenptah is a black granite stela commemorating the victories in a campaign against the Libu and Meshwesh (Libya) and their allies the Sea Peoples. The last lines of the stela refer to an earlier military campaign in Canaan, about which Merenptah states that he had defeated amongst others Ashkelon, Gezer, Israel and Yanoam The stela was discovered in the first hall of Merenptah's tomb in Thebes by Flinders Petrie in 1896.

⁵⁾ For more details, see "Book five, Sons of Shem, The Semitic heritage of Noah, Genesis History of Judaism, Christianity and Islam".

⁶⁾ That is why bogeymen like Stalin, Hitler and Mao are so useful for the Ancient Spirit.