## NEW AGE Pt. 3: GOLDEN AGE, TITANS, FALLEN ANGELS

## **GOLDEN AGE**

It's important to talk about what the Golden Age is because this is another name for the New Age. The Golden Age refers to the "age" that New Agers believe they can usher in by attaining spiritual transformation individually and collectively through all New Agers around the world. They believe they will usher in this "new age" of harmony and enlightenment. They believe this new age is an age of love and light, abundance and peace etc.

There are differences of opinion and various writings of what is considered the Golden Age. From my research, I want you to understand that much of the information I'm about to share was written by poets and philosopher's, not godly men at all.

The term **Golden Age** comes from Greek mythology, particularly the *Works and Days* of Hesiod, and is part of the description of temporal decline of the state of peoples through five Ages, Gold being the first and the one during which the Golden Race of humanity (Greek:  $\chi \rho \dot{\omega} \sigma \varepsilon v \dot{\varepsilon} v \sigma \zeta chr \dot{v} seon g\acute{e}nos)^{[1]}$  lived. After the end of the first age was the Silver, then the Bronze, after this the Heroic age, with the fifth and current age being Iron.<sup>[2]</sup>

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A depiction of The Golden Age by Pietro da Cortona (Palazzo Pitti, Florence, Italy)

Do you know what this really is? This is depicting life before the fall of man or soon after. The Bible tells us of the earth yielding her fruit to us and then after the fall we had to begin working by the sweat of our brow to get our food. (Gen.3:17-19) The Bible tells us that man used to live close to a thousand years. (Genesis Ch.5) At that time, the animals were subject to man etc. (Genesis 1:26, 9:1-3)

In classical Greek mythology, the Golden Age was presided over by the leading Titan Cronus.<sup>[3]</sup> In some versions of the myth Astraea also ruled. She lived with men until the end of the Silver Age. But in the Bronze Age, when men became violent and greedy, she fled to the stars, where she appears as the constellation Virgo, holding the scales of Justice, or Libra.<sup>[4]</sup>

European pastoral literary tradition often depicted nymphs and shepherds as living a life of rustic innocence and peace, set in Arcadia, a region of Greece that was the abode and center of worship of their tutelary deity, goat-footed Pan, who dwelt among them.<sup>[5]</sup>

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Mythology seems to contain a lot of information about what went on with the fallen angels. Mostly there is a lot of truth there but it is hard to sort out who is who because the fallen angels had so many different names. And sometimes there is not agreement about the stories in mythology so we have to be careful there.

Because they are talking about Greek gods and goddesses, we know they are talking about the fallen angels and the women they mated with. (Gen.6:1-4) So then we can understand that what time they are really wanting to usher in is the time when the fallen angels are once again more out in the open on this earth. Christians know that time as the tribulation. That is when satan will fully possess the antichrist and rule this world out in the open. That is not a time of peace but just the opposite. After the tribulation there will be a thousand years of peace but the fallen angels will not be out in the open, in fact their leader, satan, will be bound up in prison, in the abyss, the bottomless pit.

**Revelation 20:1-3** - And I saw an angel come down from heaven, having the key of the bottomless pit (abyss) and a great chain in his hand. And he laid hold on the dragon, that old serpent, which is the Devil, and Satan, and bound him a thousand years, And cast him into the bottomless pit (abyss), and shut him up (shut the

bottomless pit), and set a seal upon him (locked him in the bottomless pit), that he should deceive the nations no more, till the thousand years should be fulfilled: and after that he must be loosed a little season.

Jesus is the One Who ushers in the millennial reign, the 1000 years of peace.

Orphics sometimes identified the Golden Age with the era of the god Phanes, who was regent over the Olympus before Cronus.



This is a bas relief of the god phanes from 2 AD Modena Museum. His name means to bring light or to shine. Notice he has hooves for feet. This seems to be satan. He has a snake wrapped around him and he is standing in an egg shell as if he hatched out of it. The top part of the egg shell is on his head. He has five sun rays sticking out of the sides of his head to indicate he is a sun god and sometimes he is called Mithras. He is holding thunder bolts in his right hand and the face of a lion on his stomach and a rams head and a buck coming out of his sides. He has wings on his back to show he is a fallen angel and fire at his feet and head and a crescent moon coming up at his shoulder blades. They say he was the creator of the earth and of himself. This is the lie that satan tells those that serve him. They call him creator. The serpent wrapped around the orphic egg relates the same thing – that satan is the god of this world.

In classical mythology however, the Golden Age was associated with the reign of Saturn (in my research, Saturn also seems to be satan just under a different name). In the 5<sup>th</sup> century BC, the philosopher Empedocles, like Hesiod before

him, emphasized the idea of primordial innocence and harmony in all of nature, including human society, from which he maintained there had been a steady deterioration until the present: \*The deterioration is because of the fall of man.\*

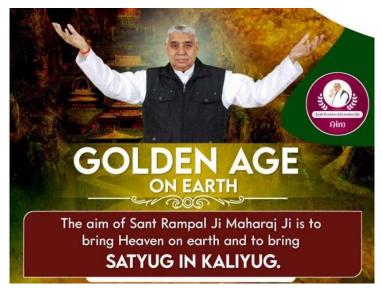
From Metamorphoses (7 AD), in which the lost Golden Age is depicted as a place and time when, because nature and reason were harmoniously aligned, men were naturally good - Listen to this poem he wrote:

The Golden Age was first; when Man, yet new, No rule but uncorrupted Reason knew:
And, with a native bent, did good pursue.
Unforc'd by punishment, un-aw'd by fear.
His words were simple, and his soul sincere;
Needless was written law, where non opprest:
The law of Man was written in his breast.

They present a time when man was just naturally good. If there is any truth in this, it has to have been before the fall because we know that after that, every single person has been born into sin because we are in a fallen world. We know that when Adam was 130 years old he had Seth (Genesis 5) and by that time the fall of man had already happened. The angels had already fallen before man fell, because satan was the one that tempted Eve to sin in the first place and then Adam followed.

We don't know how long the angels had been created before satan fell and took the third part with him. (Rev.12:4)

Hinduism – The Indian teachings differentiate the four world ages (yugas) not according to metals, but according to dharmic qualities (virtues), where the first age starts with the most and the last age ends with the least. The end is followed by a new cycle (Yuga Cycle) of the same four ages: Satya Yuga (golden age), Treta Yuga, Dvapara Yuga, and Kali Yuga (dark age), of which we are currently in Kali Yuga.



The Golden Age on Earth. The aim of Sant Rampal is to bring Heaven on earth and to bring satyug in kaliyug. This sounds like Revelation chapter 21 when God makes a new heaven and a new earth and new Jerusalem comes down from God out of heaven. This is after the great white throne judgement. No one can make this happen or hasten this time in, except God Himself. I hear the false televangelists saying this stuff – saying to those that follow them to bring heaven down to earth as if they are gods and could do this. We don't bring God or heaven down to our level ever. God is the One in control of all things.

The belief that time is cyclical is coming from Hinduism. That we cycle through ages and then begin again and cycle through them again. That's not what the Bible says. We are living in very wicked and dark times. I agree that we are in that dark age and its going to get worse with the tribulation just around the corner. The millennial reign could be compared with what they are calling Satya Yuga or golden age. The Bible tells us that it will be a peaceful time, people will live longer again and sin will be dealt with quickly. After the millennial reign there will be a season of wickedness when satan is loosed to deceive the nations again and after that the final judgment, the Great White Throne judgment. After that, it is eternal peace for those who chose Jesus and eternal damnation for those who did not want Jesus in their life. To love Him, obey and serve Him.

Continuing with the research: Men neither bought nor sold; there were no poor and no rich; there was no need to labour, because all that men required was obtained by the power of will; the chief virtue was the abandonment of all worldly desires. The Krita Yuga (which is the same as the Satya Yuga) was without

disease; there was no lessening with the years; there was no hatred or vanity, or evil thought whatsoever; no sorrow, no fear. All mankind could attain to supreme blessedness.

If this ever existed, it was before the fall of humanity. This world peace is not going to be accomplished again until the second coming of Jesus Christ after the battle of Armageddon and after satan is locked up for a 1000 years. That's the time of the millennial reign of Christ.

Notice they said all that men required was obtained through the power of will. I believe this statement is heavily entrenched in the New Age because they are teaching them to visualize, meditate and try to manifest whatever they want into their lives. Most of what I have seen is that New Agers are all about obtaining stuff for their own selfish reasons. They want wealth, fame and supernatural experiences etc. They definitely have not abandoned all wordly desires as previously stated in this article.

Those that believe world peace will come in through the church have not read God's Word. The church has not brought world peace in and it will not ever bring world peace in. And if Jesus' church can't bring it in, no false religion or movement is gonna bring it in either.

Germanic – Old Norse: Gullaldr ("Age of Gold") is used in Gylfaginning to describe the period after the creation of the world, and before the arrival of three women out of Jotunheimr, who have been proposed to be the Norns.

These norns were considered deities that shaped the destiny of humans. This sounds like nothing other than the fallen angel fall out. I wanted you to see the Germanic view of the Golden Age seems to be all the way back to the beginning just after the world was created.

Popular culture – Fantasy – In modern fantasy worlds, whose background and setting sometimes draw heavily on real-world myths, similar or compatible concepts of a Golden Age exist in the said world's prehistory; when deities or elf-like creatures existed, before the coming of humans.

Elves are demons which are fallen angels. The angels were created before mankind so there is a bit of truth here. Notice they are wanting their golden age back, when they roamed and ruled the earth more openly.

We don't know how long the angels had been created by the time Adam and Eve were created. But we do know the angels were created first. This next passage of Scripture is when God began to speak to Job:

**Job 38:4-7** - Where wast thou when I laid the foundations of the earth? declare, if thou hast understanding. Who hath laid the measures thereof, if thou knowest? or who hath stretched the line upon it? Whereupon are the foundations thereof fastened? or who laid the corner stone thereof; When the morning stars sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy?

Those sons of God shouting for joy are the angels. So we can see Jesus created them before He created the world.

We don't know how long it was before Cain and Abel were born. But we do know that Adam and Eve fell within the first 130 years of being on this earth according to what is recorded for us in the genealogies. Because Seth was Adams third son and it was recorded that Adam had him at 130 years old. So we know he had Cain and Abel before Seth and they are not even mentioned in the genealogy. Abel is probably left out because he was murdered and Cain because he was evil and was banished and so his seed did not factor into the righteous line of Adam. So then we know that by that time, the angels had already fallen as well, because satan is the one who tempted them to sin against God (Gen.3).

Another Fantasy example is in the background of the *Lands of Lore* classic computer game, where the history of the Lands is divided in Ages. One of them is also called the Golden Age, a time when the Lands were ruled by the 'Ancients', and there were no wars. This age ended with the 'War of the Heretics'.

There ain't gonna be no peace until the Prince of Peace returns. (Isaiah 9:6) This world is going to keep growing darker and more wicked just as we are told in Scripture.

Matt.10:34-39 – (Jesus' words) Think not that I am come to send peace on earth: I came not to send peace, but a sword. For I am come to set a man at variance against his father, and the daughter against her mother, and the daughter in law against her mother in law. And a man's foes *shall be* they of his own household. He that loveth father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me: and he that loveth son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he that taketh not his cross (the torture, trials and public shame for Christ's sake), and followeth after Me, is not worthy of Me. He that findeth his life shall lose it: and he that loseth his life for My sake shall find it.

If it were to come to the point of martyrdom for a Christian, then we gladly lose our life knowing that we will have life with Christ for all of eternity.

## **CLOSING**

It seems like the most common idea about the timeframe of the Golden Age is that it is back to the beginning of creation when the angels had fallen and were here on this earth with mankind. Or maybe just before they fell. Those who are trying to bring the Golden Age in are the ones who are interacting with fallen angels. New Agers call on, seek and interact directly with fallen angels. They call them guardian angels or spirit guides. Knowingly or unknowingly, they are worshiping fallen angels and not Jesus. satan is using them against God and to their own damnation. Remember the Lucis Trust is a New Age organization directly linked to lucifer by name and by the founders who worshiped him. Lucis Trust is already aligned with the UN. When the one world religion is rolled out, if they roll it out in the pretense that it is about peace and uniting all the world, New Agers will be on board with this. The Bible says that when they say peace and safety then sudden destruction comes on them. (1 Thess.5:3)

## **PRAYER**

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Golden Age