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## Witchcraft

- A form of sorcery, or the magical manipulation of nature for self-aggrandizement, or for the benefit or harm of a client. This manipulation often involves the use of spirit-helpers.



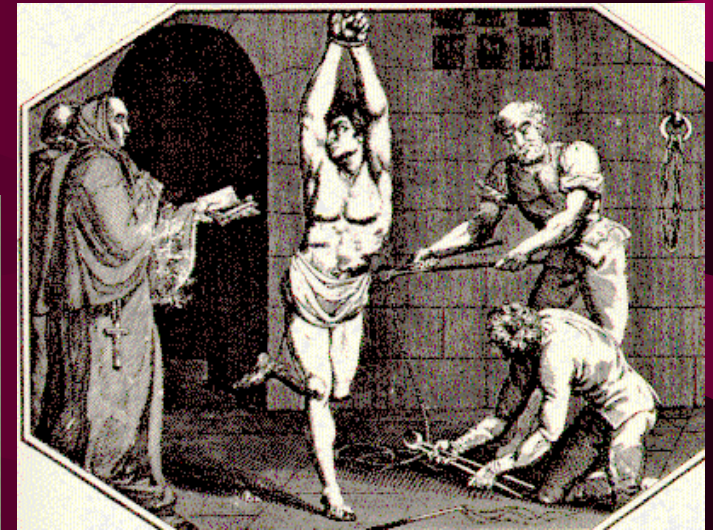
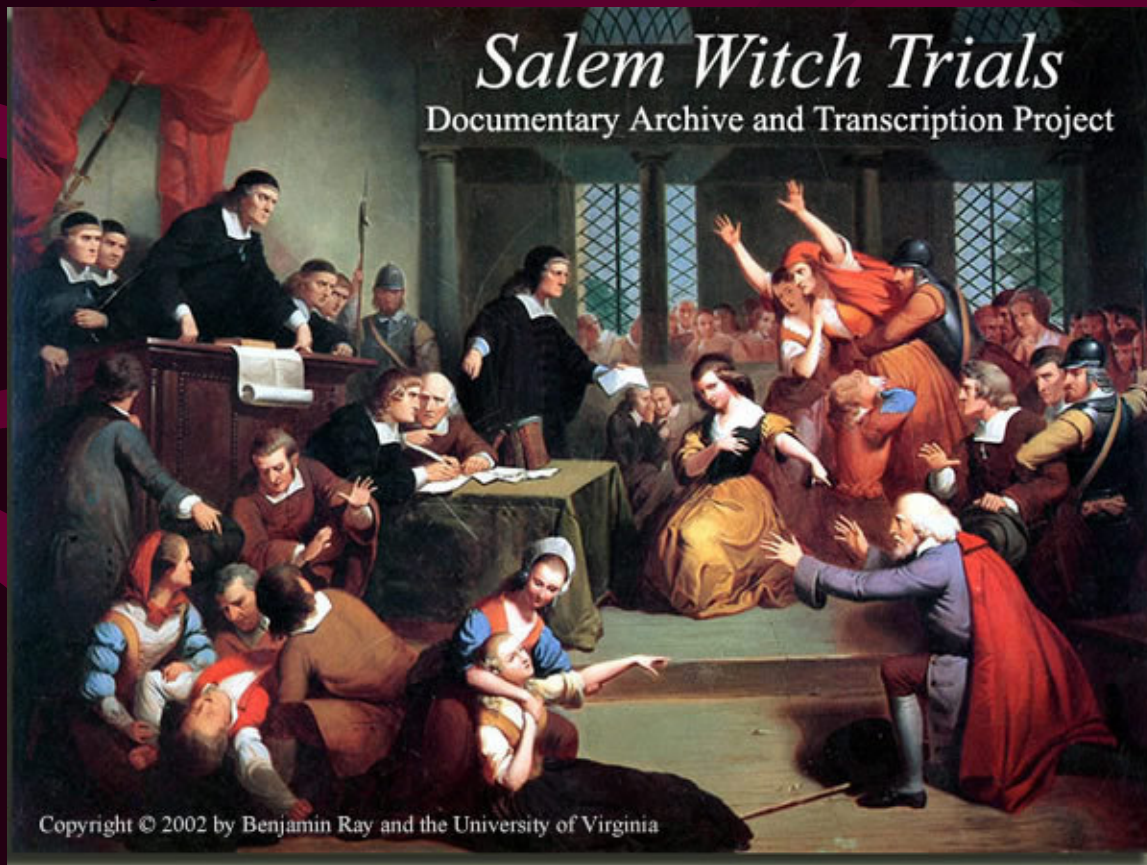


# Witchcraft in Torah & Bible

- Exodus 22:18 Death is the punishment for witchcraft.
- Deuteronomy 18:10–11 don't try to use any kind of magic or witchcraft to tell fortunes, or to cast spells or to talk with spirits of the dead.
- Galatians 5:19–20 "adultery, impurity, sensuality, idolatry, witchcraft" (condemned)
- Leviticus 19:26 "Do not practice divination or witchcraft"



# The Witch Hunts and Inquisition

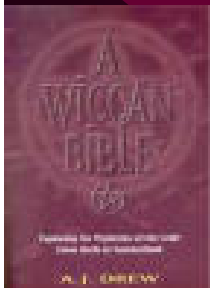




# Types of Witchcraft

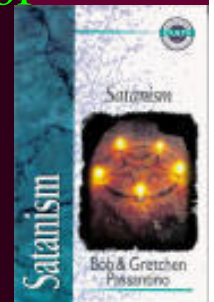


- **Evil sorcery**: using spoken spells in secret to harm or kill other people
- **Poisoners**: the practice of preparing poisonous potions in secret, to harm or kill other people
- **Gothic Satanism during the Renaissance**: During the late Middle Ages and the Renaissance, the Roman Catholic church taught that evil individuals, mostly women, sold their soul to the Devil, worshiped Satan and devoted their lives to harming others.
- **Wiccans**: are free to do whatever they want to, as long as it harms nobody, including themselves. Law: Any evil that one does will return three times over; so too with any good that one accomplishes.
- **Religious Satanism**: Modern-day Satanists recognize Satan, either as a deity or as a life principle. There were 10 to 20 thousand members of the church of Satan in the U.S. during the late 1970's.



THE  
RITUAL  
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# Witchcraft in the Quran

- [2:102] "They pursued what the devils taught concerning Solomon's kingdom. Solomon, however, was not a disbeliever, but the devils were disbelievers. They taught the people sorcery, and that which was sent down through the two angels of Babel, Haroot and Maroot. These two did not divulge such knowledge without pointing out: "This is a test. You shall not abuse such knowledge." But the people used it in such evil schemes as the breaking up of marriages. They can never harm anyone against the will of GOD. They thus learn what hurts them, not what benefits them, and they know full well that whoever practices witchcraft will have no share in the Hereafter. Miserable indeed is what they sell their souls for, if they only knew."





# God Protects the Believers



- [113:1] Say, "I seek refuge in the Lord of daybreak.  
[113:2] "From the evils among His creations.  
[113:3] "From the evils of darkness as it falls.  
[113:4] "From the evils of the troublemakers.  
[113:5] "From the evils of the envious when they envy."
- [23:97] Say, "My Lord, I seek refuge in You from the whispers of the devils.  
[23:98] "And I seek refuge in You, my Lord, lest they come near me."

