

## NKJV: Mark of the Devil Discovered?

"And he causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads: And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name." (Revelation 13:16-17)



by Terry Watkins

**counterfeit** \ 'kaunt-er-fit \: to imitate or copy closely  
*especially with intent to deceive.*

***The greatest method of deception is to counterfeit.  
And the master of counterfeit and deception is Satan.***

The Bible in 2 Corinthians 11:14-15 warns of Satan's counterfeit: "*And no marvel; for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light. Therefore it is no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of righteousness; . . .*" Isaiah 14: 14 tells of Satan's ultimate counterfeit: ". . . **I will BE LIKE the most High.**"

And among his greatest counterfeit's is the New King James Bible (NKJV). Christians that would never touch a New International Version (NIV), New American Standard (NASV), Revised Standard (RSV), the New Revised Standard (NRSV) or other *per*-versions are being "seduced" by the subtil NKJV.

And though the New King James does indeed bear a "likeness" to the 1611 King James Bible, as you'll soon see, there's something else coiled (see Genesis 3:1) "*underneath the cover*" of the NKJV.

In a startling video expose of the New King James Version (NKJV) of the Bible, renowned researcher and Bible scholar Gail Riplinger discusses the triquetra logo found on each issue of the NKJV. She demonstrates that the NKJV logo is strikingly reminiscent of the symbol employed by pagans and occultists for their unholy, Luciferian trinity of deities. The same unified - yet three-part logo, or symbol - is also connected with the theology of top New Age leaders, and with the dark initiation rites of high-level Freemasonry.

The publisher of the NKJV, Thomas Nelson Publishing, may claim that their bible's logo represents the Holy Trinity of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. But, if so, why is the same design found dominant in New Age and occult circles? Why does a revoltingly blasphemous Masonic ritual also employ the same symbol?

### **A Symbol of Freemasonry**

We reproduced in Flashpoint an illustration from the classic Masonic text, Duncan's Ritual of Freemasonry, which shows how the cryptic "Three Times Three" handclasp is performed in the Royal Arch Degree by three "brothers" of the Lodge. Incredibly, it is during this grotesque ritual that the Masonic initiate learns the true name of the Masonic god, nebulously referred to by Masons as the "Grand Architect of the Universe."

In this secret ritual, however, the Masonic Lodge reveals that the actual name of their deity is Jahbuhlun. This repugnant name is obtained by combining the name of Jehovah, or Yahweh, with the names of the Philistine god, Baal, and the Egyptian god, On. (On is one of the several names of the great Egyptian sun god.) Thus, Jah-baal-on, or Jahbuhlun.

### **A Symbol of Occultism**

Riplinger has brought to my attention that this same tri-part symbol is found concealed in the tail of the Green Dragon, illustrated in Harry E. Wedeck's occult classic volume, Treasury of Witchcraft.

The same symbol and logo can also be found on an album from Atlantic Records of heavy metal music by Led Zeppelin, the satanic rock group. Moreover, it is similar to the logo of the immense Krupp Works, the German manufacturing giant that was one of the most important producers for Adolf Hitler's Nazi war machine.

### **A Symbol of the Aquarian Conspirators**

New Age leader Marilyn Ferguson, who wrote the million copy bestselling book, The Aquarian Conspiracy, included the triquetra symbol at the beginning of each chapter of her 447-page encyclopedia promoting New Age perversion. Indeed, the very cover of her book has this symbol prominently displayed against a stark, black background.

In her book, The Aquarian Conspiracy, Ferguson displays an arrogant, in-your-face attitude. She confidently discloses that yes, there is a global, New Age conspiracy. She gushingly reports that the goal of its leadership is to dramatically transform humanity and usher in a New Millennium of Oneness. Ferguson writes:

A leaderless but powerful network is working to bring about radical change in the United States - This network is the Aquarian Conspiracy - There are legions of conspirators. They are in corporations,

universities, and hospitals, on the faculties of public schools, in state and federal agencies - and the White House staff. Whatever their station or sophistication, the conspirators are linked (pp. 23-24)

### **A Symbol of the Black Madonna**

In countless New Age magazines and books, one will find on prominent display the triquetra seal - the same logo that is used by Thomas Nelson Publishers as the dominant design to announce each copy of its false bible version.

In Gnosis magazine (Winter 1997, p. 10) I recently discovered an ad promoting a tour of "sacred sites in Southern France." Participants, the ad explained, will be taken to key places to honor and contemplate the Black Madonna, said to be "a direct link to the pagan Earth goddesses and the archetype of the sensual, uninhibited woman"

### **A symbol of High Tech Control**

But perhaps the ultimate use of this strange, ancient symbol of foreboding evil is found on - of all places - a high tech smart card. Gail Riplinger sent me a prototype of a new smart card just unveiled by MasterCard, Visa, Citibank, and Chase Manhattan. I was utterly shocked to find the triquetra symbol emblazoned repeatedly on the card. As Gail told me in her letter, "The latest smart card has the NKJV's logo all over the face of the plastic so that when a picture goes under it, you have 666 on your forehead."

In other words, the image on the prototype smart card is that of a man, the bearer or holder of the card, who has this dreadful symbol splattered all over his face and head.

### **A Symbol of the Beast?**

Gail Riplinger suggests that the design of the triquetra symbol on the smart card is alarmingly likened to that of three 6's linked together: 666! Could it be that this strange symbol is the prophesied Mark of the Beast, that terrifying seal someday to be given each person on Earth, in their forehead or right hand, as a sign of the Beast's unreserved ownership of the individual's body and soul?:

**And the smoke of their torment ascendeth up for ever and ever: and they have no rest day nor night, who worship the beast and his image, and whosoever receiveth the mark of his name. (Revelation 14:11)**

The prophetic Word solemnly warns us not to receive the "mark of his name." And what is his name? We instantly recall that higher-level Masons worship a false god under the adulterous name, Jahbuhlun. And, as we have seen, the mark of Jahbuhlun is that of the triquetra, the same three-part symbol used by the publisher of the NKJV bible.

Therefore, I ask once again: Could it be that this symbol - the secretive sign of the Aquarian Conspirators; the symbol of the worshippers of the Black Madonna; the symbol plastered on the image of the face of holders of a coming, new universal smart card - is the very mark signifying the name of the beast?

### **A Sign From God**

Frankly, I do not believe that in choosing this symbol for its bible version the publisher of the NKJV bible had any idea of the true meaning of its esoteric significance. But because this bible version, like

so many others, is permeated with errors and omissions, I believe it possible that God saw to it that there would be a signal for true Christians - one glaringly printed on this false bible - warning us to reject the NKJV. God is faithful. He always gives His people the light of truth so that darkness can be avoided and rejected.

I believe, then, we are witnessing the hand of God, cautioning us to have nothing to do with the corrupt, new bible versions. As we have repeatedly stated, the authorized King James Version (KJV) remains the one, true, untarnished Bible. It is accurate and without mixture of error. No wonder, then, that so many deceivers today seek to cast doubt on the powerful, eternal Word of God contained in the King James Bible.

My friends, the real war in these last days is not in the field of economics. Our major enemy is not political. The greatest battle is not over the conspirators' scheme for the New World Order. What we are engaged in now is the epic contest of the ages. This is a struggle for the spiritual heart of mankind. I thank God that he has provided us with all the ammunition and answers we need to fight in this Holy War and prevail. The mighty weapons we require are found in ample supply in His Book, the majestic and incomparable King James Bible.

The Preface to the New King James Version (NKJV) reads, "*A special feature of the New King James Version is ITS **CONFORMITY** to the thought flow of the 1611 Bible. . . the new edition, **while much clearer ARE SO CLOSE** to the traditional. . ."*

Among the first *changes* that greets the reader of the NKJV is the removal of the much maligned "*thee, thou and ye*". The *Preface* to the NKJV states, ". . .*thee, thou, and ye are replaced by the simple you, . . . These pronouns are no longer part of our language.*" But "*thee, thou and ye*" were "*NO LONGER part of the language*" during 1611 either. (just read the intro to the 1611 King James, there are no "*thee*", "*thou*" and "*ye*"). In fact, *Webster's Third New International Dictionary*, says of **ye**: "*used from the earliest of times to the late 13th century. . .*" (p. 2648) And yet the 1611 King James was published 400 years later in the 17th century!

**So why are they there?**

The Greek and Hebrew language contain a different word for the second person *singular* and the second person *plural* pronouns. Today we use the one-word "you" for both the singular and plural. But because the translators of the 1611 King James Bible desired an *accurate, word-for-word* translation of the Hebrew and Greek text - **they could NOT use the one-word "you" throughout!** *If it begins with "t" (thou, thy, thine) it's SINGULAR, but if it begins with "y" (ye) it's PLURAL.* Ads for the NKJV call it "the Accurate One", and yet the 1611 King James, by using "thee", "thou", "ye", is far more accurate!

By the way, if the "thee's" and "thou's" are ". . .*no longer part of our language*" - why aren't the NKJV translators rushing to make our hymnbooks "much clearer"? "How Great Thou Art" to "How Great You Are", or "Come Thou Fount" to "Come You Fount" *Doesn't sound right, does it?* Isn't it amazing that they wouldn't dare "correct" our hymns - **and yet, without the slightest hesitation, they'll "correct" the word of God!**

The NKJV claims to make the "old" KJV "much clearer" by "*updating obsolete words*" (*New King James Version*, 1982e. p. 1235)

How about that "*obsolete word*" - "**hell**". The NKJV removes the word "hell" 23 times! And how do they

make it "much clearer"? **By replacing "hell" with "Hades" and "Sheol"!** Webster's New Collegiate Dictionary defines Hades: "the underground abode of the dead in Greek **MYTHOLOGY**". By making it "much clearer" - they turn your Bible into **MYTHOLOGY**! Not only that, Hades is not always a place of torment or terror! The Assyrian Hades is an abode of blessedness with silver skies called "Happy Fields". *In the satanic New Age Movement, Hades is an intermediate state of purification!*

*Who in their right mind would think "Hades" or "Sheol" is "up-to-date" and "much clearer" than "hell"?*

### **Matthew 16:18**

**KJV:** "And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church; and **the gates of hell** shall not prevail against it."

**NKJV:** "And I also say to you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build My church, and **the gates of Hades** shall not prevail against it."

### **Luke 16:23**

**KJV:** "And **in hell** he lift up his eyes, being in torments, and seeth Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom."

**NKJV:** "And being in torments **in Hades**, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom."

Hell is removed in 2 Sam. 22:6, Job 11:8, 26:6, Psalm 16:10, 18:5, 86:13, 116:3, Isaiah 5:14, 14:15, 28:15,18, 57:9, Jonah 2:2, Matt. 11:23, 16:18, Luke 10:15, 16:23, Acts 2:27, 31, Rev. 1:18, 6:8, 20:13,14.

Then the NKJV decides that maybe "Hades" should be "grave"! So the NKJV makes 1 Corinthians 15:55 "much clearer" by changing "grave" to "Hades"! ". . . **O Hades, where is your victory? Clear as mud. . .**

Another one of those "obsolete words" is "repent". They take it out 44 times! And how does the NKJV make it "much clearer"? In Matthew 21:32 they use "relent". Matthew 27:3 it's "remorseful" Or Romans 11:29 they change "repentance" to "irrevocable".

The term "new testament" is NOT in the NKJV! (see Matt. 26:28, Mark 14:24, Luke 22:20, 1 Cor. 11:25, 2 Cor. 3:6, Heb. 9:15,) The NKJV replaces "new testament" with "new covenant" (ditto NIV, NRSV, RSV, NASV). *An obvious assault at the written word!*

The word "damned", "damnation" is NOT in the NKJV! They make it "much clearer" by replacing it with "condemn" (ditto NIV, RSV, NRSV, NASV). **"Condemned" is NO WHERE NEAR AS SERIOUS as "damned"! Damned is eternal!** One can be "condemned" and not "damned". Romans 14:22 says, ". . . *Happy is he that condemneth not himself in that thing which he alloweth.*" Webster defines "condemned": to declare to be wrong, but the much more serious and eternal "damn": "to condemn to hell".

The word "devils" (the singular, person called the "devil" is) is NOT in the NKJV! Replaced with the "transliterated" Greek word "demon" (ditto NIV, RSV, NRSV, NASV). *The Theosophical Dictionary* describes demon as: ". . . *it has a meaning identical with that of 'god', 'angel' or 'genius'*". Even *Vines Expository Dictionary of Biblical Words* (p.157) defines "demon" as: **"an inferior deity, WHETHER GOOD OR BAD"**. Webster defines "demon" as: "divinity, spirit, an attendant power or spirit", but "devil" as: *"the personal supreme spirit of EVIL. . ."*

In 2 Timothy 2:15, the NKJV (like the NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV) remove that "obsolete" word - "**study**"! The only time you're told to "study" your Bible. **AND THEY ZAP IT!** *Why don't they want you to "study" your Bible? Maybe they don't want you to look too close - you might find out what they've ACTUALLY done to your Bible!* The "real" KJV is the only English Bible in the world that instructs you to "study" your Bible!

That "obsolete" word "virtue" is replaced with "power" in Mark 5:30, Luke 6:19, 8:46! How does anybody confuse "virtue" with "power"? *Simple - by being "bosom-buddies" with the NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV! That's what they did!*

One of the most absurd changes ever made is changing the word "servant" to "slave"! The NKJV in Romans 6:22, reads: *"But now having been set FREE from sin, and having become **SLAVES OF GOD**. . ."* The NKJV, in 1 Corinthians 7:22, calls the Christian, "**Christ's slave**". Talk about a contradiction! John 8:36 says, *"If the Son therefore shall make you FREE, **YE SHALL BE FREE INDEED**."* But isn't a Christian supposed to serve? Yes, in love. Not as a slave! Galatians 5:13 explains it, perfectly: *"For, brethren, ye have been called unto LIBERTY;(not slavery!) only use not LIBERTY for an occasion to the flesh, **but BY LOVE SERVE one another.**"*

In order to "harmonize" with the satanic New Age Movement (and of course the NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV!), the NKJV changes "*end of the **WORLD***" to "*end of the **AGE***"! And in it's no longer the "*WORLD to come*" but "*AGE to come*". The New Age Movement teaches a series of ages (hence the name: New **AGE**). See Matthew 12:32, 13:39, 13:40, 13:49, 24:3, 28:20, Mark 10:30, Luke 13:30, 20:34,35, 1 Cor 1:21.

The New Age Movement and the occult are longing for one called the Maitreya. The Bible calls him the Anti-Christ. New Ager's refer to him as the "*the **Coming One***" - **AND SO DOES THE NKJV!** In Luke 7:19, 20 (see also Matt 11:3) John told his disciples to ask Jesus: *"**Are You THE COMING ONE**. . ."* In the "The Great Invocation", a "prayer" highly revered among New Agers and chanted to "invoke" the Maitreya, says, *"Let Light and Love and Power and Death, Fulfil the purpose of **the Coming One**."*

*And to REALLY show their sympathy with the satanic New Age Movement - **BELIEVE IT OR NOT - in Acts 17:29 the New Age NKJV changes "Godhead" to "Divine Nature"!** ( ditto NIV, NASV)*

And if you think the NKJV *just* "innocently" updated the "obsolete words", removed the "thee's and thou's" - here's what the translators proudly admit: *"**IT IS CLEAR** that this revision **REQUIRED** more than the dropping of "-eth" endings, removing, "thee's" and "thou's," and updating obsolete words." *(The New King James Version, 1982e. p. 1235)**

### **AND THEY AIN'T JUST A KIDDIN'!**

**Here's a sampling of the required changes:**

**Genesis 2:18:** The NKJV ought to make Hillary Clinton proud: *"And the Lord God said, It is not good that man should be alone; I will make a helper **COMPARABLE TO HIM**"*

**Genesis 22:8:** One of the greatest verses in the Bible proclaiming that Jesus Christ was God in the flesh: *"God will provide himself a lamb for a burnt offering:"* The NKJV adds that little word "*for*": *"God will provide for Himself the lamb for a burnt offering"* And destroys the wonderful promise! Where'd they get their little "*for*"? **From the NASV!**

**Genesis 24:47:** The "old" KJV reads: "*I put the **earring** upon her face*". But the NKJV has different plans for beautiful Rebekah: "*I put the **nose ring** on her nose*". Where did it get the ridiculous idea to "cannibalize" Rebekah? *Just take a peek at the NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV!*

**Ezra 8:36:** The KJV reads, "*And they delivered the king's commissions unto the king's **lieutenants**. . .*" The "much clearer" NKJV reads, "*And they delivered the king's orders to the king's **satraps**. . .*" Who in the world thinks "satraps" is "much clearer" than lieutenants? **The NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV - they do!**  
**They put in the same "much clearer" word!**

**Psalms 109:6:** removes "*Satan*". (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV).

**Matthew 7:14:** change "*narrow is the way*" to "*difficult is the way*". There's nothing "**difficult**" about the salvation of Jesus Christ! Jesus says in Matt. 11:30, "*For my yoke is **EASY**, and my burden is light.*"  
**THE EXACT OPPOSITE!** Boy, you talk about a contradiction!

**Matthew 12:40:** change "*whale*" to "*fish*" (ditto NIV) I don't guess it matters (what's the truth got to do with it?), the Greek word used in Matthew 12:40 is *ketos*. The scientific study of whales just happens to be - **CETOLOGY** - from the Greek *ketos* for whale and *logos* for study! The scientific name for whales just happens to be - **CETACEANS** - from the Greek *ketos* for whale!

**Matthew 18:26 & Matthew 20:20:** The NKJV removes "*worshipped him*" (robbing worship from Jesus) (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV)

**Mark 13:6 & Luke 21:8:** removes "*Christ*" (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV)

**John 1:3:** change "*All things were made **BY** him;*" to "*All things were made **THROUGH** Him*" (NIV, NRSV, RSV)

**John 4:24:** change "*God is a spirit*" to the impersonal, New Age pantheistic, "*God is spirit*" (NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV)

**John 14:2:** (NKJV 1979 edition) change "*mansions*" to "*dwelling places*" (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV)

**John 14:16:** change "*comforter*" to "*helper*" (refers to Holy Spirit) (NASV)

**Acts 4:27, 30:** change "*holy child*" to "*holy servant*" (refers to Jesus) (NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV)

**Acts 12:4:** change "*Easter*" to "*Passover*" (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV)

**Acts 17:22:** changes "*superstitious*" to "*religious*" (NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV)

**Acts 24:14:** change "*heresy*" to "*sect*" (NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV)

**Romans 1:18:** change "*hold the truth*" to "*suppress the truth*" (NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV)

**Romans 1:25:** change "*changed the truth*" to "*exchanged the truth*" (NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV)

**Romans 5:8:** change "*commendeth*" to "*demonstrates*" (NIV, NASV)

**Romans 16:18:** change "*good words and fair speeches*" to "*smooth words and flattering speech*" (NIV, NASV, NRSV)

**1 Cor. 1:21:** change "*foolishness of preaching*" to "*foolishness **of the message** preached*" (ditto NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV) There's nothing foolish about the gospel of Jesus Christ. **Unless you're not saved!** 1 Cor. 1:18 says: "*For the preaching of the cross **is to them that perish FOOLISHNESS**. . .*" I wonder where that leaves the translators of the NKJV, NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV?

1 Cor. 1:22: change "require" to "request" (NASV)

1 Cor. 6:9: removes "effeminate" (NIV, NRSV, RSV)

1 Cor. 9:27: change "castaway" to "disqualified" (NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV)

2 Cor. 2:10: change "person of Christ" to "presence of Christ" (NASV, NRSV, RSV)

2 Cor. 2:17: With all the "corruptions" in the NKJV, you'd expect 2 Cor. 2:17 to change. IT DOES! They change, "*For we not as many which **CORRUPT** the word of God*" to "*For we are not, as so many,*

**PEDDLING** the word of God" (ditto NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV)

**2 Cor. 5:17:** change "new creature" to "new creation" (NIV, NRSV, RSV)

**2 Cor. 10:5:** change "imaginings" to "arguments". Considering New Age "imaging" and "visualization" is now entering the church, this verse in the "old" KJV just won't do. (NIV, RSV)



**2 Cor. 11:6:** change "rude in speech" to "untrained in speech" (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV)

**Gal. 2:20:** omit "nevertheless I live" (NIV, NASV, NRSV, RSV)

**Phil. 2:6:** (NKJV 1979e.) change "thought it not robbery to be equal with God" to "did not consider equality with God something to be grasped". (robs Jesus Christ of deity) (NIV, NASV, RSV)

**Phil. 3:8:** change "dung" to "rubbish" (NIV, NASV, NRSV)

**1 Thess. 5:22** change "all appearance of evil" to "every form of evil" (NASV, RSV, NRSV)

**1 Timothy 6:5:** The NKJV changes "gain is godliness" to "godliness is a **MEANS OF** gain". There are NO Greek texts with "means of" in them! Where, oh where, did they come from? Care to take a wild guess? **YOU GOT IT!** The NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV!

**1 Timothy 6:10:** The NKJV changes "For the love of money is the root of all evil:" to "For the love of money is a root of all **KINDS OF** evil". The words "**KINDS OF**" are found in NO Greek text in the world! Where did they get them? **Straight from the NIV, NASV, NRSV!**

**1 Tim. 6:20:** change "science" to "knowledge" (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV)

**Titus 3:10:** change "heretic" to "divisive man" (NIV)

**Hebrews 4:8 & Acts 7:45:** "Jesus" is changed to "Joshua". (NIV, NASV, RSV)

**2 Pet. 2:1:** change "damnable heresies" to "destructive heresies" (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV)

**1 John 3:16:** remove "love of God"; (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV)

**1 John 5:13:** The NKJV reads: "These things I have written to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life, and that you may **CONTINUE TO** believe in the name of the Son of God." They add "CONTINUE TO" without any Greek text whatsoever! Not even the perverted NIV, NASV, NRSV and RSV go that far! A cruel, subtil (see Genesis 3:1) attack on the believer's eternal security!

**Rev. 2:13:** change "Satan's seat" to "Satan's throne" (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV)

**Rev. 6:14:** "Heaven" is changed to "sky" in (NIV, NASV, RSV, NRSV)

### **AND THAT DOESN'T SCRATCH THE SURFACE OF ALL THE CHANGES!**

The NKJV removes the word "Lord" 66 times!

The NKJV removes the word God 51 times!

The NKJV removes the word "heaven" 50 times!

In just the New Testament alone the NKJV removes 2,289 words from the KJV!

The NKJV makes over 100,000 word changes!

And most will match the NIV, NASV, RSV, or RSV!

And Thomas Nelson Publishers have the audacity to claim in an ad for the NKJV (Moody Monthly, June 1982, back cover), "NOTHING HAS BEEN CHANGED except to make the original meaning clearer." The New King James is a COUNTERFEIT!

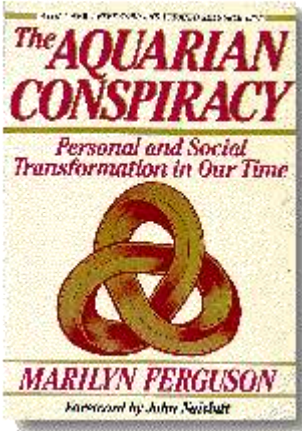
It's NOT NEW! The changes are already in the NIV, NASV, NRSV, or RSV! And it's certainly NOT true to the 1611 King James Bible! THAT MYSTERIOUS Symbols are used throughout the occult. Harpers'



Encyclopedia of Mystical & Paranormal Experience (p.594) says, "Symbols are important to all esoteric teachings, for they contain secret wisdom accessible only to the initiated."

Many people have asked about the mysterious symbol on the NKJV.

Thomas Nelson Publishers (publishers of the NKJV) claim, on the inside-cover, the symbol, ". . . is an ancient symbol for the Trinity." But Acts 17:29, clearly FORBIDS such symbology: ". . . we ought NOT to think that the Godhead is like unto gold, or silver, or stone, GRAVEN BY ART and man's device."



And why does The Aquarian Conspiracy, a key New Age "handbook", bear a similar symbol? New Agers freely admit it represents three inter-woven "6"s or "666".

Constance Cumbey, author of The Hidden Dangers of the Rainbow and a notable authority on the New Age Movement, said, "On the cover of the Aquarian Conspiracy is a Mobius, it is really used by them as triple six (666). The emblem on the cover of the New King James Bible is said to be an ancient symbol of the Trinity. The old symbol had gnostic origins. It was more gnostic than Christian. **I was rather alarmed when I noticed the emblem...**" (The New Age Movement, Southwest Radio Church, 1982 p.11)

The three esoteric "6"s separated.

The same symbol (with a circle) is displayed by the rock group Led Zeppelin.

Members of Led Zeppelin are deeply involved in satanism and the occult. Guitarist Jimmy Page, so consumed with satanism, actually purchased satanist Aleister Crowley's mansion. Most believe the symbol is from the teachings of Aleister Crowley and represents 666.

The following picture is "The Hierophant" taken from the Tarot card set designed by satanist Aleister Crowley. The "Hierophant" is a priest in the occult and Eleusinian. Notice the "three circles" at the top of the wand or rod in the Hierphant's hand. Inside the the three intertwined circles is the "NKJV symbol".



The Hierophant

To the right is the top of the wand enlarged. Notice the "NKJV symbol" (upside down) inside the three circles.



from the "Charmed" TV series

One of the most occultic television shows ever aired is "Charmed". "Charmed" details the spells and occultic practices of three witches. The "NKJV symbol" is the show's primary symbol of witchcraft and is splattered throughout the series. Notice the "NKJV symbol" displayed on "The Book of Shadows". The Book of Shadows is commonly used in witchcraft and satanism: **Book of Shadows:** Also called a grimoire, this journal kept either by individual witches or satanists or by a coven or group, records the activities of the group and the incantations used.

(Jerry Johnston, The Edge of Evil: The Rise of Satanism on North America, p. 269)

The book "Blood on the Doorposts" by former Satanists, Bill and Sharon Schnoebelen, also documents the "trio of sixes (666)" in the "NKJV symbol" and goes so far as claim it is "symbolic of the anti-christ":

"A disguised interlocked trio of sixes, symbolic of the anti-christ. Also symbolizes the triple goddess of Wicca (three interlocked vesica pisces together). Commonly used in Catholic liturgical iconography, **and has recently found its way into the logo of the New King James Bible.**" (Bill and Sharon Schnoebelen, Blood on the Doorposts, p. 150)

Dr. Cathy Burns writes in her book, Masonic and Occult Symbols Illustrated, concerning the "NKJV symbol":



"Marilyn Ferguson, a New Ager, used the symbol of the triquetra (another name for the triskele) on her book The Aquarian Conspiracy. **This is a variation for the number 666.** Other books and material have a similar design printed on them, such as books from David Spangler, the person who lauds Lucifer, and The Witch's Grimoire. As most people know, the number 666 is the number of the beast (see Revelation 13:18) and is evil, yet the occultists and New Agers love this number and consider it to be sacred.

As stated earlier, many organizations, such as the World Future Society and the Trilateral Commission, incorporate this symbol into their logo. **I think it is quite interesting to see that this same symbol appears on the cover of the New King James Bible as well!**"(Dr. Cathy Burns, Masonic and Occult Symbols Illustrated, pp. 242-243)

