

The Inhabited Worlds

All inhabited worlds are grouped for celestial administration into local systems each containing approximately one thousand evolutionary worlds as decreed by the Ancients of Days. Worlds settled in light and life and planets in pre-human stage of life development are not part of this group. (49:0.2)

Our Local System of Satania is unfinished and has only 619 inhabited worlds and thirty-six planets nearing the life-endowment stage. (49:0.3) There are nearly two hundred spheres evolving as to be ready for life implantation within the next few million years. (49:0.3)

Small planets with a high rate of axial rotation are unsuited for life habitats. (49:0.4) Enormous spheres have to great a mass causing oppressive gravity. (49:0.4) However, many of these enormous spheres have satellites very near to the size of Urantia making them almost ideal for habitation. (49:0.4)

Anova is the oldest inhabited world of Satania. It is in an advanced stage of progressive civilization. It is one of forty-four satellites revolving around an enormous dark planet which receives its light from three neighbouring suns. (49:0.5)

The Planetary Life

- The progression of life—terrestrial or celestial—may not always be understandable (predictable) but it is strictly non-accidental. (49:1.1)
- The biologic unit of material life is the protoplasmic cell—chemical, electrical and other basic energies. (49:1.2)
- Each planet has its own scale of life—no two worlds being exactly alike in plant and animal endowment. (49:1.3)
- These planetary variations in system life types result from the decisions of the Life Carriers who are neither capricious or whimsical, but according to the evolutionary order of life in Satania and to the divine mandates and evolutionary patterns of Nebadon . (49:1.3)
- Life is sometimes initiated in one centre, sometimes in three (Urantia). On the atmospheric worlds life usually has a marine origin—depending on the physical status of the planet and the latitude taken by the Life Carriers in initiating life. (49:1.4)
- The order of life is vegetable, animal, human. (49:1.5)
- Mortal man is not is not an evolutionary accident. (49:1.6)
- The process of planetary evolution is orderly and controlled. (49:1.7)

Planetary Physical Types

- The Life Carriers are oftentimes confronted with the necessity of modifying the basic patterns of vegetable and animal life to conform to the varying physical condition with which they are presented. There are seven distinct physical types but thousands of minor variations of these seven differentiations. (49:2.1)

Sub-breathers	2.5 %	Mars
Mid-breathers	91 %	Urantia
Super-breather	5 %	Venus
Non-breathers	1.5 %	moon

The Atmospheric Types:

- determined by the nature of the atmosphere. (49:2.3)

Atmospheric Types in Satania

Type of Breather	Percentage	Examples
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The elemental Types:

- These differentiations have to do with the relation of mortals to water, air and land. (49:2.8)
- Unusual environmental conditions make it necessary for the evolving animal life to remain in its marine nursery habitat for longer periods than on those pla-

nets which very early provide a hospitable land and atmospheric environment. (49:2.9)

Satania Elemental Types

Elemental Type	Percentage	Ancestors
Water	7 %	whales
Air	10 %	bat
Land and Air	13 %	
Land	70 %	

Satania Gravity Types

- Intelligent beings are so constructed that they can freely function on spheres which are not of ideal size and density. (49:2.12)
- The average height of mortals in Nebadon is a trifle under seven feet. (49:2.13)
- Some of the larger worlds are peopled with beings who are only two and one-half feet in height. There is only one race under four feet in height. Twenty percent of the Satania worlds are of the modified gravity types occupying the larger and smaller planets. (49:2.13)

The Temperature Types

- It is possible to create living beings who can withstand temperatures much higher and lower than the life range of the Urantia races. (49:2.14)
- Urantians are mid-temperature types. (49:2.14)

Satania Temperature Types

Temperature Range	Percentage
High Temperature	12 %
Mid Temperature	70 %
Lower Temperature	18%

The Electric Types

- The electric, magnetic, and electronic behaviour of the worlds varies greatly. There are ten designs of mortals fashioned to withstand the differential energy of the spheres. (49:2.15)
- These slight variations in no way affect the intellec-

tual or the spiritual life. (49:2.15)

Types	Percentage
1	1 %
2	2 %
3	5 %
4 (Urantia Type)	23 %
5	27 %
6	24 %
7	8 %
8	5 %
9	3 %
10	2 %

The Energizing Types

- Not all worlds are alike in the manner of taking in energy. When all other prerequisites to intelligent life are adequate, the Life Carriers often establish on such worlds a modified form of mortal existence, beings who are competent to effect their life-process exchanges directly by means of light-energy and the first-hand power transmutations of the Master Physical Controllers. (49:2.17)

Nutrition Type	Used by:
1	sub-breathers
2	marine dwellers
3 (Urantians)	Mid-breathers
4	Super-breathers
5	Non-breathers
6	Midway Creatures

The Unnamed Types

- There are numerous additional physical variations in planetary life, but all of these differences are wholly matters of anatomical modification, physiologic differentiation, and electrical adjustment. Such distinc-

tions do not concern the intellectual or the spiritual life.

Worlds of the Non-breathers

- There are mortals who are able to live on worlds with little or no air. There is less than 7 % of this type of mortal inhabiting all of Orvonton, in Nebadon less than 3 %, and in Satania there are only nine such worlds. (49:3.1)
- because Satania is a more recently organized section of Norlatiadek and is bombarded incessantly with meteors and other space wanderers, worlds without a protective friction atmosphere must do much to protect themselves from meteor damage such as making electrical installations which operate to consume or shunt the meteors. They are also subject to severe electrical storms forcing them to take shelter in special structures of protective insulation. (49:3.2,3)
- they do not eat food or drink water as do Urantians. The reactions of the nervous system, the heat regulating mechanism, and the metabolism of these specialized peoples are radically different from such functions of Urantians. Almost every act of living, aside from reproduction, differs and even the methods of reproduction are somewhat different. (49:3.5)
- they are candidates for Spirit fusion. They enjoy life and are subjected to the same relative trials and joys as those being living on atmospheric worlds. They do not differ in mind and character from other mortal types. Such a race of beings inhabits a sphere in close proximity to Urantia. (49:3.5,6)

Evolutionary Will Creatures

- all mortals of will dignity are erect animals, bipeds. (49:4.1)
- there are six basic evolutionary races: three primary—red, yellow, and blue: and three secondary—orange, green, and indigo. Many of the three-brained planets harbor only the primary types. (49:4.2)
- the average special physical-sense endowment of human beings is twelve. However, three-brained mortals can see and hear considerably more than Urantia races. (49:4.3)
- sex equality prevails on all advanced worlds—male and female are equal in mind endowment and spiritual status. This feature of creature experience is always improved after the arrival of a Material Son and Daughter. (49:4.4)
- seasons and temperature variations occur on all sun-lighted and sun-heated planets. Agriculture is universal on all atmospheric worlds.
- mortals all have the same general struggles with microscopic foes in their early days. The length of life varies from twenty-five years to nearly five hundred on the more advanced and older spheres. (49:4.6)
- social, economic, and governmental problems vary with the age of the planets and the degree to which they have been influenced by the successive sojourns of the divine sons. (49:4.7)
- mind is the bestowal of the Infinite Spirit. The mental life of all these various orders of mortals is very similar, and their immediate careers after death are very much alike. (49:4.8)
- mortal mind without immortal spirit cannot survive. Survival is dependent on spiritualization by the ministry of the Adjuster—on the birth and evolution of the immortal soul. (49:4.9)

The Planetary Series of Mortals

- The inhabited spheres of the seven superuniverses are peopled with mortals who simultaneously classify in one or more of the following seven generalized classes of evolutionary life. (49:5.1)
 - there are three general groups of inhabited worlds from the standpoint of the adjustment of creature life to the planetary environment: (1) the normal adjustment group, (2) the radical adjustment group, and (3) the experimental group. (49:5.3)
- Adjustment to Planetary Environment:*
- normal adjustments to planetary conditions follow the

- conditions as previously dealt with. (49:5.4)
- the worlds of the non-breathers typify the radical extreme adjustment but there are other types in this group. (49:5.4)
- experimental worlds are usually ideally adapted to the typical life forms. On these decimal planets the Life Carriers attempt to produce beneficial variations in standard life designs. (49:5.4)
- decimal planets are serially linked together and constitute a special domain of universe affairs which is given attention by designated administrators (Tabamantia). (49:5.5)

Brain Type Series:

- the one uniformity of mortals is the brain and nervous system. However, there are three basic organizations of the brain mechanisms—the one, two and three brained type. Urantians are of the two-brained type. (49:5.6)
- the two-brained type are somewhat more imaginative, adventurous, and philosophical than the one-brained mortals. But somewhat less spiritual, ethical, and worshipful than the three-brained orders. (49:5.6)
- in the three-brain series, one brain is used to control physical activities, leaving the two superior brains free for higher engagements: one for intellectual functions and the other for the spiritual-counterparting activities of the Thought Adjuster. (49:5.7)
- in mechanical development and material civilization, even in intellectual progress, the two-brained mortal worlds are able to equal the three-brained spheres but inferior in development of intellectual and spiritual reciprocation. (49:5.8)
- all three brain types have the same type of life plasm and carry on planetary activities in the same manner. (49:5.10)
- it is the prerogative of the Life Carriers to project these varied orders on the different worlds. (49:5.10)
- these three orders stand on equal footing in the ascension career. (49:5.11)

Spirit-reception Series:

- this refers primarily to gland chemistry—glands comparable to the pituitary bodies. The races on some worlds have one gland, on others two, while on other spheres the races have three. Inherent imagination and spiritual receptivity are definitely influenced by this endowment. (49:5.12)
- sixty-five percent of the spirit reception group have two glands (Urantians), twelve percent have only one, and twenty-three percent have three glands making them more spiritually inclined during their terrestrial

Life. (49:5.13)

- these racial differences pertain only to the life in the flesh. (49:5.13)

Planetary-mortal Epochs:

- Life Carriers initiate life, watch over it until the appearance of mortal man, and before leaving duly install a Planetary Prince as ruler of the realm. The first adjudication of the living and the dead take place upon his arrival. (49:5.15)
- The Planetary Prince arrives to inaugurate human civilization and to focalize human society. (49:5.16)
- after the racial progress reaches its peak, the System Sovereign dispatches a Material Son and Daughter to biologically uplift the races of the planet. (49:5.17)
- An Avonal Son of Paradise arrives on a magisterial mission when the intellectual and ethical progress of a human race has reached its limits. (49:5.18)
- A Paradise Bestowal Son arrives when the spiritual status of such a world is nearing its limit of natural attainment. The chief mission of a bestowal Son is to establish the planetary status, release the Spirit of Truth for planetary function, and thus effect the universal coming of the Thought Adjusters. (49:5.18)
- At the apex of planetary evolution signals the arrival of the Trinity Teacher Sons—this epoch is the vestibule to the final planetary age—evolutionary utopia—the age of light and life. (49:5.20)

Creature-kinship Serials:

- Planets are not only organized vertically, but also horizontally in grouping of a kindred nature according to type, series, and other relationships. This horizontal administration of the universe pertains more particularly to the co-ordination of activities of a kindred nature which have been independently fostered on different spheres. (49:5.22)
- The co-ordination of these uniquely related groups of living beings is probably effected by some not fully comprehended technique of the Supreme Being. (49:5.23)

Adjuster-fusion Series:

- The spiritual classification or grouping of all mortals during their pre-fusion experience is wholly determined by the relation of the personality status to the indwelling Mystery Monitor. (49:5.24)
- Almost ninety percent of the inhabited worlds of Nebadon are peopled with Adjuster-fusion contrasted to a near-by universe where slightly more than fifty percent are Adjuster-indwelt candidates for fusion. (49:5.24)

his terrestrial status and gains access to the inward moving stream of Paradise ascenders. (49:5.25)

Techniques of Terrestrial Escape:

- There are numerous techniques whereby man escapes

Terrestrial Escape

- All of the differing types and planetary series of mortals are liberated from the bonds of the flesh by the emancipation of natural death and thence to the morontia worlds of spiritual evolution and mind progress. (49:6.1)
- Resurrections occur on motion of the planetary authorities or the system rulers, or at least every millennium of planetary time. Special resurrections are the occasion for mobilizing special groups of ascenders for specific service in the local universe plan for mortal ascension. (49:6.2)
- Most survivors are repersonalized at the inauguration of a new dispensation associated with the event of a divine Son of planetary service. (49:6.3)

Mortals of the Dispensational or Group Order of Survival:

- With the arrival of the first Adjuster on an inhabited world the guardian seraphim also make their appearance; they are indispensable to terrestrial escape. (49:6.4)
- During the life-lapse period of sleeping survivors, their spiritual values and eternal realities of their immortal souls are held as a sacred trust by the personal or group guardian seraphim. (49:6.4)
- With each seraphim of assignment to the repersonalization of a sleeping mortal three functions the returned Adjuster, the same immortal Father fragment that lived in him during the days in the flesh, and thus is identity restored and personality resurrected. (49:6.5)
- The re-awakening on the mansion worlds of the earlier ages of animal-origin mortals is accomplished by the guardian seraphim in conjunction with an individualized portion of the immortal spirit of the Third Source and Center. (49:6.6)
- Non-salvable personalities of a realm—no immortal spirit is present to function with the group guardians of destiny, and thus constitutes cessation of creature existence. (49:6.7)

Mortals of the Individual Orders of Ascension:

- Individual human progress is measured by their successive attainment of the seven cosmic circles. (49:6.8)
- Starting out in the seventh circle, mortals strive for

the first, and all who have attained the third immediately have personal guardians of destiny assigned to them and may be repersonalized in the morontia life independent of dispensational or other adjudications. (49:6.8)

- With the event of time, increasing numbers of these evolving creatures are repersonalized on the first mansion world on the third day after natural death. (49:6.9)
- There are three groups of individual ascenders; the less advanced land on the first mansion world; the more advanced may take up the morontia career on any of the intermediate mansion worlds, and the most advanced begin their morontia experience on the seventh mansion world. (49:6.10)

Mortals of the Probationary-dependant Orders of Ascension:

- Many mortals die in youth before choosing the Paradise career. Such Adjuster-indwelt children and youths follow the parent of the most advanced finaliter status, thus going to a system finaliter world (the probationary nursery) on the third day—at a special resurrection or at the regular millennial and dispensational roll calls. (49:6.11)
- Children, acquire physical identity at mortal birth, who die too young to have Thought Adjusters are repersonalized on the finaliter world concomitant with the arrival of either parent (Adjusterless children are reckoned as still attached to their parents) on the mansion worlds. (49:6.12)
- In due course, Thought Adjusters come to indwell these little ones. Seraphic ministry to both groups is similar to that of the more advanced parent in case only one survives. Similar probation nurseries are maintained on the finaliter spheres of the constellation and the universe headquarters for the Adjusterless children of primary and secondary modified orders of ascenders. (49:6.14)

Mortals of the Secondary Modified Orders of Ascension:

- These are the progressive human beings of the intermediate evolutionary worlds who are not immune to natural death but are exempt from passing through the seven mansion worlds. (49:6.15)

- Depending on their progression, they awaken on the headquarters of their local system, or the constellation training worlds, or awaken on the constellation headquarters world to begin their ascent. (49:6.16)
- Before any of these groups can go forward, they must return to the mansion worlds as instructors—to gain experience as teachers in those realms which they passed by as students. Subsequently, they proceed to Paradise by the ordained routes of mortal progression. (49:6.17)

Mortals of the Primary Modified Order of Ascension:

- These mortals are Adjuster-fused and are most often representative of the final phases of human development on an evolving world. They are exempt from

passing through the portals of death. They are translated from the living and appear immediately in the presence of the Sovereign Son on the headquarters of the local universe (**Son seizure**). (49:6.18)

- Adjuster-fused personalities go by direct Adjuster transit to the resurrection halls of the higher morontia spheres, where they receive their initial morontia investiture as do all mortals arriving from the evolutionary worlds. (49:6.19)
- This primary modified order of mortal ascension applies to individuals from the highest to the lowest of the Adjuster-fusion worlds. Natural death becomes decreasingly frequent on spheres long settled in light and life. (49:6.20,21)