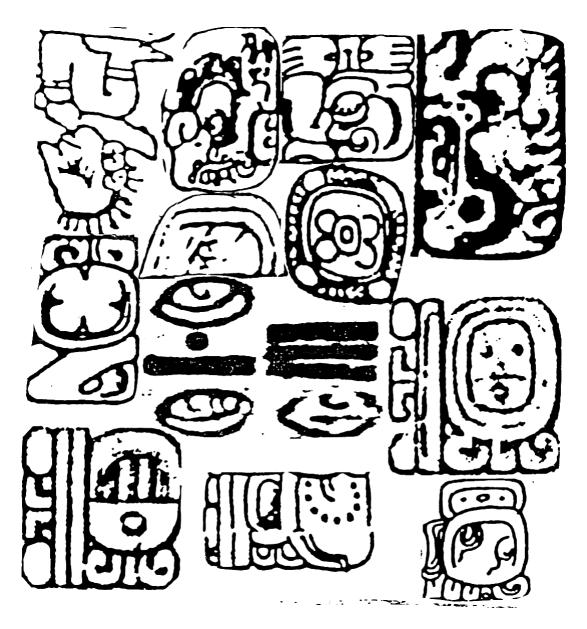
The Mayas and the year 2012

--- The facts ---

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Do you still remember the year 2000 and the decade before? It was only eight years ago. Hundreds, if not thousands of articles were posted on the Internet about "The prophecies for the year 2000" by Nostradamus. And dozens of books were written and bought like crazy by the all-believing esoterics. We shouldn't actually be alive today if those wannabe prophets had been right. Even the date 01.01.2000 should crash all computers and the entire world economy with them. None, absolutely none of the alleged forecasts of Nostradamus, or better what self-appointed "Interpreters" believed to be able to read in the writings of Nostradamus, came true. Of course our incompetent politicians actually brought the world a little closer to Armageddon, but that has nothing to do with the writings of Nostradamus. But the people who make money with nonsense and the fear of simple minded people found a new danger. And again esoteric magazines are flooded with articles and relevant books are being bought like crazy. If you read some of those articles on the Internet and elsewhere you will notice that none of the authors provide even a minimum of facts, not even the wrong facts by the supposed Maya experts. I would like to take the liberty to state the real facts over this problem in three categories: 1st the true facts, 2nd the wrong facts that the "Maya experts" provide and 3rd the mix of pseudofacts generated by the esoteric writers.

So what is it about? Please take a look at picture 1 (from my book ,, Weltbilderschütterung - die richtige Entzifferung der Hieroglyphen" [Shattering the world view - Hieroglyphs deciphered correctly]). In the upper left glyph you will see the number 39, the glyph next to it the number 8, the next one the number 25 in the last one the number 2. In the row below from the left the numbers 63, 3, and 803. The Maya knew our so called "Arabic" numbers but which are in fact not Arabic. Then you see on the picture round shaped glyphs that contain letters ("I "and "I ", thus the word "il"= eilen [to hurry]). Also you see black lines that once were words of "Latin" letters but the ink blended them together. You can still recognize them in many cases, if you take a look at the glyphs on the colour slides with the three preserved Maya codices, But you can also see them in the stone glyphs, Take a look at the glyph in the bottom row on the left. You see two "L ", two "H" in a stylized form, two "i" with dots over and under the two "L" and a long "I" without dot. This is the adjective syllable "illihhi" in the elidiutisc language, in Maya language and in old-German language, which in our modern German language correlates to the adjective syllable "-lich" [-ly], as in words like "endlich, gründlich" [finally, thoroughly]. The rest of the glyph can unfortunately not be read because of the weathering of the stone. Also in the glyphs next to it and in the glyph in the second row to the far right you can recognize the letters quite easily. In the bottom right glyph you can read the word "Juul" (here with two "u", in many other glyphs with only one "u" since there was no defined orthography).



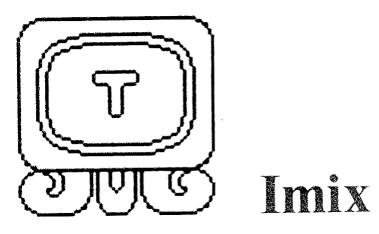
Picture 1

What are those self-appointed Maya experts doing now? They declare the round shaped, short words to the number "zero" and the long words that were blended together by the ink or weathered away on the stone after thousands of years to the number "one". When you are at that point you then can create any mathematic system that you want from it. You can calculate any sense and nonsense into it that you want.

The next fact is that these experts have not the slightest clue about the old Maya language. (with emphasis on the "old" Maya language). When Daniel Brinton saved the "Popul Vuh" and many other old Maya scriptures from oblivion around 1840 or 1850, not one Mayan in the whole country could read a single sentence in the writings. (See my article "The problem of Daniel Brinton"). The Mayas were for many centuries forbidden to speak their language so that the modern Maya dialects are corrupted in such a manner that you barely can relate them to the old language on the glyphs or the scriptures written down in "Latin". Among the current "leading" "Maya experts" is from my knowledge not a single linguist: a former art student, some archaeologists and some ethnologist. Nothing against art students as long as they stick with art. Nothing against archaeologists as long they stick with their excavations, nothing against ethnologists as long as they worry about ethnology, but everything against these people if they do not understand anything about writing and language, not even see that the glyphs are totally normal "Latin" letters and "Arabic" numbers. And then take a few

pieces from modern corrupted Maya dialects to read their old texts. The worst however is that they teach their produced nonsense to the today living Mayans as their culture. We have here a gigantic "cultural genocide" taking place. Those people should be brought in front of an international court. And all of that is financed by UNESCO courtesy of the ruling multicultureless do-gooder ideology. At the same time the Mayan ancestors are accused to have been warmongering, bloodthirsty barbarians. It is long proven that those scary stories served and serve only in order to hush up the crimes of the conquerors and the catholic clergymen, who wanted to convert the Mayans with all means to Catholicism. Do you really believe that whole cultures, not just the Mayans but also Aztecs, Zapotecs, Huastecs, millions of bloodthirsty people were brought into slavery by 300-400 adventurers? And their whole culture destroyed if they had so much experience in war that they would take up arms for any occasion? How does the picture look that our "experts" create about Mayans? The Mayans were ruled by an astronomical priest caste which always looked day in day out for some moon or sun eclipses that might bring some disaster. They had a Pantheon of, believe it or not, more than 1500 Gods, which had to be sacrificed to every day and to some main gods several times a year. Now transfer this into our modern time in order to recognize this whole nonsense. Our astronomers today, who do not have the knowledge of the Maya astronomers by a long shot, have to study for many years. They have much knowledge. How many of those are at the same time priests of a ridiculous religion with more than 1500 Gods? How many of our modern astronomers constantly look only after sun and lunar eclipses because they are scared by it despite their enormous astronomical knowledge? Not a single one! But then the Maya astronomers, who had much more knowledge and whose ancestors came from the solar system of the star Maya in the Pleiades, wet their pants by every sun or moon eclipse and ordered human sacrifices? The year has 365 days. Imagine you have more than 1500 acquaintances or colleagues, every one of those you have to congratulate on their birthdays and a hundred of them who are more important to other holidays, wedding days, etc. Together that's 10 to 15 congratulations per day. But you also must still work and get thousands of other things done. The "experts" give all those alleged Gods names like God A, God B, God C, God D, and so on although they maintain that they are able to read the old texts to a large extent correctly. Do you really believe that the Mayans would name their gods like that? The highest God is supposed to be Kukulkan. The spaceship, a Kugelkahn (orb ship) is supposed to be the highest God. A flying ship, a mother ship from which smaller, ball shaped objects are released. Exactly what people all over the world are saying when they report about UFOs.

Let's go back to the Maya calendar or better the Maya calendars. Short question to think about: "Why do a people need 4 calendars when only one of them is in accordance with the natural processes?" The Maya had the same calendar as we have. Even the "Maya experts" don't deny that and that is only logical since this calendar is based on what is really going on in nature. The Mayans couldn't have been such great astronomers if they didn't realize that the year has 365 days and a few hours. Beside this calendar there is supposedly a Venus calendar of 260 days, the holy calendar, the "Tzolkin". Since the ancestors of the Maya came from space, like all our ancestors, it would be quite possible that they would also create a Venus calendar. But there is no written proof for it. From the words in the form of lines and eggs, as we saw above and which they can't read or even interpret, they calculate a Venus calendar out of the Codex Dresdensis although there is no reference anywhere about Venus. Then the "experts" claim the Mayas had another calendar, the "famous" Maya calendar that all world talks about but no one really researches. This calendar is divided in 2 parts, a short and a long count. Question: "Why do I need a calendar that I count in this way and in that way although I already have 2 calendars where one is correct and that I can use?"



Picture 2

Please take a look at picture 2 above. There you see the letter "T", which is encircled by an "O". Below them is the word "Jul". Thus the glyph reads "Ot Jul". Ot or Od is present in all old texts, not only Mayan but Maoris, "Latin" texts, etc and describes the galaxy Od like in our (Z)od(iac), where one part is "Jul", from which our july-ancestors came, the Julians (see Julian calendar). That's why homeland in the old-German language (Heimat) is called "Heimu ot" and the Nordic countries call Christmas, the time of the arrival of the ancestors from Jul to this day, the Julfest and our month July owes its name to this fact. The "Maya experts" who are obviously unable to read "Latin" letters claim that it's a calendar glyph and call it "Imix" without the slightest clue or any proof why I should read "otjul" as "imix" and why this glyph has something to do with calendars. They call another glyph with "Jul" written under it "ahau". "Ahau" is the Maya word just like the old-German word the "ah-Aue, the water meadow" (Wasseraue). So declining down of a flying body onto the Ahaue is called "Kinich ahau" in Maya scriptures, "declined (geneigt) to the Ahaue", since UFOs tend to ascend and descend in a 35° declination. The "Maya experts" however are arguing, for some "kinich ahau" is a ruler of which they supposed to know the exact dates when he ruled, for the others he is simply a sun god and the word "ahau" alone means one time "king, ruler" and then another time something else. But I don't want to go through the trouble to explain why it should be a calendar glyph. It keeps going on and on that way. Someone takes the word "tun" from the Mayan dialects which means the same like in German, "etwas tun, etwas machen" (do something, make something), declares it a calendar glyph although there is something totally different written on it and randomly say that "tun" is one year in the calendar period! The past tense of "tun", "getan" which in Mayan and old German is "katun", are already 20 years. "To bake something" (for example bread or cake) is "baktun" must be 20x20 years so 400 years and so on, always in power of 20. "Alautun" (the "Alau", the Aue (meadow) or island in space, thus an inhabited planet, - again a reference on the extraterrestial origin of the ancestors) has already 64 million years. What a beautiful game by conmen. So they read stone stele by stone stele and then announce with joy: "Most depictions on the steles are local events." The same people who claim that the zenith of the Maya culture lies between 300-900 AD while the primitive beginning is dated to 1500 BC are also saying the steles depict local events from millions of years ago. Please make it clear for you with an example in the present. The city or the village where you live was founded for example in 1177 or 1614 and everywhere you find recordings on stone steles about local events from 3 or 64 million years ago when the place was nonexistent and no one lived there. It can't get more schizophrenic. But those "experts" doesn't care about something like that. But that's why they are experts. You don't have to take the logic of the whole into consideration. After they carved such a work of art of calendar, a calendar the Mayans could only have dreamed of, you of course need an initial date. This is supposed to be "4 ahau 8 kumku". Our calendar begins with 1 or 1.1. Every other known calendar in other cultures obviously too. Why the nonexistent Maya calendar begins with 4.8. is the secret of its inventors. Anyways some of the Maya calendar makers say this date ,,4 ahau 8 kumku" corresponds the date August 11th 1314 BC. No, say the others, it corresponds to the date August 12th 1313 BC. (But what is a year plus minus a day in view of the millions of years which they believe to be able to read in this calendar?)

The problem for the inventors of the Maya calendar now is the so-called correlation, i.e. the conversion of the "Maya dates" into a date of the European calendar. There are again many people who say one thing and others who say something else. The method which at the moment got the most followers is the Thompson-correlation or to be more exact the Goodman-Martinez-Thompson-correlation. For the initial date of the Maya calendar you need the right initial date in our European calendar. No problem for the "Maya scientists". They go back to the catholic monk Joseph Scaliger who in 1583, 5 months after calendar reform of Pope Gregor XIII., declared that January 1st 4713 BC is supposed to be the start of the Julian calendar. Why so? The same scientists tell us that the Julian calendar is called like that because Julius Caesar invented it, who presumably lived from 100-46 BC. Suddenly the Julian calendar is 4000 years older. In addition there are many people who have proven that 300-400 years are missing in our history and modern time calculation. (See also my article "The swindle with the year zero".) We probably don't live in the year 2008 but in the year 1608 or 1708 or somewhere between.

The difference between 4713 and 3113 or 3114 amounts to 1600 or 1599 years. This difference is now added to the converted dates. In addition they now don't calculate in years but in days. So after Thompson the 1st day of the Maya chronology is the 584284th day of the Julian calendar. (Now I would have needed to expect from you to endure more complicated calculations that deal with tropical year, some sun and lunar eclipses etc. But I want to spare you that. Who is interested can read up on that from the people respectively.). Only one more example of the confusion: They believe to be able to read different dates on the stone steles that relate to the same astronomical event. That will look like this:

Stele in Piedras Negras 1 379 662 days another Stele in Piedras Negras 1 838 136 days Stele in Quirigua 1 401 577 days Stele in Copan 1 415 637 days

The difference between the lowest and the highest amount (alleged to be the same event) is only 35975 days, almost 100 years. This even let the "Maya calendar experts" come to the conclusion that the current Mayan era (meaning the by esoterics longingly expected year 2012) ends between May 11th 1734 (long past) and August 12th 2532 (still far away). And they probably haven't taken the missing 300-400 years into account yet. So everything has been said about the "Mayan year 2012".

Now the esoterics come into play. The esoterics are not interested in the correct dates and facts, not even if August 11th 3114 or August 12th 3113 is the "correct" start date. But they should because then their holy date December 21st 2012 will be December 20th 2013. The esoterics are only interested in the supposed prophecies that are nowhere to be found in any writing, only in the heads of kooks and profiteers. There are supposed to be 7 prophecies. The "most important" is telling us that the sun will align in conjunction to the milky way. So what? That's quite possible and has happened several times over millions of years of earth history. But what does it have to do with prophecy? Our solar system is racing through the universe and is entering in and out of colder, warmer, radiation rich, radiation poor parts of the universe. This also affects the climate on earth but has nothing to do with Mayan prophecies. The remaining supposed prophecies are the usual New Age nonsense, a reference to the endless repeated problems of overpopulation and climate change the media propagating. And they do the exact opposite to fight them instead of what should be done.

If you are afraid of December 21st 2012 then you will be able to drink your coffee in peace, at least without concern about Mayan prophecies. If until then our lying pseudodo-gooders of politicians started World war III or not I can not say. If you are one of those people who put their hopes into this date in hope of some kind of New Age world cleansing, new world ages, pseudoreligious or other wonders then I have to disappoint you. You have to put that matter into your own hands. The nonexistent Maya prophecies won't help you.