



Chapter 7

Understanding the Shift (II): Time, Space, Great Cycles and the Positive Probable Timeline for Planet Earth

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Preparing Ourselves for the Great Shift

*Absolutely, Positively, Unquestionably No Catastrophes. (Zoosh/
Robert Shapiro, **Shining The Light V**, January 8, 1998:329,
www.lighttechnology.com).*

Summary

My description of the possible human and future for human societies in the previous chapter was written after my frame of reference had been stretched by the human-based evidence for human potential (Chapter 3), but before my understanding of the larger reality was stretched much further by higher dimensional sources. This chapter begins by presenting some higher dimensional perspectives on time and space. The dimensional shift in human consciousness that is occurring requires us, as best we can, to modify our understanding of time as a linear sequence of events and to expand our understanding of space to include multiple, coexisting dimensions. Here I offer a seven-density model for the evolution of consciousness and a seven-dimensional model of the larger reality, but acknowledge that there are many other ways for understanding both. Time is a convenient mechanism for keeping track of change and evolution in the cosmos (All That Does). At the same time we can think of All That Is as encompassing a Cosmic Eternal Now with coexisting possible and probable past and future timelines happening simultaneously.

Various lines of evidence suggest that the Great Shift coincides with the ending of a 26,000 year cycle. This 26,000 year cycle, related to the precession of the solstices/equinoxes arising from the tilt in the Earth's axis of rotation, is recognized in the Mayan calendar and the Hindu Vedic tradition. It can also be derived from the I Ching and roughly coincides with a 24,000 year astrologic cycle marking the shift to the Age of Aquarius. An interesting aspect of the ending of the current cycle in the evolutionary drama on planet Earth is that it coincides with an alignment between the Earth, the Sun and the center of the Milky Way Galaxy.

Planetary shifts from the third to the fourth dimension are a common occurrence in the cosmos. The way such a shift usually happens is that most of the inhabitants die because of the misuse of powerful technologies that they do not have the maturity to use wisely, or as a result of catastrophic geophysical events as the planet adjusts to the new dimensional level. A Harvest of Souls takes place during which time those who are ready to move to the next dimensional level do so and those who are not reincarnate on another third dimensional planet.

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Individuals who were born before the Harmonic Convergence in August, 1987 chose to incarnate knowing that the probable timeline for Earth at the close of the twentieth century would be marked by cataclysmic events and suffering. We knew that most of us would probably not survive into the next millennium. In 1987, when the Harmonic Convergence arrived, against all odds humanity had achieved a collective level of consciousness that enabled us to change Earth's probable timeline to allow both Earth and humanity to make a dimensional shift with "absolutely, positively, unquestionably no catastrophes" (my operational definition of such a catastrophe is an event that causes human death in the hundreds of millions or billions). I present higher dimensional support for this viewpoint by describing significant events that led to the timeline shift in 1987. I also relate significant events, identified by higher dimensional sources since the 1987 timeline shift, to scientific, social and political events. Many human and higher dimensional sources identify the winter solstice of 2012 as being a likely major milestone in the dimensional shift. While cautioning against expectations that a dramatic change will be experienced by everyone on a single date, I suggest that something interesting may happen around the year 2012.

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7.1 Multi-Dimensional Perspectives on Space and Time

For all my talk of a dimensional shift in consciousness, I lead a pretty 3D life—cutting, hauling and splitting fire wood to heat our house (it is winter as I write this), working in the garden, writing (I give my father's advice to aspiring writers: daily apply the seat of the pants to the seat of the chair). Since my own spiritual awakening, I have met many wonderful people whose lives exemplify the things I talk about in this book, but most of my family and friends in the community where I live listen with tolerant disbelief when I say that we are in the midst of a Great Shift in consciousness. They accept my intelligence and good-heartedness enough to not dismiss me as nuts, but the idea of moving to another dimensional level is a bit much.

I sympathize with this reaction because it is still hard for my 3D mind to wrap itself around the concept of multidimensional reality and to imagine what it really might mean to make a dimensional shift. I have had glimpses in my own experience, but I have found it hard to translate the experience into thoughts and words that my rational mind is able to understand. It doesn't help that higher dimensional sources use different terminology and different meanings for the same terms when describing multidimensional reality. In this Section I offer a framework for understanding multidimensional reality that I have pieced together from a variety of higher dimensional sources. Although I can't claim to fully understand what I present here, it is a framework that my rational mind has come to be comfortable with, recognizing as always that other information, which doesn't easily fit within this framework, is not necessarily wrong.

7.1.1 Density, Vibration and Dimensional Levels.

In Section 2.4.1 I identify string theory as an example of convergence of the physical and transcendent. In string theory physicists see vibrating strings of energy as the fundamental building blocks of material reality. In other words, the cosmos is all about vibration. I used to become mildly irritated when I heard people speak about “raising their vibrational level.” I now accept that concept, which used to seem fuzzy-minded to me, as fundamental to understanding the Great Shift. The one element I see missing from string theory is that the vibrational underpinnings of the cosmos arise from consciousness which is immanent from the smallest vibrating string to the largest structure in the physical universe to the unimaginable vastness of multidimensional reality.

I was first introduced to the term *density* as a facet of multidimensional reality when I read the Ra material (Ra, 1984). I found the term counterintuitive because in material reality the term density implies heaviness, whereas according to Ra higher density implies more light in one’s energy field. My higher dimensional friend Aaron uses the term density, and when I shared my difficulty with the term, he sympathized and said he uses it only because it has become so well-established (personal communication, Aaron/Barbara Rothbart, July 4, 2006). Royal and Priest (1992:95-96) define density as a vibrational frequency and use the term dimension to refer to one’s location in space/time. Thus we can think of higher density as a higher vibrational frequency.

In Section 5.5 I described a thought experiment that provides a way to understand why most of us in the third dimension are unable to see higher dimensional Beings (HDBs) with our eyes. HDBs vibrate at a frequency that is faster than the speed of light. Since our visual perception isn’t designed to perceive light at that frequency, we can’t see them. Just as the speed of light sets an upper limit for what can be perceived in the third dimension, we can imagine higher dimensions or densities as being separated by higher and higher frequency limits.

I have settled on a seven density/dimensional model for understanding multidimensional reality because most information I have encountered from HDBs that relates to the Great Shift seems to fit such a model. I will describe

the characteristics of these seven densities/dimensions below, but first I need to explain the distinction between density and dimension as I have come to understand the terms. I think of *density* as the vibrational level of an individuated consciousness unit whereas I use the term *dimension* to describe the collectively agreed-upon external reality that individuated consciousness units use to interact with each other. This is the first time I have referred to an individuated consciousness *unit* because at higher densities individuated consciousness can have a more collective character with some differentiation within the unit, but also a sense of differentiation from other consciousness units of the same density. For example, Ra, channeled through Carla Rueckert, identified itself as a sixth-density social memory complex (Ra, 1984, I:66). I'm going to repeat the definitions above, and if it still doesn't make a lot of sense to you, don't worry about it. I continue to struggle with the limitations of my own third-dimensional way of thinking, but I also trust that as we move farther into the Great Shift we will be able to assimilate and understand these concepts better.

- *Density* describes the vibrational level of a unit of individuated consciousness. It is my understanding that the experience of individuation involves the experience of all densities before returning to the state of undifferentiated unitary consciousness.
- *Dimension* refers to the collective reality that serves as a place where Beings of the same density can interact.

7.1.2 Coexisting and Parallel Dimensions.

The term dimension implies space. It is only when three orthogonal directions are defined (length, width and height) that volumetric space comes into existence. In a conversation with my higher dimensional friend Aaron, during which I was trying to understand the idea of density better, I was surprised when he said that it is possible to evolve through different densities on a nonmaterial plane (as pure energy) as well as on a material plane (entering into a form made up of matter). That both the material and nonmaterial can be described as a *plane* suggests that space is common to both realms and that individuated consciousness on both planes *evolve*, with time (the measure of change) also common to both realms.

In Section 6.2.1 I introduced the idea that the Source of All That Is and Does, the unitary consciousness of which we are all a part, contains two elements: *Being* (All That Is) and *Doing* (All That Does). Three-dimensional space and time provide both the framework for things to happen and also a common framework for multidimensional or, more accurately, multidensity experience. Many higher dimensional sources suggest that multidimensional reality can be understood as coexisting in three-dimensional space. For example, a fifth dimensional underground city named Telos is located beneath Mt. Shasta in California. According to the HDB Adama, High Priest of Telos, volcanic eruptions and earthquakes on third dimensional Earth may occasionally cause minor damage to the tunnels connecting Telos with other subterranean cities, but this is rare (Jones, 2004:43).

In my simplified way of understanding how multiple dimensions can coexist in space, the speed of light differs in each dimension. Inhabitants of a lower dimension are unable to perceive the physical features or inhabitants of higher dimensions with the perceptual organs that are designed to function at their own particular dimensional level. They are able to occupy the same space, without interfering with each other, in the same way that the signals for radio and television stations can coexist in space and are only detected when the radio or TV is tuned to receive the station.

In Sections 7.1.5 and 7.1.6 I elaborate on the idea of coexisting possible and probable timelines, which imply the existence of parallel dimensions or realities. This idea isn't completely outlandish when we consider that the concept of parallel universes can be derived from quantum mechanics and the physics of black holes (Section 2.4.8). Royal and Priest (1992:96) suggest that there are an infinite number of parallel dimensions within any given density or vibrational frequency. Since these multiple dimensions exist at the same vibrational frequency, something other than the speed of light must serve as a way to keep them separate. In my discussion of multiple timelines I suggest ways to think about this.

7.1.3 A Seven Density Model for the Evolution of Consciousness.

As I have already mentioned, most of the New Age and higher dimensional literature I have encountered that talks about a human and planetary

dimensional shift seems to operate within a seven density and dimensional framework. There also seems to be correspondences with the 7-note diatonic scale in the Western musical tradition and the seven-chakra system of the human energy field. In Section 6.2.2 I describe how the Game of Duality is played out in the third through sixth dimensional levels. Here I will give a brief but more systematic description of the seven densities as I understand them.

Attributes of vibrational density are commonly described in terms of types of consciousness and the particular “lessons” that must be mastered before moving on to the next density. What I describe here comes primarily from what I have learned from the Ra material (Ra, 1984) and conversations with my higher dimensional friend Aaron, and focuses on how density relates to positively polarized souls and the material planes of planet Earth (see Section 6.2.2 for more on the relationship between density and polarity).

- ***First Density*** is the level of consciousness associated with the mineral kingdom which is more collective than individual, although individual crystals can take on an identity and personality through interaction with humans. First density consciousness partakes more of being than doing, although it does follow an evolutionary path. Ra describes first density as the density of awareness during which the mineral and water life upon the planet learn the awareness of being from fire and wind (Ra, 1984; I:132). The HDB Djwhal Khul identifies diamonds and amethysts as being particularly evolved minerals on Earth (McClure, 1996).
- ***Second Density*** is the level of consciousness associated with the plant and animal kingdoms and also functions mostly collectively on a species level. Second density consciousness exists in the moment rather than being aware of past and future but, through actions taken in the moment, does evolve. According to the HDB Djwhal Khul plants on Earth are the evolutionary superachievers, while animals agreed to retard their rate of evolution in order to not get too far ahead of the slower pace that humans have taken (McClure, 1996).

- ***Third Density*** is the lowest vibrational level of self-aware consciousness and is where humanity has been since the destruction of Lemuria and Atlantis some twelve thousand years ago. Third density consciousness operates in linear time with awareness of past, present and future but tends to become inordinately preoccupied with past and future. Individuation is experienced in a most intense way because of the sense of separation and isolation that arises from forgetting that we are all One. This forgetting makes it easy to harm ourselves and others, creating energetic imbalances (karma) that require release through forgiveness. The primary lesson of third density is to remember that we are really individuated aspects of the Source of All That Is and Does and to ground our relationships in unconditional love more than fear.
- ***Fourth Density*** consciousness functions with constant awareness of connection to Source but the sense of individuation remains well-defined. One's body continues to be perceived as physical, but material reality changes more readily in response to one's thoughts. The primary lesson of fourth density experience is to practice unconditional love through healing and balancing residual karma from third density experience and also to develop a growing mastery of material reality. Concretely, on Earth it will involve continuing to heal ourselves, our relationships with others (mineral, plant, animal, human) and with Mother Earth. It is possible to generate new karma in fourth density, but this is not a major issue.
- ***Fifth Density*** consciousness has mastered material reality to the degree that the use of a physical body is a matter of choice. A sense of individuation remains, but the awareness of fundamental oneness with all things means that a physical body may be used as a convenience for accomplishing certain things but is not perceived as separating one from another. The primary lesson of fifth density experience is to develop the mind and integrate wisdom into the continuous experience of unconditional love. There may be some residual karma to work out in fifth density, but the creation of new karma is unlikely.

- *Sixth Density* consciousness represents a merging of individuated consciousness into a collective consciousness which shares the memories and knowledge of its combined consciousness units. Material reality becomes increasingly irrelevant but may be used to facilitate interactions with fifth-density Beings. The primary lesson in sixth density is to let go of the last vestiges of the illusion of individuation and return to Source. Our Higher Selves are sixth density Beings who are ready to let go but pause to watch over and provide guidance to the countless numbers of material and nonmaterial incarnations leading up to that moment of readiness.
- *Seventh Density* is the Great Mystery, the Source of All That Is and Does. Individuated consciousness at any vibrational level chooses to maintain some degree of separation from Source and, consequently, has an incomplete understanding of the Source of which it is a part. For this reason I see seventh density experience as ultimately unknowable until the transition from sixth density to seventh density occurs.

To give you a feeling for the number and distribution of planets at different levels of density, Ra noted that they were aware of approximately 67 million planets of differing densities: 17 percent first density (11.4 million), 20 percent second density (13.4 million), 27 percent third density (18.1 million), 16 percent fourth density (10.7 million), and 6 percent fifth density (4.0 million)—Ra would give no additional information about the remaining 16 percent of planets (Ra, 1984; I:154). Thus, Earth is one of about 18 million third density planets in the galaxy.

7.1.4 A Seven Dimensional Model for the Larger Reality.

The seven dimensional model presented here is a little messy in that the first two dimensions have no inherent significance except that they are necessary to create three-dimensional space, and the seventh dimension is unknowable. I have encountered higher dimensional sources that speak of conscious two-dimensional Beings. If such Beings exist, they have a tangential relationship to our reality, and I have not encountered enough information about them to say anything intelligent about them. Space, in the geometric sense of length,

width and height creating volume, provides a common framework for the model of multidimensional reality that I offer here. The third through the sixth dimensions provide the common meeting ground for Beings of the corresponding vibrational density and can be thought of as coexisting in the same space. However, above the third dimension the shared reality becomes more fluid and not subject to the limitations of space and linear time that we experience on third-dimensional Earth. Since seventh density, as I have defined it, is ultimately unknowable to any individuated consciousness, the corresponding seventh dimension is unknowable as well.

In Section 6.2.2 I describe how the Game of Duality is played out in the third through sixth dimensions. Here I will say a bit more about the characteristics of these dimensions as they are expressed physically.

- The *third dimension* is the most solid and physical of multidimensional reality. First and second density consciousness exists in solid form as minerals, rocks, plants and animals, but does not experience the sense of separation from Source or perceive linear time as we third density humans do. The laws of physics, which have been agreed upon as a collective reality at a superconscious level, give the appearance of cause and effect that is independent of human thought and intention. It is only at the level of quantum physics (Section 2.5.5) and the subtle effects detected by studies of paranormal phenomena (Section 3.4) that the ability of consciousness to manipulate matter is apparent.
- The *fourth dimension* continues to be experienced as physical and linear time continues to provide a convenient framework for shared experience. This is the dimension where the greatest experimentation takes place with multiple timelines and where the Game of Duality is played out on a galactic scale. Any particular timeline, however, can be experienced as relatively stable, except that one's thoughts and intentions have a tendency to manifest more quickly than in the third dimension. In Section 7.3 I describe how the shift from the third to the fourth dimension usually happens and the unpleasant consequences for individuals who have not mastered their fears. The fourth dimension is a wonderful time for healing residual traumas from third dimensional experience and getting used to living without a feeling of separation

and fear. Time travel is relatively easy in the fourth dimension, but usually depends upon instruments that an individual must learn how to use.

- The *fifth dimension* can be experienced as physical, but one's experience is not tied to the physical body. The degree of physical experience becomes a matter of choice, and one's material surroundings are created by thought but within a mutually agreed upon framework to avoid chaos. Linear time is used as a means to remain in synchronization with third and fourth dimensional timelines, but does not serve as a limitation. Fifth density Beings can move freely through time and timelines, but are subject to the limitations described in the next section when they enter into a particular point in linear time. Fifth density Beings have full awareness of all incarnational experience up to whatever particular point in linear time they are connected to and perceive themselves to be the sum total of this experience. At the same time they are less attached to any sense of individual identity compared to fourth density Beings. Individuation of fifth density Beings is more evident in their interactions with third and fourth density Beings who are more comfortable when dealing with energy with an identifiable identity.
- The *sixth dimension* is not experienced as physical or individual, but sixth-density Beings freely interact with all "lower" dimensions and densities. A sixth-density Being may lower its vibration and take a physical form in the fifth dimension as a matter of convenience for interacting with other fifth-density Beings.

In Chapter 8 I describe the amazing things that make the human and planetary dimensional shift that is underway such an unprecedented event in the cosmos. In a nutshell, it is my understanding that the timeline shift that I talk about in Section 7.4 gives all humans alive on Earth today the option of making a shift to the fourth fifth dimension. We also have the option of staying in the third dimension, but not on Earth.

As I said earlier, most of the higher dimensional information I have read, to the extent that it speaks of density or dimensions, seems to fit reasonably well

into the seven dimensional models I have described above, but not all. For example, Patricia Cori channels the sixth-dimensional Speakers of the Sirian High Council who are joined by light beings of yet higher dimensions (Cori, 2002), Jelaila Starr channels the Ninth Dimensional Nibiruan Council (Starr, 2003), and Robert Shapiro has channeled Xri from the Ninth Dimension (Shapiro, 2001:151-165). In these examples, I think the discrepancies can be explained as different dimensional systems just as the seven-chakra system (common to many spiritual and cultural traditions) and the Egyptian twelve-chakra system of the human body differ. Drunvalo Melchizedek notes that both are valid, but you have to use one or the other (Melchizedek, 2000:320-321). If the examples above fit a twelve-dimensional model that is analogous to the seven and twelve chakra models of the human energy field, I can relate them to my seven-dimensional model as follows: the sixth dimension would fall between the fourth and fifth dimensions in the seven-dimensional model and the ninth dimension would fall between the fifth and sixth dimension.

Multidimensional reality is too huge to be easily pigeon-holed, and there are many other ways to understand it. For example Barbara Hand Clow has developed a nine dimensional model based on Pleiadian sources (Clow, 1995, 2004) which has no real correspondence to the systems I have described above. I honor all ways of viewing multidimensional reality. I hope that what I have presented here makes the idea of a human and planetary dimensional shift a little more concrete and meaningful.

7.1.5 Linear Time and the Cosmic Eternal Now.

Now I am going to introduce another idea that is hard for third dimensional minds to comprehend. Many higher dimensional sources agree that past, present and future can be viewed as happening simultaneously in what I think of as the *Cosmic Eternal Now*. This is not quite as outlandish an idea as it might seem. Albert Einstein said, "People like us, who believe in physics, know that the distinction between past, present, and future is only a stubbornly persistent illusion" (quoted in Radin, 1997). Precognition is a well studied and demonstrated phenomenon (Section 3.4.4), and in the esoteric tradition the Akashic record has long been used to obtain information about the past and future (see Bruce, 1999 for matter-of-fact guidance on how to access these records). From this perspective linear time serves as a convenient way to keep our incarnational experiences from getting all mixed

up.

In Section 2.4.8 I briefly introduced physicist Dewey Larson's Reciprocal System of Theory which involves three dimensions of space (space/time) and three dimensions of time (time/space). Space/time is experienced in the present with the past determined and the future unknown. The non-dimensional vantage-point of time/space allows past, present and future to be viewed as a continuous timeline for a particular dimensional reality. When Don Elkins, trained as a physicist himself, asked Ra about the physics of Dewey Larson, the response was that "it is a correct system as far as it was able to go" (Ra, 1984, I:184).

That timelines are determinate in time/space and indeterminate in space/time seems paradoxical, but is it any less paradoxical that light behaves both as a wave and a particle? There are many possible timelines at any given dimensional level which create parallel realities. The more rigidly defined rules for the behavior of material reality in the third dimensions constrain the number of possible timelines. In the fourth dimension the number of timelines and parallel realities proliferates, and the Game of Duality verges on turning into a free-for-all. Linear time provides a common framework for fourth-density Beings, but they are less restricted to operating within a single timeline. In the fifth dimension, linear time continues as a common framework for interaction between fifth density Beings, but there is less fascination with the Game of Duality. Consequently, timelines begin to converge so they don't have to be constantly deciding which timeline to participate in. Linear time for sixth-density Beings is relevant only to the extent that they are interested in interacting with lower dimensions.

I write this within a timeline in space/time. The past of this timeline has been sketchily recorded in written records dating back some five or six thousand years, and is also accessible from the Akashic records. The future is yet to be determined because the individual and collective choices of the conscious Beings who inhabit Earth cannot be precisely predicted. The present moment is that elusive instant between past and future. Any time a higher dimensional Being leaves the vantage point of time/space and enters into a point on a timeline in space/time the future becomes a multiplicity of possible and probable timelines. In the next section I will say more about possible and probable timelines, because they are central to the Great Shift story. Here I

want to make the point that without linear time there could be no change and without change nothing would happen. All that Is would exist in a static, unchanging Cosmic Eternal Now. Linear time makes All that Does possible. Fourth density and higher consciousness makes the Cosmic Eternal Now interesting because they easily move between and within timelines to create new and alternative timelines.

In fluvial geomorphology there is the concept of dynamic equilibrium of river channels. Water is constantly flowing through the river system as sediment is eroded and deposited, but the overall morphology of the river channel remains the same. I imagine the Cosmic Eternal Now to be in a similar state of dynamic equilibrium, a changing but balanced whole with the multidimensional Game of Duality played with linear time analogous to flowing water in a fluvial system that is in dynamic equilibrium.

7.1.6 Possible vs. Probable Timelines.

I have described how entering into a point in linear time results in an indeterminate future with multiple possible timelines. I say *point* because I find it convenient to visualize sequential time as a line, but it would be more accurate to speak of entering into a *moment* in sequential time. Although many future possible timelines exist, the timelines are not arbitrary because the past has happened as the result of patterns of behavior that tend to repeat themselves, and hence are predictable. Thus we can visualize a relatively small cluster of probable future timelines that arise from a continuation of past behavior, and a very large number of possible but unlikely timelines.

For example, the HDB Zoosh speaks of an early underground civilization on Earth, which existed quite a while before Atlantis, that had as one of its main focuses to train individuals who could look forward periodically to every possible future for the planet on a global scale. At any given moment this civilization could see anywhere from 700 to about 1800 different possible futures being viewed at any given time by 30,000 to 40,000 individuals (Zoosh/Robert Shapiro, *Shining The Light VI*, May 28, 1998:78-79, www.lighttechnology.com).

It doesn't happen very often, but once in a while a fundamental timeline shift occurs and timelines that formerly were unlikely become probable.

Individuals born on Earth before 1987 came here knowing full well, at a higher dimensional level, that the planet was coming to the end of a major cycle that would be concluded by a dimensional shift (see next Section) and that the probable timeline would involve catastrophic events which would end up killing most of the population by the year 2012. When I heard the HDB Kryon speak through Lee Carroll at a channeling in Indianapolis in April 2005, tears filled my eyes when he spoke to those present (almost all born before 1987) about how we incarnated on Earth knowing that the odds were against us, but that we came anyway, determined to try to change the timeline. ***In 1987 we changed the timeline to an amazingly positive probable future!*** In Section 7.3 I describe how the old timeline might well have played out, and in Section 7.4 I offer higher dimensional and other documentation about the timeline shift. The rest of the chapter presents a chronology of significant events leading up to and since the timeline shift. I conclude by offering my perspective on the much ballyhooed year 2012.

7.2 Great Cycles and Transitions

We can measure progression of our lives by cycles and transitions—day to night, season to season, year to year, and decade to decade. As a geologist I am used to thinking in terms of tens of thousands to millions of years for the recent past (Holocene and Pleistocene) to hundreds of millions to billions of years for the full sweep of Earth history. My geologist's perspective makes me naturally suspicious of claims that a particular date or period of time that includes the near future has any global or cosmic significance. Nevertheless, as I have mapped the territory of the larger reality I have been intrigued by the frequency with which the year 2012 cropped up in diverse and often unrelated ways during my research. I was also intrigued by information in the Ra material that suggested Earth is coming to the end of a third 25,000-year cycle, which will be marked by a "harvest of souls" (see Section 7.3.2). According to Ra, Earth made a transition from second to third density about 75,000 years ago (Ra, 1984, I:178). This fits with a message George Hunt Williamson received from extraterrestrials that the world has been observed by them for the last 75,000 years (Ashtar Command, 1990:145).

I think it is still reasonable to ask: is there objective evidence that Earth is coming to the end of a major cycle, and is there any reason to assign any more significance to this cycle than to other times the cycle has completed? My

answer is a strong, but qualified “yes!” to both questions. I have relied on four major lines of evidence in coming to this conclusion:

- The Mayan Calendar uses precession of the solstices as its largest cycle and comes to an “end” of the 26,000-year cycle in 2012 at around the same time that the solstice meridian is crossing the galactic equator near the center of the Milky Way Galaxy (Section 7.2.2). Many other religious and indigenous traditions recognize similar astronomical cycles.
- A timewave, or temporal resonance sequence, developed by the McKenna brothers, based on permutations of *I Ching* hexagrams and a “best fit” configuration matched to the recorded facts of the ebb and flow of human history, suggests that we are in the midst of a “final” cycle of time ending in 2012 (Section 7.2.3).
- Many channeled sources confirm this to be true from a higher dimensional perspective as well (Section 7.2.4).
- A number of assessments of global and historical trends that are grounded in third dimensional reality also suggest that the time period leading up to the time around 2012 is one of crisis and opportunity (Section 7.3.5).

7.2.1 The Pitfalls of Precision.

There is a huge 2012 literature and not a small amount of it exhibits the Velikovsky effect—grand ideas and preconceived notions bolstered by selective use of information. The year 2012 has become so firmly embedded in the conscious and unconscious minds of those who are fascinated by the possibilities it signifies that it is hard to know whether a source which refers to this year is original or derivative from other sources. Furthermore, there is a certain degree of imprecision when making astronomical calculations in reference to constellations, and simple arithmetic errors can be introduced by the unaware when using different calendars. For these reasons I am cautious when it comes to attaching too much significance to particular dates in the future. Significant events related to the Great Shift are happening all the time,

but more often than not it is through the benefit of hindsight, after they have happened, that their significance can be evaluated. Later in this chapter I identify a number of these milestone events, and, without making predictions as to their timing, identify in Section 8.4 some prospective events that will provide visible positive evidence that the Shift is happening.

Except for a relatively small number of academics who study New Age and UFO religions and apocalyptic teachings of mainstream religions, mainstream science has largely ignored the topics that we are addressing here. There are two independent scholars who I feel merit special mention. The first is John Major Jenkins, an American whose research into the Mayan Calendar I find to be of exceptional quality (Jenkins, 1998, 2002). The second is Geoff Stray, an Englishman who through his book *Beyond 2012* (Stray, 2005) and website www.diagnosis2012.co.uk has done a remarkable job of separating the wheat from the chaff in the very mixed bag of writings about 2012 and end-time prophecies. For those who would like to delve more deeply into this subject, I recommend their work. Another independent scholar who merits mention here is Dr. Carl Johan Calleman (Phd, Physical Biology), who has developed an elaborate interpretation of the relationship between the Mayan Calendar, cycles of human history, and the transformation of human consciousness (Calleman, 2000, 2004).

While on the subject of precision, I want to make it clear that I do not see the mathematical errors which Geoff Stray documents in the work of José Argüelles and Tony Shearer in setting the date for the Harmonic Convergence as invalidating the significance of that event. Stray has found numerous errors in the calculations of many authors, but from my perspective the most notable was the “mistake” in setting the date of the Harmonic Convergence on August 16-17, 1987. In correcting a number of errors arising from such things as differences in the Julian and Gregorian calendars, Stray calculates that the Harmonic Convergence “should have been” January 7, 1987 (Stray, 2005:311-313). For me this nicely makes the point that we can get ourselves in trouble if we place too much emphasis on a single date. In the 1960s Mayan scholars placed the end of the Mayan Calendar on December 24, 2011. Thus, Frank Waters used this date for the end of the “Great Cycle” and the coming “sixth world of consciousness” (Waters, 1975:276). At the present time there is general agreement that the calendar ends on December 21, 2012, but some scholars hold to a date of December 23 (Stray, 2005:13). On the

other hand, the Inkan calendar ends on August 1, 2012 (Stray 2005:251), and Carl Johan Calleman (with the support of some indigenous elders) places the end of the Mayan Calendar on October 28, 2011 (Calleman, 2000). Meanwhile, the Kogi in Colombia place February 18/19, 2013 as the end of the last 13-year cycle on Earth (Melchizedek, 2000:444).

I say more about the Harmonic Convergence in Section 7.4.4. That period of time was significant because of what people did during those days, not because of any inherent astronomical significance to the dates. By the same token, I would like to suggest that the significance of the year 2012 will be known only after the fact by *what we do in that year*.

7.2.2 The Mayan Calendar, Precession of the Solstices and Galactic Alignment.

If you observe the point in the sky that is in alignment with the Earth and sun at the time of the winter solstice (shortest day of the year) for many years, the point of alignment will move across the sky. This phenomenon, called *precession of the solstices* (the equinoxes *precess* as well), occurs because of a slow wobble in the earth's rotation that takes about 26,000 years to complete (25,920 plus or minus a few years to be more precise). The *galactic equator* lies on a plane that bisects the band of stars that we see in the sky as the Milky Way. Now this is where it gets interesting. It turns out that the end of the cycle marked by the Mayan calendar, around 2011 or 2012, "coincides" with the alignment of the solstice meridian (the line formed by the Earth and the sun at the time of the winter solstice), with the galactic equator at a point that is very close to the center of our Milky Way galaxy. In practice, there is almost as much art as science to calculation of astronomical alignments. John Major Jenkins has carefully addressed the variables that affect these calculations and has suggested that the solstice in December 1998 marked the beginning of the next 26,000-year precessional cycle, and his best calculations indicate that the solstice meridian will not clear the galactic equator until 2018 (Jenkins, 2002:250).

For me, these astronomical calculations reinforce my cautiousness about attaching too much significance to a particular date. Nevertheless, the solstice-meridian/galactic-equator/center alignment has a ring of cosmic significance to my ear and is the most physically concrete evidence I can

point to which identifies the present time as one of endings and beginnings. John Major Jenkins has offered the intriguing speculation that as the solstice meridian crosses the galactic equator, there may be a subtle, but powerful shift in the way the Milky Way galaxy's electromagnetic field affects Earth (Jenkins, 1998). Just as Earth's rotation creates the Coriolis effect whereby whirlpools swirl in a clockwise direction in the northern hemisphere and counter-clockwise in the southern hemisphere, crossing the galactic equator may affect the flow of cosmic energies.

7.2.3 Timewave Zero = 2012.

Sibling ethnobotanists Terence and Dennis McKenna, inspired by a hallucinogenic experience in the Amazon in 1971, discovered that the 64 hexagrams of the Chinese *I Ching* could be interpreted as representing a lunar calendar with a maximum cycle equivalent to one complete precession of the solstices/equinoxes. Using a few relatively simple operations they created a fractal *timewave* which reached an evolutionary endpoint on November 17, 2012 (McKenna and McKenna, 1975). I find it interesting that their work was published without knowledge of the early work exploring the significance of the Mayan Calendar and shifts in human consciousness (Argüelles, 1975; Shearer, 1975; Waters, 1975). It is also interesting that the fractal timewave cycle is also 26,000 years (25,836 to be precise).

The tantalizing closeness of their *Timewave Zero* date to the Mayan Calendar end-date apparently led the McKenna's to fiddle with their historical correlations and the revised and updated edition, published in 1993, set Timewave Zero = December 21, 2012. Another sign, for me, that Spirit is having a little fun with those who get too attached to specific dates is that recalculation in response to criticisms of the original mathematics has moved the evolutionary endpoint back to November 17, 2012 (Stray, 2005:51).

7.2.4 Higher Dimensional Sources and 2012.

Early in my research for writing this book I became intrigued by the frequency with which the year 2012, or thereabouts, appeared in the channeled material I was reading. More often than not, there wasn't a specific date reference, but rather, the statements specified a number of years in the future, which, when added to the year the information came through, ended

up being 2012 give or take a year. I began compiling these references into a table, which eventually became so large that I stopped adding to it.

Geoff Stray, in his review of the references to 2012 in the extraterrestrial/UFO and New Age literature, makes the point that by now this date has become so firmly embedded in the conscious or subconscious awareness of those who are interested in the transformation of human consciousness, it is hard to determine whether the information is really coming from an external source or being supplied by the human channel's frame of reference. I acknowledge that in any individual example this effect may be at work. Nevertheless, a large number of higher dimensional sources, to which I have applied the screening criteria discussed in Chapter 4, foresee significant events happening in the 2011-2013 timeframe. Table 7-1 provides some twenty examples.

In compiling Table 7-1, I have deliberately omitted sources that are already cited in Geoff Stray's *Beyond 2012* (Stray, 2005), which I have already identified as the most comprehensive source on this topic. I have also given preference to sources prior to the mid 1990s, and those which imply rather than specify the actual year, because they are less likely to be influenced by the current awareness of the year 2012. The earliest source cited in Table 7-1 is Ra, channeled through Carla Rueckert (Ra, 1984, I:166). I will say more about the harvest of souls in Section 7.3.2. I have included one example of a catastrophic prediction (Montgomery, 1999) in Table 7-1, but as I explain in Appendix C, I recommend against focusing too much attention on such predictions.

7.2.5 3D Trends and 2012.

I would like to bring this discussion of great cycles and transitions down to Earth again by identifying mainstream sources that also suggest that the beginning of the twenty-first century is a time of pending crisis or opportunity, depending on how one chooses to look at it.

- **2001-2010 *The Decisive Epoch*.** Ervin Laszlo is an eminent scholar of systems theory who roots his work in mainstream science but is very much at the frontiers. He views the first decade of the 21st century as the critical phase of a *macroshift* process, which will either resolve as a

breakthrough to a positive future or complete breakdown of the social order into violence and anarchy (Laszlo, 2001:25).

- **2005-2010 *Peak Oil*.** The global economy is so dependent on relatively inexpensive oil that major global socioeconomic disruptions are predicted when global oil reserves are no longer able to increase production in response to demand and then begin to decline. It will be a few years before the experts will be able to agree, after the fact, when it happened, but most agree that it has already happened or will soon (Deffeyes, 2005; Heinberg, 2005; see, also Colin Campbell and Jean Laherrère, "The End of Cheap Oil?", *Scientific American*, March, 1998).
- **2004-2025 *The United States' Fourth Crisis Era*.** Social historians William Strauss and Neil Howe identify the present time as the fourth Crisis Era since the founding of the U.S. (the first three being the American Revolution 1773-1789, Civil War 1857-1865, and the Great Depression/World War II 1932 to 1945). The Millennial generation will be entering rising adulthood and will be critical for this period: "Millennials will carry out whatsoever crisis mission they are assigned—as long as they can connect it with their own secular blueprint for progress. If crisis brings war, soldiers will obey orders without complaints. If it involves environmental danger or natural resource depletion, young scientists will make historic breakthroughs. If the crisis is mostly economic, the youthful labor forces will be a mighty engine of renewed American prosperity. Whatever their elder-bestowed mission, these rising youths will not disappoint. Assuming the crisis turns out well, Millennials will be forever honored as a generation of civic achievers" (Strauss and Howe, 1991: 412).

7.3 The Way a Planetary Dimensional Shift Usually Happens

*Your situation is complex for usually when a planet ascends life is not on the planet. (Mira, Pleidaian High Council through Valerie Donner June 16, 2005, **Straight from the Heart Newsletter**, www.thegroundcrew.com)*

In Section 7.1.3 I noted that Earth is one of 18 million populated third-density planets in the Milky Way galaxy. With this many planets, a shift from the third to the fourth dimension has happened many times and follows a well established pattern. The planet's population is wiped out by a combination of the abuse and misuse of technology and catastrophic geophysical events initiated by the "normal" stresses that the planet itself experiences as part of the dimensional shift. The dimensional shift itself is typically presaged by a period of three days of darkness, also described as going through the Void, during which or shortly after there is a harvest of souls to determine which souls will remain on the newly born planet in the fourth dimension.

7.3.1 A Harvest of Souls.

I was first introduced to the poetic idea of a "harvest of souls" who are ready to move to the next dimension at the end of a great planetary cycle by the Ra material, channeled by Carla Rueckert. Table 7-1 lists Ra as identifying the year 2011 as an "appropriate probable/possible time/space nexus for a harvest" (Ra, 1984, I:166). One reason I like the Ra material so much is that they carefully hedge their bets. Around the same time period that Ra was offering their perspective in the early 1980s, the HDB Vywamus said, "We again approach a harvesting time when those who are completing their lessons are to be harvested," and incorrectly placed the time for the end of the harvest at 1995-2000 (McClure, 1996:389).

Another characteristic of a typical harvest of souls at the end of a cycle is that a relatively small percentage of the population makes the shift to the fourth dimension. Most who die in the death and destruction of the end times reincarnate on some other third dimensional planet to continue the lessons of third-dimensional experience. Those who are ready to graduate to the next dimensional level may tough it out through the three days of darkness and emerge to populate a new world. Alternatively, graduating souls who die during the end times wait to be reincarnated as children of those who make it through the void. To give you an idea of how few normally make it through such a dimensional shift, the probable timeline that Ra saw in 1981 was likely to yield a harvest of around 65 million souls to fourth density, about 1.4% of the Earth's population at that time.

7.3.2 Through the Void

*These three days of darkness everyone is whining about are going to be the on-and-off circuitry of your physical brain shutting off old structure, awakening to new circuits (YHWH/Fanning, **Shining The Light IV**, August 14, 1996:368, www.lighttechnology.com).*

Indigenous traditions such as those of the Hopi and Pueblo Indians in the American southwest speak of the transition between worlds being marked by a three-day period of darkness. Various higher dimensional and New Age sources also suggest that the dimensional shift usually occurs in this way (Hilarion, 1979:102-103; Melchizedek, 2000:236-237; Sterling, 2005:145-157) or that people will fall into a state of unconsciousness (Braden, 1994:92). It is my understanding that, since the timeline shift around 1987 happened, such a dramatic transition is no longer likely, and in Section 8.3 I offer what I have pieced together on how the shift is occurring so as to avoid this kind of trauma. Nevertheless, the HDB Kirael, channeled through Fred Sterling (cited above), continues to speak of three days of darkness. This is a higher dimensional source that I respect, so I cannot discount the possibility that this will happen. For this reason it seems prudent to provide more information here about how this might be experienced if it does happen.

Drunvalo Melchizedek (Melchizedek, 2000: Chapter 18) provides a fascinating galactic textbook description of a typical planetary dimensional shift. When a dimensional shift is about to occur on planets in this galaxy, normally the geomagnetic fields first begin to weaken and then become erratic. The effect of this, when there is a civilization present, is for things to begin to break down. In the final phase, which typically lasts from three months to two years, all the systems that keep civilization in place disintegrate and chaos rules. This is the end time prophesied by apocalyptic religious traditions, environmental doomsayers, and certain segments of the UFO community. It has happened this way on many planets and was the probable timeline for planet Earth at the end of the Second World War.

Six hours before the Shift the third and fourth dimensions begin to overlap. The fourth dimension may appear as large, brightly glowing objects of strange colors floating in the air. Objects made of artificial materials (plastics, metal alloys) in the third dimension begin to disappear or disintegrate. This

provides an explanation for the fact that there is very little archeological evidence in the form of artifacts of advanced civilizations from the past such as Atlantis and Lemuria.

The next stage of the shift is passage through the Void between the third and fourth dimension. This is an experience of nothingness, a feeling of being engulfed in blackness, all senses are gone except self-aware consciousness. This typically lasts three days, with 2-1/4 days the shortest on record, and 4 days is the longest (Melchizedek, 2000:437). Entrance into the new dimension is like an explosion of brilliant white light. It takes a while to adjust to the intensity of the light, but eventually visual perception will include colors never seen before. The body will seem solid, but from a third-dimensional perspective it is invisible (except perhaps to someone with high sense perception) and able to move through solid third-dimensional matter.

The most dramatic change in the fourth dimension is that an individual controls his or her reality entirely by their thoughts. Any thought happens instantly. In the galactic textbook description of a planetary dimensional shift, people react in three ways to the experience of entry into the fourth dimension. First, there are those who have prepared themselves and are ready for the power that comes with fourth dimensional existence. A second group consists of individuals who are so attached to the Game of Duality in 3D linear time that they are not ready at all for the Shift. These people need more time in third-dimensional existence to learn more lessons and return immediately to the third-dimension on some other planet. Finally there is a third group that has gained a certain amount of mastery of life before the Shift, but still carry fear and anger into the next dimension. This last group tends to reproduce images of their old world as a protective measure. Unless they are able to quickly master their fears and negative thoughts, people in this group usually die fairly quickly and return to the third dimension because their thoughts quickly become reality (I am dying of an incurable disease, the Men In Black are out to kill me, etc.).

For a variety of reasons that are presented in the rest of this chapter and the next, my sense is that we will not be going through three days of darkness. However, it won't bother me if I am wrong about this. For example, Kirael's take on the three days of darkness is that they are nothing to fear because humanity will be ready. He says that the most likely reaction will be a desire

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to sleep a lot. In fact, he says some are going to sleep straight through it and not know it happened until it's over (Sterling, 2005:145)!

7.4 Against the Odds: A Positive Probable Timeline for Planet Earth

Absolutely, Positively, Unquestionably No Catastrophes
(Zoosh/Robert Shapiro, *Shining The Light V*, January 8, 1998:329, www.lighttechnology.com).

The HDB Zoosh, channeled through Robert Shapiro, has a flair for making dramatic statements: “Gloom and Doom? Zoosh says no, no giant disasters” (Zoosh/Shapiro, *Shining The Light IV*, July 22, 1996:335). Elsewhere, however, Zoosh has acknowledged that “if we were still on the Jehovahan time line, the apocalypse certainly would happen” (Zoosh/Shapiro, *Shining The Light VI*, August 20, 1998:138).

When Zoosh made these statements, I was a practicing environmental scientist who had concluded that humanity had passed the point of no return in the damage we were doing to the planet and that a catastrophic dying of humans was inevitable in my lifetime. Now I accept Zoosh's statements as true, although I trust he will forgive me if I modify the opening statement slightly to say: absolutely, positively, unquestionably, *probably* no catastrophes. How was I able to make such a profound shift in my view of the future? The rest of this chapter provides much of the evidence, mostly from higher dimensional sources but with a smattering of 3D events.

7.4.1 Events Leading Up to the Timeline Shift.

If you were born before 1987, you probably wouldn't be reading this if Earth's timeline had not shifted. You, or at least your physical body, would have died in some human-created or natural catastrophe. Here I would like to trace some of the significant events that led up to the timeline shift. Perhaps in your own life you can remember things that you did between 1962 and 1987 that were your small contribution to making this happen. Anyone who chose a personal spiritual path, and/or engaged in activism for social change was part of this process.

- ***The Harmonic Initiation (1947)***. Bashar, an extraterrestrial from the future channeled by Darryl Anka, describes what is happening on Earth at the present time as an 80-year “completion cycle.” The process began in 1947 and was marked by the recovery of a crashed alien spaceship in New Mexico. The mid-point in 1987 was marked by the ***Harmonic Convergence*** (discussed further in Section 7.4.4). The ***Harmonic Identification*** will complete the process in 2027 with a “unified Earth, balanced ecological management and open interaction with and participation in the Association of Worlds” (Anka, 1990:38).
- ***The Planetary Measurement of 1962***. According to the HDB Kryon, those who monitor the evolutionary progress of humans on Earth take a measurement of the collective level of consciousness every 25 years. When this scheduled measurement was made in 1962, the probable timeline for planet Earth included a time of great testing, with catastrophic earth changes starting about 1998, reaching a peak in 2000 and concluding with the extinction of humanity by 2012 (Kryon VIII, 2000:161).

One of the early signs of a positive shift in human consciousness happened on August 5, 1963, when the United States, Britain and the Soviet Union signed a treaty in Moscow banning nuclear tests in the atmosphere, space and underwater. After this, the post-World War II baby boomers (born in 1947 and after) began to come of age during the turbulent, late 1960s in the peace and civil rights movements. I remember well the feeling that we were the generation who were going to change the world, and then the feeling of disappointment in myself and my generation when we became Yuppies (young upwardly mobile professionals) instead. As it turns out, we made more of a difference than we realized, but there was a bigger problem that very few on the planet knew about which could easily have cut the process short. The sun was about to explode and destroy the Earth in 1972.

7.4.2 The Sirian Experiment (August 7, 1972).

The pivotal event leading up to the timeline shift in the 1980s is an event called the Sirian Experiment. I usually like at least three independent sources to corroborate information I present that I consider to be especially

significant. I am making an exception here. Most of what I know about the Sirian Experiment comes from Drunvalo Melchizedek, who begins by saying "The story that follows is outrageous. Believe it only after you have found within yourself that it is true...I know that by telling this story I will be pushing my credibility, whatever I have, to the max" (Melchizedek, 2000:419). Bob Frissell, in his book *Nothing in This Book is True, But It's Exactly How Things Are* (first published in 1994) devotes an entire Chapter to the Sirian Experiment (Frissell, 2002: 165-176). Frissell used Drunvalo as his primary source but includes additional information that is not in Dunvalo's published account.

The origins of this experiment go back to catastrophic effects of misuse of energy during the time of Atlantis, which caused humanity's consciousness to fall deep into the lower end of the third dimension. When this happened, the Galactic Command approved the rebuilding of the Christ-consciousness grid to support humanity's return to a fourth dimensional level of consciousness (see Section 7.5.1 for more on the Christ-consciousness grid). This was an ongoing project that used a system of sacred temples and special sites around the world to recreate this grid geomantically. When the project was started around 13,000 years ago, the probable timeline was that humanity would be back into fourth dimensional consciousness before a particular cosmic event would occur in August 1972. At that time the third dimensional sun, which consists mostly of hydrogen, was expected to expand into a helium sun, a natural event in stellar evolution. The expansion would engulf the Earth in its flames as a pulse, returning to almost normal after a few years. However, if humanity had *not* attained fourth-dimensional consciousness by that time, humanity would be destroyed.

In the 1700s (Earth time) it became clear to the Sirians (one of the major progenitors of the human race) that we weren't going to make the shift quickly enough, but that we would be ready for the shift a few years after that. To make a long story short, the Sirians came up with an idea that had never been tried before, and they received permission from the Galactic Command to perform an unusual and complicated experiment. They created a holographic field around the Earth, placing us in a holographic replica of the universe twice removed from the original Reality. The field both protected Earth from being fried when the sun expanded, and prevented us from perceiving the event. At the same time it was necessary to take away our free will for a short

time in order to make some adjustments to our DNA (this suspension of free will took place from about June or July 1972 until about the end of 1974). Our free will was then slowly restored to the point where *we* would control our evolutionary pattern allowing humanity to move to fourth-dimensional consciousness relatively quickly.

The event that would have destroyed all life on Earth was observed on August 7, 1972 by mainstream scientists as the most intense solar storm since measurements have been taken in space (see Section 5.4.1 for more scientific information on the Great Solar Proton Event of 1972). I have found one independent higher dimensional source that corroborates that the Sirians did something important in August, 1972. Satya, Keeper of the Library on Alcyone, the central star of the Pleiades, channeled through Barbara Hand Clow reported:

In August 1972, the Sirians generated a great stabilization beam out of the stellar computer below the Great Pyramid at Giza, and directed it right into the Sun. This caused a green healing spiral to shoot out of the Sun, awakening solar initiates into remembering their Pleiadian origins. (Clow, 1995:8).

To give you an idea how much of a stretch it was for me to write about the Sirian Experiment, the first draft of this section, which was written early in this project, included the following statement: I will admit that reading Drunvalo Melchizedek's two volume *The Ancient Secret of the Flower of Life* almost filled my this-is-too-weird-for-me-to-deal-with-right-now mental file to overflowing. At that time I had learned relatively little about my own soul origins. Although I feel myself to be an Earth rather than a Starseed soul, I have incarnational experience in all star systems that have contributed to humanity's genetic heritage. One of the most recent things I have learned about myself is that I most strongly embody our Sirian heritage in this incarnation. Out of curiosity, I checked the journal of my travels in Europe and Africa in 1971 to 1972 to see where I was in August of 1972. On August 6, 1972, the day before the Great Solar Proton Event, I was in Egypt walking around the Pyramids at Giza. I had no conscious awareness of why I was there at that particular time, but for some reason my physical and energetic presence was required as my small part of the Sirian Experiment.

I will conclude this section by mentioning a third-dimensional event, shortly after the Sirian Experiment succeeded, that indicated we were on the right track towards a more peaceful world: on January 23, 1973 President Richard Nixon announced that an accord had been reached to end the Vietnam War.

7.4.3 The Great Timeline Shift in the 1980s.

Lyssa Royal and Keith Priest, in their book *Prism of Lyra*, noted indications that the mass consciousness of Earth made a shift from a future with catastrophic changes to one of increasing responsibility during the time period of 1980-1982 (Royal and Priest, 1992:55). The Ascended Master Djwhal Khul, channeled through Janet McClure, confirmed that by the early 1980s a critical threshold in human consciousness had been reached:

We are going to be able to spare the Earth much more than we originally thought possible. This does not mean there will not be trauma. All of you have noticed the strange energies now, the difference in the weather—these will continue. But the great catastrophic events that were prophesied thousands of years ago—most of these will be avoided, my friends. This is a very new ruling given in the last few Earth days, and I am so pleased to tell you this now. It looks like there might be a skirmish and a war or two, but it looks more and more as if the great final war will be avoided. Some of the natural Earth trauma will also be avoided, although not all, certainly. (Djwhal Khul messages channeled 1983-1985; McClure, 1996:295).

The first clear and dramatic statement I encountered that the Earth's probable future had changed was Lee Carroll's first public channeling of Kryon to a small New Age study group on March 6, 1992:

It was prophesied in many cases that this [the end of the millennium] would also be the end of all life on Earth, for a termination was in order, and the school was going to be turned into a neutral place for yet another school...

***This has now been changed!** [emphasis in original] You will not be terminated. You will not necessarily go through horrible wars and planetary upheaval that would have culminated in you*

leaving by the year 2001. You have earned the right to stay and control your own destiny completely, well into the first century of the new millennium. This you have done yourselves by raising the vibration of the planet through thought consciousness over the last 60 years (at the eleventh hour, you might say). (Kryon I, 1993:101)

That this timeline has always been a possibility is evident in a past-life regression reported by Barbara Hand Clow. During a regression to a shamanic initiation 50,000 years ago, she met the Solar Logos, the teachers of Earth who said: "Meanwhile, the cosmic joke is that there will be no apocalypse, no cataclysm, and no End Times. Instead, each individual will have to clear his or her emotional body and create an environment which reflects the ecstasy of the divine human in a medicine wheel of animals" (Clow, 1989:98).

The exact date of the timeline shift doesn't really matter. My guess is that if you took a poll of higher dimensional Beings who track this sort of thing, they wouldn't be able to agree on a specific time or event. However, there is widespread agreement that the necessary threshold of human consciousness had been reached by the time of the Harmonic Convergence in 1987. I will say a little more about this in the next Section.

7.4.4 The Harmonic Convergence (August 16-17, 1987).

The Harmonic Convergence was celebrated by tens of thousands of people throughout the world, focused at sacred sites such as Stonehenge, the Great Pyramid at Giza in Egypt, Machu Picchu in Peru and Mount Shasta in the California. The event was centered on a variety of Mayan, Native American and Christian prophecies and marked the end of specific cycles in the Aztec and Mayan calendars. José Argüelles, an artist, poet and historian who was conceived in Mexico, and born in the United States, was the prime initiator of the events surrounding the Harmonic Convergence. He understood this time period to mark a dangerous transition from one era to another. If a sufficient critical mass of consciousness was attained, it would restore the Earth's solar and cosmic resonance and also activate the return of the spirit of the Aztec God Quetzalcoatl and "the return of all the gods and goddesses, heroes and heroines that have ever dwelled in the human imagination (Argüelles,

1987:170).

The mainstream press reported the events with tolerant amusement, and I have to confess that to the extent I was aware of what was happening, I dismissed those involved as fuzzy-minded, albeit well-intentioned New Agers who didn't have a grip on what a mess the world was in. Now, when I lecture and give workshops on working with the energies of the Great Shift, I ask those present who participated in activities related to the Harmonic Convergence to raise their hands. I then bow to them and express my humble gratitude. I now do the same to any of you, dear readers, who also participated in the Harmonic Convergence. You are the ones who made the timeline shift possible.

I have already mentioned the planetary measurement of 1962 and that these measurements are taken every 25 years (Section 7.4.1). The next scheduled measurement was for 1987 and according to the HDB Kryon it was made during the Harmonic Convergence:

[Y]ou were asked and measured, "Are you ready?" And much to the shock of Spirit, the answer was, "Yes!" The planetary vibration had raised to the point where we knew you had changed in the entire polarity of Spirit!" (Kryon II, 1994:192).

However, Kryon has made it clear that the timeline shift does not mean that we are home free and can sit back and rest on our laurels:

When the Earth was measured at the Harmonic Convergence and found to be of high vibration, and ready for a much different future than imagined, it didn't mean that everyone was suddenly going to be happy and healed. The measurement itself was a vibrational gauge of contract fulfillment, and your potential future because of it. You were therefore found fertile for the change of grade, not already graduated. (Kryon III, 1995:43)

Native American writer Jamie Sams identifies 1987 as the starting point for a massive expansion in spiritual and human consciousness (Sams, 1998:228), and I have encountered many other sources that point to 1987 as a significant year. For example, the HDB Amma, channeled through Cathy Chapman

recently said:

*In 1987 with the Harmonic Convergence, the energies of the planet changed. All of the buildup before Y2K was the buildup of what was, before 1987, very probably going to happen—the world as you knew it would self-destruct. This would have happened in a period of several months, with literally millions of people (although not all) leaving the planet. The fears of Y2K served to release the “what was to be” and allowed the new energy of “what will be” to enter (Amma/Cathy Chapman, *Sedona Journal of Emergence*, May 2005:38).*

The shift to a non-catastrophic timeline is so central to the message of this book, I will offer one more higher dimensional perspective on the subject. The HDB Vywamus, channeled through Dorothy Roeder, explains Edgar Cayce’s poor track record when it came to the catastrophic Earth changes that he predicted as follows:

*At the time Edgar Cayce made his predictions, the energy shape of the Earth was a little different. It’s changed now, because the Earth has adapted to the new energy shifts, and many of the predictions that he made haven’t come true because other choices have been made by the Earth itself and by humanity. Earth is learning that it doesn’t have to destroy the old level in order to accommodate the new one, that it can take the strengths of the old level and the foundation of knowledge and understanding and consciousness that’s been laid there and build on that to provide a continuous, flowing evolution rather than one that moves through a series of catastrophic destructions and rebuilding and destroying and rebuilding (Vywamus/Dorothy Roeder, *Shining The Light II*, October 25, 1994:292, www.lighttechnology.com).*

I will conclude my discussion of the timeline shift in 1987 by identifying some significant events on third dimensional Earth that seem related in one way or another.

- The first World Peace Meditation, organized by John Randolph Price, was held on December 31, 1986.
- On February 4, 1987, a supernova (SN1987A) in the Greater Magellanic Cloud 170,000 light years away was observed, the first to be seen “near” Earth since 1604. SN1987A was taken by some as fulfillment of Hopi prophecy that a blue star would appear as a sign of the nearing of the Great Purification (Timms, 1994:283-284).
- On October 19, 1987 the stock market crashed with the Dow Jones Industrial average dropping 508 points, 22.6% of its values—the biggest drop ever recorded.
- The United States and the Soviet Union signed the Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty on December 8, 1987.

The most interesting empirical evidence I have found that a significant shift in human consciousness occurred around the time of the Harmonic Convergence comes from the work of David Hawkins. Hawkins has developed a quantitative scale for human consciousness ranging from around 20 to 1000, with the level of 200 marking a critical threshold between powerlessness and empowerment (Hawkins, 2002:75-94). According to Hawkins, the “average” level of consciousness of humanity remained at 190 for many centuries, and suddenly jumped to 204 after the Harmonic Convergence (Hawkins, 2002:304). In other words, we just barely squeaked through when the measurement was made in August 1987.

7.5 Significant Events Since the Timeline Shift.

Higher dimensional information is coming through hundreds of channels who then make the information available on a regular basis through various media—the worldwide web, print and audio/video materials. These sources identify a bewildering number of stellar, planetary, and global energetic events and influences that are supporting the dimensional shift that humanity and Earth are making. Many of these events are observable as astronomical events, such as x-ray bursts, solar flares, and planetary alignments. Others are beyond the scope of scientific measurement at this time such as the opening of

stargates, interdimensional portals, and activations of planetary energetic grids.

As I near completion of the process of writing this book almost twenty years have passed since the Harmonic Convergence. I will be the first to admit that if I relied only on the mainstream popular and scientific media for my information, I would have to conclude that humanity continues to be hell-bent on self destruction and wreaking havoc on the other innocent life forms on Earth. In the concluding Section 8.4.1 I will tackle head-on the question, "Why isn't it more obvious that the Shift is happening?" In this section I will summarize some of the significant events that have happened since the timeline shift, as perceived from a higher dimensional perspective, along with a few positive events that have manifested in our third dimensional reality.

7.5.1 The Armageddon Bypass (1987-1992).

As I noted in the previous section, using David Hawkins' consciousness scale, we really only barely made the grade when the measurement was taken at the time of the Harmonic Convergence. We needed some breathing room, and José Argüelles saw humanity being given a five-year period of grace, from August 1987 through July 1992 to grow enough spiritually to fully shift the probable timeline away from massive death and destruction (Argüelles, 1987:145-148). Barbara Hand Clow called this five-year period the "Armageddon Bypass" and saw it as a period of intense emotional body clearance (Clow, 1995:263). Solara, who facilitated the 11:11 activation in 1992 (described later), reports that the activation of the Legions of Archangel Michael in February, 1988 initiated a period of "Divine Dispensation," which included measures by the Intergalactic Federation to stabilize the Earth's rotation and the anchoring of new star fields to planet Earth as a way of supporting the dimensional shift (Solara, 1989:183, 199-201; 1992:41).

Don Miguel Ruiz, a Toltec nagual (shaman) and also trained as a medical doctor and surgeon, interpreted the earthquake that shook Mexico City in 1986 (35 miles southwest of Tenochtitlan) as a fulfillment of the Toltec prophecy that there would be a five year period of rest before a new sun, the Sixth Sun in the cyclic history of the Toltec, Aztec and Maya, would be born (Nelson, 1997:198). On January 11, 1992 Ruiz was at Tenochtitlan, the sacred ceremonial center of the Toltecs, and with his high sense perception

observed that as the sun rose, the color of the sunlight changed, its vibration becoming faster and gentler (Nelson, 2003:3). Ruiz sees the new quality of sunlight as transforming the human mind, a process that has been accelerating since 1992 but which will take about 200 years to complete (Nelson, 1997:200).

Finally, Gordon-Michael Scallion, the well-known prophet of catastrophic Earth changes, also speaks of this five year time period as significant. According to Scallion, our collective human consciousness recognized that we needed more time and requested the assistance of spiritual forces in delaying Earth changes (Scallion, 1997:201-202). In response to this request we received a five-year time-delay intervention, blocking major Earth changes until early 1992. Scallion's five-year time period differs from that predicted by Argüelles by only a few months.

Some notable events that happened during the time of the Armageddon Bypass include these:

- The angelic Being Kryon's arrival to do preliminary work in preparation for the Earth's magnetic grid adjustments occurred on January 1, 1989 (Kryon I, 1993).
- The Christ-consciousness grid was completed in 1989, making it possible for humans to ascend to the next dimensional level (Melchizedek, 1998:104; 2000:426). The Ascended Masters (Lemurians and Atlanteans who had attained spiritual mastery) began construction of this grid some 13,000 years ago after the fall of Atlantis.
- A message to humanity from the Golden Angels for 1989 opened by saying "Welcome to the year of Emergence, Activation, & Empowerment! (Solara, 1989:104). Also, the Crystal Light Link in April, 1989 activated Earth's crystal grids (Solara, 1992:31)
- Major solar flares in 1989 provide energy in support of Earth's shifting energies (Clow, 1989:199). See Figures 5-11 and 5-12 for data showing that 1989 was an exceptional year for solar flares.

- At a third dimensional level, 1989 also marked the first public intertribal Native American ceremony in Mexico, which had been punishable by death or torture since the later 1500s (Sams, 1998:xi).
- On November 9, 1989, the gates to the Berlin Wall were opened and immediately the process of dismantling the wall began.

The close of the Armageddon Bypass period was marked by a number of significant events.

- On January 1, 1992 Kryon and support group began adjustments of earth's magnetic field (Kryon I, 1993).
- On January 11, 1992 (which in sacred numerology translates into 11:11), the ***11:11 Planetary Activation*** took place as a result of events around the world in which more than 144,000 people participated (Solara, 1992). Solara was the primary organizer of this event which opened the doorway to the next dimensional Octave. For more information on this and related activations see: www.nvisible.com/1111/1111Doorway.html
- On January 11, 1992 a magnetic code was transmitted to the DNA of every human on the planet, which opened the doorway for ascension and physical immortality. It also allowed every child born after January 11, 1992 to have their DNA activated to allow life to start at a higher level of consciousness (Kryon III, 1995:56; Kryon VIII, 2000:118).
- On January 11, 1992 a bridge was formed “across the abyss from the Wheel of Karma to the Spiral of Evolution,” and Earth moved to her correct position on the Spiral of Evolution (Cota-Robles, 1997:150).
- November 18, 1992 ***World Scientists' Warning to Humanity*** was released signed by more than 1600 scientists from 71 countries, including more than half of all living Nobel Prize winners: "If not checked, many of our current practices put at serious risk the future that

we wish for human society and the plant and animal kingdoms, and may so alter the living world that it will be unable to sustain life in the manner that we know."

7.5.2 Stages in Earth's Dimensional Shift.

In Section 7.1.2 I suggest that we can think of all dimensions as coexisting in the same space and that time-related cause and effect becomes more fluid in higher dimensions (Section 7.1.5). In Section 8.3 I say more about my understanding of how humanity is experiencing the dimensional shift. Here I present some higher dimensional perspectives (including perceptions of individuals with high sense perception) on how the dimensional shift has been happening.

According to Solara the fourth dimension was fully birthed and anchored in the Earth during the Harmonic Convergence in August 1987 (Solara, 1989:175-176). Patricia Cota-Robles, on the other hand, identified the Planetary Activation on January 11, 1991 as the "initial impulse into the fourth dimension" (Cota-Robles, 1997:159).

In Section 4.2.3 I discuss the HDB Zoosh, channeled by Robert Shapiro, and his propensity for quantifying things to two or three decimal places. A tricky aspect of the transit from one dimension to another is that it is not possible to measure the differences between what was and what is. Everything is changing relative to everything else, so everything appears to be the same size (Zoosh/Shapiro, *Shining The Light III*, July 19, 1995:303). When Zoosh talks about fractional dimensions, he is referring to the average level of humanity's group consciousness, which in statistical terms would be the mid-point of a bell-shaped curve (YHWH/Fanning, *Shining The Light IV*, August 14, 1996:366).

- In July, 1995 Earth was at a dimensional vibrational level that ranged from 3.37 to 3.4 (Zoosh/Robert Shapiro, *Shining The Light III*, July 19 & 23, 1995:273, 305, www.lighttechnology.com).
- Between September 8 and September 12 Earth moved from a dimensional level of 3.37 to 3.47 (Zoosh/Robert Shapiro, *Shining The*

Light III, October 2, 1995:429, www.lighttechnology.com).

- In June, 1998 the dimensional level dropped slightly to 3.458 as a result of people becoming increasingly dependent on artificial stimulation, such as TV, movies, and CDs (Zoosh/Roert Shapiro, *Shining The Light VI*, June 29, 1998:96, www.lighttechnology.com).
- In January 1999 Earth was at 3.485 (Zoosh/Shapiro, *Shining The Light VI*, January 23, 1999:190, www.lighttechnology.com).

Marko Pogačnik, a Slovenian with high sense perception who has been doing Earth-healing work for many years, received information from the Angel of Earth Healing that in early 1998 the decisive phase of Earth's shift to a new level of being began. With humanity's collaboration, the transition could take place step by step so that we would "glide" from one level to another. At the full moon of February 10, 1998 Pogačnik observed a radical change in the Earth's radiation, with its quality becoming horizontal and liquid (Pogačnik, 1998:259-260). By the year 2000 Pogačnik's perception was that the Earth changed almost completely energetically during the two-year period—with all her higher dimensions profoundly affected, although the level that we are most accustomed to perceiving was least affected (Pogačnik, 2000: Introduction and Chapter 1).

The Light Brotherhood, channeled by Edna Frankel confirms that by the year 2000 a major milestone had been reached in the dimensional shift:

We feel that Earth fully ascended to the fourth dimension (4D) as of the month of May in your year 2000. [The alignment of planets'] gravitational pull created your "slingshot" from the third to the fourth dimension (3D to 4D). (Frankel, 2003:ix)

Humanity is lagging a bit behind in its dimensional shift. Zoosh has said that when we get to a dimensional level around 3.7 “you're not going to have so much terrorism” (Zoosh/Shapiro, *Shining The Light IV*, July 22, 1996:358). As I write this in early 2007 its pretty clear that we haven't reached that level yet.

7.5.3 The Catastrophes That Didn't Happen

Stop for a moment and think how many predictions have not come true...All these predictions were received from holographic timelines that no longer exist. The Armageddon timeline has collapsed, the ascension corridor is now open and Earth is in the birth canal (Laiolin and the Council of Abboraha/Judith Moore, Sedona Journal of Emergence, November 2003:37).

In Appendices C.3 and C.4 I discuss in some detail prophecies of catastrophic Earth changes and other ways the world could end and why they don't worry me. Here I will mention a few of the catastrophes that *could* have happened if the timeline had not shifted.

"The Sleeping Prophet" Edgar Cayce, one the best known psychics of the twentieth century, transmitted more than 10,000 readings on a wide variety of subjects which I have found useful in developing my own map of the territory of a larger reality. However, even his son, Hugh Lynn Cayce acknowledges that Cayce's track record for specific predictions that relate to geophysical changes on Earth was not very good (Cayce, 1980:25, 80, 97). Several of his best known predictions related to major coastline and polar shifts.

- 1958-1998: earth broken up in the western portion of America, most of Japan will go into the sea, upper portion of Europe changed; land will appear off the east coast of America, upheavals in the Arctic and Antarctic; shifting of poles—Reading 3976-15, January 19, 1934 (Cayce, 1980:87).
- 2000-2001 shifting of the poles—Reading 828-8 August 11, 1936 (Cayce, 1980:98).

On May 5, 2000, all the planets in the Solar System came into close alignment, which Richard Noone (drawing upon the work of many others) predicted would cause a catastrophic pole shift with ice from the polar caps careening in a destructive mass over the face of the earth (Noone, 1996). This is the same alignment of planets that catapulted Earth into the fourth dimension (see Brotherhood of Light quote in the previous section).

In Quatrain 10Q72, the well-known sixteenth century prophet Nostradamus prophesied that in July 1999 “A great King of Terror will come from the sky.” This is one of the few unambiguous dates among the hundreds of prophetic quatrains that he recorded and has been variously interpreted as signifying collision with a comet (Paulus, 1997:Chapter 1) or as either a nuclear missile or a jet loaded with plutonium dust or chemical weapons being detonated over a city (Hogue, 1997:798).

Of course 1999 has come and gone and we will have to wait another seventeen hundred years before a complete assessment of Nostradamus’ prophecies will be possible—3797AD is the most distant date for which Nostradamus says one of his “obscure” prophecies will apply (PF62, see Hogue, 1997:48-49). Nevertheless, now that the subject of comets has come up, I would like to explore that topic further.

The HDB Vywamus, channeled through Janet McClure, said that a 1 to 1.5-mile-in-diameter asteroid was heading toward Earth that would arrive around 1994 or 1995. He noted that if humankind was at a point where it could use the positive spiritual energy that the comet was bringing, there would not be a destructive impact (Stone, 1994:246). In 1994 Kryon first spoke of an asteroid approximately 1 km across, a “death rock” named Myrva, which was appointed to crash into Earth before 2002. Because of the timeline shift in 1987, from 1989 to 1992 Kryon's support crew worked to disable Myrva by breaking it into smaller pieces so that the largest fragment that might hit earth would be a hundred meters across, which could cause some damage but not planetary obliteration (Kryon II, 1994:192).

Time magazine reported that at the end of May, 1996 an asteroid a third of a mile across missed Earth by 280,000 miles. This was the largest object ever observed to pass that close to Earth, and its impact upon hitting would have been like putting all of the U.S. and Soviet nuclear weapons in a pile and blowing them up all at once (A Shot Across the Earth's Bow, *Time* June 3, 1996:61). Kryon confirmed that our collective human consciousness was able to change the math of orbital mechanics and thus changed the path of the asteroid (Kryon VI, 1997:359).

I will conclude this section with another perspective from Zoosh on how the timeline and dimensional shift is working:

*As I've said, these Earth changes are happening massively at 3.0 dimension right now as we speak...For instance, I'm thinking of a volcano right now that is erupting at 3.0 dimension in downtown Portalegre, Brazil (Zoosh/Robert Shapiro, **Shining The Light IV**, May 23, 1996:260, www.lighttechnology.com).*

In other words, we are far enough into the dimensional shift that major geophysical events are taking place on third-dimensional Earth that have minimal effect on us. Zoosh went on to say that the volcano was erupting full bore right in the middle of town and that some individuals in Portalegre occasionally smelled sulfur for no particular reason. In one instance an instrument that can register gases showed an unusual rise in sulfur content of the air, which was interpreted as an anomaly because there was no scientific explanation for it.

I admit that this sounds pretty far out, but I've actually run across a report in the mainstream press of inexplicable events that can be explained as geophysical dimensional "bleed through" similar to that described by Zoosh in Brazil. In an article titled "Mystery Underground Vibrations Around the US" dated April 25, 2006, Alex Roth, staff writer with the *San-Diego Union-Tribune*, reports that residents of San Diego experienced physical manifestations of an earthquake on April 4, 2006 which were not recorded on seismographs or attributable to sonic booms from aircraft. Even the UFO community had no reports of unusual activity at the time. While researching the story, Roth identified similar inexplicable incidents in Maine, Alabama, Mississippi and North Carolina within the prior four months.

7.5.4 Countdown to 2012 (or Thenabouts).

In the next chapter I will say more about why we haven't seen more evidence in third dimensional reality that the Great Shift is happening. In Section 7.5.2 I documented that dramatic changes have already occurred from a higher dimensional perspective. Aluna Joy Yaxk'in, who receives communication from the Star Elders, a group of cosmic star walkers who hold a particular affection for the people of Earth, reports that the Great Shift happened on

September 5, 2006:

*The buddies ("Star Elders") say TODAY (9/5/06) is the first day of the great shift. It was a couple of years ago that they predicted that we would get here at 2008. WOW! We are over a year ahead of where the Star Elders thought we were, and about 5 years ahead of where the Star Elders predicted centuries ago with the Mayan calendars (Aluna Joy Yaxk'in, **Center of the Sun News**, September 2006, www.AlunaJoy.com).*

In the next, concluding chapter, I suggest that *something* interesting *may* happen around 2012. In the meantime I can think of no better advice to conclude this chapter than this quote from the HDB Zoosh:

*It is less important by far what happens in the future than what happens in the present. It is **absolutely intended** that you do not know what will happen in the future. For as you practice your techniques for living in the present and discover what is your wisdom, when the unexpected does happen—and it will happen to everyone—you will simply apply your wisdom and move right through it as gently and gracefully as possible, doing the best for yourself and, as a result, doing the best for others (Zoosh/Robert Shapiro, **Shining The Light VI**, August 6, 1997:1, www.lighttechnology.com).*

Table 7-1. Sources Suggesting Something Interesting May Happen Around the Year 2012

2010-2011	Starting in 1995 "veil of ignorance" will thin and will be removed for everyone in "15 or 16 years"; 1995 + 15 = 2010 (Zoosh/Shapiro, <i>Shining The Light II</i> , December 11, 1994:194, www.lighttechnology.com).
2010-2012	Catastrophic shift of Earth's axis predicted for the 1990s delayed until 2010-2012 (Montgomery, 1999).
2011	"This is an appropriate probable/possible time/space nexus for harvest [of souls from third to fourth density] (Ra, 1984, I:166)
2011	Process of activation of all 12-strands of DNA in humans "will take place on an accelerated path for the next twenty years"; 1991 + 20 = 2011. The Pleiadians (Marciniak, 1991:175).
2011	"[T]he next twenty years will be a powerful cleansing and healing era leading to an inordinately thrilling future"; 1991+ 20 = 2011. Archangel Michael (Phylos, 1991:33).
2011	"You and your planet are now moving toward a birthing of Global Consciousness. For in the past 5,000 years, you have been passing through a beam of light, an acceleration beam, and you have 20 years left to travel through this particular light."; 1991 + 20 = 2011. IXACA (Crawford, 1991:92)
2011	Doorway of the 11:11 opened on January 11, 1992 and will close on December 31, 2011 (Solara, 1989:291). Last of the First Wave of angelic colonization of Earth from the stars (old souls) will leave, turning over responsibility to the Second Wave (newer souls) to fulfill humanity's and Earth's higher dimensional potential (Solara, 1989:128).
2011-2013	Anomaly of tension between Islam and Christianity will last "another 13 years, maybe 15 years at most"; 1998 + 13 = 2011 (Zoosh/Shapiro, <i>Shining The Light VI</i> , August 20, 1998:134, www.lighttechnology.com).
2012	In mid-1990s population of Earth reached 5.12-5.20 billion, attaining a critical mass for a last and final wave of people waking up (Zoosh/Shapiro, <i>Shining The Light III</i> , September 5, 1995:357). There will be three stages with the last stage completely awakened no later than 2012 (Zoosh/Shapiro, <i>Shining The Light III</i> , July 31, 1995:315, www.lighttechnology.com).

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Table 7-1. (cont.)

2012	“You have 20 years or more to do your work after the magnetic adjustments begin”; 1992 + 20 = 2012 (Kryon I, 1993). Another measurement of humanity's vibrational level will occur, similar to that which occurred during the Harmonic Convergence in 1987 (Kryon VII, 1999:65). On or about 2012 children of the Indigo children will start being born—they will be "startling, very different, even than the Indigos today (Kryon VII, 1999:115)). By 2012 human life expectancy could double compared to what it is now (Kryon VII, 1999:199).
2012	End point of Crystal Grid Activation process: "At the Time of Harmonic Convergence, the Beings of Light from the Realms of Truth said the Crystal Grid Activation would be a 25-year process"; 1987 + 25 = 2012 (Cota-Robles, 1997:131). The Crystal Grid would return to its “full manifest potential by January 11, 2012” (Cota-Robles, 1997:150).
2012	Earth Mother's electromagnetic energy system will increase to 13 Hertz by 2012; the resulting shift in human consciousness will create an actual manifestation of the Whirling Rainbow Dream of world peace (Sams, 1998:231-232).
2012	According to Thoth, dimensional problems in the area of the Bermuda triangle resulting from an out-of-control energy experiment during the time of Atlantis will be fixed by 2012. (Melchizedek, 1998:104). From December 12 to 24, 2012 scientific experiments will be undertaken that will repair damage done by the Martian-Atlantean experiment that created the Bermuda Triangle, and damage done by the Philadelphia and Montauk experiments (Message from Drunvalo's angelic guides; Melchizedek, 2000:308).
2013	Arcturians/Ashtar scheduled to leave eleven years after completion of magnetic grid adjustments; 2002 + 11 = 2013 (Kryon II, 1994:171).
2013	Once you get past 2013 the world as you know it will be making major strides toward at least a world order if not a world problem-solving method for government (Zoosh/Shapiro, <i>IV</i> , January 27, 1993:451, www.lighttechnology.com).

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