Body, Soul and Spirit

Genesis 2:7 And the Lord God formed man of the DUST of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the SPIRIT OF LIFE; and man became a LIVING SOUL
The English word ‘God’ is from the Hebrew word ‘Elohim’

Genesis 1:27 God (Elohim) created man (Adam) in His image; in the image of Elohim He created him; male and female He created them.

‘Eloah’ means power and might and ‘im’ means many
- ‘All Powerful’ or ‘Almighty’

‘Yahweh’ is the name of God
- ‘He causes to become’ or ‘I am that I am’

‘Yahoshua’ is Jesus’ true name
- ‘Yahweh is Salvation’

Genesis 5:1 When God created man, he made him in the likeness of God; he created them male and female. When they were created, he blessed them and named them man (Adam).

‘Adam’ includes both genders
The Human Being

- Human beings are composite material-spiritual creatures
  
  Psalm 8:5-6  What is man that you should be mindful of him, or the son of man (Adam) that you should care for him? You have made him little less than the angels, and crowned him with glory and honor. (Hebrews 2:5-8) 
  
  Psalm 82:6-8 I said: You are gods, all of you sons of the Most High: Yet like men you shall die and fall like any prince.

- Spirit and Ghost are synonymous

  **Spirit – Life – Heaven**
  - Neshamah: breath, spirit, soul
  - Ruach: spirit, wind, breath, mind

  **Soul – Consciousness**
  - Nephesh: soul, life, person, mind, heart, creature

  **Body – Earth – Ground**
  - Adam: mankind, earth, blood

- Spirit and Ghost are synonymous
The Body

- Plants provide the ‘dust of the ground’ for earth creatures

**Genesis 1:29** See I give you every seed bearing plant all over the earth and every tree that has seed-bearing fruit on it to be your food.

- Plants and animals exchange mass, breath and life energy

**Plant:** $6\text{H}_2\text{O} + 6\text{CO}_2 + \text{Light} \rightarrow \text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 + 6\text{O}_2$

**Animal:** $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 + 6\text{O}_2 + \text{Heat} \rightarrow 6\text{H}_2\text{O} + 6\text{CO}_2 + \text{Energy}$
The Body

- Human bodies are designed to become spiritual bodies

1 Corinthians 15:40-44 There are both heavenly bodies and earthly bodies but the brightness of the heavenly is one kind and that of the earthly another.... It is sown a natural body; it is raised a spiritual body. If there is a natural body, there is also a spiritual one.

1. Oxygen – 65%
2. Carbon – 18%
3. Hydrogen – 10%
4. Nitrogen – 3%
5. Calcium – 1.5%
6. Phosphorus – 1%
7. Potassium – 0.35%
8. Sulfur – 0.25%
9. Sodium – 0.15%
10. Chlorine – 0.15%
11. Magnesium – 0.05%
12. Iron – 0.004%
Human bodies are designed to be temples of the Living God.

John 2:19  Jesus answered them, "Destroy this temple, and I will raise it again in three days."

1 Corinthians 3:17  If anyone destroys God's temple, God will destroy that person; for the temple of God, which you are, is holy.

2 Corinthians 5:1  For we know that if our earthly dwelling, a tent, should be destroyed, we have a building from God, a dwelling not made with hands, eternal in heaven.

2 Corinthians 6:16  ... For we are the temple of the living God; as God said: "I will live with them and move among them...."
The Body Temple

- The temple is used as a material and spiritual metaphor

Exodus 25:10-16  You shall make an ark of acacia wood.... In the ark you are to put the (ten) commandments which I will give you.

Ecclesiastes 12:6 Before the silver cord is snapped and the golden bowl broken...And the dust returns to the earth...and the life breath returns to God.

Hebrews 6:19 This we have as an anchor of the soul, sure and firm, which reaches into the interior behind the veil.
The Body Temple

- Abel prefigured Jesus the High Priest and the Passover
  Genesis 4:3-5  In the course of time Cain brought an offering to the Lord from the fruit of the soil, while Abel, for his part brought one of THE BEST FIRSTLINGS IN HIS FLOCK.
- The Passover required the blood of a lamb to avoid death
  Exodus 12:1-8  The Lord said to Moses...Tell the whole community of Israel...everyone of your families must procure for itself a lamb...it shall be slaughtered during the evening twilight... apply [its blood] to the two doorposts and the lintel of every house....
  Revelation 5:6  Then I saw a Lamb, looking as if it had been slain.... He had seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven spirits of God sent out into all the earth.
The Body Temple

- Bread and wine are biblically connected to priestly service
  
  Genesis 14:18  Melchizedek, king of Salem, brought out bread and wine, and being a priest of God Most High, he blessed Abram.

  Leviticus 23:4-13  The Passover of the Lord falls on the 14th day of the 1st month...On this day [you shall offer] an unblemished lamb. Its cereal offering shall be [fine flour and wine]. (Numbers 15:3-5)

- Jesus repeatedly referenced bread and wine in his ministry
  
  Miracles: water to wine and multiplication of loaves
  
  Parables: new and old wine skins, sower and seeds, woman and loaf
  
  Prophecies: vineyard, grape and wheat harvest at the end of the age
The Body Temple

- Jesus also associated bread and wine with body and blood

Mark 14:22-24  [Jesus] took bread...and said, “Take it; this is my body.” Then he took a cup [of wine] He said to them, ”This is my blood of the covenant which will be shed for many.”

Revelation 14:15-20  Another angel came out of the temple, crying out in a loud voice to the one sitting on the cloud, “Use your sickle and reap the [wheat] harvest, for the time to reap has come, because the earth’s harvest is fully ripe.... Then another angel [said] “Use your sharp sickle and cut the clusters from the earth’s vines, for its grapes are ripe.”... He threw it into the great wine press of God’s fury...and blood poured out of the wine press to the height of a horses bridle for two hundred miles.
Jesus distinguished the human systems that can direct love

Mark 12:30 You shall love Yahweh your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind and with all your strength.

The heart, soul, mind and body communicate in several ways:

- Neurological - nervous system
- Biophysical - pulse wave
- Biochemical - hormones
- Energetic - electromagnetic fields
The Heart

- Bodily circumcision prefigured circumcision of the heart
  
  Leviticus 26:41 ...Then, when their **uncircumcised hearts** are humbled and they make amends for their guilt from God.

  Deuteronomy 10:16 Circumcise your **hearts** and be no longer stiff necked.

- Heart circumcision increases spiritual strength and senses
  
  Ezekiel 44:7 You have admitted foreigners, **uncircumcised both in heart and flesh** to my sanctuary to profane it when you offered me food, fat, and blood....

  Jeremiah 9:24-25 See, days are coming, says the Lord, when I will demand an account of all those circumcised in their flesh...For all these nations, like the whole house of Israel, are **uncircumcised in heart**.
Heart circumcision improves sensation of God’s Kingdom

Jeremiah 4:4   For the sake of the Lord, be **circumcised**, remove the foreskins of your heart....

Romans 2:29   Rather, one is a Jew inwardly, and circumcision is of the heart, in the **spirit**, not the letter; his praise is not from human beings but from God.

Brains (EEG) can electromagnetically attune to hearts (ECG)

The Hebrew word ‘Adam’ (man) contains ‘dam’ (blood)

Blood carries the life energy of a soul

Genesis 9:4-5  Flesh with its lifeblood still in it you shall not eat. For your own lifeblood, too, I will demand an accounting: from every animal... and from man... I will demand an accounting for human life.

Leviticus 17:11-12  Since the life of a living body is in its blood, I have made you put it on the altar, so that atonement may thereby be made for your own lives, because it is the blood, as the seat of life, that makes atonement. That is why I have told the Israelites: No one among you, not even a resident alien, may partake of blood.

Deuteronomy 12:23 But make sure that you do not partake of the blood; for blood is life and you shall not consume this seat of life with the flesh.
The Soul

- The blood that is shed on earth is known to God in heaven

Genesis 4:9 Yahweh asked Cain, “Where is your brother Abel?” He answered, “I do not know. Am I my brother’s keeper?” Yahweh then said: “What have you done! Listen: your brother’s blood cries out to me from the soil!”

Revelation 6:9-10 When he broke open the fifth seal, I saw underneath the altar the souls of those who had been slaughtered because of the witness they bore to the word of God. They cried out in a loud voice, “How long...before you sit in judgment and avenge our blood on the inhabitants of the earth?”
Seven lamps are a major feature of the temple of Yahweh
Exodus 25:31  You shall make a lampstand of pure beaten gold....Six branches are to extend from the sides of the lampstand...You shall then make seven lamps for it and so set up the lamps that they shed their light on the space in front of the lampstand.

Seven endocrine glands affect the blood and thereby soul
Revelation 1:10-13  I was caught up in spirit on the Lord’s day and heard behind me a voice as loud as a trumpet... Then I turned to see whose voice it was that spoke to me and when I turned I saw seven gold lampstands.
The Soul

- The Soul can use both Material and Spiritual sensory organs

  - **Material Senses:**
    - Sight
    - Sound
    - Smell
    - Taste
    - Touch

  - **Spiritual Senses:**
    - ‘Eyes to see’: Clairvoyance, Visions, Dreams
    - ‘Ears to hear’: Clairaudience
    - Mental discernment: Sense of Truth
    - Heart-Emotion field: Kindness of souls
    - Spiritual Energy: Chill down spine

2 Samuel 24:16-18 When David saw the angel who was striking the people, he said to the Lord: “It is I who have sinned....” On the same day Gad went to David and said “Go up and build an altar to the Lord on the threshing floor....”

- Ancient and modern evidence give examples of diverse visual senses in human life and culture


The Soul

- The limitations of the material eyes and ears are shown by the visible and audible spectrums of light and sound.

Proverbs 20:12 The ear that hears and the eye that sees, the Lord has made them both.

Infrared, Visible, Magnetic, Kirlian, and X-ray Photographs of Hand
The Soul

- **God provides diverse spiritual senses to his loyal servants**

  1 Samuel 9:9-11 Is the ‘seer’ (ra’ah) in town? What was formerly called a seer in Israel was later rendered ‘prophet’ (nabiah).

- **God makes visual and mental ‘seers’**

  1 Chron. 29:29 And the acts of David... are written in the book of Samuel the seer (ra’ah), and... Nathan the prophet (nabiah), and... Gad the seer (chozeh).

  Isaiah 29:10 For the Lord has poured out on you a spirit of deep sleep. He has shut your eyes (the prophets) and covered your heads (the seers).

- **People can be guided by God’s light**

  Job 29:3 While [God] kept His lamp shining above my head and by His light I walked through darkness.
Human eyes have proteins needed to see magnetic fields

Birds, insects and whales use this form of heavenly vision

Proverbs 21:27 A lamp from the Lord is the breath of man; it searches through all his inmost being.

Matthew 6:22-23 The lamp of the body is the eye. If your eye is sound, your whole body will be filled with light; but if your eye is bad, your whole body will be in darkness.

Humans emit light that varies with time and spiritual state

Matthew 5:14-16  You are the light of the world...your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father.

The Spirit

- Fiery eyes and shining faces are common in heavenly beings

Daniel 10:5-6  As I looked up, I saw a man dressed in linen with a belt of fine gold around his waist. His body was like chrysolite, his face shown like lightning, his eyes were like fiery torches.

Revelation 1:12-18  I saw seven golden lampstands; and in the middle of the lampstands one like the Son of Man.... And His head and His hair were white like wool, like snow; and His eyes were like a flame of fire; ...and His face was like the sun shining in its strength.

- Humans emit heavenly energy that increases by seeking God

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Ecclesiastes 8:1  A man’s wisdom illumines his face.
The Spirit

- Human faces begin to glow from the presence of God

Exodus 34:29-31  As Moses came down from Mount Sinai with the two tablets of the commandments in his hands, he did not know that the skin of his face had become radiant while he conversed with the Lord. When Aaron, then, and the other Israelites saw Moses and noticed how radiant the skin of his face had become, they were afraid to come near him.

- Disciples also transfigured

Acts 6:15  All who sat in the council, fastening their eyes on [Stephen Martyr], saw his face like it was the face of an angel.
The Spirit

- Jesus transfigured into his spirit form before his apostles

Matthew 17:1-2 And after six days Jesus took with him Peter and James, and John his brother, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became white as light.
True Christians are destined to be a ‘kingdom of priests’

Exodus 19:6 Ye shall be unto me a kingdom of priests, and an holy nation.

1 Peter 2:9 But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God...who called you...into his wonderful light.

Revelation 20:6 ...they shall be priests of God and of Christ, and shall reign with him a thousand years.

The Spirit
Crowns and diadems symbolize kingship and priesthood.

Isaiah 28:5-6 He will be a glorious crown and brilliant diadem to his people.

Brain structures correspond to political-religious states:
- Pineal Gland / Cerebrum: Crown / King
- Pituitary Gland: Diadem / Priest
Cerebro-pineal spiritual activation is seen as a crown
Proverbs 14:18-24 A shrewd man gains the crown of knowledge... The crown of the wise is resourcefulness. The diadem of fools is folly.
Wisdom 5:16 Therefore shall they receive the splendid crown, the beauteous diadem from the hand of the Lord.

Pituitary activation is depicted by miter, diadem or ‘third eye’
Job 19:9 He has taken the diadem from my brow
Proverbs 1:9 A graceful diadem for your head
The Spirit

- The high priest wore a seal on his forehead, a sign to YHWH
  Exodus 39:30 The plate of the sacred diadem was made of pure gold and inscribed, as on a seal engraving: “Sacred to Yahweh.”

- The seal of the living God is a sign of loyalty to YHWH-God
  Revelation 7:2 Then I saw another angel come up from the East, holding the seal of the living God. He cried out in a loud voice.... “Do not damage the land or the sea until we put the seal on the foreheads of the servants of our God.”

- The seal of God gives mental insight and senses
  Sirach 37:17-18 The root of all conduct is the mind, four branches it shoots forth; Good and evil, death and life....
The Spirit

- Wisdom confers the spiritual-royal status to pure souls

Proverbs 4:5-9 Get Wisdom, get understanding!... She will put on your head a graceful diadem, a glorious crown will she bestow on you.

- Spiritual crowns are more valuable than crowns of earth gold

Isaiah 28:5 Yahweh of hosts is for a crown of splendor and a head-dress of comeliness to the remnant of His people.

James 1:12 Blessed is the man that endures temptation: for when he is tried, he shall receive the crown of life, which the Lord hath promised to them that love him.

Revelation 2:10 Remain faithful until death and I will give you the crown of life (immortality).
Many nations use head-dresses to illustrate spiritual states. Specific attention is given to ignition of the pineal gland.

**QUALITY of SPIRIT is EXTREMELY IMPORTANT**

- Awakening from ABOVE comes from the God of Truth-Life
- Awakening from BELOW comes from the God of Lies-Death

The ‘Kundalini fire’ of Yoga is from BELOW.

Cross cultural depictions of spiritual activation upward directed pineal function.
The Spirit

- Jesus received a crown from ABOVE at his baptism by John
  Matthew 3:16  As soon as Jesus was baptized, he went up out of the water. At that moment heaven was opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and lighting on him.

- Apostles attained pineal ignition from the Holy Spirit ABOVE
  Acts 2:3-4  Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues....
Spiritual Beings

- The spiritual world abounds in human language and culture
  - Descriptions ‘Kind spirited’ or ‘Mean spirited’
  - Inspiration consists of “In – Spire”
  - Christmas spirit, team spirit, spirit of the age

- Spiritual sensitivity varies significantly among mankind
  
  Acts 23:8 For the Sadducees say that there is no resurrection or angels or spirits, while the Pharisees acknowledge all three.

- People on the natural plane cannot sense the spiritual plane
  - Atheists are spiritually blind and their perceptions have material skew

  Jude 1:18-19 “In the last time there will be scoffers who will live according to their own godless desires.” These are the ones who cause divisions; they live on the natural plane, devoid of Spirit.

Richard Dawkins: Blind Scoffer
The spirits on earth can be ranked by type and population

- **Religious Group Spirit** – millions to billions
  - Jewish, Catholic, Protestant, Islamic, Hindu, Buddhist
- **Nation Spirit** – millions
  - Seventy original nations subdivided into hundreds
  - Manifestation – patriotism and nationalism
- **Team Spirit** – thousands to millions
  - City/regional groups and sports teams
- **Temple/Church/Club Spirit** – tens to hundreds
  - Angels of individual congregations
- **Individual Spirit** – single being
  - Angels
  - Human spirit-ghost
  - demons
  - Eloah – Elohim
  - Cherub – Cherubim
  - Seraph – Seraphim

Our thoughts, beliefs and actions are influenced by spirits
Spirits on earth are often in contention and cause bloodshed
Spiritual Beings

- An individual body may be inhabited by several spirits

Isaiah 11:2 The spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him: a spirit of wisdom and of understanding, A spirit of counsel and of strength, a spirit of knowledge and of fear of the Lord, and his delight shall be the fear of the Lord.

- Humans are the sum of their spirits

Matthew 12:43-45 When an unclean spirit goes out of a person it roams through arid regions searching for rest but finds none. Then it says, “I will return to my home from which I came.”....Then it goes and brings back with itself seven other spirits more evil than itself.
1 John 2:18 Children, it is the last hour; and just as you heard that the antichrist (singular) was coming, so now many antichrists (plural) have appeared....Who is the liar? Whoever denies that Jesus is the Christ. Whoever denies the Father and the Son, this is the antichrist.

2 John 1:7 Many deceivers (plural) have gone out into the world, those who do not acknowledge Jesus Christ as coming in the flesh; such is the deceitful one and the antichrist (singular).
The Bible greatly improves a soul’s spiritual discernment

Hebrews 4:12  Indeed, the word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edged sword, penetrating even between soul and spirit, joints and marrow, and able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart.

The Spirit of God allows us to access his spiritual wisdom

2 Cor. 1:22  [God] has also put his seal upon us and given the Spirit in our hearts as a first installment.

2 Cor. 5:5  Now the one who has prepared us for this very thing is God, who has given us the Spirit as a first installment.

Acts 21:4  They kept telling Paul through the Spirit not to embark for Jerusalem.
Many soul faculties are available to people with God’s Spirit

1 Cor. 12:8-10 To one is given through the Spirit the expression of wisdom; to another the expression of knowledge according to the same Spirit; to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit; to another mighty deeds; to another prophecy; to another discernment of spirits; to another varieties of tongues; to another interpretation of tongues.

1 Cor. 12:27-31 Now you are Christ’s body, and individually parts of it. Some people God has designated in the church to be, first, apostles; second, prophets; third, teachers; then, mighty deeds; then, gifts of healing, assistance, administration, and varieties of tongues. Strive eagerly for the greatest spiritual gifts.
Resurrection is the spiritualization of human souls and bodies
Matthew 27:51-52  The earth quaked, rocks were split, tombs were opened, and the bodies of many saints who had fallen asleep were raised.

The Shroud of Turin connects resurrection with light energy
1 Peter 3:18-20 For Christ also suffered for sins once....Put to death in the flesh, he was brought to life in the spirit. In it he also went to preach to the spirits in prison.... For this is why the gospel was preached even to the dead that, though condemned in the flesh in human estimation, they might live in the spirit in the estimation of God.

Yahweh designed human beings to become spiritual beings

Mark 12:30 You shall love Yahweh your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind and with all your strength.

- **Spirit** – Conscience, Intuition, and Inspiration
- **Mind** – Intellect
- **Attention** – Concentration
- **Soul** – Consciousness and Personality
- **Heart** – Emotion and EM Field
- **Strength** – Body/Blood Life Field
Human beings are divine beings with incredible potential

Genesis 3:22-24  Then the Lord God said: “See! The man has become like one of us”...When he expelled the man...he stationed the cherubim and the fiery revolving sword to guard the way to the tree of life.

Proverbs 11:30 .... the fruit of virtue is a tree of life.