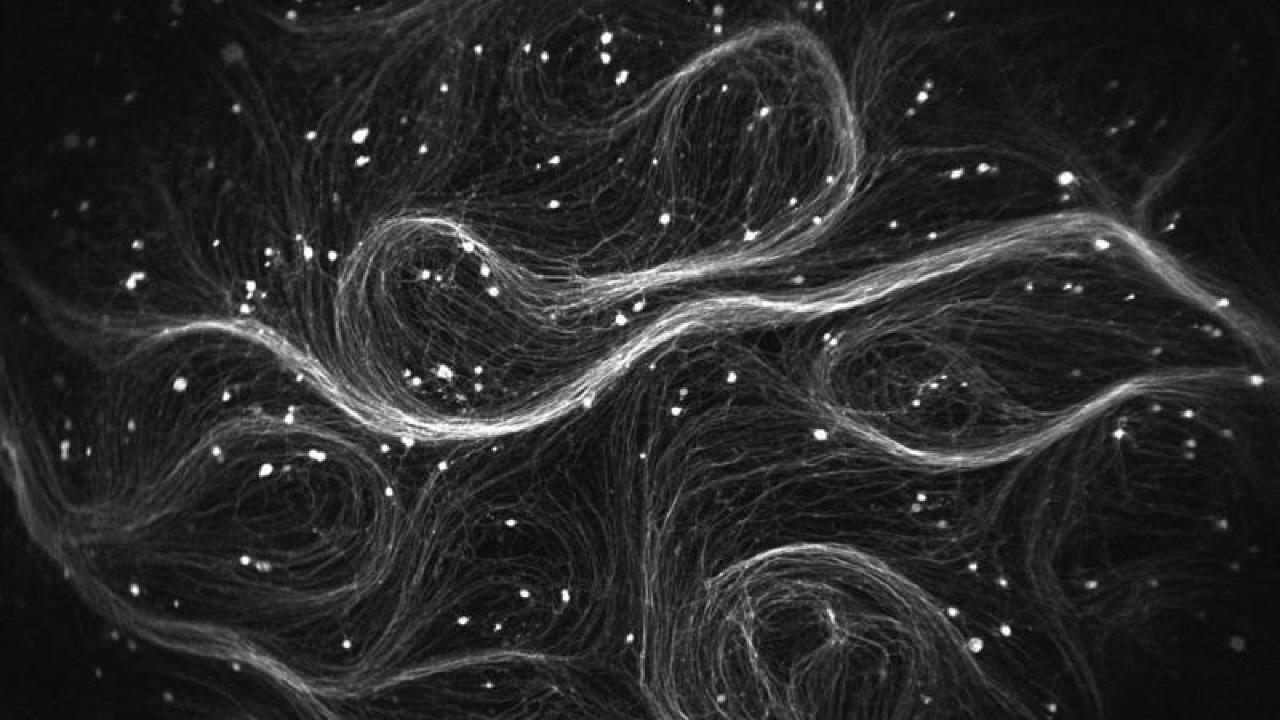
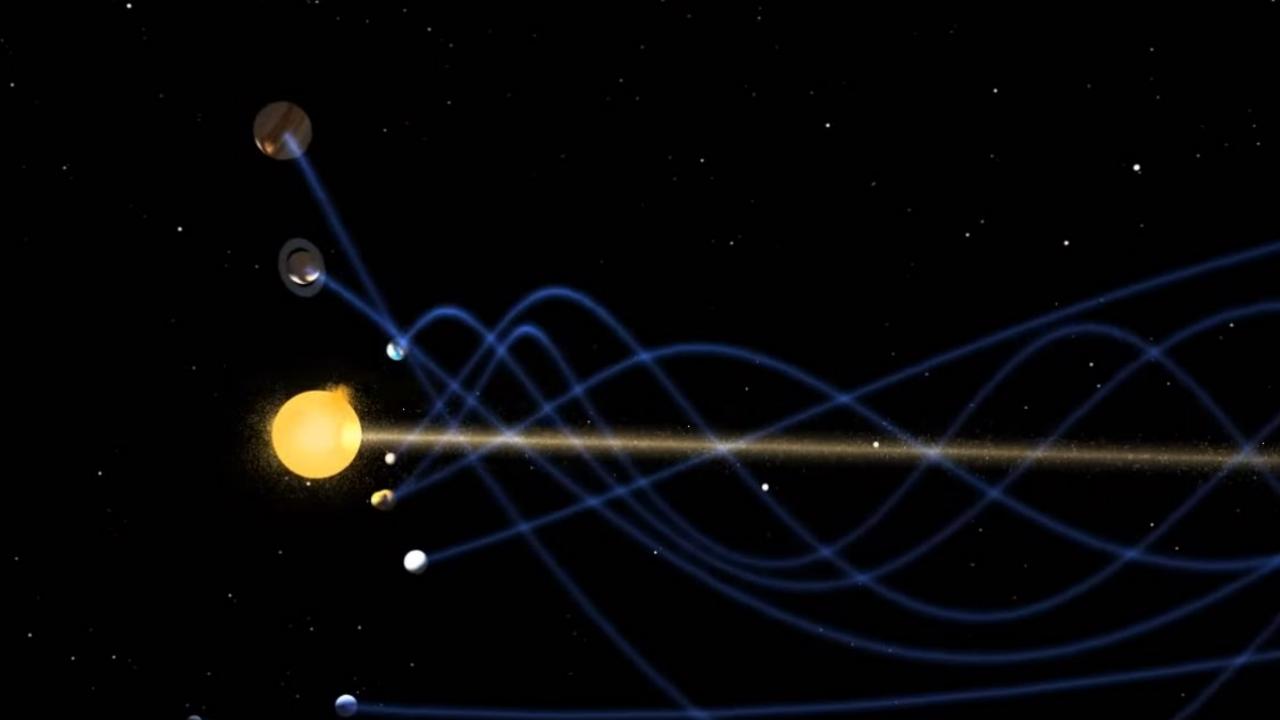
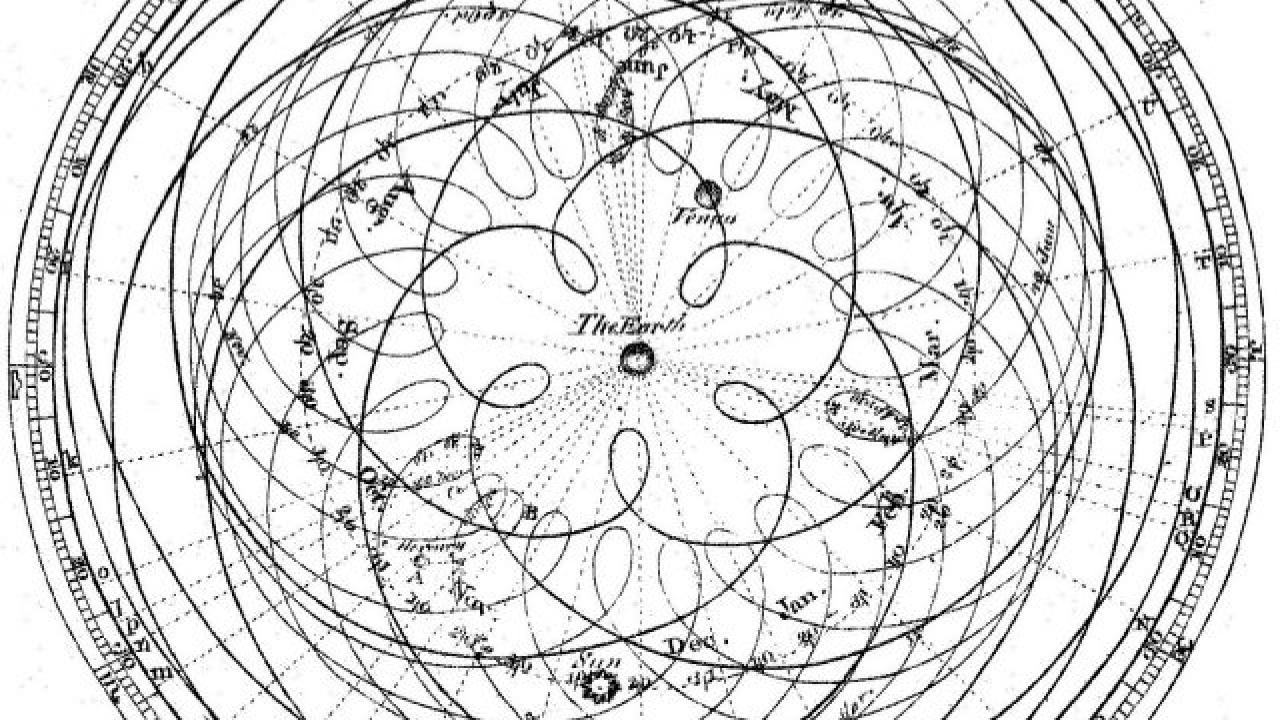
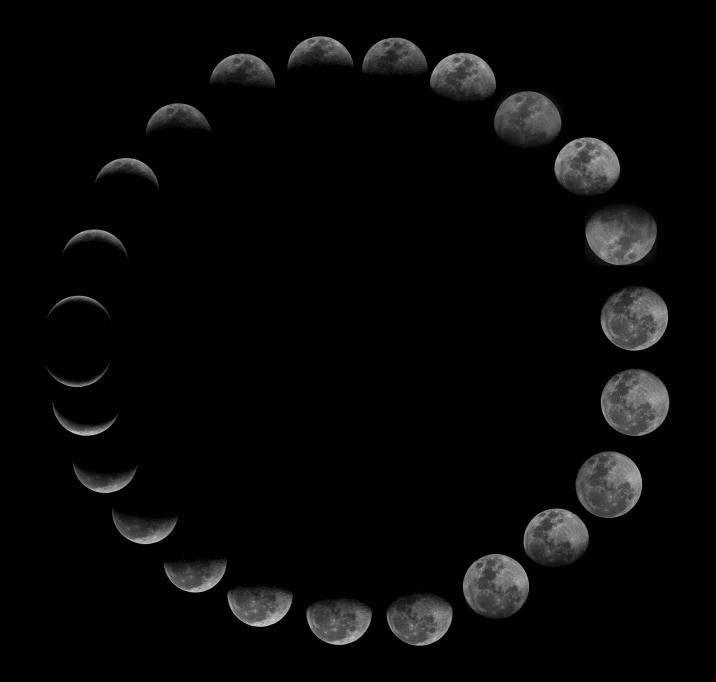
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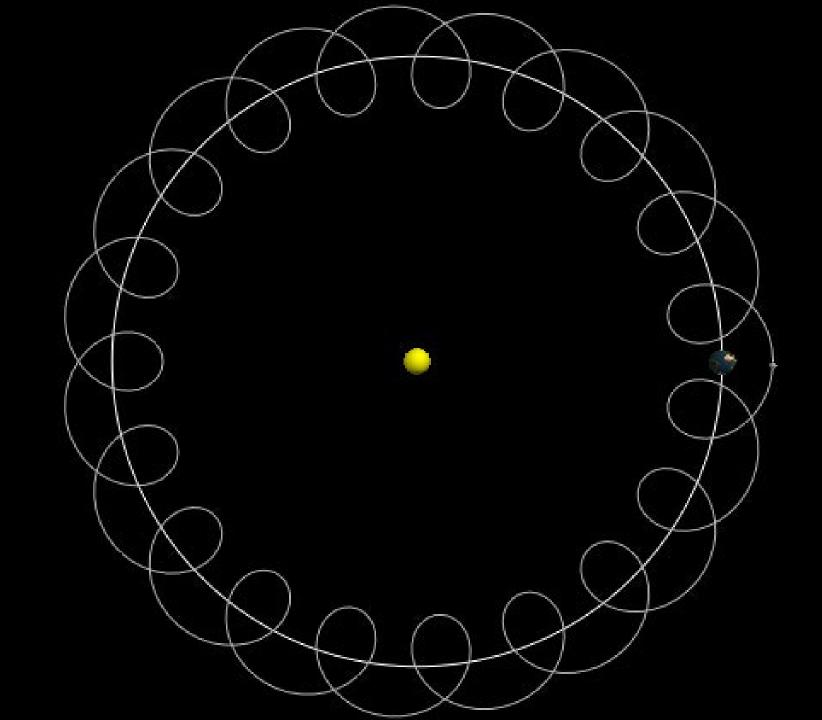


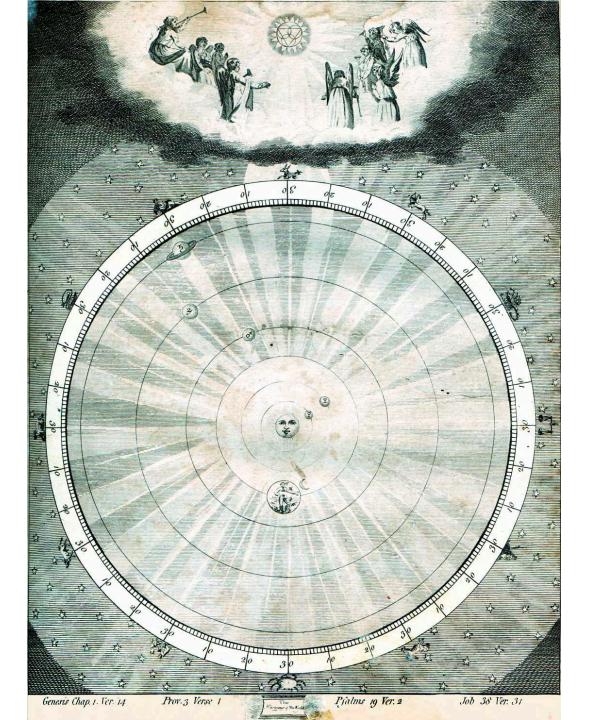




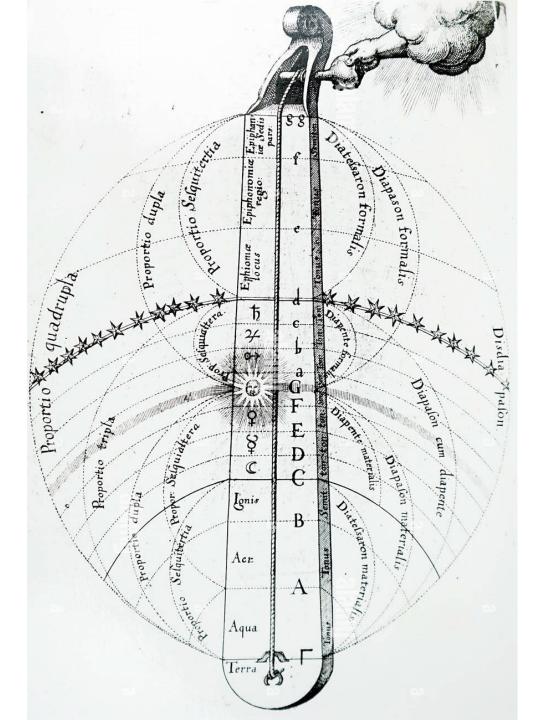




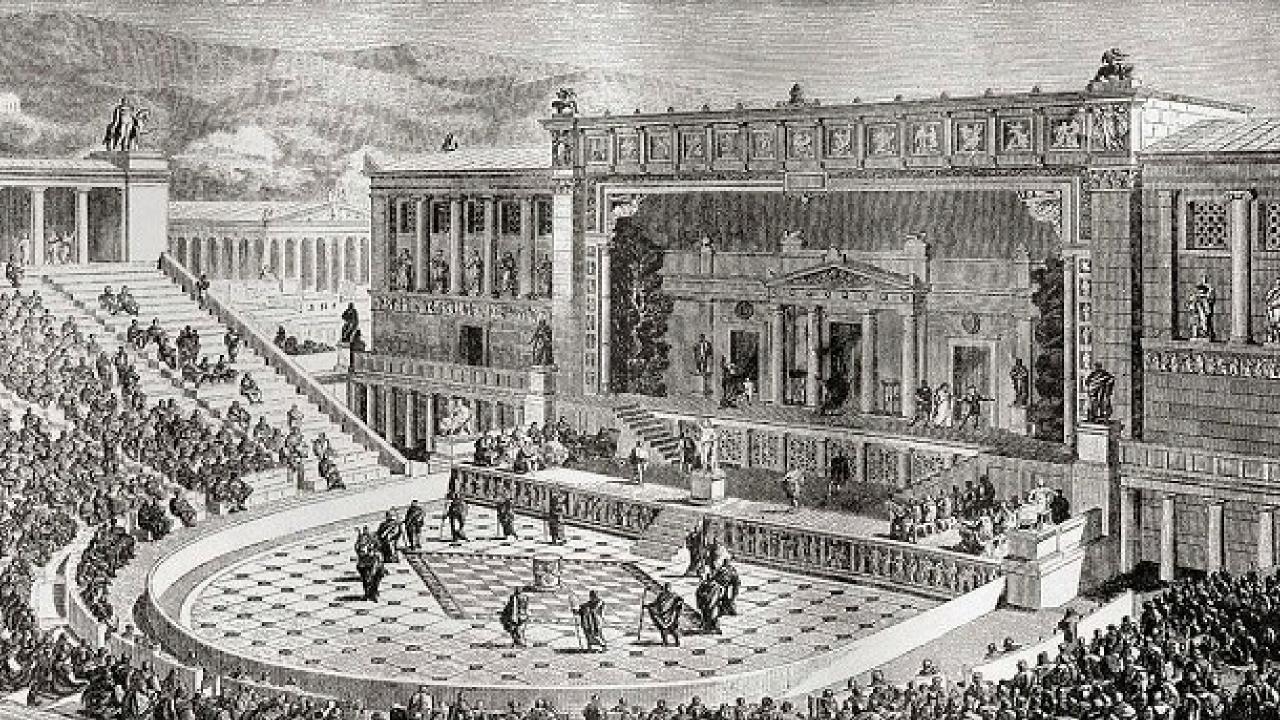


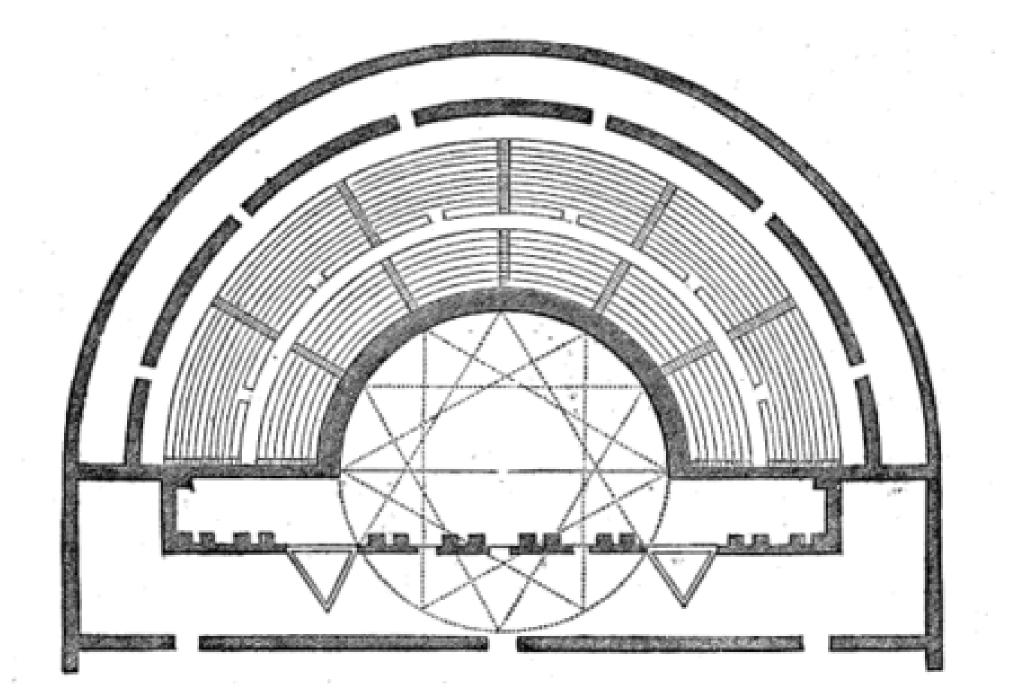


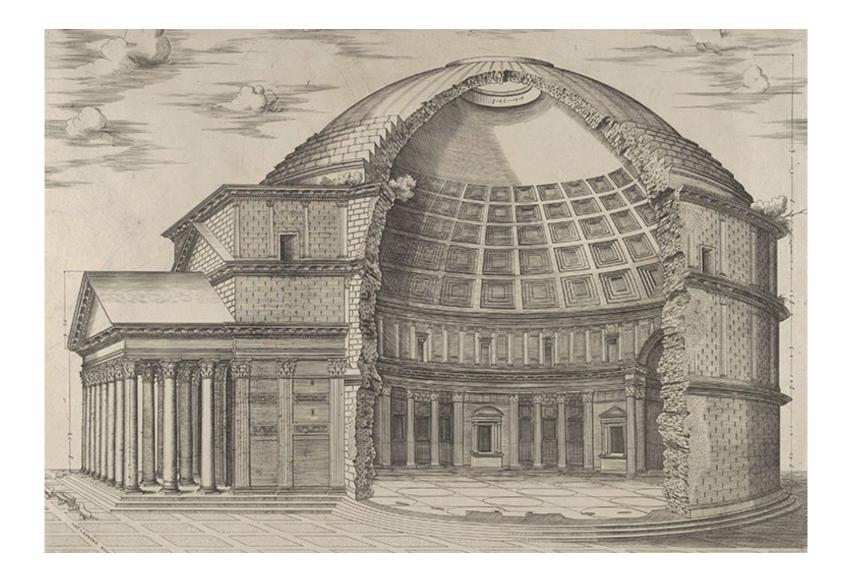
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Robert Fludd, Construction of the Cosmos





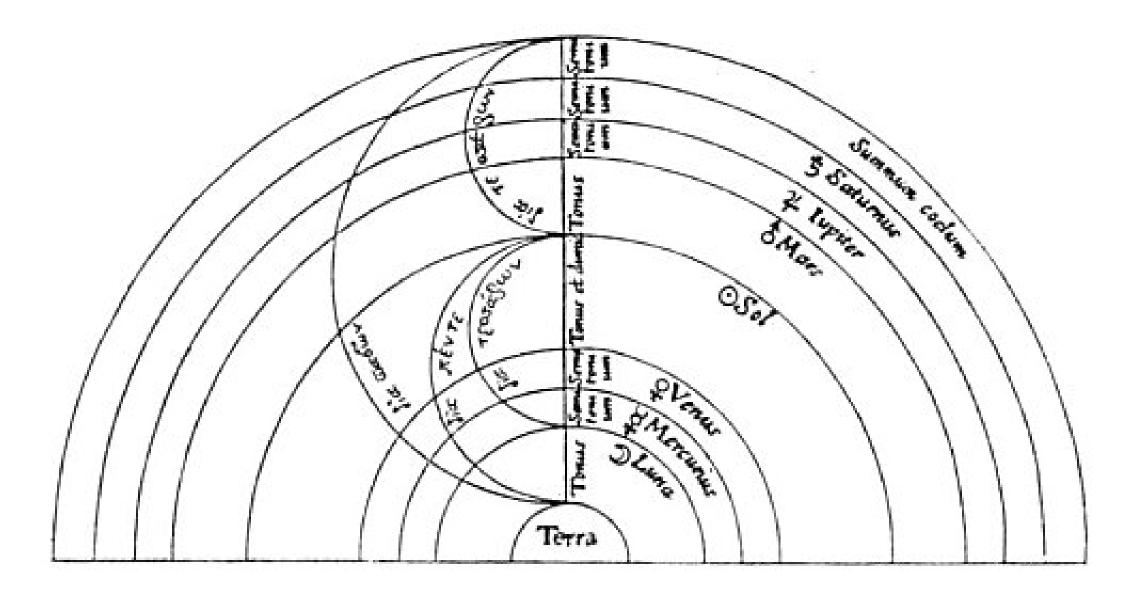


"lived spatiality... an interweaving of lived time and space, together with its bearing on significant experience and the construction of meanings, [which] tends to be ignored by conceptual and objectifying design practices."

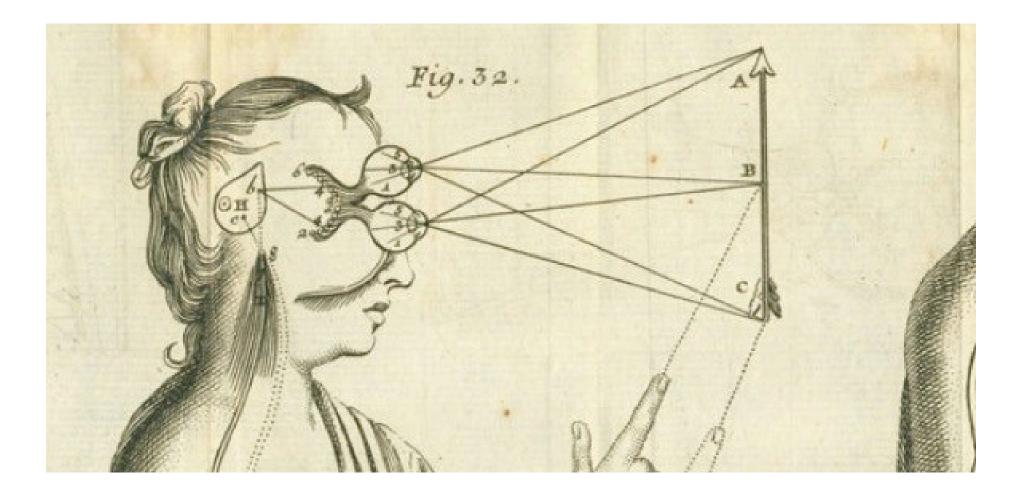


"Underlying European spiritual history, which culminates in our world as technological civilization, is an appreciation for the **fundamental role of music as a carrier of intellectual and emotional knowledge**. We ultimately owe this heritage to the centrality of music in Greek thought...."



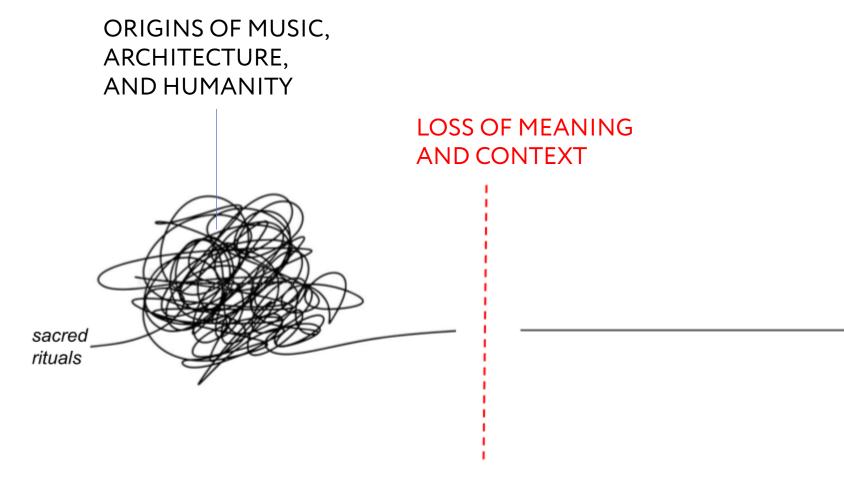


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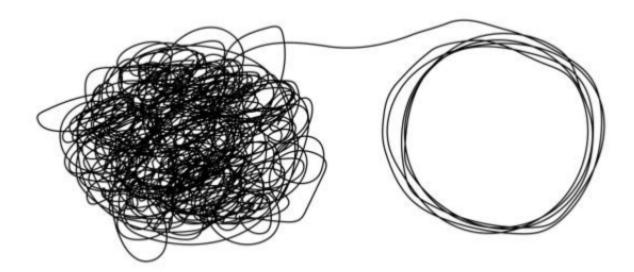




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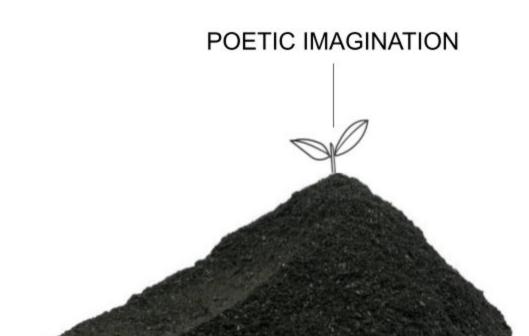
"the belief in **correspondences between all beings and worlds** predates Christianity, crosses the Middle Ages, and through Neoplatonism, illuminism, and occultism, reaches the 19th century..."

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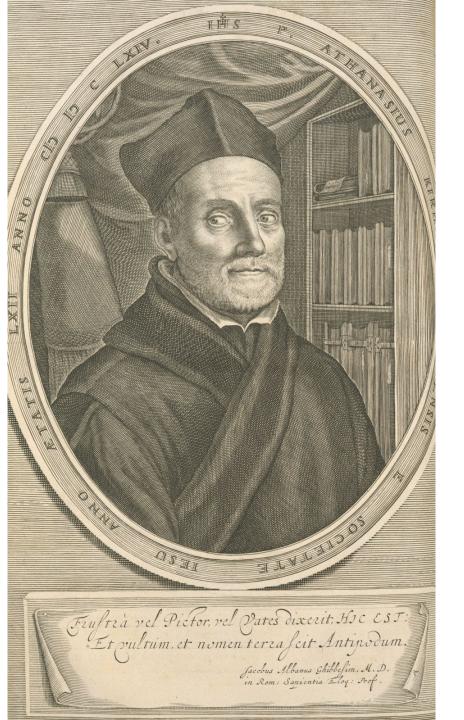
"...the principle before all principles, **before the reason of philosophies** and the revelation of religions, and this principle coincided with poetry itself"

"...a **spiral sequence** which turns ceaselessly without ever returning completely to its beginning"

#### "...made not of reasons, but of rhythms."









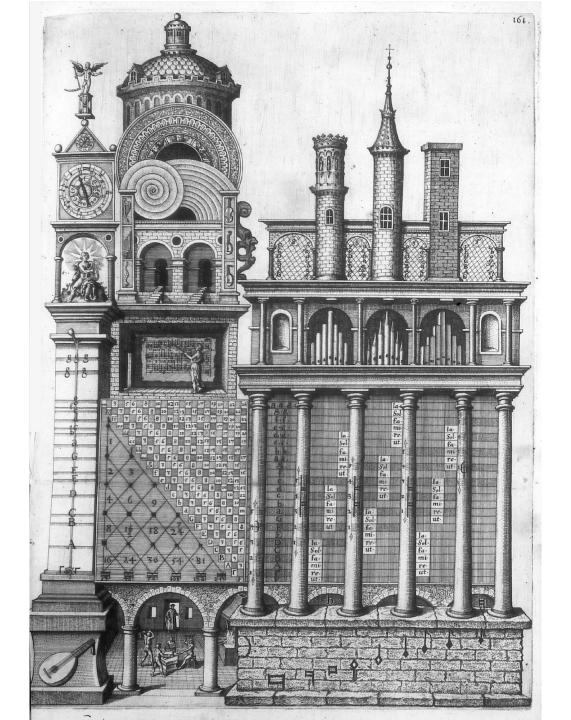
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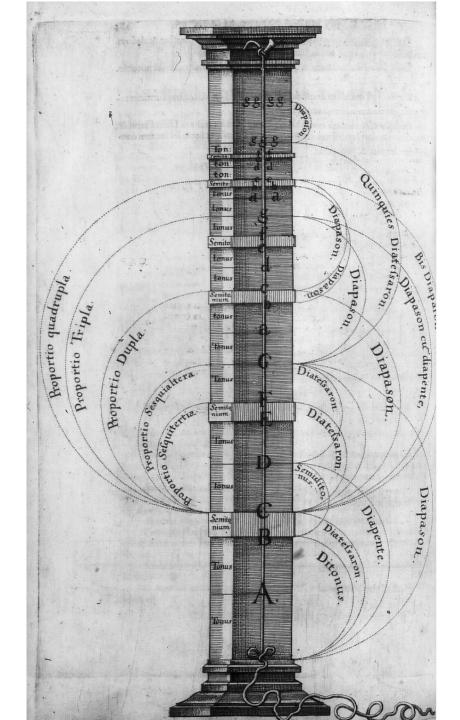


"the harmony of lower objects is nothing less than an echo or repercussion."

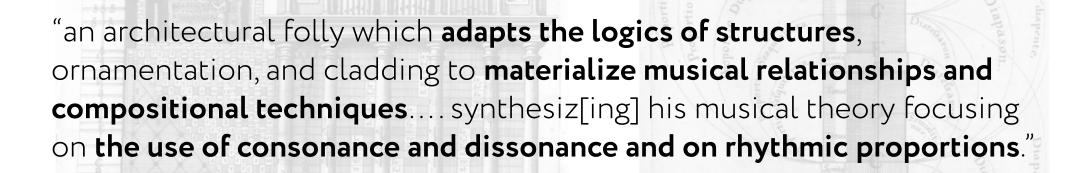
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*Temple of Music,* Robert Fludd



- Mariabrna Fabrizi, Architecture as a Mnemonic Device: Robert Fludd's Temple of Music





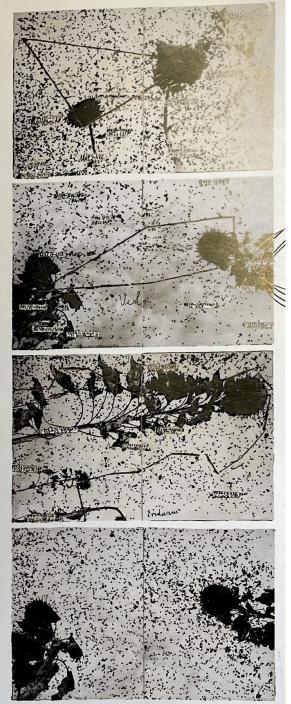


*Superstrings* Anselm Kiefer

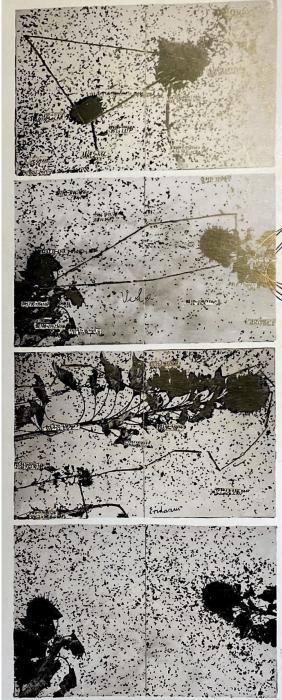


To discover new knowledge, we must do something that **surprises** us.



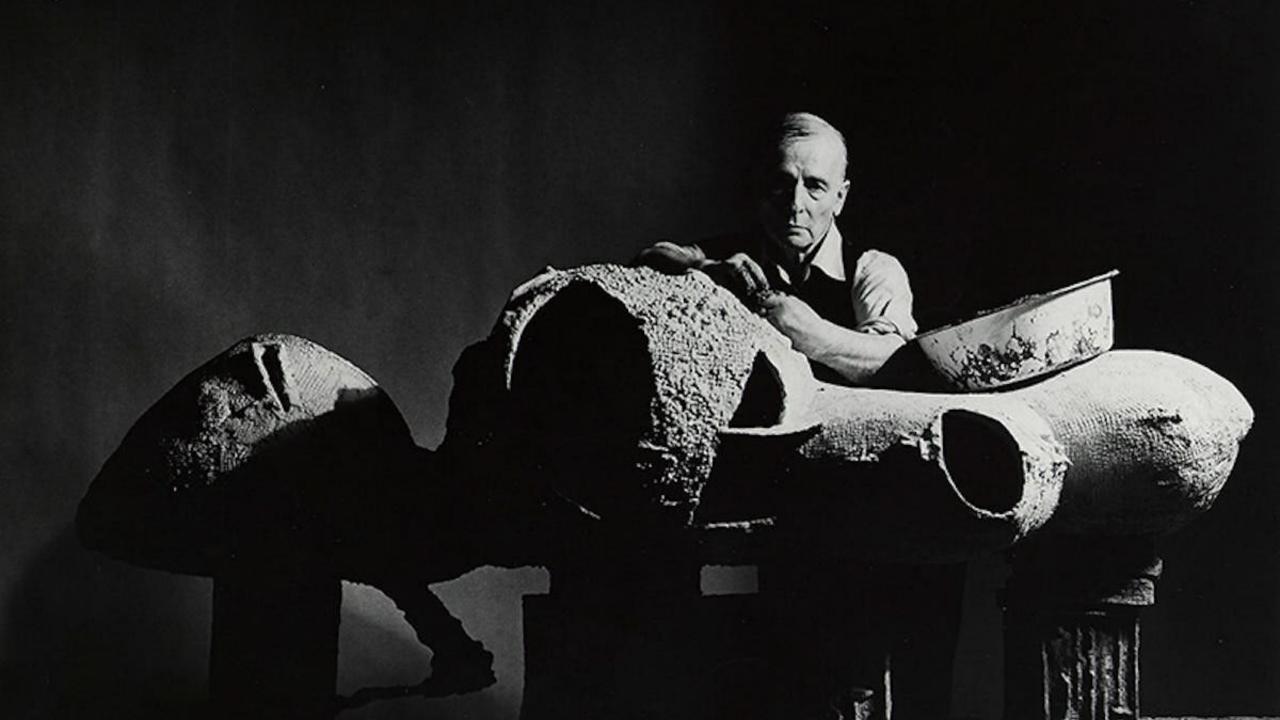






#### "...**the free movement** of cosmic flux and the possibility of regeneration".

- Hatje Cantz, Anselm Kiefer: The Secen Heavenly Palaces 1973-2001



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#### "...part of an ongoing spiritual process that lent meaning to existence"

- Dieter Bogner, Friedrick J. Kiesler: Endless Spe



"All ends meet in the "Endless" as they meet in life. Life's rhythms are cyclical. All ends of living meet during twenty-four hours, during a week, a lifetime. They touch one another with the kiss of time. They shake hands, stay, say goodbye, return through the same or other doors, come and go through multi-links, secretive or obvious, or through the whims of memory."

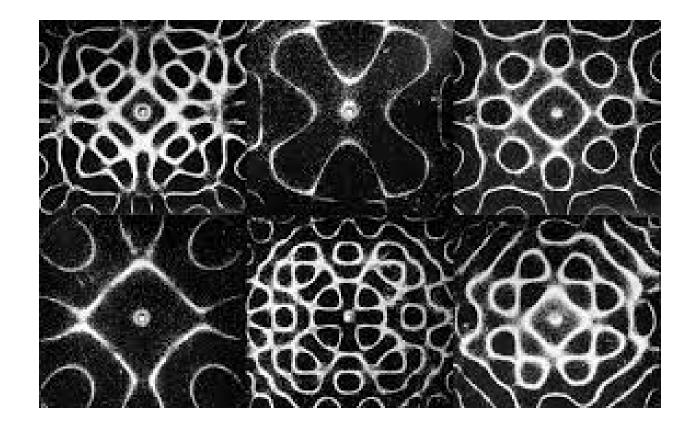


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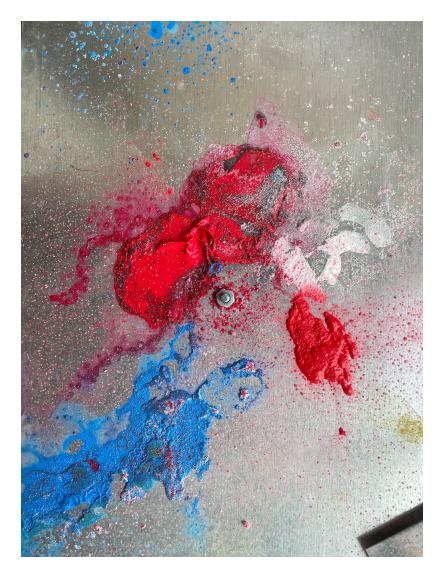








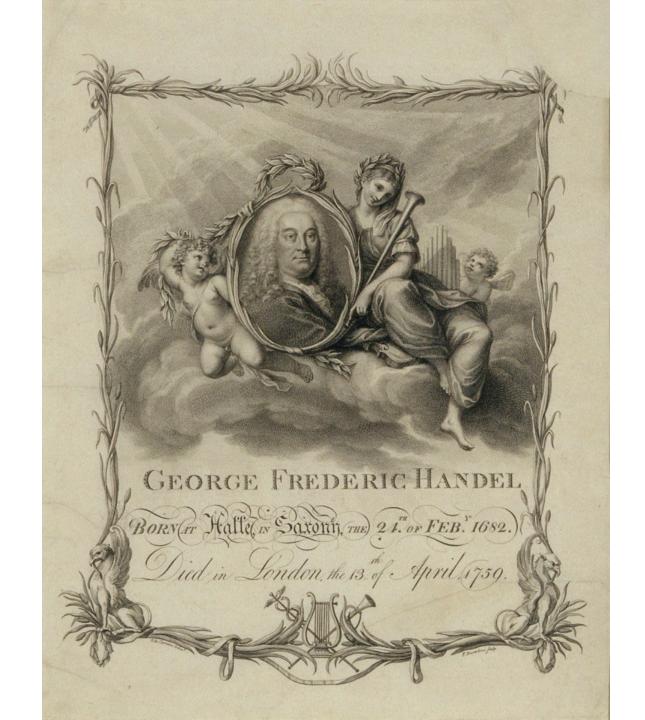


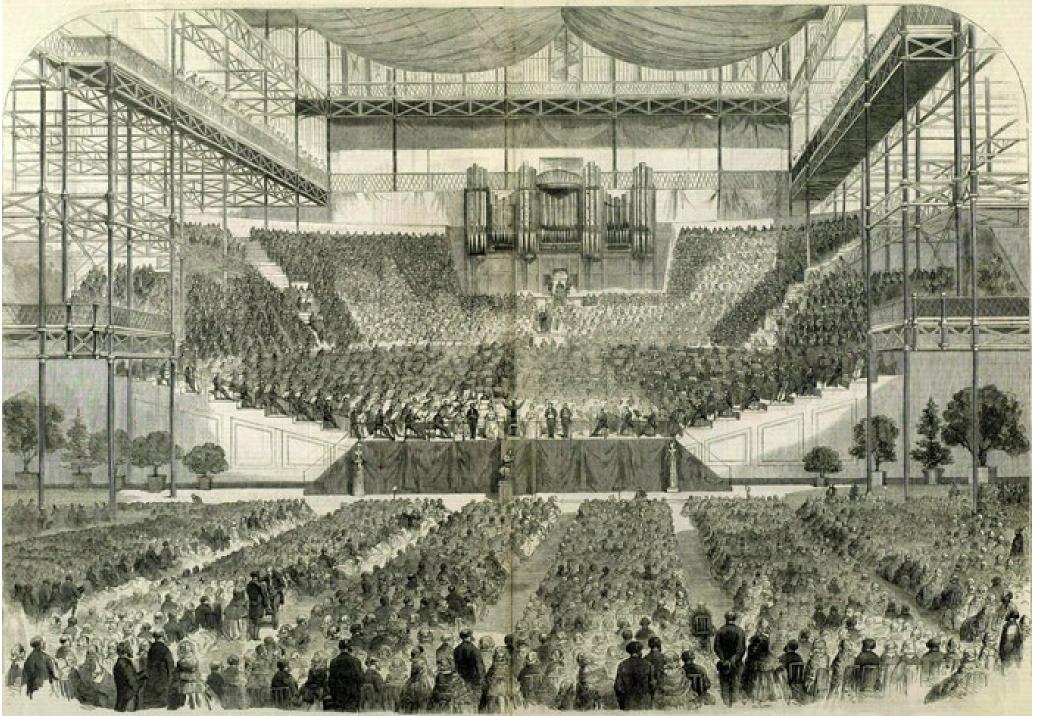












The Handel Festival, The Crystal Palace, 1857

## "the human response to the divine"

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PART III



# "the potential for unity while acknowledging the bittersweet space of desire that characterizes the human condition"

-Alberto Perez-Gomez, Attunement



"Yet once a little while I will shake the heavens and the earth, the sea and the dry land. And I will shake all nations; and the desire of all nations shall come."





Handel's Messiah, New York Philharmonic, 2022







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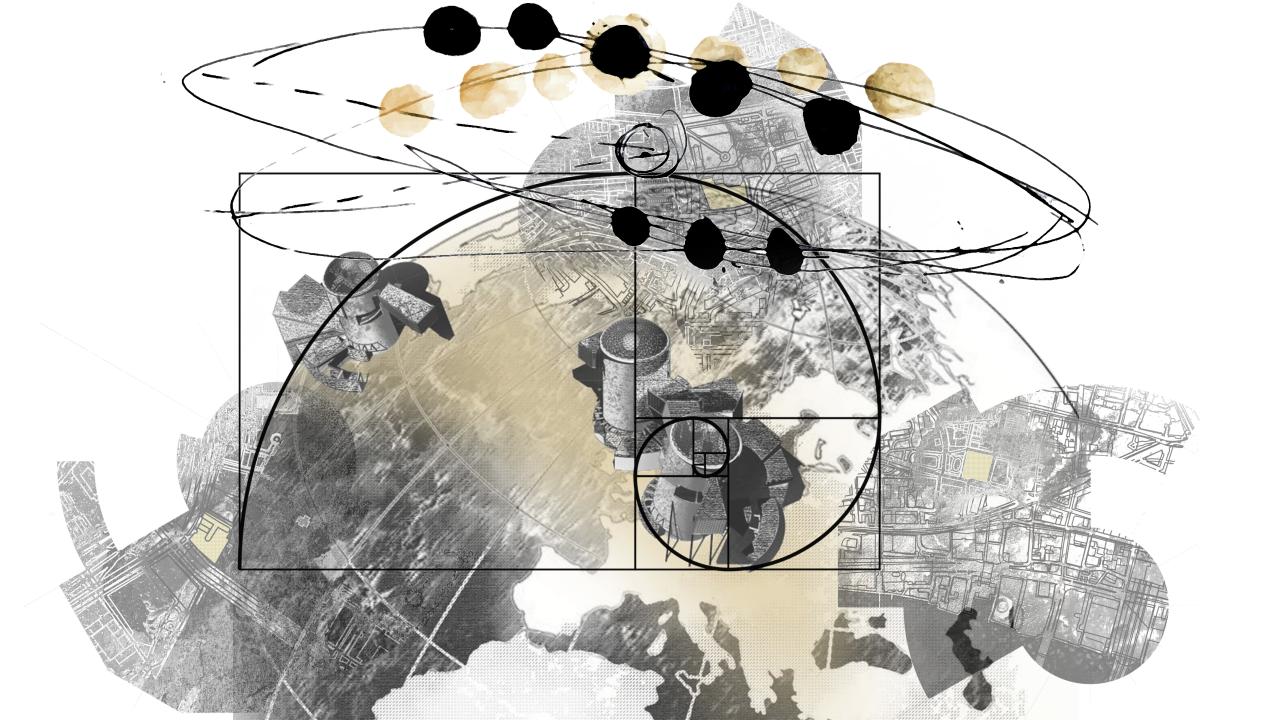












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