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TEST THE TEXT

Check ESV, NIV, NASB, LSB, etc.		KJV
every spirit that does not acknowledge Jesus is not from God	1 John 4:3	And every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God.
He who was revealed in the flesh	1 Tim. 3:16	God was manifest in the flesh
I can do everything through him who gives me strength	Phil. 4:13	I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me
an heir of God	Gal. 4:7	an heir of God through Christ
God who created all things	Eph. 3:9	God, who created all things by Jesus Christ
I bow my knees before the Father	Eph. 3:14	I bow my knees unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ
Neither is circumcision anything	Gal. 6:15	For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision availeth any thing
the Father	Col. 1:2	our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ
the gospel	Rom. 1:16	the gospel of Christ
teaching	2 John 9b	doctrine of Christ
OMIT	1 John 5:13	and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God

“Satan cometh immediately, and taketh away the word...” Mark 4:15

Check ESV, NIV, NASB, LSB, etc.		KJV
In whom we have redemption	Col. 1:14	In whom we have redemption through his blood
Then come, follow me	Mark 10:21	and come, take up the cross , and follow me
Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God!	Mark 10:24	Children, how hard it is for them that trust in riches to enter into the kingdom of God!
and the nations shall walk by its light	Rev. 21:24	and the nations of them which are saved shall walk in the light of it.
man shall not live on bread alone	Luke 4:4	That man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word of God
OMIT	Acts 8:37	I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God
OMIT	Rev. 1:11	I am Alpha and Omega
OMIT (They steal words from verses 6 or 8 to create a false verse 7.)	1 John 5:7	For there are three that bear record in heaven, the Father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost: and these three are one.
OMIT	Matt. 17:21, 18:11, 23:14 Mark 7:16, 9:44, 9:46, 11:26, 15:28 Luke 17:36, 23:17 John 5:4, Acts 8:37, 15:34, 24:7, 28:29 Romans 16:24, 1 John 5:7	

DO YOU HAVE A HOLY BIBLE?

NIV, ESV, NASB, LSB, HCSB et al.		King James Bible
men, human	2 Peter 1:21	holy men
angels	Mat. 25:31	holy angels
brethren or brothers, sisters	1 Thes. 5:27	holy brethren
prophets	Rev. 22:6	holy prophets
apostles and prophets, (saints HCSB, LSB)	Rev. 18:20	holy apostles and prophets
Spirit	John 7:39	Holy Ghost
Spirit	1 Cor. 2:13	Holy Ghost
Spirit	Mat. 12:31	Holy Ghost
Spirit	Acts 6:3	Holy Ghost
Spirit (HCSB note only)	Acts 8:18	Holy Ghost

INTRODUCTION

[Y]e have perverted the words of the living God.
Jeremiah 23:36

This book is what reporters refer to as a ‘scoop’. Much digging in libraries and manuscripts from around the world has uncovered an alliance between the new versions of the bible (NIV, ESV, NASB, Living Bible, Holman Christian Standard, New King James Version, Legacy Standard Bible, and others) and the chief conspirators in the New Age movement’s push for a One World Religion. Unlike the sensational or emotion-ridden fogging of the facts which could accompany such a disclosure, this book objectively and methodically documents the following discoveries, which stunned the author as they will the reader.

1. The New Age Movement’s expressed goal of infiltrating the evangelical church and gradually changing the bible to conform to its One World Religion is evident in the current new versions. Their words and doctrines prepare the apostate churches of these last days to accept the Antichrist, his mark, image, and religion—Lucifer worship.

2. This has taken place because the editors of the new versions, as well as the authors of the Greek editions, manuscripts, lexicons and dictionaries used in their compilation, hold beliefs which an orthodox Christian would find shocking. Research opens

the door exposing them in séance parlors, mental institutions, prison cells and courtrooms for heresy trials. A few examples include:

- The Greek text used to translate the NIV, ESV, NASB, HCSB, LSB, and others was an edition drastically altered by a Spiritualist (one who seeks contact with the dead through séances, etc.), who believed he was in the “new age.” Two other ‘new’ version editors were also involved in spiritualism.

- The NIV’s chief editor vaunts his version’s heresy saying: This [his own translation] shows the great error that is so prevalent today in some orthodox Protestant circles, namely the error that regeneration depends upon faith... and that in order to be born again man must first accept Jesus as Savior.²

[F]ew clear and decisive texts that declare that Jesus is God.³

- The NASB’s progenitor, called “the mediator between East and West” by his colleagues, was an instrumental member of the ‘gathering’ which *East-West Journal* calls the kick-off event for the New Age Movement and “East West Synthesis.”⁴ This new version editor referred to his alterations of the articles of faith saying:

The changes thus far. . .are in the right direction. . .and should contain the germs of a new theology.⁵

- A surprising number of new version editors have permanently lost their ability to speak (five and still counting).

- Insanity marked another prominent new version editor whose commitments to mental institutions served as bookends to a life fraught with derangement and hallucinosis.

- The reference dictionary used by new version editors to research Greek etymology was edited by Hitler’s propaganda ‘high priest’, who was later tried and found guilty of war crimes as an accessory in the death of millions.

3. Contrary to advertising claims, the new versions are more difficult to read than the KJV, according to research using the

Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level Indicators.

4. A ‘new’ Christianity is emerging from the new versions which substitute riches for righteousness, a crown for a cross, and an imitation for a new creation.

5. The few Greek manuscripts underlying new versions contain yet unreleased material which is an exact blueprint for the antichrist’s One World Religion. A complete translation of these is being called for by new version editors and New Agers alike. This ‘new’ version could be the final “universal bible” called for by the former U.N. Assistant Secretary General Robert Muller.

Why this Book?

This book is written in loving concern for those who are ‘victims’ of these versions. Unsuspecting Christians have been carried off by an ancient chariot, resurrected and given a fresh coat of paint by Madison Avenue. (Is that Latin for ‘hail the new’?) It appears that there is a vast difference between the press publicity and the product. This chasm, characteristic of the coming anti-christ Big Brother era, was called ‘Newspeak’ by George Orwell. It is built of soap bubbles which burst at the slightest touch of analysis. The documentation herein will scatter to the wind many false arguments and confident conclusions. After this evidence is made public, new versions will keep afloat only on the hot air of emotion and preconceived prejudice.

Kent State University has always been a hot-house, creating a climate of open discussion and debate. This has cultivated creative thinking (e.g., the liquid crystal) and also a crop of cults and classrooms providing pulpits for professors preaching New Age consciousness. Each year brings a swell of students who eagerly swallow the sophistry of the ‘sage on the stage’. After well over a decade in this climate, as a Christian and a professor, plied with questions, a bombshell hit as a young man asked, “Is the fall, recorded in Isaiah 14, about Lucifer [as the KJV and Hebrew text indicates] or Jesus, the morning star or day star, as the NIV, ESV, HCSB and NASV imply?” Practiced perception pointed to the

latter as a mislaid page from the podium of the New Age sages surrounding me. This prompted a six year research project into new bible versions, Greek editions and manuscripts, commencing with over 3000 hours of word-for-word collation of the entire New Testament. This groundwork was inspired by Herman Hoskier, the world's preeminent manuscript scholar who observed:

Rough comparison can seldom, if ever, be of any real use, the exact collation of documents, ancient or modern with the Received Text, is the necessary foundation of all scientific criticism.

The Lord graciously provided me access to documents, as well as research time not typically available to busy pastors, seminary students, and Christians. The investigation focused heavily on the *New American Standard Version* (NASB), a F.E. (formal equivalency) version popular among pastors, the *New International Version* (NIV), a D.E. (dynamic equivalency) version growing in popularity in evangelical circles, and the *New King James Version* (NKJV). (A review of those versions which tend to translate 'esoteric' Greek manuscripts, like papyrus 46 or Manuscript D, showed them unlikely candidates for use by Christians—i.e., *Today's English Version* (TEV), *Good News for Modern Man*, *The New American Bible*, the *Jerusalem Bible*, and the *New Revised Standard Version*.)

My 2016-2021 updates examined the latest editions of the *English Standard Version* (ESV), *Holman Christian Standard Bible* (HCSB), *Legacy Standard Bible* (LSB), NKJV, NASV 1995, and the NIV 2011. Serious changes have occurred in their various printings. Under pressure from this book, a rare few were corrected to match the King James Bible. But, in the main, their changes were for the worse, such as the gender inclusive nature of the 2011 NIV.

Some new versions, such as the New King James (NKJV), claim to follow the Received Text but ignore it over 1000 times and replace the Hebrew text with the corrupt *Biblia Hebraica Stuttgartensia*. Like the NIV, the NKJV is now owned by purveyor of exotica, Rupert Murdoch's Harper Collins, publisher of *The Satanic Bible*. Is it any wonder the NKJV omits 'Lord' 66 times, 'God' 51 times, 'heaven' 50 times, 'repent' 44 times, 'blood' 23 times, and 'hell' 22 times. It mistranslates and thereby demotes Jesus Christ, teaches progressive salvation, and introduces other heresies.

TEST THE TRANSLATION		
NKJV, etc.		KJV
His Servant Jesus	Acts 3:13, 26	his Son Jesus
holy Servant Jesus	Acts 4:27, 30	holy child Jesus
Joshua	Heb. 4:8	Jesus
Joshua	Acts 7:45	Jesus
faithfulness	Rom. 3:3	faith
disobedient... disobedience	Rom. 11:30, 32	not believed... unbelief
righteous acts of the saints	Rev. 19:8	righteousness of saints
are being saved	1 Cor. 1:18, 2 Cor. 2:15	are saved
have been saved	Eph 2:8	are...saved
difficult is the way	Matt 7:14	narrow is the way
faithfulness	Gal. 5:22	faith
may continue to believe	1 John 5:13	may believe
God keeps him busy	Eccl. 5:20	God answereth him
very religious	Acts 17:22	too superstitious

Scientists marvel at how children are conformed to the physical likeness of their parents through several microns. They hold formulas several feet long which contain the complex genetic code to create 60 trillion highly differentiated cells. If God put the key to one's passing physical life in such a perfect and complex format, can you imagine how intricately and carefully the key to eternal life—conformed to the image of his Son—would be? As with the genetic code, one change sets off a series of alterations which makes the 'new born' unlike instead of like his parents. The changes, additions and omissions discovered in the new versions have affected the health of the body of Christ and taken it step by step away from the image of God.

- 1 Arthur Westcott, *The Life and Letters of Brook Foss Westcott*, Vol II (London: Macmillan and Co., Limited, 1903), p. 252.
- 2 Edwin Palmer, *The Holy Spirit* (Grand Rapids, Michigan: Baker Book House, 1974), p. 83.
- 3 Kenneth Barker, *The NIV: The Making of a Contemporary Translation* (Grand Rapids, Michigan: Zondervan Corporation, 1986), p. 143.
- 4 David Schaff, *The Life of Phillip Schaff* (New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1897), p. 467; Alex Jack, *The New Age Dictionary* (Brookline, Mass.: Kanthaka Press, 1976), p. 11.
- 5 *The Life of Schaff*, pp. 427-428.

OVERVIEW

The Message, The Men and The Manuscripts

The Mandate: Infiltrate

And they worshipped the dragon which gave power unto the beast: and they worshipped the beast, saying, Who is like unto the beast? Revelation 13:4

Souls snagged in a spiritual region remote from reason, will one day give way—sliding headlong down into Satan’s dark chambered church. These chaff choose a pew. (He’ll hew one for YOU too.) Friend and foe are “falling away,” down the steep slippery stairs, framed by the archfiend—to the Church of Chapter 13.

Satan’s barred by a small book from his quest for the throne. When opened it unleashes a wall of words—graven in stone.

It is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God and him only...Luke 4:8

ESV, NASB, et al.

worship, serve

Phil. 3:3

KJV

worship God

Wanting to weaken this wall, Satan slips out stone after stone, hoping not to be known.

Satan cometh immediately and taketh away the word...
Mark 4:15

To begin, he removes the rubble stone of sin and the key-stone of salvation. The cornerstone of Jesus Christ and the capstone of his second coming are cut. These words once withdrawn leave loopholes for skeptics and portholes for postulators. Taken

together these breaches become windows with wide-angle lenses, taking in the “broad way” of these “last days.” The stones piled high become props for his lie. Widening and deepening gaps give way, as scattered stones lay—like stepping stones to Satan’s sought after throne. The word of God so discomfit, becomes a bridge to the bottomless pit.

His goal is to trap souls, so he adds key words, like key-holes. Page after page these open his hatchway to the New Age. Slipping in the side door of Satan’s church, using these keys, the ushers of apostasy bring souls from the nave to their knees, as a chorus of New Agers sing:

We are one world. We now need a world religion. We are entering a New Age¹ *Toward a New World Religion*

I would suggest a meeting of the world’s religions... My great personal dream is to get a tremendous alliance between all major religions and the U.N...a completely new world in the making, a new age.²

Robert Muller Former U.N. Asst. Sec. General

I predict that in our lifetime we will see the rise of essentially a New World Religion.³ Jean Houston

[E]stablish a church based on universal principles.⁴ Unity-in-Diversity Council

The reorganization of the world’s religions...[is] for the new world religion.⁵ Alice Bailey

In Asia and Africa, Satan has cleared footpaths to his throne through the paganism that grips much of the globe today. Visions of this “angel of light” light the way for the masses in South and Central America, Mexico, Spain, Italy, Ireland, and half of Europe and North America. Finally, he has set in motion a current to carry the communist and ‘Christianized’ cultures to the coming ‘conversion’. A storyteller, weaving “cunningly devised fables” will lull this group to sleep. As the New Age’s nanny admits:

[T]he war...will be fought with mental weapons in the world of thought.⁶

Antics with Semantics

The “beast’s” own books betray his scheme to use bibles as building blocks for his bridge back to Babel—its One World Government and One World Religion. God split this league by dividing the languages. So Satan sees *words*, welding East and West, as the only weapon in his war to win the world. His legion carrying this common language is called ‘The New Age Movement’. *The Encyclopedia of Occultism and Parapsychology* divulges Satan’s secret in their definition of “the New Age,” calling it a “largely semantic revolution.”⁷ (‘Semantics’ means changes in the meaning of words.) Lola Davis, another semantic soldier writes in *Toward a World Religion for the New Age*:

When an appropriate common vocabulary is developed, each group can help toward a World Religion.⁸

Already inside the church, the wife of Episcopal Bishop James Pike echoes:

[We need]...one vocabulary and one way of talking so that we won’t have the split we have had for so many years.⁹

Since both Western ‘Christians’ and Eastern mystics are moving along a semantic bridge—meeting in the middle—in spiritual Babylon, their troops are trumpeting two trends.

TREND ONE

Oriental mystics, traveling West via the New Age Movement, are adopting Christian terms for their occult ideas and identities. (Some years ago the leading New Age newsletter [Lucis Trust, United Nations Plaza] called for volunteers to help find acceptable Christian counterparts for New Age words.) So now ‘Buddha’, ‘Krishna’, and Lucifer become ‘The Lord’, ‘The Christ’, and ‘the One’. Occult initiation becomes ‘baptism’, the beginning step on their ‘Way’. *Los Angeles Times* writer, Russell Chandler, observes:

New Age metaphysical groups often co-opt the language and trappings of the traditional Christian church,

thereby making newcomers feel more comfortable in their transition to alternate forms of belief or practice.¹⁰

A book about Luciferic initiation made its way to the best-seller’s list. Its author, Whitley Strieber, called it *Communion* to make it more easily acceptable. “Infiltrating the New Age Into Society,” an article in a New Age journal admits:

One of the biggest advantages we have as New Agers is, once the occult, metaphysical New Age terminology is removed, we have concepts and techniques that are very acceptable to the general public. So we can change the names and so doing, we open the New Age door to millions who normally would not be receptive.¹¹

The New Age Dictionary by Alex Jack, editor of the popular *East-West Journal*, gives New Age definitions for Christian terms. He boasts, “[T]his book is only the beginning in the direction of unifying...East and West.”¹² The left column gives some of his New Age definitions; while the column on the right shows how new versions are changing to conform to the New Age. (Documentation in later chapters.)

NEW AGE DICTIONARY	NEW VERSIONS
<i>the Holy Spirit</i> : a spirit that is whole	Substitute man’s spirit for the Holy Spirit.
<i>Christ</i> : any fully realized person	Drop ‘Jesus’ from Christ.
<i>Sanat</i> : [Satan scrambled] Lord of the World	Use ‘Lord’ alone dropping the identity of Jesus or JEHOVAH.
<i>Lucifer</i> : the morning star	Call Lucifer “the morning star.”
<i>the dragon</i> : a great beneficent being; a symbol of wisdom	Drop half of the references to “the dragon.”
<i>devil</i> : great strength	Omit connection between Lucifer and the devil.
<i>daemon</i> : demigod	Transliterate <i>daemon</i> as demon, dropping its connection with devil.
<i>Sin</i> : Sumerian Moon God	Omit scores of references to sin.

NEW AGE DICTIONARY	NEW VERSIONS
<i>love</i> : sexual passion or desire ¹³	Substitute ‘love’ for ‘charity’.

The New Age scheme to use Christian words to veil their ‘venom’ has not gone unnoticed by cult watchers. Moody’s book *Satan’s Evangelistic Strategy for This New Age* lists several ways in which Satan works. One method is to “use language to disguise your identity.” Others have observed:

This new theology can be confusing with its apparent new definitions for words that have long established meaning.¹⁴ Dave Hunt *Beyond Seduction*

What the bewildered Christian fails to understand is that the cultist redefines orthodox terminology to suit his own belief system.¹⁵ Bob Larson *Larson’s Book of Cults*

Satan, the real master of the New Age, delights in mysterious code words and phrases because they allow his agents, when questioned, to escape public censure by hiding behind a verbal mirage.¹⁶

Texe Marrs *Dark Secrets of the New Age*

Christians can be disarmed since these terms are part of their own vocabulary.¹⁷

Elliot Miller *A Crash Course on the New Age*

TREND TWO

Western word warriors traveling east on the semantic bridge have matched moves with the mystics. Since Buddha, Krishna, and Lucifer became ‘the Christ’, ‘the Lord’, and ‘the One’, editors riding the new version bandwagon east have changed Jesus and JEHOVAH to ‘the Christ’, ‘the Lord’, and ‘the One’—all a response to the call for a common language and the crowning of the Nameless God of occultism. *The Metaphysical Bible Dictionary*, a standard source for New Age beliefs, chides those who refuse to join the new age/new version move to replace personal names with impersonal titles:

Those who personalize God, Christ, Devil, and localize heaven and hell are the Pharisees of the present time.¹⁸

In this New Age ‘name game’, new versions have substituted ‘titles’ which transport the reader immediately to a list of Satan’s latest poison pen names. The rock scene sings of Lord Satan (Venom) who’s “a new god” and “a star from the east” (Wang Chung). New Agers refer to Lucifer as “the One,” “the Spirit of the Age” and a “divine being.” Now new versions point readers to Satan instead of God. (Documentation in upcoming chapters.)

SUMMARY: THE NAME GAME	
KJV/Christianity	New Versions/New Age
Lucifer	morning star, Day Star
JEHOVAH	Lord
Holy One of Israel	One
Holy Ghost	Spirit
Lord Jesus Christ	Lord
Godhead	divine being

As the following quotes reveal, the ‘New’ age and ‘New’ versions are merely resurrecting the serpent worship of history’s Gnostics, Egyptians, magicians, and witches.

In ritual magic there is a doctrine of the Incommunicable Name, the hidden name of the god. It is believed that this god keeps his name secret in order that no one may gain power over him.¹⁹

The god of witchcraft’s name is kept a secret.²⁰

In Egypt, for example, the concept of the “Concealed Name” was extremely common.²¹

In Gnostic thought, the concrete is resolved into the abstract. **Personal names** are replaced by terms of philosophy; mythological figures are changed into qualities and attributes and events into cosmic processes. [Hence, the personal name JEHOVAH becomes the at-

tribute ‘Lord’.] In many religions the god represents a **thing** such as Aeolus, as the personification of the wind. [Hence, the personal name Lucifer becomes a thing, ‘morning star’.]²²

This book will document in detail hundreds of New Age philosophies which have gained entry into the church via the new versions. Like the pinhole in the ozone which over the last 100 years has stretched into a wide puncture, the slit in the “bottomless pit,” which allowed liberalism to leak into the *Revised Version* of 1881, has now become a streaming spout, spreading mysticism out through the *English Standard Version* (ESV), *New International Version* (NIV), *New King James Version* (NKJV), *Holman Christian Standard Version* (HCSB, CSB), and the *New American Standard Bible* (NASB). The new versions give a picture of the widening apostasy. And like a photographic negative, it is a dim view. When held up to the light of God’s word, it is clearly discernible that they are pictures of the coming One World Religion. Line by line the face of Jesus Christ and Christianity has been changed—first to a caricature and finally to the face of Antichrist.

When the picture is fully developed, a final edition ‘*New Revised International Version*,’ or the like, will be the culmination of a progressive plan described in *Dark Secrets of the New Age*. Its author reveals:

1. Satan recognizes that a bible is needed to control the masses. The development of a New Age Bible is among his top priorities.
2. The New Age has pledged to develop a world Bible [which]...will affirm the ‘truths’ to be found in Hindu, Buddhist, Sufi Moslem and other Eastern Mystical religions.
3. The New Age Bible will be the unholy vessel into which the Antichrist will pour these doctrines of devils. It will incorporate the major doctrines of the [One World] religion.
4. The devious strategy that seems to be paying off for the New Age is that of revising or updating

the Bible to make it more ‘meaningful to modern times’. It will not be necessary to stage a direct frontal attack on Christianity. The Bible of the Christians and Jews will surely be revised and objectionable passages...will be removed.

5. The church will all be unified in doctrine and ritual...Antichrist will seize world political and economic power...establish a One World Religion and One World Government.²³

The pressure to change the bible to conform to this One World Religion is conceded by ‘insiders’ on new version projects.

Certain words have gathered theological significance through the years and to change them might be to **change doctrine**...Do the changes in meaning come from new evidence or simply **new theology**.²⁴

Lewis Foster, NIV and NKJV Committees

[T]he question of good or bad translation is no longer a linguistic one but a **doctrinal** one.²⁵

John Kohlenberger *The N.I.V. Concordance*

The plumb line for heresy and orthodoxy is given by cult expert Bob Larson who says:

The basic fault of cults is that they demote God, devalue Christ, deify man, deny sin and denigrate scripture.²⁶

Those five heresies summarize my findings regarding new versions. This leads me to direct the reader to heed Josh McDowell’s warning in *Understanding the Cults*.

Beware of any group or individual that changes essential doctrine.²⁷

Gordon Lewis, Christian apologist and cult expert, notes that the New Age ‘word game’ “makes the bible endorse what its writers emphatically opposed.”²⁸ The following chart is an overview of the New Age words and doctrines found in new versions.

The words are direct quotations from each version. Documentation follows in this book.

(The abbreviation *et al.* is used throughout this book. It is Latin for ‘and others’.)

Are new versions preparing mankind to receive the Antichrist and “worship the dragon”?		
KJV	VERSE	NIV, ESV, NASV, HCSB, et al.
Jesus	Luke 24:36 (ESV, NIV ok)	He
Jesus	Matt. 8:29	
Jesus (2x)	Mark 2:15 (NIV ok)	He
Jesus (2x)	Mark 10:52 (NIV ok)	Him
the kingdom of God	Matt. 6:33 (ESV, HCSB ok)	His kingdom
God	Rev. 21:4	He
God	I Tim. 3:16	He
God	Gal. 1:15 (NIV, HCSB ok)	He
God	Matt. 22:32	He
the name of the Lord	Acts 22:16	His name
the spirit	I Cor. 14:2 (HCSB, ESV ok)	his spirit
his Father’s name written in their foreheads	Rev. 14:1	His name and the name of His Father written on their foreheads (see Rev. 14:11!)
worship God	Phil. 3:3	worship, serve (see Rev. 9, 13, 14, 16)

(Following the first printing of this book in 1993, the embarrassed NASB and NIV translators slyly fixed a few of the exposed errors, forcing them to create a new 1995 NASB and 2011 NIV. However, the NASB then further corrupted another 24,000 words, dropping 6,966 more of them. The NIV plunged off the cliff and became gender neutral in the main.)

The following examples summarize how new versions match the New Age movement. Each example will be discussed and documented, with verse citations, in the upcoming chapters of the book.

WHO IS GOD?		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE/ LUCIFERIANS
He	The One	The One
The Holy One	The One	The One
The Holy Spirit	The Spirit	The Spirit
JEHOVAH	The Lord	The Lord
Our Father	The Father	The Father
Lord Jesus Christ	The Christ	The Christ
The Godhead	divine being	divine being
God	a God	a God

WHO IS?:		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE/ LUCIFERIANS
Lucifer? Satan	OMIT	a God called the Virgin
the dragon? Satan	OMIT	a God called the Virgin
the Force? Satan	OMIT	a God called the Virgin
Mary? a virgin	the Virgin	a Goddess called the Virgin
Diana? devil	OMIT	a Goddess called the Virgin
devils? devil	demons	demons (Gods and Goddess)
Satan? devil	OMIT	Jehovah

WHO IS THE MORNING STAR and DAY STAR?		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE
Jesus Christ	Satan	Satan

ANTICHRIST OR CHRIST?		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE/ LAST DAYS
Jesus	he	he
Christ	him	him
Jesus Christ	the Christ	the Christ
King of saints	King of nations	King of nations
God	he; the Great Power	he; the Great Power
the kingdom of God	his kingdom	his kingdom
the name of the Lord	his name	his name

ONE WORLD RELIGION OR CHRISTIANITY:		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE/ LAST DAYS
his Father's name in their foreheads	his name...on their foreheads	his name...on their foreheads
[those who worship an image are] too superstitious	[those who worship an image are] very religious	[those who worship an image are] very religious
the image of him	the image of the One	the image of the One
things which he hath not seen	visions he has seen	visions he has seen
a new earth	a new age	a new age
end of the world	end of the age	end of the age
(the enemy) MYSTERY BABYLON	(the enemy) BABYLON	(the enemy) BABYLON
fruit of the Spirit	fruit of the light	fruit of the light
keep under my body	beat my body	beat my body
Pray: Our Father, which art in heaven...thy will be done as in heaven so in earth...but deliver us from evil.	Father (omit remainder)	Father (omit remainder)

WHO IS JESUS CHRIST?		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE
The Lord Jesus Christ	Jesus	Jesus
Jesus Christ	the Christ	the Christ
Jesus	him	him
Christ	he	he
God	he	he
Son of God	Son of man a son of the gods	Son of man a son of the gods
Son	servant	servant
the Son	a Son	a Son
the Saviour	a Savior	a Savior
the way	a way	a way
good master	teacher	teacher
Alpha and Omega	OMIT	OMIT
equal with God	OMIT	OMIT
God	OMIT	OMIT
the creator	OMIT	OMIT
(co-eternal with God)	OMIT	OMIT
virgin born	OMIT	OMIT
rose from the dead	OMIT	OMIT
ascended into heaven	OMIT	OMIT

WHAT IS MAN?		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE
ignorant	unaware	unaware
vile	humble	humble
a little lower than the angels	a little lower than God	a little lower than God
OUR ATTITUDE SHOULD BE:		
I abhor myself	my conscience is clear	my conscience is clear

WHY DID CHRIST DIE?		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE/ LUCIFERIAN
for us	OMIT	OMIT
FOR WHOM DID CHRIST COME?		
men	men on whom his favor rests	men on whom his favor rests

HOW ARE WE SAVED?		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE/ HUMANISM
—	how hard it is	how hard it is
by grace	OMIT	OMIT
through his blood	OMIT	OMIT
the gospel of Christ	a gospel	a gospel
the door	a door	a door
the word	a message	a message
believe	obey	obey
faith	faithfulness	faithfulness
believe in him	believe	believe
Lord, Jesus	OMIT	OMIT
THEN WE ARE:		
saved	are being saved	are being saved
DESTINATION OF THE UNSAVED		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE/ HUMANISM
hell	grave	grave
hell	death	death
fire	OMIT	OMIT

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE CHRISTIAN LIFE		
KJV	NEW VERSION/ NEW CHRISTIANITY	NEW AGE/ HUMANISM
pure	adequate	adequate
rejoice	proud	proud
righteous	prosperous	prosperous
take up the cross	OMIT	OMIT
[grow] by the word	OMIT	OMIT
give with simplicity	give with generosity	give with generosity
follow	imitate	imitate
not with outward adorning	outward adorning	outward adorning
ATTITUDE TOWARD ENEMIES		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	HUMANISM
bless	OMIT ("you...bastard")	OMIT ("you...bastard")
do good	OMIT ("go to hell")	OMIT ("go to hell")
forgive	OMIT ("you son of a bitch")	OMIT ("you son of a bitch")
'EXPRESSLY' FORBIDDEN		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE
murder	OMIT	OMIT
fornication	OMIT (its "natural")	OMIT
whoremongering	OMIT	OMIT
blasphemy	OMIT	OMIT
bear false witness	OMIT	OMIT

GOD'S ATTITUDE TOWARD CHRISTIANS		
KJV	NEW VERSIONS	NEW AGE/ LUCIFERIANS
servants	slaves	slaves
chastened	punished	punished
humble	humiliate	humiliate
compassion	indignant	indignant

New versions have touched the palate of bible readers giving them a taste of the New Age. Like a cake's ingredients, mysticism is mixed so thoroughly with Christianity that it is not easily discernible, except to those who have tasted the forbidden fruit before. Consequently, New Agers like Shirley MacLaine say, "The bible is very metaphysical." Mystics can now say "[T]he bible confirms New Age views," as *Mystery Mark of the New Age* reveals. New versions have incited a shift in doctrine within some Christian circles that has not gone unnoticed by mystic and occultist. Starhawk, a self-proclaimed witch remarks:

I am very glad to discover such movement within Christian churches that is sympathetic to the pagan spirit.³⁰

Author of *Toward a World Religion for the New Age* has also tasted the forbidden fruit before and points out the origin of Christianity's "changes in teaching."

[Christianity] demonstrates changes in teaching...which are related to the ageless wisdom taught in Egypt...early Greek philosophy and in the mystical schools...and in most esoteric groups.

Naïve Christians pass over the esoteric terminology and philosophy in new versions because, as Moody's *Agony of Deceit* points out:

[T]hey are unaware that they are repeating the errors of the past. Because they do not understand Greek philosophy or Oriental mysticism, or 19th century theosophy [Luciferianism], they do not know how seriously they have been affected by such thinking.³¹

Caught up or Falling away?

Let no man deceive you by any means for that day shall not come except there come a falling away first.
II Thessalonians 2:3

Players drop—captured pawns of the black-hearted chessman who makes his move across checkered bibles. His deadly dart escapes view. But Genesis 3 provides a clue to those who say, “The devil surely could not have infiltrated new versions of THE BIBLE!” Yet, “We are not ignorant of his devices.” (II Corinthians 2:11) His point of attack (the words of God), his method (subtlety), and his vehicle (the tree of knowledge [Ph.D.]), successfully served as “devices” to snare his prey—so they continue today.

His subtlety today is called a “softening up process” by the author of the *Lucifer Connection*.³² New Age spokesmen reveal their mandate and their method:

MANDATE:

Change those aspects of religion...which delay the full manifestation of planetary unity...³³

The New Group of World Servers “Objectives”,
(U.N. Plaza, N.Y.)

METHOD:

The collusion is so **low-key** that no one notices.³⁴
The Aquarian Conspiracy

Present religions will begin to **make changes and evolve** into...the World Religion... We need to **synthesize** the major religions with a World Religion for the New Age. ³⁵ *Toward a World Religion for the New Age*

[T]he dominate straight society has apparently **not recognized** the pervasiveness of the new consciousness culture. Perhaps this is just as well as far as polarization between the old culture and the new one has been avoided. If the New Age movement does become a target of alarmed forces...it will offer a ...target very hard to identify. ³⁶
Donald Keys “Planetary Citizens”

Progressive simplification and unification will...have

taken place in the religious field.³⁷

Most New Agers, however teach that the new will overcome the old by a **gentle process** of ecumenical unity and absorption of the religions into one another...The New World Religion will contain all the common elements of all religions.³⁸ *The Lucifer Connection*

The new spirituality does not reject the earlier patterns of the great universal religions...they will not be forced out of existence in the New Age, they will be **absorbed into** the New Age.³⁹

If the final planetary synthesis of the Eastern and Western Spiritual traditions is to be realized...Eastern mysticism must be **incorporated into** traditional Christianity.⁴⁰

Peter De Cappens, New Age editor

Yet new versions omit all three clues describing Satan's devices.

Method: "creep into" II Tim. 3:6

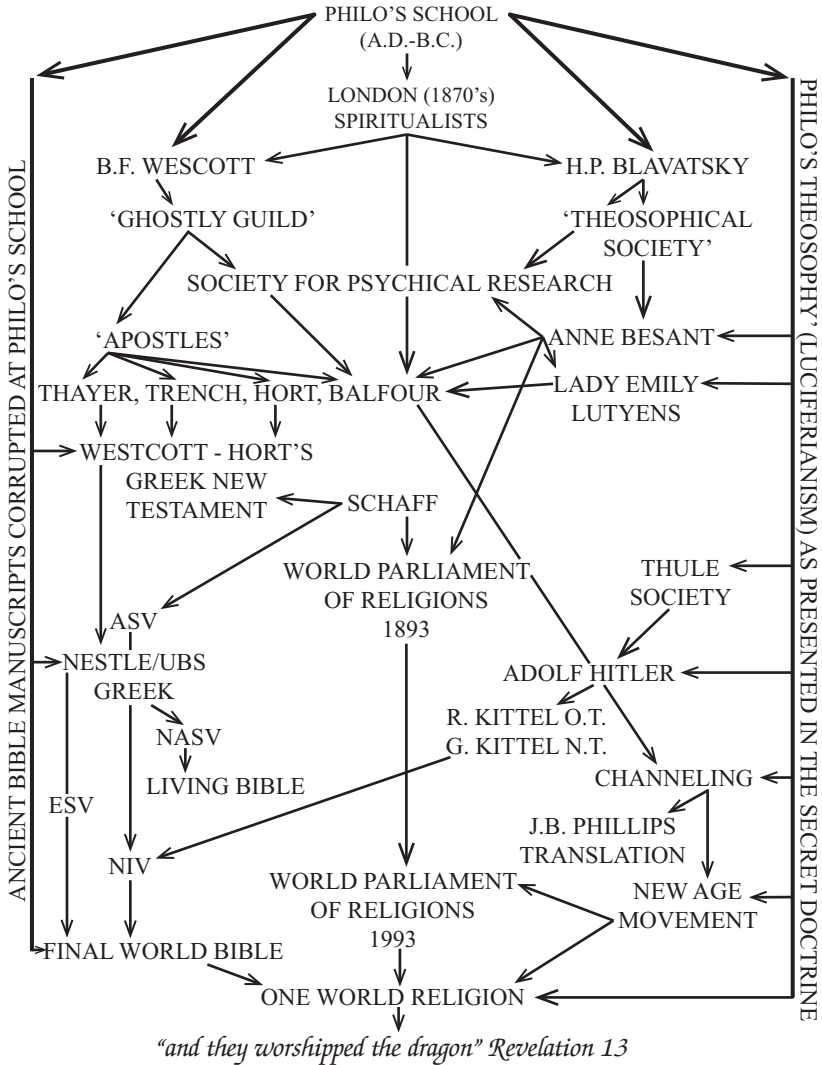
Means: "by any means" II Cor. 11:3

Moment: "at his will" II Tim. 2:26

The Method: Men and Manuscripts Corrected or Corrupted?

It is natural to perceive certain discrete phenomena, such as apostasy in the next pew or a version that's new, without placing it within a broader scheme, both historically and geographically. Each time the reader turns a page in this book, he will be pulling back the curtain of time, revealing the concealed wires on the marionettes who are setting the stage for the New Age. The unsound doctrines in new versions cannot be examined without realizing that they are only symptoms of a disease that was contracted years ago.

New versions (and the 'new' church they are producing) owe their occult bend to their underlying Greek text, a novelty produced in the 1870's by B.F. Westcott, a London Spiritualist. Secular historians and numerous occult books see him as 'the Father' of the current channeling phenomenon, a major source of the "doc-



trines of devils” driving the New Age movement.

His British Ghostly Guild became the training grounds for much under-the-table hand holding between his students and London’s Madame Helena P. Blavatsky, another Spiritualist and then editor of *Lucifer* magazine. Christian cult watchers aptly call her “the seamstress who cut the pattern for the harlot’s new dress.”⁷⁴¹ She was to become, as *Los Angeles Times* magazine says, “god-mother of the New Age movement.”⁷⁴² The editor of the *New Age Dictionary* calls her the “midwife of the New Age.”⁷⁴³ New Age leader Vera Alder says:

H.P. Blavatsky was one of the foremost to resurrect the ancient Mystery Teachings and interpret them for our time in a set of books which have become the Bibles, as it were, of the modern metaphysician or occultist.⁴⁴

Since both Westcott and Blavatsky, through their occult involvement, signed up for service in Satan’s Church, he has used them as his two arms. She has offered her writing arm to usher in the friends of the Bride of Satan, the whore (Revelation 17). Her writing has wrapped up society’s non-conformists (Hitler, Sirhan Sirhan) in her wizard’s cape, capturing them for Satan’s kingdom. Westcott, working as a ‘priest’ in the Church of England, will wed Satan to the harlot church. With his sheep’s clothing, he has pulled the wool over the eyes of churched-conformists.

The Encyclopedia of the Unexplained says Blavatsky exhumed her Luciferian doctrines from Philo’s School in Alexandria, Egypt.⁴⁵ This same school also produced manuscripts of the Old and New Testament—altered to conform to their esoteric teachings. The graveyard haunts of Westcott’s ‘Ghostly Guild’ brought up these very manuscripts and used them to alter the traditional Old and New Testaments. New versions mimic the New Age because they both made their debut on the same stage—at Philo’s School.

As spiritualists (necromancers) both Westcott and Blavatsky recognized the esoteric tone given New Testament manuscripts produced within hearing distance of Philo’s school. Both believe these were ‘corrected’ not corrupted versions. Blavatsky’s books (with subtitles like ‘Holy Satan’) join Westcott in sounding the death bell for the KJV—the real bible. She blows Westcott’s ‘spiritualist trumpet’ saying:

That which for nearly 1500 years was imposed on Christendom as a book, of which every word was written under the direct supervision of the Holy Ghost; of which not one syllable nor a comma could be changed without sacrilege, is now being retranslated, revised and **corrected** and **clipped** of whole verses, in some cases of entire chapters.⁴⁶

[The] London Committee for the Revision of the Bible...show[s] the origin of the bible to be occultism... and pagan.⁴⁷

Westcott's then "shocking" Greek New Testament slowly infiltrated the liberal seminaries during the first half of the 20th century and today floods the bookstores under 'New' version covers. James Webb, author of *The Occult Underground* and *The Occult Establishment* is among a string of historians tying Westcott's work to the "Occult Revival." He observes:

It is to restate a truism that what is avant-garde for one generation is taught to the next in the schools [seminaries]. By the third generation, it has become an accepted part of the unperceived assumptions on which everyday life is based.⁴⁸

Even the *NIV Concordance* editor concedes that this century's versions are a deviation from the text type used, as Blavatsky said, "for nearly 1500 years." He acknowledges, "A century ago—even a half century ago...nothing seriously threatened these standards."⁴⁹ Noting their deviation from the traditional text, one NIV editor yields, "Certain verses that...have traditionally been thought to be part of Holy Writ, were in the judgment of the translators, not present..."⁵⁰ Wheaton professor, Dr. Gordon Fee, comments on the "clipped" character of all versions except the Authorized Version (KJV).

The contemporary translations as a group have one thing in common: they tend to agree against the KJV... in omitting hundreds of words, phrases and verses.⁵¹

The NIV has about 64,098 less words than the KJV. Man-

uscripts and Greek New Testaments produced according to the “re-
 vise” rule of Philo’s school are markedly different from the great
 mass of N.T. manuscripts (over 5000) used to produce the KJV.
 J.B. Phillips, *another* Spiritualist and new version editor, acknowl-
 edges this “vast” difference in his forward to the *NASB Greek-En-
 glish Interlinear New Testament*.

You will see how and why a modern translation produc-
 es vastly different verbal results.⁵²

The *vast* difference between this Greek text type and most
 others mirrors the vast difference between paganism and Christian-
 ity. Yet they have become, in Webb’s words, “...an accepted part”
 of liberal N.T. scholarship. The mandate to infiltrate has been fol-
 lowed so fully that these altered manuscripts are referred to today
 as “*the originals*” by Luciferians and liberal N.T. scholars.

LUCIFERIAN	NIV EDITORS
“This ‘Pagan’ view was shown in the original[s]... the English translation [KJV] being worthless.” ⁵³	The KJV is “misleading... erroneous...corrupted by errors.” ⁵⁴
“The King James Version; as it is translated, has no resemblance whatever to the originals.” ⁵⁵ Blavatsky	“The King James Version... changed the originals...” ⁵⁶ Palmer
	“[T]he Textus Receptus contains so many significant departures from the original manuscripts of the various New Testament books that it cannot be relied on as a basis for translation.” ⁵⁷ Youngblood

What spurs them to concur? The uncanny parallel between what these ‘New’ editors brew and Lucifer’s ‘New’ Age view will be uncovered herein through scores of quotes—matched as if hatched by the same name. This job, says Bob Larson, is Satan’s:

There is a striking harmony in the way all false belief systems view truth. This is to be expected because all

ideologies which are contrary to scripture originated from the same source—Satan.⁵⁸

Discoveries into Darkness

The “vast” shift in the contents of the New Testament, moved by Westcott’s graveyard manuscript ‘discoveries’, marks the beginning of a series of ‘digs’, around the tree of knowledge and down to the bottomless pit. “Science and recent discoveries” will be utilized to ‘authorize’ Satan’s diabolical enterprise—the New World Bible. New Age leader, Vera Alder, forecasts:

[F]rom all archaeological archives...and the illuminations of modern science and discovery...the Research Panel would develop a new ‘Bible’ of a World Religion which will be the basis of future education.⁵⁹

To equalize the pagan and ‘Christian’ elements in this synthesized religion, two groups of documents arise. *Toward a World Religion for a New Age* reveals:

In this century religious data previously unavailable has been found. Among these are [:]

[1] the Dead Sea Scrolls

[2] Christian writings deleted from the bible during the 4th century

Probably much of this knowledge could be advantageously used in synthesizing the major religions with a World Religion for the New Age.⁶⁰

Item [1], the scrolls from the Dead Sea, are merely shed debris—the skins of the python who crushed the souls of this ancient sect. Their burial served as protection, lest this occult infection spread, leaving others ‘spiritually’ dead. Unearthed from the sand at Satan’s hand, they are being given life by much media hype. These scrolls will squeeze souls into submission to the serpent’s lies—all while promising, “to make one wise.”

Item [2], the “Christian writings deleted from the bible

during the 4th century,” are *the very manuscripts now* being used to “correct,” as Luciferians say, the New Testament and create new versions. These manuscript types (*Aleph*, B, D and papyri 75, 45 et al.) were rejected by a growing and discerning Christian body—almost immediately after their creation by the ‘friends of Philo’. “Deleted” also were their extra books such as *The Shepherd of Hermas* and *The Epistle of Barnabas*. Both paint a scene which will be seen when Satan’s Church of Chapter Thirteen convenes (see chapter 40). New Agers, like Davis, also recognize the esoteric qualities of these “deleted” manuscripts. Their ability to synthesize pagan and Christian ideas drew the liberal churchmen who circled the table of the ‘new’ Greek and ‘new’ version committees. Inch by inch, Davis’ “deleted” manuscripts have become, in the words of editor Bruce Metzger, the “discovered” manuscripts.⁶¹ *Dark Secrets of the New Age* cautions concerning this revision strategy:

The bible that is developed by the antichrist will be applauded as fully in keeping with the high tech age. Further, New Age citizens will be told that New Age scriptures can be changed when ever new scientific discoveries suggest revisions are needed.⁶²

The New Order “shall deceive MANY.”

Alder’s bait, the scrolls and “deleted writings,” will be used to re-‘educate’ members of Satan’s emerging global state. On her slate for its magistrate is the New Age candidate—antichrist. She continues:

Who will this superman be? There is surely only One who would be suitable—the Christ...he will build an integrated **new world order**. Orthodoxy as we now know it would have ceased to exist.⁶³

The two pallbearers who carried orthodoxy out of the church also christened the “new order’s” name. First “Blavatsky... broke the ground for the creation of the new order;” then Westcott seeded the soil with tares and tales of a “progressive” “new order.”⁶⁴ These weeds have gradually gained ground and today grip government policy and public opinion. They are also choking the

church, cautions Constance Cumbey. Gleaning from the plan in Rifkin's *Emerging Order*, she concludes:

The evangelical church would be the primary instrument to bring the new world order to birth.⁶⁵

The confiscation of the bible by the antichristian world system has begun. Zondervan, the world's largest publisher of the NIV, has been taken over by the secular publisher Harper Collins, who also publishes *The Satanic Bible*. The owner, media mogul, Rupert Murdoch, has also purchased Thomas Nelson, the publisher of the NKJV. The American Bible Society now titles and seals bibles for worldwide distribution with the insignia—Good News for a New Age or '*God's Word for a New Age*' (see Plate). At this moment even the evangelical churches glue the mortar which will bind the new order. The NIV clears the way, in Hebrews 9:10, then the NEB spears the prey.

[T]he old order is gone and a new order has already begun
II Corinthians 5:17 (NEB)

In church after church, on channel after channel, new versions are becoming sanctified by custom. "Everybody's doing it," quip Christians in spiritual adolescence. Basing the decision of what bible to use on church 'customs' or personal experience is a move to the New Age mind set. Margot Adler, a modern witch, says:

Most Neo-pagan religions...are based on...custom and experience rather than the written word.⁶⁶

Concordance editor, John Kohlenberger, points out the three most common reasons for selecting a version of the bible: 1) friends and fellowship, 2) finances, 3) and finally, research.

Those with a theological investment in a given translation can make the choice a matter of faith and fellowship. And those with an economic investment in a given translation can help muddy the waters with half-truths and overstatements. Unless you simply want to accept someone else's opinion second hand, you must do a bit of research.⁶⁷



Promoting new versions, magazine ads and media preachers together present a fog accompanied by a bull horn. The blare fills the air allowing feelings (not facts) to fan Philo's ancient ash heaps and their heresies. Scholar Dean John Burgon observes:

The Sacred Text has none to fear so much as those who feel rather than think.⁶⁸

A world of shared misconceptions often surrounds both the 'man on the street' and the man of letters. True researchers know that the popular press serves poorly as a research tool; primary sources must be examined. The popular reference work *Words About the Word*, published by Zondervan, will serve as an example. It asserts that 1) The "doctrinal problems" in the KJV are discussed in *The English Bible from KJV to NIV*. 2) The orthodoxy of new version editors, regarding the inerrancy of scriptures, can be seen in such autobiographies as J.B. Phillips'. 3) A comparison of verses indicates that the new versions exceed the KJV in references to the deity of Christ. Upon checking the books and verses given, which few do, it is discovered that *no* "doctrinal problems" are listed, Phillips *flatly denies* a belief in the inerrancy of scriptures, and the verses cited are not representative of the deity issue at all. Yet, for most, the false *impressions* remain.

The book you are now reading, and others, like linguistic expert Dr. Wilbur Pickering's recent *The Identity of the New Testament Text*, break through this maze of multiplied misinformation. His documentation proves the highly misleading nature of the Greek text and critical apparatus underlying new versions. He set the stage for this, the final page, closing 'the cover' on new versions.

The Old Testament priests were given the responsibility of preserving the scriptures which were written by the prophets (Deuteronomy 31). When Christ died, the veil of the temple was torn; the priesthood then passed to all who come to God through faith in Jesus Christ (I Peter 2:16). As priests, believers now are charged with safeguarding the scriptures written by the apostles. Lewis Foster, a member of both the NIV and NKJV Committees reflects the elitism among liberal scholars who say the issue is "beyond the sight of the average reader."⁶⁹ It is the purpose of this book to

bring the subject within their sight, re-arming them to “fight the good fight.”

Prove all things: hold fast that which is good.

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The Message

PART ONE

They Worshipped
The Dragon

TWO

Praying to a New God: Lucifer, the god of this world

II Cor. 4:4

praying to a new god

You better start praying
to a new god.
they're saying the devil's
got a new job.
it's another second coming
like it or not
you better start
praying to a new god.
start praying,
what are you afraid of
there's a big world...
they've all come to see
a star from the east.
is he man or beast?
decide
feel like I'm crucified,
still I'm not satisfied
start praying to a new god
praying on the freeway, airwaves
...at the back door
on the dance floor,
start praying to a new god.¹

This handful of lines from the huge hit recording hammers away at hearers. They crow, "...the devils got a new job," as a new god, but students of the word of God recognize his timeworn attempt.

They sacrificed unto devils, not to God; to gods whom they knew not, to **new gods**... And when the Lord saw it, he abhorred them, because of the provoking of his sons, and of his daughters... They chose new gods; then was war in the gates. Deuteronomy 32:17, 19; Judges 5:8

Pounding to penetrate this generation, Satanic lyrics have drifted from the 'metallica' to the 'middling' music market. This shift from the counter-culture to the common place has likewise occurred as the philosophies of the "Occult Underground," as James Webb called it, have been transported by fellow travelers into the recent bible versions.² Their "star from the east" is reverberating on the pages of all of the new bible versions; the repercussions thunder as we witness the "falling away."

The Doctrine of Satan: The Name Game

"How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! how art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations!

For thou hast said in thine heart, I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God: I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north: I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will be like the most High.

Yet thou shalt be brought down to hell, to the sides of the pit. They that see thee shall narrowly look upon thee, and consider thee saying, Is this the man that made the earth to tremble, that did shake kingdoms, that made the world as a wilderness, and destroyed the cities thereof; that opened not the house of his prisoners?" Isaiah 14:12-17

In Lucifer's boastful cry, "I will be like the most High," discontentment weighs on every word; the anointed cherub wanted an identity change. The new persona he wished to pursue included the

response of worship from whomsoever would. This is seen in his appeal to Jesus Christ to “fall down and worship me,” recorded in Matthew 4:9. Unfortunately his ambition will be fulfilled, as seen in Revelation 13:4, “and they worshipped the dragon.” Revelation 12:9 identifies, “the great dragon [as]...that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan.”

The public relations campaign required to transform the public’s image of Satan, from his true evil character to one which would inspire worship, is monumental. It pivots upon the transformation of his identity.

Historically, Isaiah 14 has been used as *the* singular biography of Lucifer, shedding unique light upon the “mystery of iniquity.” In verse twelve Lucifer is in heaven, in verse fifteen Satan is in hell. The intervening verses expose his pride in the five “I wills,” each a rung in his descent into hell. (“I will,” is also the official motto of the U.S. city sporting zip code 60606. In 1966, this same city hatched the NIV.)

These passages must be the object of Satan’s rancor and consequently his opposition. They reveal his arrogance (verse 13 and 14), his responsibility for much of the world’s misery (verse 17) and his end (verse 15 and 16). He is indicted as soundly in Ezekiel 28, but is unnamed and designated “the anointed cherub.”

His ambition is to be “like the most High” and these verses sweep away that illusion, presenting him transparently. To hold that he would not grapple with the word “Lucifer” until it was securely removed from such an unflattering context and replanted into a “like-the-most-High” context, is naiveté. *Fait accompli*, the feat is accomplished in all new bible versions; the KJV remains uncorrupted.

(Now that Lucifer’s name has been erased from new versions, the name game can be played on the unsuspecting, in the form of a jab of Luciferin and Luciferases, an invisible bioluminescent mark³⁸. See Chapter 6 and note 61.)

NIV	NASB	KJV
How you have fallen from heaven O morning star , son of the dawn... but you are brought down to the grave...	How you have fallen from heaven O star of the morning , son of the dawn...you will be thrust down to Sheol...	How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer , son of the morning!... Yet thou shalt be brought down to hell ... (Is. 14:12, 15)
ESV	HCSB	
How you are fallen from heaven, O Day Star , son of Dawn!... But you are brought down to Sheol...	Shining morning star , how you have fallen from the heavens!... But you will be brought down to Sheol...	

Twentieth century versions have removed the name Lucifer, thereby eliminating the only reference to him in the entire bible. The word Lucifer then falls to the realm of the poets and writers of mythology and ceases to be an identifiable character of biblical origin. He is thereby divorced from the truth concerning himself. In John 8:44 Jesus said, “the devil...is a liar, and the father of it.” He can now have whatever characteristics he desires.

“Morning Star” Not In Hebrew

The change in new versions does not spring from the original Hebrew language, but from the ‘theology’ of the new version editors. The NIV’s wording parallels *exactly* the view expressed by NIV committee member R. Laird Harris. He asserts that Isaiah 14 is not about “Lucifer” and his descent to “hell,” but about a king from Babylon and his interment in the “grave.”³

The NIV’s version of Harris’ view is one link in a chain tied to New Age Luciferian H.P. Blavatsky, who like the new versions and new theologians, denies the fall of Lucifer. Blavatsky writes the script for the 20th century scribes saying:

Now there are many passages in the Bible that prove on their face, exoterically, that this belief was at one

time universal; and the two most convincing are Ezekiel 28 and Isaiah 14. Christian theologians are welcome to interpret the great War before Creation...if they so choose, but the absurdity of the idea is too apparent.⁴

An examination of the original Hebrew will dispel any illusion that “morning star” is an acceptable substitute for the word “Lucifer.” The Hebrew is “*helel, ben shachar,*” which is accurately translated, “Lucifer, son of the morning.” The NIV, ESV, and NASB give an English translation as *if* the Hebrew said, “*shachar kokab, ben shachar*” or morning star (or Day Star), son of the morning (or dawn). Yet the word for star (*kokab*) appears nowhere in the text, in spite of its use in the HCSB and all new versions, including the NKJV footnote. Also ‘morning’ (Day or dawn) appears only once, as the KJV shows, not twice as new versions indicate. The word *kokab* is translated as ‘star’ dozens of other times by NIV translators; morning or dawn is likewise used hundreds of times. New version editors know *boqer kokab* is ‘morning star’ since it is used in Job 38:7. If God had intended to communicate ‘morning star’, he could have repeated it here. The word he chose, *helel*, appears nowhere else in the Old Testament, just as “Lucifer” appears nowhere else.

Why “Morning Star”?

The matching of Lucifer with the morning star rises not from the Hebrew bible but from classical mythology, a fount of bitter water not intended by God as our “fountain of living waters” (Jeremiah 17:13). Reference works concede that the switch is based on “...classical mythology for the planet Venus.”⁵ Just because Satan has convinced the heathen world to connect him with Venus, the morning star, is no basis for the repetition of that “myth” by Christian scholars. But II Timothy 4:3, 4 says the time for myths has come.

For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables. [*muthos*: from which we get the word ‘myths’]

Who is the “Morning Star”?

The ultimate blasphemy occurs when the “morning star” or “Day Star” takes “Lucifer’s” place in Isaiah 14. Jesus Christ is the “morning star” and “day star” and is identified as such in Revelation 22:16, 2:28 and II Peter 1:19. With this slight of hand switch, Satan not only slyly slips out of the picture but lives up to his name “the accuser” (Revelation 12:10) by attempting to make Jesus Christ the subject of the diatribe in Isaiah 14.

The new versions, such as the NIV, NASB, and HCSB, compound their role as malefactors by placing references to II Peter 1:19 and Rev. 22:16 next to Isaiah 14:12 to solidify the notion that the passage refers to Jesus Christ rather than Lucifer.⁶ In using this reference they become willing marionettes, costumed in sheep’s clothing, of ravenous wolves like New Age Rosicrucian leader R. Swinburne Clymer. His occult treatise concurs with the new versions’ perversions regarding the daystar. He concludes,

In this one short sentence is stated most clearly one of the greatest occult truths.⁷

Lucifer’s Spar To Be “The Morning Star”

With an eye to be “...like the most High” (Isaiah 14), Lucifer has tried to infer that he is the “Morning Star.” Spanning the gamut from the compendium on black magic, *The Secret Teachings of All Ages* by Manly P. Hall, to the increasingly popular *New International Version* of the bible, the “Morning Star” is used as a synonym for Lucifer. Hall comments:

The pentagram is used extensively in black magic...it signifies the fall of the Morning Star.⁸

Blavatsky echoes, “[T]he pentagram...is the Morning Star.”⁹ In the *Theosophical Glossary*, used as a major resource of dogma by the New Age we read:

[T]he Christian savior is made to say of himself in Revelation XVI:22, [sic] I am the bright morning star or Lucifer.

The Christians...without suspecting the real meaning...greeted the Morning Star, Venus, Lucifer. The Trinity...was in truth composed of the Sun (the Father)...Venus (the Holy Ghost),...and Lucifer, as Christ, the bright and morning star. The Verbum (the Word) and Lucifer are one...¹⁰

One hundred years ago, Blavatsky's Theosophical Society promoted Krishnamurti, a young Hindu, as "the star from the east" and "the second coming" of Christ. Today the "prince of the power of the air" propagandizes to a new generation through the radio air waves that "a new god...is a star from the east...another second coming." The sounds have reached the United Nations Plaza where Lucis Trust re-echoes the 'new version' of the facts.

Lucifer as here used means...the morning star and has no connection whatsoever with Satan...¹¹

Prior to the "falling away" and apostasy of this current generation of scholars, there was a general consensus that Christ alone was the day star. The old *Commentary Critical and Explanatory of the Old Testament* by Robert Jamieson foretold the current name game.

Daystar: a title truly belonging to Christ and hereafter to be assumed by antichrist.

Likewise timeworn (1913) *The Pulpit Commentary: Isaiah* by H.D.M. Spence states:

[T]he title daystar is truly Christ's but will be confiscated by the antichrist of whom Babylon is a type and mystical Babylon is a forerunner. And Satan will assume it, who is the spirit that energizes the heathen world power Babylon, that now energizes the apostate church and shall at last energize the secular antichrist...and his champion the false prophet.

Owner of *The Satanic Bible* and *Lucifer* Controls NIV and NKJV!

The Fox Broadcasting Facebook page announced, “Lucifer’s waiting for you. Tune in to Fox right now.” In January of 2016 they initiated a television program called, *Lucifer*. The ‘star’ of the program is Lucifer himself, coming to earth as a man and taking the last name ‘Morningstar.’ Viewers, who would never read occult literature, see Lucifer lavishly portrayed as a handsome super-hero, who has been misunderstood and mistreated by God, exactly as occult literature depicts him. The media is calling the program, “redemption for the Devil.” Viewers can even ‘Tweet’ questions to Lucifer while the show is being aired (#askLucifer).

Is it any surprise that the publisher of the new versions, which likewise pretend in Isa. 14:12 that Lucifer is Jesus Christ, the morning star, are the producers of the television program starring ‘Lucifer Morningstar’?

Media baron Rupert Murdoch and his family own 21st Century Fox and Fox Broadcasting, the producers of this blasphemous TV program. The ‘old fox’ Murdoch and his family also owns News Corp., which owns HarperCollins Publishers, whose division, Thomas Nelson Publishers, publishes the NKJV. They also own Zondervan Publishers, owners of the publishing rights to the NIV. HarperCollins also publishes *The Satanic Bible* by Anton La Vey, founder of the Church of Satan.

Jesus said, “Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel,” but just use a few words, warn the new version publishers. Christians must contact the copyright owner of *The Satanic Bible* and the TV program *Lucifer* to get permission to quote or print the NIV and NKJV (<http://HarperCollinsChristian.com/permissions>). They allow tiny quotes to be used freely for advertising purposes, but strictly control, at their own covetous caprice, any other use. Can a thinking person believe that these new versions are God’s Holy Bible? The King James Bible may be printed worldwide, without permissions and copyright fees. Jesus said, “Go ye, and tell that fox...” that “the word of God is not bound” (Luke 13:32, 2 Tim. 2:9).

Rupert Murdoch, the man, whose new ‘bibles’ and broadcasts let Lucifer be “like the most High,” (Isa. 14:14) has been described by the secular press as “journalism’s prince of darkness” (*Chicago Tribune*, March 25, 1995). As far back as 1993, his bi-

ographer called him a “pornographer” and quotes his associates as saying, “Never before had I seen evil so clearly expressed in a human face.” “Rupert is here...Lucifer has come, trailing smoke and sulfur.” “I was spending my time trying to convince the staff that Murdoch was not Satan” (*Murdoch*, William Shawcross, NY: Simon & Shuster, 1993, pp. 423, 316, 215 et al.). *Time* magazine reported that Murdoch failed to appear in court in India on charges that he was broadcasting “vulgar and obscene material” (July 20, 1998). It would take several books, not paragraphs, to unveil his evil reach, as detailed in other biographies, such as *Full Disclosure*, *Citizen Murdoch* and *Good Times, Bad Times*. Announcing the star of the new show, *Lucifer*, in an article entitled “For hire, a Lucifer, who isn’t Rupert Murdoch,” journalist Alex McCown writes, “Fox has hired a new reigning devil, presumably freeing up Rupert Murdoch’s afternoons for golf or possibly waterboarding” (Feb. 27, 2015), <http://www.avclub.com/article/fox-hires-lucifer-who-isnt-rupert-murdoch-215900>. Thanks to Murdoch’s new ‘bibles’ and billion-dollar media outlets, the next generation will be perfectly prime-timed to “worship” Lucifer.

Stages Of Initiation

The first step in Satan’s public relations campaign was to remove his name from the indictment in Isaiah 14, which is the only historical non-fictional documentation of his true nature. Evidently it was much easier to excise the one word “Lucifer,” than to retain it and replace the remaining verses of chapter 14 with the compliments he has currently deceived New Age leaders into penning.

New Age and esoteric literature is replete with references to levels of initiation as a part of their theory of the evolution of consciousness. Overheard on one of my infrequent research visits to the local New Age bookstore was the comment by the owner to a customer selecting a book, “I don’t know if you are ready for that; you’d better start with something that doesn’t shock a beginner.”

Expectedly, there are a number of different levels of esoteric understanding among New Agers regarding the identity of Lucifer and Satan.

The following five steps represent Satan’s progressive and gradual image-transforming campaign.