



## Buddhism

has never been more popular in the Americas, and in the Asiatic world. Its exponents have often been accused of the doctrine of materialism, but it is from becoming better understood.

Mr. Aleister Crowley is well known in England as a poet, as an writer and producer of disseminated mysticisms (including the famous "Book of Thoth"), as a writer of short stories and of philosophical and religious works.

He is also the sole authorized exponent of the ancient science of White Magic.

Mr. Crowley is especially known in the world of science as an explorer and investigator of great powers.

His knowledge of Buddhism is derived from actual residence as a Buddhist in the monasteries of Ceylon, Burma, Ladakh, Sikkim, Nepal, Tibet, Siam, China and Japan.

Among his teachers he counts the famous Sri Steinonida, the late most reverend head of the Buddhists in Ceylon; Bhikkhu Ananda Maitreya, the Englishman who as a Buddhist monk visited Buddha as a missionary religion in Burma; Prince Bhawantaranan, who left a throne to assume the yellow robe of a "beggar," as the Buddha called his ascetics; Chogy Lam, the initiate of Tibetan "Gurupeka," or avatar of Buddha, and many others less known in the West, though of even greater repute in their own countries.

Under such teachers Mr. Crowley sees side by side not only to understand the doctrine, but to experience the high attainments; and his students will possess all those whose knowledge of the strongest and most mysterious of Oriental religions is derived only from popular or sectarian accounts.

## Mr. Crowley

Will give lectures, to be announced in due time, on

The Use and Abuse of the Holden Oracle  
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Scientific Theosophy  
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Gnostic Christianity  
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Mr. Crowley will give intense instruction in all concerned in those of any other kindred subjects.

In particular, he will take a class for a series of eighteen lectures in these classes:

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| 1st Course. | Meditation (Yoga, etc.). | Two Lectures.   |
| 2nd Course. | The Theory of Magic.     | Six Lectures.   |
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