

THE SEVEN PRINCIPLES

7TH - **ATMA** - SPIRIT - THE HIGHER SELF, ABSOLUTE UNIVERSAL DIVINE PRINCIPLE
6TH - **BUDDHI** - SPIRITUAL SOUL - THE VEHICLE OF PURE UNIVERSAL SPIRIT

} THE
MONAD

5TH - **MANAS**

HIGHER - HUMAN SOUL - PERMANENT REINCARNATING INDIVIDUALITY, THE HIGHER EGO



Antaskarana, link between higher and lower manas

LOWER - PERSONAL MIND - PRESENT PERSONALITY, THE LOWER EGO

4TH - **KAMA** - ANIMAL SOUL - DESIRES AND PASSIONS

3RD - **PRANA** - LIFE ENERGY, VITALITY

2ND - **LINGA SHARIRA** - ASTRAL BODY - SUBTLE UNSEEN "DOUBLE" OF THE PHYSICAL BODY

1ST - **STHULA SHARIRA** - PHYSICAL BODY - VEHICLE OF ALL THE OTHER PRINCIPLES DURING LIFE

THE UPPER TRIAD IS IMMORTAL AND ENDURING; THE LOWER QUATERNARY IS NEW WITH EACH SUCCESSIVE INCARNATION.

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