

Topical Index for The Urantia Book

V Listings

vacations. *See also* recreation

- 3-day *v.* on Mount Sartaba (143:3.1)
- feast of tabernacles was annual Jewish holiday (134:9.4)
- in continental nation (72:4.3) (72:5.9)

vale of tears

- Jesus hardly regarded this world as (40:7.5) (149:5.5) (196:2.9)

values. *See also* ideals; meanings; science, philosophy, and religion

- all spiritual *v.* registered in duplicate (17:3.5)
- easier to agree on *v.* than beliefs or creeds (103:1.4)
- Eternal Son grasps all true *v.* (7:1.1)
- foster spiritual growth by maintaining attitude of wholehearted devotion to supreme *v.* (100:1.6,8)
- Jesus' talk with Angamon on true *v.* (132:1sec)
- mind and spirit united can create superhuman *v.* (67:3.9)
- nature of values

- best discovered in associates' motivations (100:4.4)
- depend on fact of relationships (100:3.5)
- distinction between what is, and what has, value (100:3.3)
- faith required to detect spiritual *v.* (195:7.4)
- human mind discovers and chooses *v.*; does not create *v.* (196:3.10-14)
- not psychological projections (195:7.5)
- only spirit content is imperishable (196:3.35)
- quality represents estimate of *v.*; *v.* are felt by soul (111:3.6) (133:5.7)
- spiritual experience reveals true *v.* (100:4.4)
- spiritual *v.* comprehended by doing will of God (101:10.6)
- spiritual *v.* unceasingly drawn inward to God (14:2.7)
- noble *v.* foreshadowed in primitive peoples (63:4.4)
- nothing of survival *v.* ever lost (109:3.2) (109:4.5) (109:6.1-2)
- persistence of true *v.* (109:6sec)
- religion conserves, exalts, and spiritualizes *v.* (102:5.3)
- warnings
 - no attainable true *v.* apart from God (132:1.2) (160:5.8)
 - pray only for *v.*, not things (91:8.13)
 - v.* can never be static (100:3.5)
 - v.* must not become disproportionate (143:6.3)

Van (Lake). *See* Lake Van

Van (Prince's staff) (67:6sec). *See also* Caligastia one hundred

- 1-2-3 the first supported (77:9.5)
- and entire council loyal in rebellion (67:4.1)
- could communicate with midwayers (74:4.3)
- Most Highs' decision sustaining *V.* marooned in relay energy transmitter for 7 years (67:2.6) (67:6.9)
- spiritual insight and moral steadfastness (67:3.3,6-9)
- translated to Jerusalem (67:6.8)
- tree of life sustained (73:6.1)
- work
 - battled for salvation of Prince's staff (67:3.3,6-9)
 - commanded loyal midway creatures (67:6.5)
 - despite efforts, by 50,000 years after collapse earthly affairs disorganized and retarded (67:7.3)

Van (Prince's staff) (continued)

work (continued)

- fostered natural evolution of human race (67:6.7)
- head of all superhuman personalities on Urantia until Adam (67:6.4-5) (77:1.7)
- indicted Daligastia, Caligastia, and Lucifer as standing in contempt (67:2.2)
- led supreme court of tribal co-ordination and racial co-operation (66:5.31)
- now serves in behalf of Urantia (67:6.8)
- organized 350 groups along military lines (67:6.6) (74:5.6)
- preached advent of racial uplifter (73:2.1-2)
- proclaimed Adam and Eve rulers of Urantia (74:2.1,6)
- protested Garden dwellers' intent to worship Adam (74:4.3)
- remained 150,000 years after rebellion; left 7 years after Adam's arrival (67:4.5) (67:6.4,8) (74:5.2)
- trained new generation of Garden workers; withstood deserts (73:4.5)
- withdrew to highlands west of India (67:6.1-2)

vanadium

sea squirt oxygenates blood with (65:6.4)

Vanites

Amadonites and Nodites who forsook Nod for Van (77:4.10)

vanity. See also self-importance

- drove man into society (68:2.4,6)
- early cause of war (70:1.10)
- early humans exhibited considerable (62:5.4)
- extra clothing was early badge of distinction (69:5.6)
- futile without audience to parade before (68:2.10)
- refrain from (147:8.4)
- secrecy appeals to (70:7.7)
- threatens to swamp present-day civilization (68:2.11)

variety. See also monotony

- essential to concept of beauty (56:10.3)
- indispensable for natural selection (64:6.31)
- is restful (48:6.37)

Vedas. See Rig-Veda

Vedic priesthood. See Brahmanism

vegetables. See plants

vegetarianism

- Adam and Eve and their first generation children practiced (74:6.3) (76:3.7) (76:4.4)
- combination of vegetables with meat improved diet (81:1.8)
- many Adamites were nonflesh eaters (52:3.8-9)
- practice dates from times of the Caligastia 100 (66:4.7)

veils

protected women from evil eye (87:5.4)

velocities

- 3 universally distributed lines of energy each have velocity of 186,280 miles/second (39:3.9)
- Adjuster transit time from Divinington (108:1.9)
- Divine Counselor required 109 days to travel 200,000 light-years (19:7.5) (32:2.11)
- impossible accurately to simultaneously determine exact location and velocity of moving object (65:6.1)
- of seraphic transports (39:3.9)
- reliability of our astronomic estimates (12:4.14-15)
- top speed
 - for Jerusem transport birds is 100 mph (46:2.4)
 - for Jerusem transport vehicles is 500 mph (46:2.4)
 - for midways is 372,560 miles/second (23:3.2)
 - for nonenseraphimed beings is 186,280 miles/second (23:3.2)

for seraphim is 558,840 miles/second (23:2.22) (23:3.2) (39:3.9)

for Solitary Messengers is 840 billion miles/second (23:3.3)

gravity traversers move instantaneously (23:3.2)

Veluntia

massive sun in Orvonton (41:4.6)

vengeance. See revenge

venom

magical charms concocted from (88:5.2)

ventriloquism

employed by shamans (90:1.4)

Venus (god)

Aphrodite, transplanted to Rome (98:3.3)

Venus (planet). See also Monmatia

- mortals living on V. would be superbreathers (49:2.13)
- retrograde motion proves V. was originally satellite of Angona (57:5.13-14)
- suitable for life? (15:6.15)

verdict. See also judgment

eternal v. is, "Well done, good and faithful servant." (25:1.6)

Vergil (195:2.6)

Veronica of Caesarea Philippi

touched hem of Jesus' garment (152:0.2-3) (171:7.8)

vertebrates. See animals

Vesta

Roman goddess of the home; Hestia in Greece (98:3.3)

veto

- Father wields v. scepter (3:6.1)
- over system conclave (55:8.1)
- over Urantia's planetary government exercised by Most High observer (114:5.1)

Vevona

planetary helper seraphim; chief of souls of peace; proclaimed Jesus' birth (39:5.5)

Vicegerington (13:1.11-14). See also sacred spheres of Paradise bosom of Father and Son (13:1.11)

- Corps of Conjoint Trinitized Finaliters based on (31:1.5)
- creature-trinitized beings held in reserve on (22:7.10) (23:4.3)
- home of beings of origin in Father and Eternal Son (13:1.11)
- Solitary Messengers accompany creature-trinitized sons to V; never leave (23:4.3)
- trinitization is secret of (13:1.12) (22:7.1)

vices. See also evil; self-gratification; sin

- Jesus had little to say about (140:8.21)
- virtue carried to extremes may become vice (149:4.3)

vicissitudes. See accidents

victory

- certain v. crowns efforts of all who run race of faith (32:5.8)
- conquest by sacrifice of pride and selfishness (141:3.8)
- faith maintains trust in ultimate v. regardless (101:3.10)
- which overcomes world is faith (4:4.9)

viewpoints. See belief

Vilton

local system recorder; tertiary Lanonandek #374 (45:3.6)

vine and branches

parable of (180:2sec) (193:2.2)

vinegar

sour wine (187:5.3)

vineyard

parable of laborers in (163:3.5-7)

violence. See also nonresistance; self-defense

- law of nature (70:1.1)
- man secured freedom from v. by police regulation (81:5.5)

violence (*continued*)

- outlawed as procedure in adjusting differences (72:5.3)
- religion opposes *v.* in social evolution (99:0.2) (99:2.5)
- unregulated competition breeds (71:5.1)

violet race. *See* Adamites

vipers. *See also* snakes

- religious leaders called offspring of (175:1.21)

virgin birth doctrine

- Christianity incorporated miraculous birth of Mithras (98:7.7)
- Jesus was conceived and born just like all other babies (119:7.5,6) (122:8.2) (128:0.1)
- religious leaders believed born of virgins (92:5.6)
- sun god supposed to be father of virgin-born sons (85:5.3)

virgins. *See also* chastity

- bearing child before marriage increased girl's desirability among primitives (82:3.13)
- custom for priests to have initial intercourse with (84:4.5)
- dedicated to tending sacred temple fires (85:4.4) (89:8.1)
- primitives restricted bathing practices of (84:1.3-4)
- religious leaders conceived as being born of (92:5.6)
- virgin daughters were commercial asset to fathers (82:4.5)

virtue. *See also* greatness; righteousness

- cardinal virtues of Socrates were wisdom, courage, temperance, and justice (98:2.6)
- carried to extreme, *v.* may become vice (149:4.3)
- is righteousness; conformity with the cosmos (16:7.6-7)
- is volitional (21:3.14)
- morality is *v.* (16:7.1). *See also* morality
- not truly acquired until acts make one worthy of it (48:7.19)
- proportion required in exercise of (16:7.7)
- realized by consistent choosing of good over evil (16:7.6)
- supreme *v.* is wholeheartedly to do Father's will (16:7.10)

viruses. *See also* bacteria

- most are renegade parasitic fungi (65:2.3)

Vishnu

- Buddha and Christ are claimed to be incarnations of (94:4.9)
- member of Hindu trinitarian concept (104:1.5)
- often shown with horse's head (85:3.4)
- periodically incarnating Hindu deity (94:4.5)

vision (sight)

- celestial beings with exclusive spirit vision cannot see matter (44:0.16-18)
- energy transformers can allow mortals to see celestial beings (38:2.1) (45:1.2) (47:1.2) (50:2.7) (158:1.8) (189:4.11) (191:3.2)
- enormous range of morontia *v.* (9:8.13) (24:6.2) (39:4.18) (46:5.10)
- range of material and spiritual (44:0.16-18)
- short-range; extended in light and life (29:1.1) (55:4.8) (55:6.3)
- we would be unable to see morontia temples if there, as we are (44:3.9)

visions. *See also* dreams; leadings; voices

- allow Adjuster constantly to bring forth pictures of eternal purposes of uphill struggle (111:7.2-3)
- dangers. *See also* mysticism
 - regarding *v.* as divine communications (100:5.6)
 - shamanesses threw themselves into trances (90:1.3)
 - under no circumstances cultivate state of visionary consciousness (100:5.8)
- humans sometimes permitted to see seraphic transporters (39:5.12)
- Jesus did not indulge in religious *v.* (196:0.10)
- Kirmeth of Bagdad was trance prophet (148:8.3)

particular visions

- 3 celestial beings appeared to Abraham at Mamre (93:6.7)
- Elizabeth saw Gabriel (122:2.2-4)
- Jesus' vision at his baptism (136:2.3-5)
- Jesus saw celestial hosts (136:5.1)
- John the Revelator saw
 - 24 counselors (45:4.1)
 - Jerusalem (34:4.11) (47:10.2-3)
 - Lucifer rebellion (53:7.7)
 - post-Teacher Son era (52:7.11)
 - Salvington (34:4.11-12)
- Mary saw Gabriel (122:3.1)
- Paul saw
 - 3rd mansion world (48:6.23)
 - Jerusalem (47:10.2-3)
 - wise men have seen *v.* of greater heaven (48:6.23)
 - true prophetic vision is not trancelike ecstasy (91:7.3)

visiting

- evangelists to avoid overmuch social *v.* (163:4.5)

visitors, student. *See* student visitors

vitamins

- role of sunlight (58:2.2)

vocabulary. *See also* language

- mere enlargement of *v.* is not character development (100:1.3)

vocation builders

- divine builders, celestial artisans (44:3.3)

vocations. *See* careers; earning a living

voices. *See also* leadings; visions

- Jesus did not indulge in hearing religious *v.* (196:0.10)
- Jesus' voice was musical, fascinating, authoritative (125:5.1) (127:1.2) (154:6.5) (162:6.2) (183:3.5) (190:2.3)

Voices of Angelic Hosts. *See also* seconaphim

- primary seconaphim (28:4.11)

Voices of Conjoint Actor. *See also* seconaphim

- primary seconaphim (28:4.4)

Voices of Creator Sons. *See also* seconaphim

- children of Reflective Spirits (40:10.2)
- primary seconaphim (28:4.6-10)

Voices of Mercy. *See also* seraphim

- justice guides may become (39:4.5)
- superior seraphim; foster holier emotions of men and angels (39:2.5)

Voices of Seven Master Spirits. *See also* seconaphim

- primary seconaphim (28:4.5)

voices of the Garden. *See also* seraphim; Solonia

- planetary helpers, personal seraphim of Adam and Eve (39:5.3)
- Solonia reproved Adam and Eve for disobedience (51:3.5) (73:7.5) (74:8.15) (75:4.2,8) (75:8.8) (76:6.5)

Voices of Wisdom. *See also* seconaphim

- secondary seconaphim, reflective associates of Perfectors of Wisdom; in liaison with living libraries of Paradise (28:5.7-10)

volcanoes (60:3.16) (61:1.11-12) (61:2.3) (61:3.7)

- age of *v.* from 1.5 to 1 billion years ago (57:7sec) (59:3.2,6) (59:5.20) (60:1.3) (60:3.1) (60:3.6) (61:4.1)
- at Montreal (59:4.16)
- became fetishes (88:1.1)
- extensive *v.* at end of continental drift (60:3.11,15)
- lava cools into granite (58:5.5)
- lava diversified earth's crust; insulated planet from space-energies (57:8.18)
- lava equalized internal-heat pressure with crustal contraction (57:8.2,11,16)

volcanoes *(continued)*

- lava flows brought heavy metals to surface (58:5.2)
- v. of eastern Kentucky was one of greatest (59:2.5)
- Yahweh associated with Mount Horeb volcano (96:1.3,11)
(96:4.5)

Volga

- Andite invasion route to Europe (80:4.1-2)

volition. *See* decisions; free will**volunteers**

- no hirelings used to prepare Garden of Eden (73:4.4)
- seraphim always serve as (113:2.3,7)

Volvox (65:2.5)**voodoo doctors.** *See also* shamans

- typical of magicians of old (88:6.1)

Vorondadek Sons (35:5-6secs). *See also* Most Highs

- 1 functions on Urantia as Most High observer (109:7.7)
(114:3.5) (114:4sec)
- 12 administer Norlatiadek (35:6.5) (43:5.2-15)
- 12 sit en banc as high court of review (35:5.7)
- created by Creator Son and Mother Spirit (20:1.2-10) (35:5.1)
- have been cited for error but never rebellion (35:5.4) (43:3.1)
- historians of local universes (35:5.7)
- in charge of 2nd Salvington circuit (35:7sec)
- in emergencies, exercise absolute authority over planet's celestial beings (35:5.6)
- in personality registers (30:1.36) (30:2.43)
- individual Vorondadek Sons in Norlatiadek (43:5sec)
- known as Most Highs when commissioned as Constellation
Fathers (15:2.4) (20:1.10) (35:5.1) (35:6.1) (43:3.1-2)
- Most High observers for quarantined planets (35:5.6) (43:5.8)
- no powers of reproduction (35:5.2)
- number 1 million in Nebadon (35:5.2)
- Personalized Adjusters confer with (109:7.6)
- reliable, efficient rulers (35:5.3)
- residence in Jerusem circles (46:5.15)
- serve as ambassadors and consuls (35:5.5)
- work pertains to legislative functions (35:5.7)
- wrote Paper 36 (36:3.8)

Vorondadek worlds

- 7 worlds surrounding Salvington (35:7sec)
- ascenders educated in universe legislation on (35:7.1-2)

Vosges mountains (59:5.12)**voting.** *See* suffrage**vows**

- addiction to making foolish (89:6.3)
- assumed form of contracts with gods (89:3.5)
- Moses enabled his people to escape worst results of (89:7.1)