

The Centre for Lurian מכוון אריז"ל

Kabbalah



About our site

Introduction

It was somewhere in August of the year 2001 that I received a phone call from our Oleg (I didn't know him at that moment yet). He was very happy that there was someone else in this country who was studying Kabbalah. At that time there were obviously no Kabbalah websites, so one had to search sources in foreign languages.

Oleg had a college who found it not comfortable to read only English translations of Kabbalistic texts, since there were none of these in the Dutch language.

From that day on, a very deep desire started to grow in me to make a Dutch Kabbalah website

I went to libraries...and to my surprise I discovered there was even not one text in Dutch.

There was no Kabbalistic terminology to find in Dutch at all. Step by step I started to develop a sort of 'kabbalah language', so at the third of February 2002 the site was born.

Five years later

Now we are 5 years later and I am very grateful to everyone who had and still does working at the website. It has become more profound; still we are working to optimize the inner structure etc. I don't mention the names of every volunteer, for by that they would not be pleased.

Their 'reward' they expect not from someone of flesh and blood.

We are still looking for Fellow workers

If some of you are willing to help us, particular with the translations in the languages of our sites that already exists (e.g. Russian, English and Hebrew), that will be of great value for us, for others and for themselves. It would be of great help if there would be volunteers to help us also with translations of texts in other languages. Should you be able and willing translate in other languages, please let us know. All the work you do is without payment from our side.

May the high light get you better and bestow you all the good for this work.

In the first place we think of the large European languages such as: Spanish, German, French, and Italian. And next: Arabic, Turkish, Chinese and Japanese.

For all of you,
Blessings and joyfulness,

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