

Part 2, Paper 47, The Seven Ma... Worlds, Brilliant Evening Star

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John, Sarah

S Sarah 00:00
Ever catch yourself wondering what happens after we check out? I mean, after this life is over, what comes next? It's

J John 00:06
a question for the ages, isn't it? It

S Sarah 00:07
really is. And today, we are taking a deep dive into the Urantia Book to explore its unique perspective on what awaits us after this life is over. The

J John 00:18
Urantia Book definitely has some intriguing ideas about the afterlife, especially these places called mansion worlds. Yeah, mansion worlds. We

S Sarah 00:25
gotta unpack that. We

J John 00:26

do. It's a whole cosmology the soul's journey after death like a roadmap. But instead of streets and highways, you've got these different realms of existence. All

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Sarah 00:35

right, so roadmap it is. And for you listening, we've got excerpts from paper 47 of the Urantia Book all queued up. Our mission today to break down these complex concepts and give you a clearer picture of this cosmology without getting too bogged down. You know exactly

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John 00:50

we're going for the essence here, helping you understand the core ideas Exactly.

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Sarah 00:54

So the Urantia Book tells us, when we die, it's not the end, it's a transition.

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John 01:02

Think of it more like a transition from one state of being to another. The Urantia Book calls these stops along the way transitional worlds.

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Sarah 01:10

Okay, so it's like a layover on a really, really long trip.

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John 01:13

Yeah, you

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Sarah 01:14

could say that what's the first stop? Like, first

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John 01:16

up is the final leader world. And this one's interesting, because it's not just for ascending mortals like us. You've also got these highly evolved spiritual beings called finaliters hanging out there. But maybe the most surprising thing about the finale to world is it has something called a probationary nursery.

S Sarah 01:33
Hold on a nursery. Are we talking about like children? We are? The Urantia

J John 01:37
Book is very clear that even children who pass away continue their journey in the afterlife, and this nursery is where they're nurtured and cared for until they're ready to progress. Wow, that's

S Sarah 01:49
actually really comforting, when you think about it. And what about parents who have lost children or vice versa? Are they reunited in this nursery?

J John 01:56
That's exactly what the Urantia Book says. The reunion between parents and children, regardless of when they passed, is supposed to be incredibly beautiful and moving.

S Sarah 02:03
I can only imagine something so powerful about the bond of family, even in the afterlife. So we've got this reunion on the finalator world. But eventually we move on, we graduate, so to speak, to the first mansion world, mansonia. One what happens then? What's that experience like? Well,

J John 02:19
you don't just wake up in a new place with your old body. Instead, you wake up and you're inhabiting what the Urantia Book calls a morontia form, merontia form. So what is that? Think of it as a new body, a blend of the physical and the spiritual. It's not quite the same as your earthly body, but it retains your personality, your memories. It's still you, still me, but upgraded in a sense. The Urantia Book goes into great detail about this resurrection process. It talks about celestial beings, including those thought adjusters we've talked about before that have been with us since birth. They help reassemble our essence,

S Sarah 02:55
okay? So they gather up our soul and kind of put us back together on these mansion worlds, right? What I find fascinating is we're not starting from scratch. Are we? We're picking up where we left off. Exactly.

- J** John 03:05
The Urantia Book emphasizes that it's not about starting over. It's about continuing your evolution
- S** Sarah 03:11
on a whole other level, right? Let's be real for a second here. People are complex. We've got flaws. We've got regrets, maybe some unfinished business. Does that carry over to the mansion world?
- J** John 03:22
You're not off base at all. The Urantia Book actually addresses that. In fact, a big part of the first mansion world experience is dedicated to something called deficiency ministry.
- S** Sarah 03:32
Deficiency ministry like cosmic therapy. You could put
- J** John 03:35
it that way. It's about recognizing and addressing those areas where we might have fallen short, not about punishment, more about growth and healing. Remember, it's a journey of progress, which
- S** Sarah 03:45
is what makes this so interesting. The Urantia Book outlines seven of these mansion worlds, right? Each one building upon the last. It's got to be a wild ride.
- J** John 03:54
It's definitely presented as a progression, a
- S** Sarah 03:57
climb, if you will, a ladder of spiritual evolution, and each
- J** John 04:01
rung of that ladder, each mansion world offers unique lessons and experiences designed to

help you expand.

S Sarah 04:08

So let's climb so let's climb this ladder. What's next after mansonia one?

J John 04:12

Well, we've got six more to go. Each mansion world offers a more expansive view of, well, everything, the cosmos, ourselves, you name it.

S Sarah 04:21

Okay, so bigger and bigger pictures each time, exactly what's mansonia Two? Like,

J John 04:25

take mansonia Two, for example. This is where the real intellectual work begins. Intellectual

S Sarah 04:30

work, huh? Like, what? What are we talking about here? Okay, so

J John 04:33

remember all those biases and preconceived notions we bring with us from our human lives? Yeah, we've all got them. Mansonia Two is about confronting those hit on, refining your thinking, really starting to grasp higher truths. So

S Sarah 04:46

it's like cosmic philosophy, 101, you can say that,

J John 04:48

and you're learning alongside beings from countless other worlds, all grappling with these same universal questions. No,

S Sarah 04:56

hold on. We're not just talking to other humans here. None. Think bigger beings from all over

hold on. We're not just talking to other humans here. Nope. Think bigger beings from all over the cosmos, exactly. That's wild. What's that even like communicating with someone who's not even from Earth?

J John 05:07

It's a level of understanding that transcends language barriers. The Urantia Book calls it morantia Moda. It's this form of thought exchange, perfect clarity, total understanding.

S Sarah 05:19

Okay, so no more miscommunications, no more arguments, something like that.

J John 05:23

But it goes even deeper than that. On mansonia Two, you're experiencing this deepening connection to the universe itself. You start to see the interconnectedness of everything, how it all fits together.

S Sarah 05:34

Talk about an aha moment that's incredible. It's a huge shift in perspective. So that's mansonia Two, a lot of heady stuff. Where do we go from there? Well,

J John 05:43

each step on this journey prepares you for the next, right? So on mansonia Three, for example, you delve even deeper, deeper into what? Deeper into the mysteries of the cosmos. It's also where the mansion world teachers reside. The Mansion world teachers, these are beings of immense wisdom and compassion. They guide you, help you understand the universe, your place in it, the big picture.

S Sarah 06:07

Wow. Okay, they sound intense. What are they teaching us exactly?

J John 06:12

It's not so much about specific facts and figures. They help you connect the dots, you know, between your earthly experiences and the larger cosmic drama playing out. It's about revealing the meaning behind it all the purpose

S Sarah 06:25
that's a lot to wrap your head around. It is, sounds like mansonia Three is where things start to get really, really mind blowing. It's a pivotal

J John 06:30
point, for sure, but the Urantia Book makes it very clear that learning isn't just about acquiring knowledge. You have to apply it. You have to use it to serve others. Ah,

S Sarah 06:43
so service comes into play on mansonia Four. You're catching on

J John 06:46
mansonia Four is where the rubber meets the road. Okay, how? So remember how we talked about that new social order on mansonia too? Yeah, the one based on understanding and cooperation on mansonia Four, you're living that reality. It's not just a concept anymore. It's your everyday life. Exactly. You're collaborating with beings from countless worlds, working together towards this shared goal of spiritual

S Sarah 07:08
growth. Wow, that's quite the team building exercise. You

J John 07:12
could say that, yeah, you're putting all that knowledge you've gained to good use, solving problems, creating beauty, contributing to the well being of others. I've

S Sarah 07:20
got to say, the more we talk about these mansion worlds, the more I think Sign me up. It doesn't just sound like an individual pursuit anymore. It's like you're part of something so much bigger than yourself, and that

J John 07:32
feeling only grows stronger as you progress on mansonia Five you get a real taste of that interconnectedness. The Urantia Book describes it as a foretaste of Jerusalem.

S Sarah 07:43
Wait a foretaste, like a sneak peek.

J John 07:46
Exactly, you're getting a glimpse of the system capital, okay,

S Sarah 07:49
that's like getting a backstage pass to the big show. What's it like? What do you see? Imagine

J John 07:53
experiencing the vibrancy of this world far more advanced than anything you could imagine the beauty, the knowledge, it would take your breath away,

S Sarah 08:02
I bet. And isn't this also where cosmic consciousness is born. Cosmic Consciousness, that's got to be a trip. What does that even feel like? Imagine

J John 08:09
you're no longer limited by that narrow view of your own little ego. You start to see yourself as part of this huge web of life, like you're just one note in this grand, cosmic symphony, you're connected to everything.

S Sarah 08:23
That's a lot to take in, but it sounds pretty amazing. It's a whole

J John 08:27
new way of seeing yourself and the universe, and

S Sarah 08:31
to think we're only on mansonia Five, what else is in store for us on this journey to Jerusalem? Well, on



John 08:36

mansonia Six, the focus shifts a bit. Becomes more about preparation. Preparation for what for the next stage of your journey after your time in the local universe is done. It's like you're getting ready to



Sarah 08:46

graduate, graduate from the local universe. Where do we even go after that?



John 08:49

We'll save those details for another deep dive. Okay, fair enough.



Sarah 08:52

So back to mansonia Six. What's happening there? How are we preparing?



John 08:57

You're introduced to the administration in the universe. You learn about the spirit career that awaits you.



Sarah 09:02

So we're getting a cosmic education, learning the ropes of the universe. Exactly.



John 09:06

It's a time of immense learning and growth. And it's also on mansonia Six, or sometimes even earlier, that the fusion with your thought adjuster might take place. Oh, right,



Sarah 09:17

the thought adjuster, I forgot about that little detail, that divine spark. It's been with us since the very beginning,



John 09:22

right? And on mansonia Six, that connection, it grows even stronger. It can even lead to a full fusion, fusion,

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Sarah 09:29

like our will becomes one with the will of the Father. You got it? Okay? Now that is intense. What an experience that must be. So we've gone through this incredible transformation. We've learned so much connected with our divine essence. What's left? How do we get ready for Jerusalem?

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John 09:46

Mansonia Seven is all about purification, refinement. It's said that any remaining traces of our earthly limitations are wiped clean, your fears, your doubts, insecurities, gone, just like a cosmic cleanse. It. Away, you're shedding the last bits of your old self and becoming who you are always meant to be your true, eternal self.

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Sarah 10:06

I like the sound of that ready to experience the wonders of Jerusalem. What's it like when we finally get there? The Urantia

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John 10:13

Book describes Jerusalem as the city of shimmering light, streets paved with gold, buildings that seem to defy gravity. But it's more than just the physical beauty. It's the atmosphere, vibrant, full of life, this sense of shared purpose, boundless opportunities. It's unlike anything you can imagine. And

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Sarah 10:30

we're not just visiting Jerusalem, right? We're citizens of this cosmic metropolis, that's right.

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John 10:34

You get to join this incredible community of beings all dedicated to service and learning and growth. Wow.

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Sarah 10:40

And what do we do as citizens of Jerusalem? Anything

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John 10:43

you can dream of, explore countless worlds, engage in creative pursuits, contribute to the

you can dream of, explore countless worlds, engage in creative pursuits, contribute to the universe in ways you can't even fathom right now. It's the ultimate adventure.

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Sarah 10:54

This has been quite a deep dive, mansion worlds, Jerusalem, cosmic consciousness. My mind is officially blown.

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John 11:01

It's a lot to process, but the Urantia book's vision of the afterlife. It's full of hope, full of possibility. It's inspiring, absolutely

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Sarah 11:08

and to everyone listening, we hope you've enjoyed this journey through the cosmos. If you're eager to learn more, definitely check out the Urantia Book and do some exploring of your own you might be surprised by what you discover. And there you have it till next time. Keep those minds open and never stop exploring you.