

Rhythms and Rituals - VI

Online course

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Breathing of the Earth



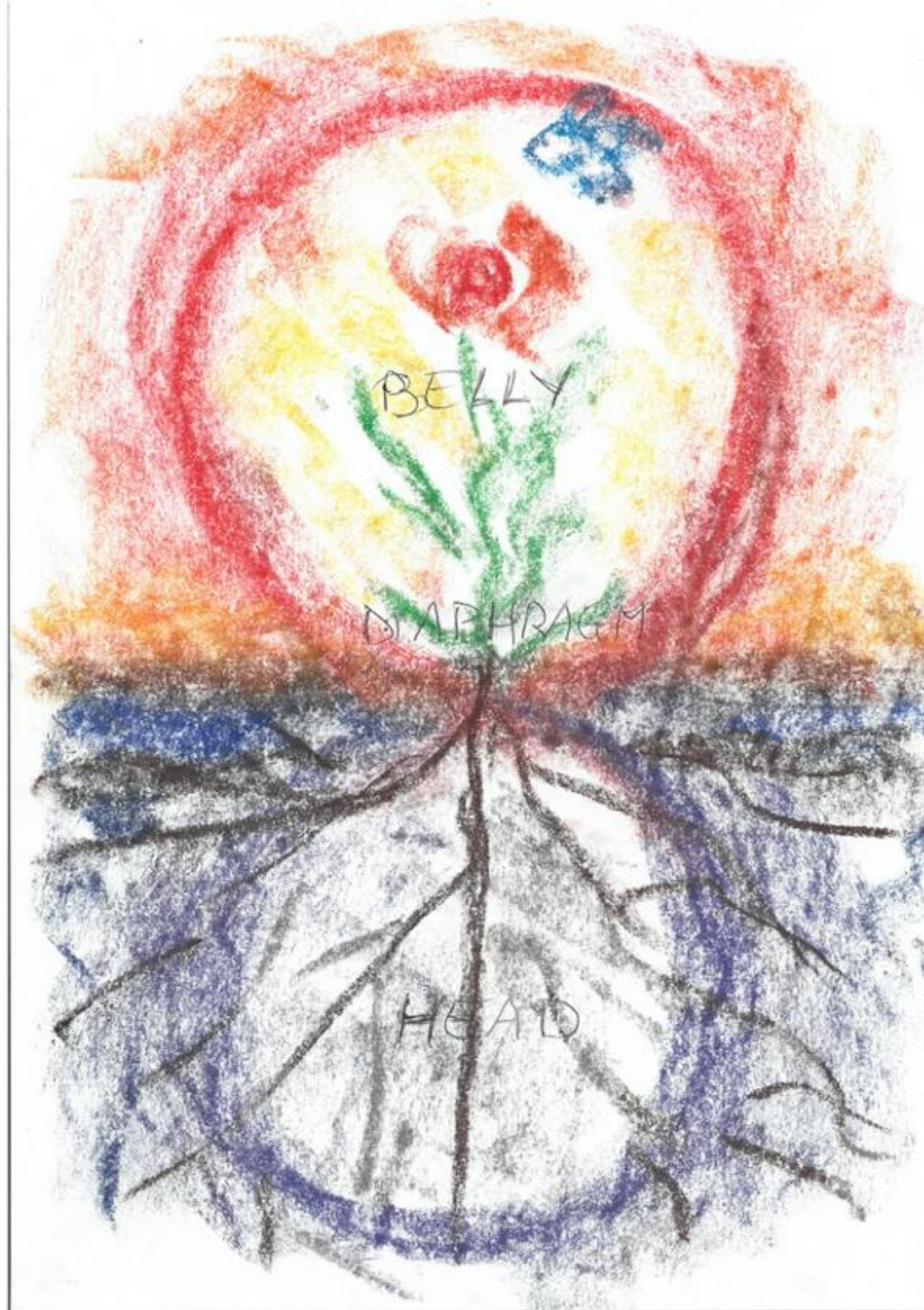
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The four elements





The 2 streams of the plant

- The first thing is that the entire plante-world, and every single species, is able to maintain itself – that is to say, it evolves the power of reproduction. The plant is able to bring forth its kind, and so on.
- The other thing is, that as a creature of a comparatively lower kingdom of nature, the plant can serve as nourishment for those of the higher kingdoms.

(Agriculture, R. Steiner, Lecture one)





Moon, Venus, and Mercury are working from the cosmos into the Earth by way of lime and similar substances. If we look only at plants that we do not eat, plants that simply renew themselves over and over again, it's as if we were only interested in the influence of the cosmos as it manifest in the forces of Venus, Mercury, and Moon, since these are the forces involved in plant reproduction on Earth.

On the other hand, when plants become food or fodder, when they develop in such a way as to form substances that can nourish people or animals, then Mars, Jupiter, and Saturn are involved, via substances like silica. These substances make the plant receptive to the expanses of the universe;

Moon, Venus, and Mercury are working from the cosmos into the Earth by way of lime and similar substances.

They work through water with the mediation of lime and other similar substances.

Warmth heightens the effectiveness of the forces that work through the siliceous substances, the forces of Saturn, Jupiter, and Mars

Near planets

Moon, Mercury, Venus

Between us and Sun

We see them in the evening or in the morning

They are near the Earth

They move quickly, show always a different aspect

Distant planets

Mars, Jupiter, Saturn

Between Sun and stars

We see them during the night

They go high in the sky

They move slowly and don't change a lot

2 types of plants, trees

Pionier trees (a lot of seeds)

Quick growth

Growth doesn't stop during the year

Very reactive, open to the environment

No specific shape

Adapt to the situation

Forest trees

Slow growth but are old

One growth form the bud during the year

Less reactive

Specific shape, create their own world

Doesn't adapt very good



Abb. 5 Birke

Hainbuche

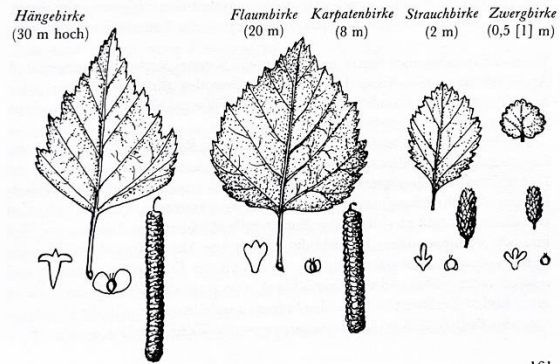
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Abb. 9 Edelkastanie

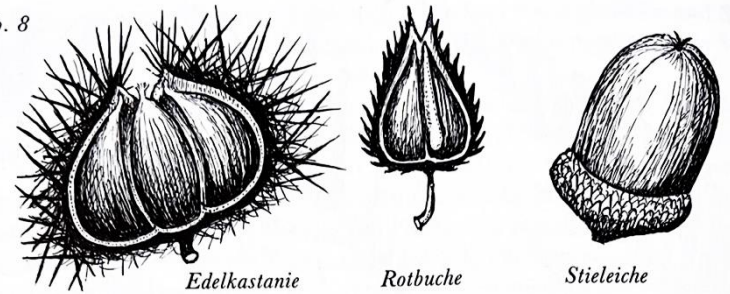
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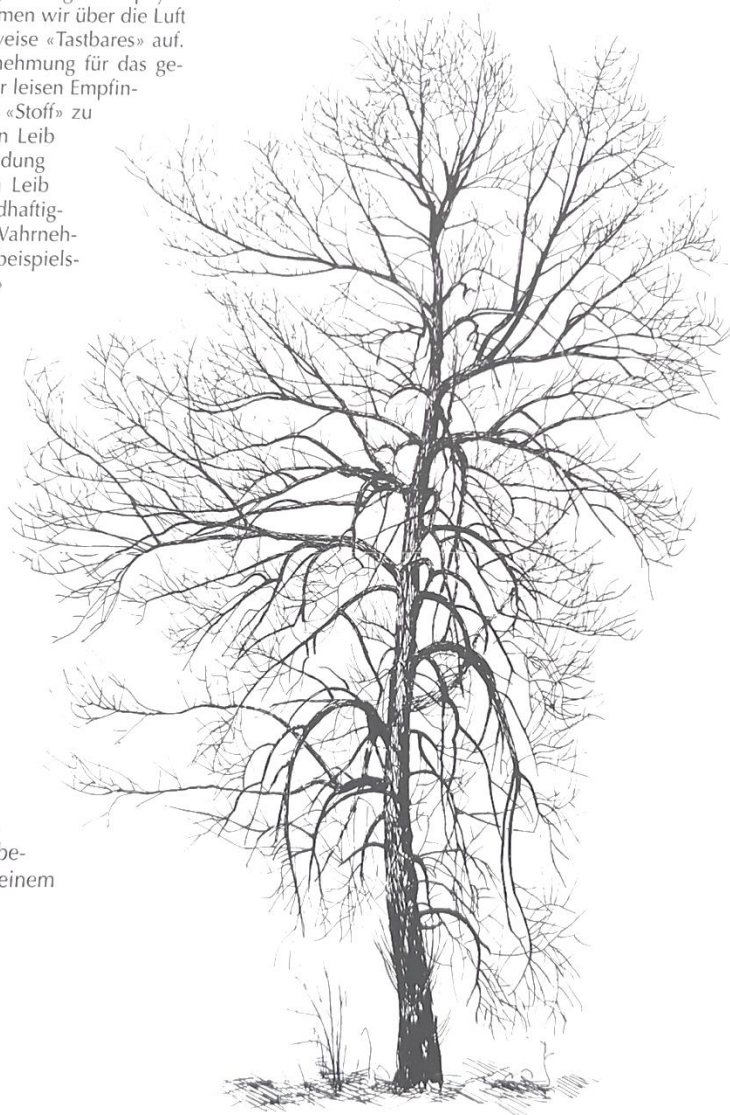


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Abb. 8



„In die Pflanze mit innerer
Grenzung durch physischen
Leib, wie wir über die Luft
auf das Tastbare auf-
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lehrte Empfin-
den des Stoffes zu
einem Leib
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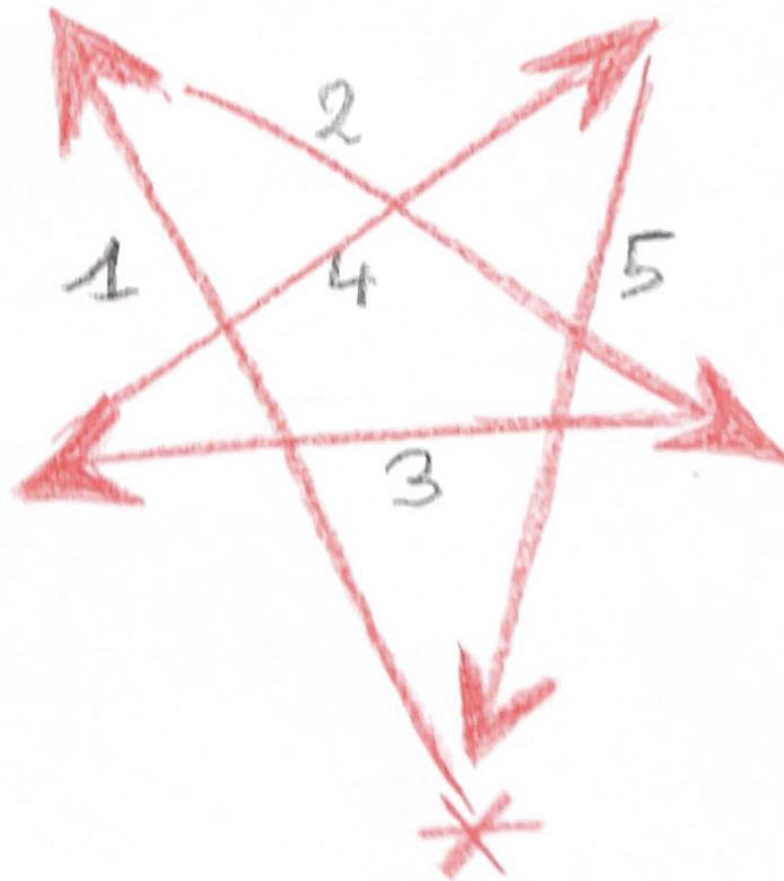


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Leben wir im Sehen die
Form so mit ihnen, daß sie als
An das Sehen und Er-
wartungen schließt
ohne Aufnahme eines
physischen Schmecken» und
Die Seele nimmt auf
Tätigkeit an den Gebäu-
den teil. Die in ihr
Aufnahmefähigkeit
nimmt leben
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Aufnahmemöglichkeiten
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daraus Vorstellungen
physischen Leib die Kno-

Conifer beech maple oak ash birch willow





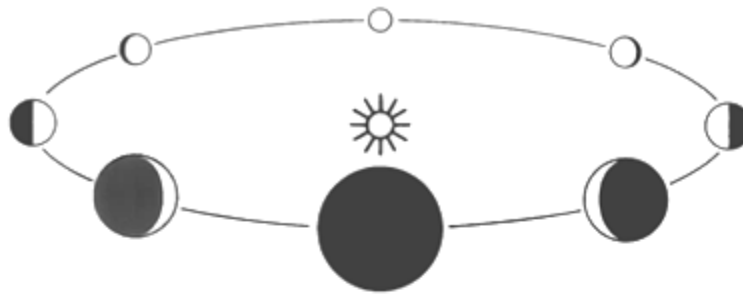


Fig. 103 Phasen- und Größenwechsel der Venus bei einem synodischen Umlauf.



Fig. 99 und 100
Verteilung und
Aufeinanderfolge der
Venus-Sonnen-Konjunktionen
am Tierkreis 1952—1961.

Fig. 99

Obere Konjunktionen
1 24. Juni 1952
2 30. Januar 1954
3 1. September 1955
4 14. April 1957
5 11. November 1958
6 22. Juni 1960



Fig. 100

Untere Konjunktionen
1' 13. April 1953
2' 15. November 1954
3' 22. Juni 1956
4' 18. Januar 1958
5' 1. September 1959
6' 11. April 1961

Tafel X *Geozentrische Venusbahn 1960—1968* entsprechend Tafel IX. Die Zahlen geben die Stellung beim jeweiligen Jahresbeginn an. Am äußeren Rand Sternbilder-Richtungen. — Der gestrichelte Kreis gibt die Sonnenbahn an; sein Radius ist gleich 1 Astron. Einheit.







Sunrise Rudolf Steiner



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Sunset, Rudolf Steiner



Moonrise, Rudolf Steiner



Moonset, Rudolf Steiner





Thank you!

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The comprehension of nature's rhythms....
will become true Natural Science

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Rhythm in the Human body

Breathing and heart beat

- 18 Breaths per minute (on average)
- 1080 Breaths in an hour
- 25,920 Breaths in a day (24 hours Platonic year)

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Earthly influences

Gravity

Electromagnetic field

Cosmic influences

Sun

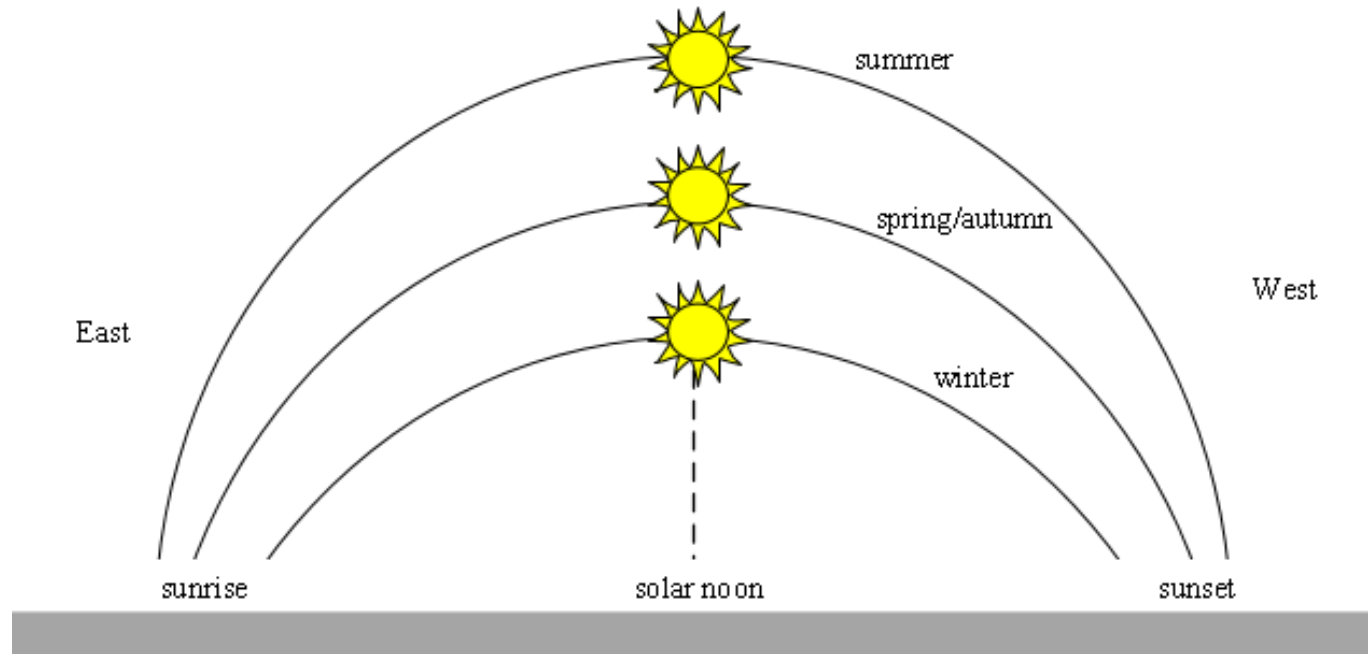
Moon

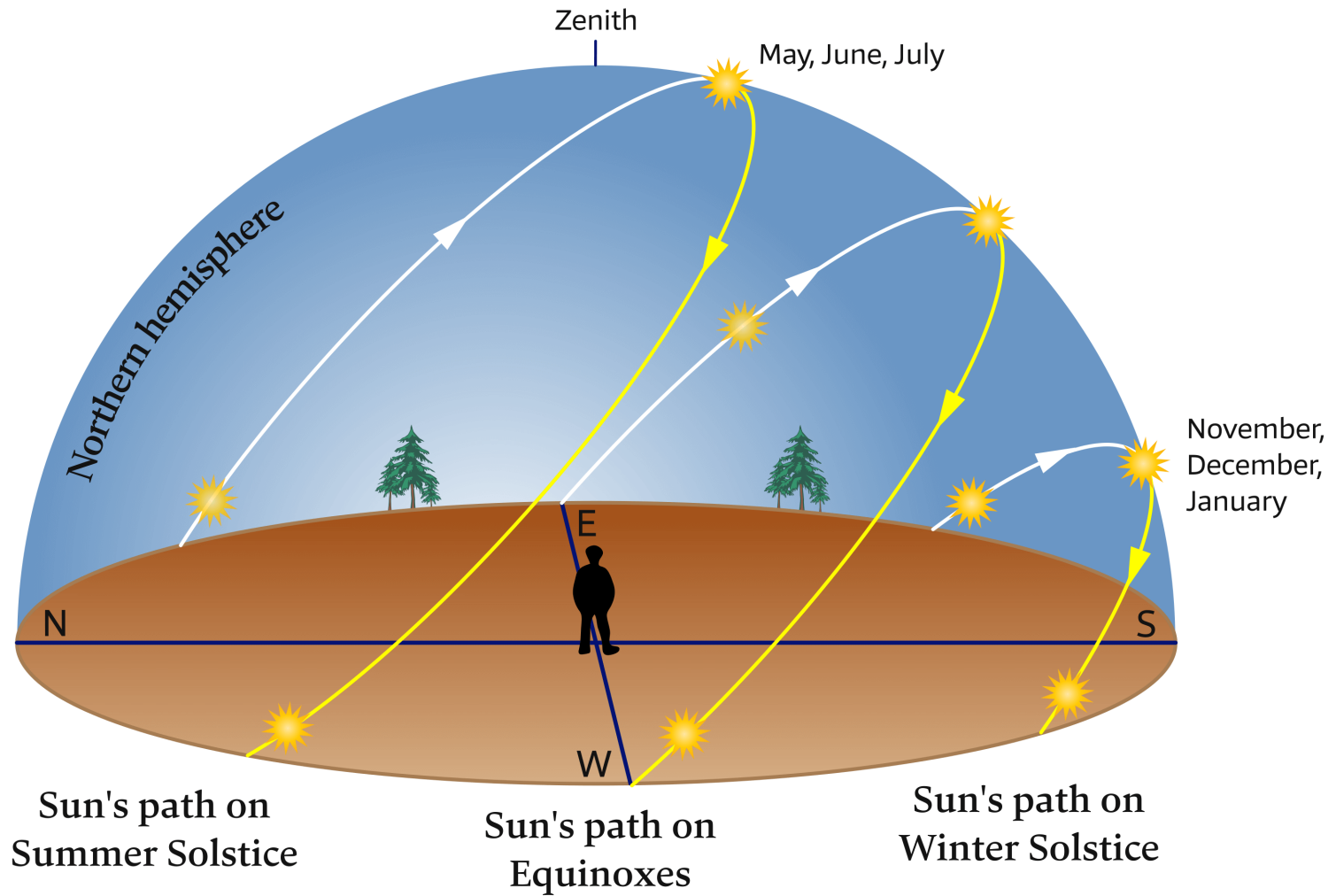
Planets

Fixed stars Zodiac



Movement of the sun in the horizon in a day

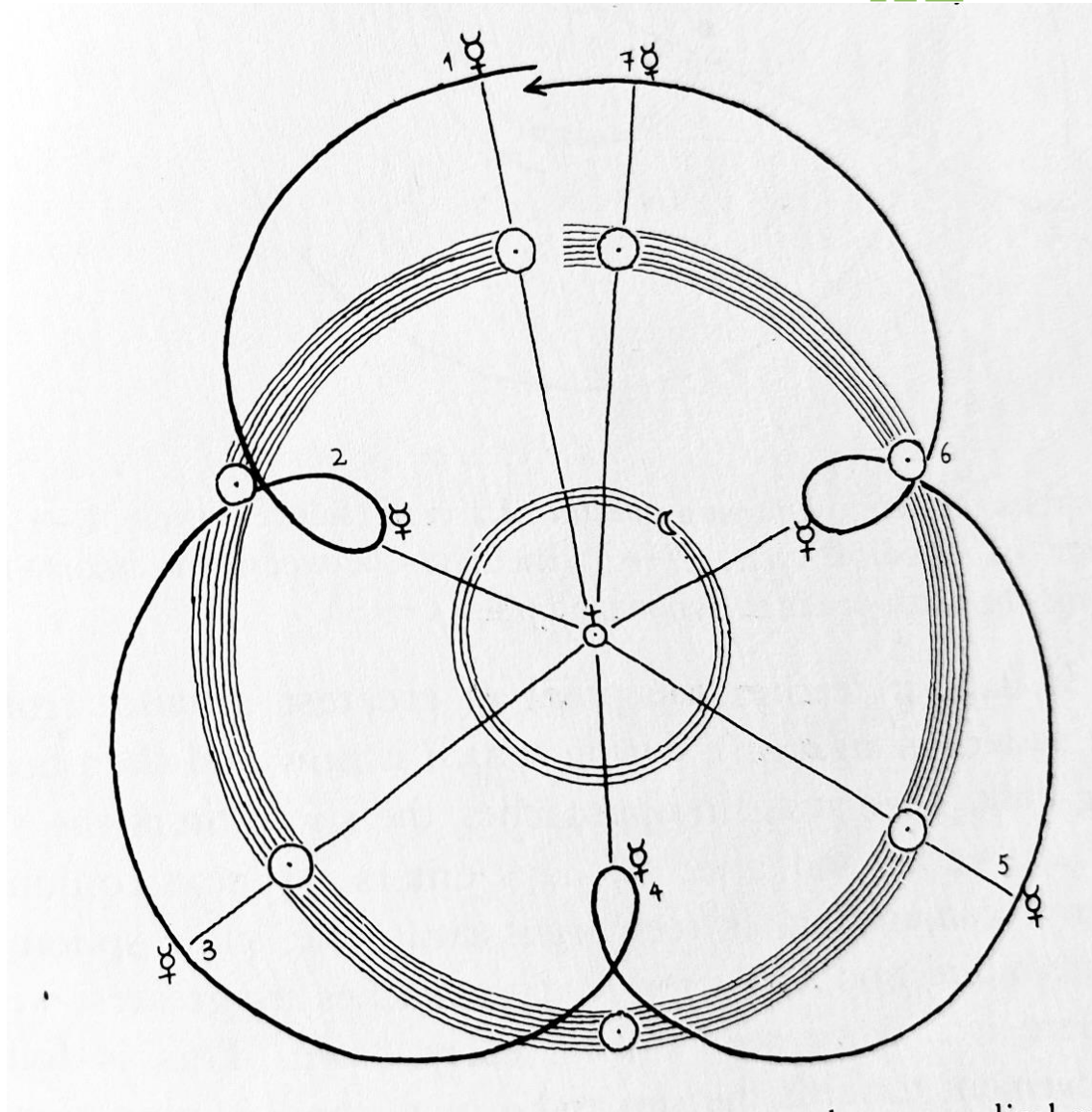




The Sun's path along the year



Moon phases in the horizon



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Retrograde appearance

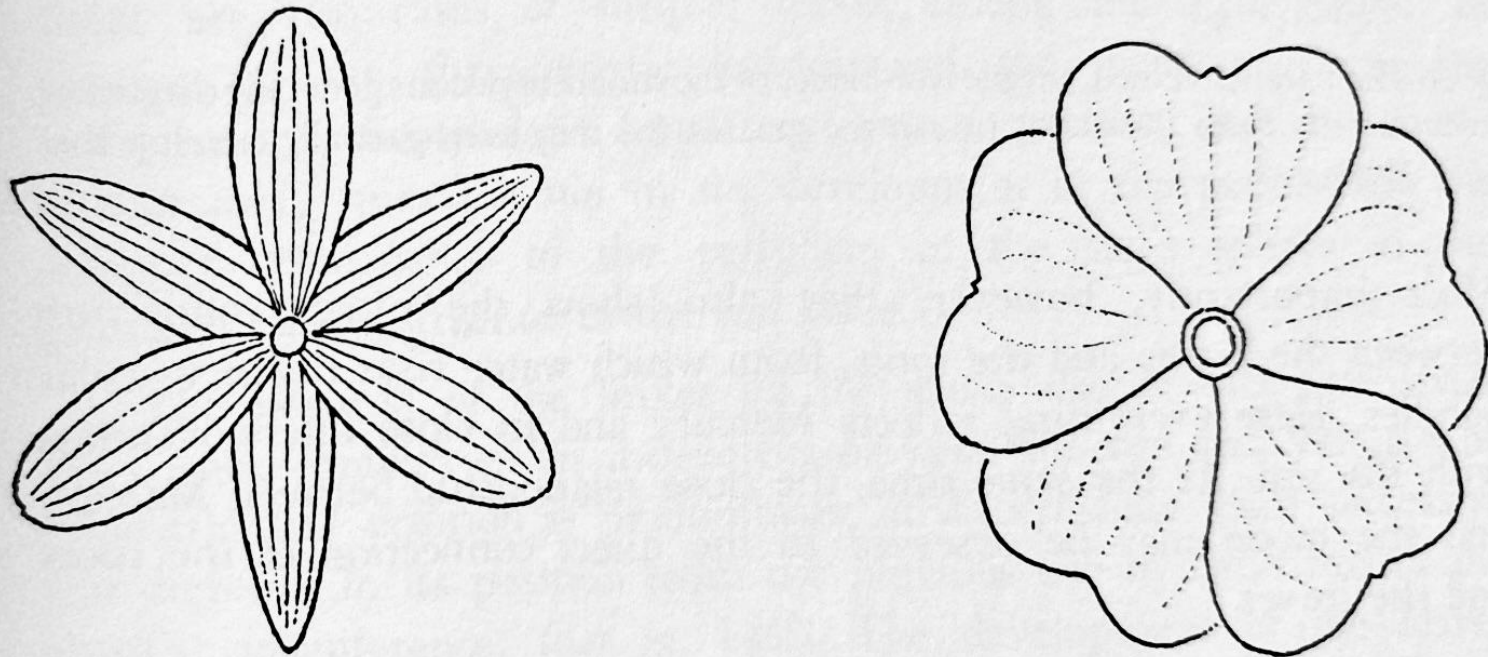
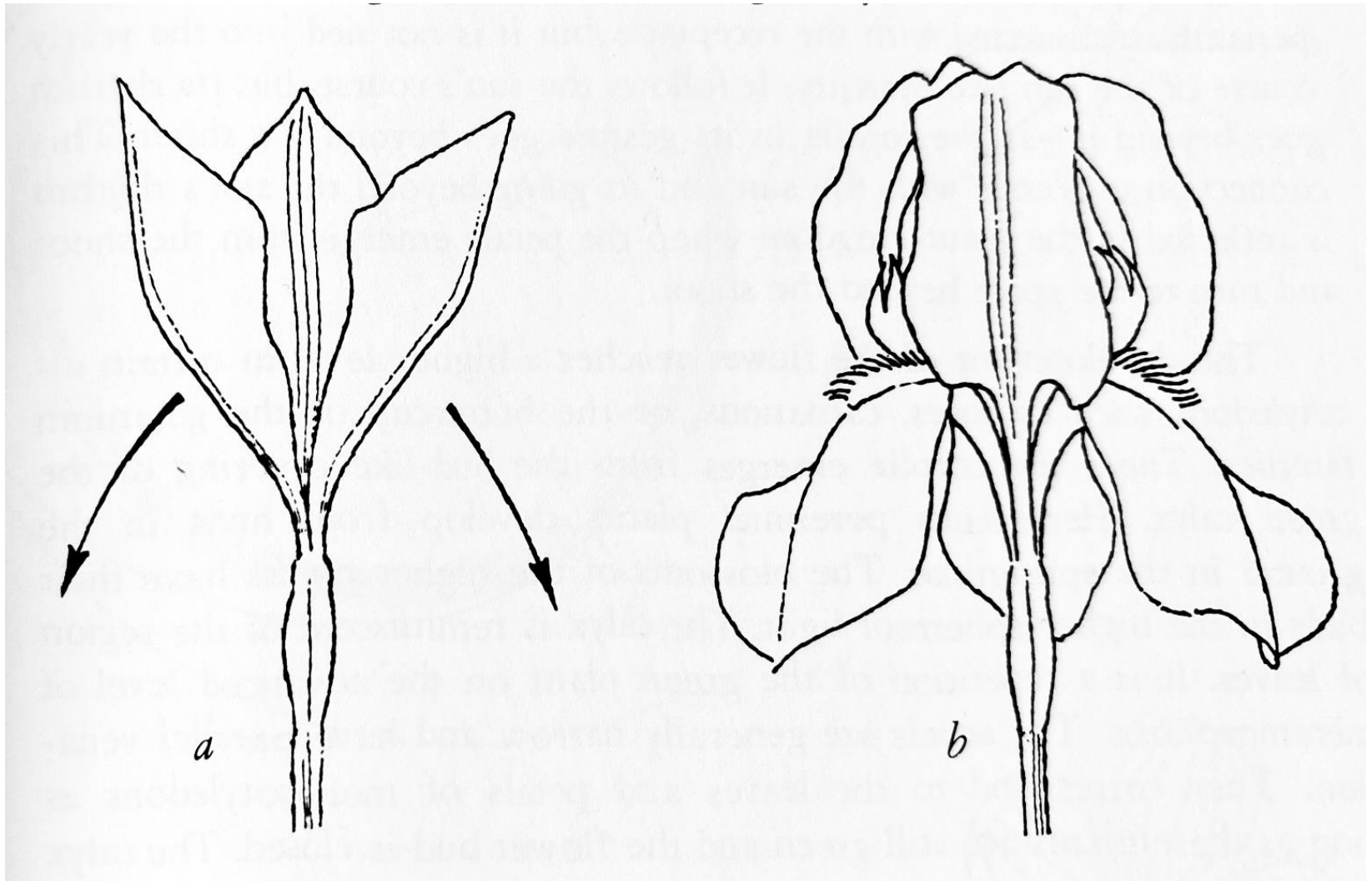
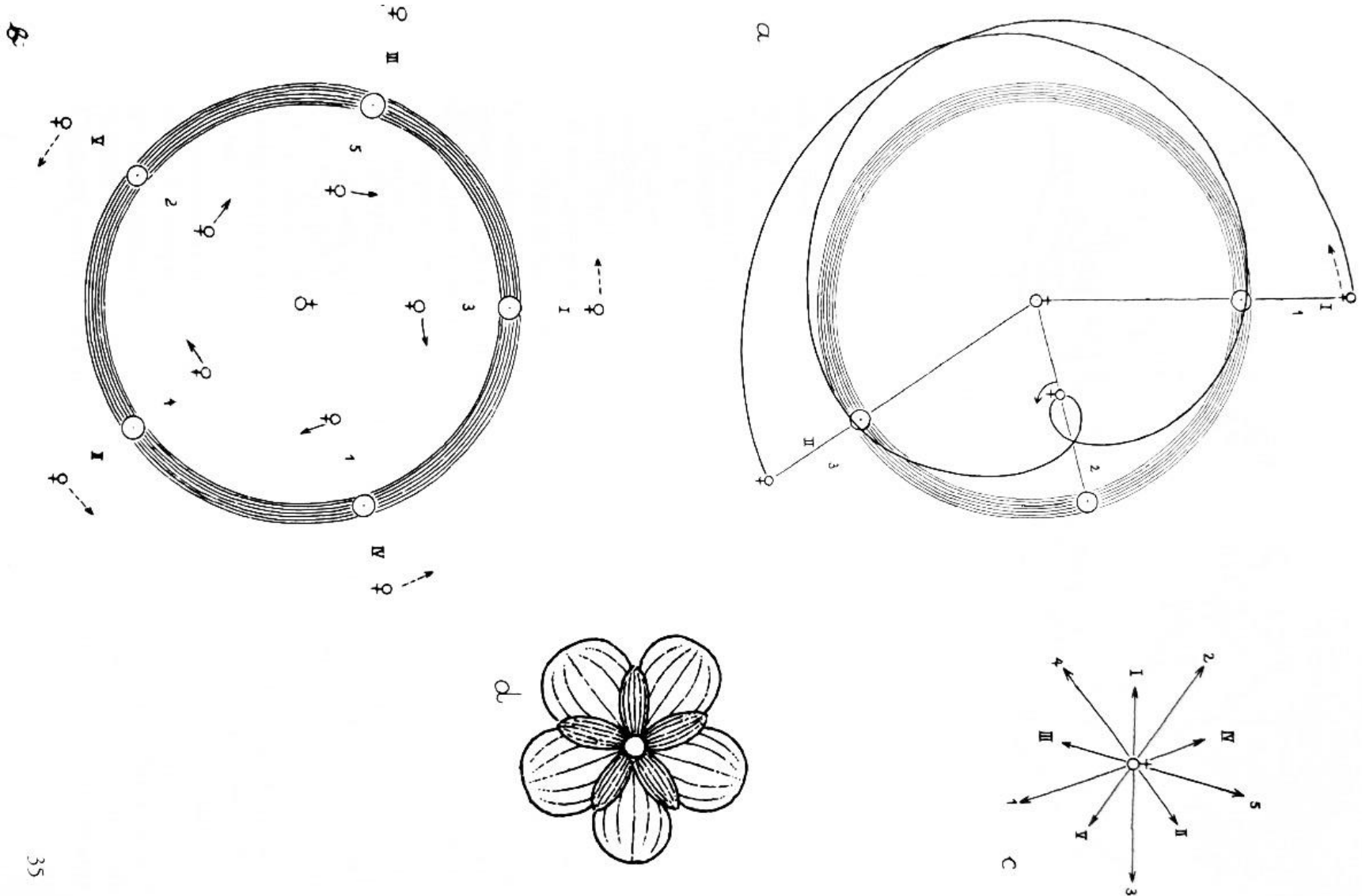


Fig. 19 Corolla of a monocotyledon (tulip) and of a dicotyledon (rose) as seen from above.



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