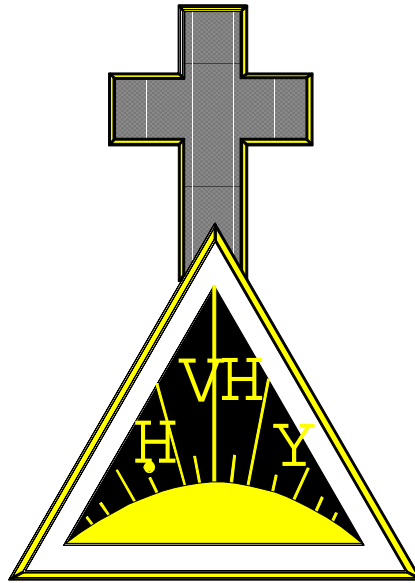


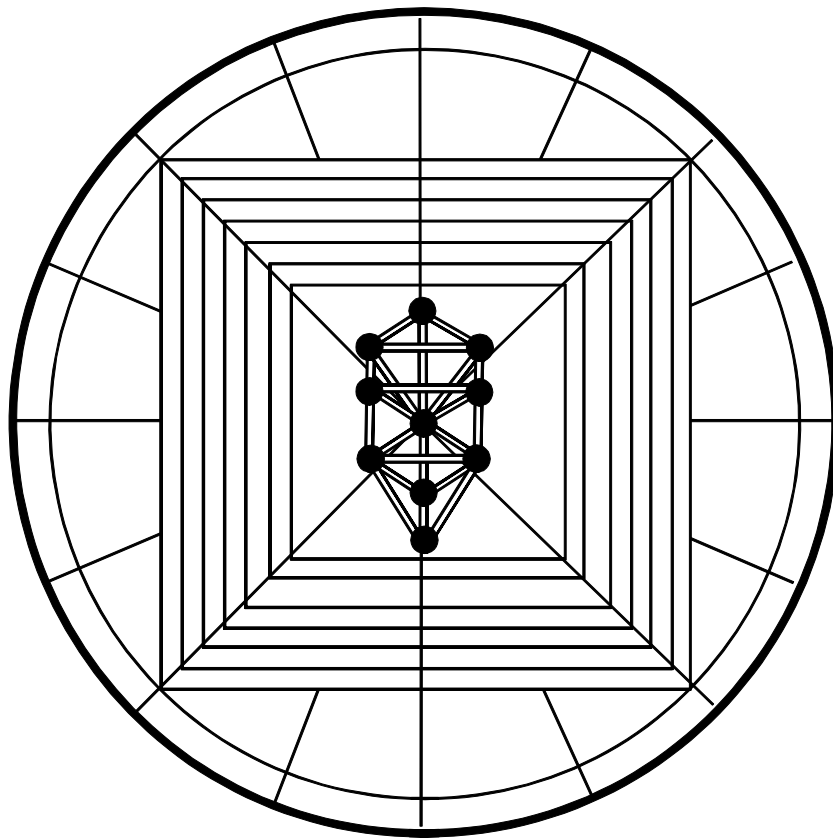
The Hermetic Order of the
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**GARDEN OF EDEN AND THE
HOLY CITY OF THE
APOCALYPSE**



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FFFTThis drawing shows in part the occult symbolism of the Garden of Eden and the Holy City of the Apocalypse. The outer circle is the enclosing Paradisiacal Wall guarded by the Kerubim, the Flame, and the seven squares which are the seven mansions thereof, or the seven spheres, wherein Tetragrammaton Elohim planted every tree that is pleasant and good for food, symbolized by the palm trees wrought on the veil of the Tabernacle and the door of the Holy of Holies in the Temple. But in the midst is the Tree of Life, the Throne of God, and the Lamb. Twelve are the foundations and twelve are the gates, shown as the twelve entrances in the drawing. The four streams rising from one central fountain are the rivers of Eden, referring to the four elements proceeding from the Omnipresent Spirit.



The Garden of Eden