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September 20, 2004

Greetings Chaplain Bidderman,

David Truskowski, ADC# 188141 is a member of our Religious Institute, and he has requested that we minister to his spiritual needs while incarcerated with ADC.

The process of being allowed a "Pastoral Visit" has been somewhat confusing to members of the ADC staff, and on some matters to myself as well.

May I pass on, through you, my thanks and appreciation to the members of the ADC staff that were so helpful in arranging for a visit that was held on September 18, 2004 at the Fort Grant unit visitation area, and in particular to Assistant Deputy Warden Elliot (sp?) of the Fort Grant Unit that took the time to investigate the confusion and finally authorize the visit.

I look forward to future Pastoral visits with David and possibly other Inmates of the Facility, and will make myself available when needed. I offer my services to the inmates of ASPC-Safford units that profess connection with our ethno-socio-religious minority.

Our Religious Scripture is primarily derived of the Avesta and it's associated books. Our structure is Neo-Zoroastrian with similarity to the Friends Societies of the Quaker, i.e. we promote a family oriented lifestyle and do not require a dedicated building in which to hold meetings, we prefer to meet for services, and worship at members residences.

If you have any questions about myself, or The Church Of Cognizance, please do not hesitate to ask, and I look forward to future meeting with yourself, and other Chaplains that provide for the religious needs of the inmates.

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to change, whereas; people with defective receptors and knock-out mice (mice that have had their receptors removed) will keep going to the platform after it has been removed. They will be fearful of change.

23. Cannabinoids prevent and treat certain types of Cancer. Glioma (Brain Cancer) along with pheochromocytoma, skin cancer, prostate cancer, breast cancer, Lymphoma and Leukemia. Cannabinoids may prevent or cure cancer. Cannabinoids have a way of killing the bad cells and protecting the good ones.

24. Cannabis gives relief to Liver Disease & constant uncontrollable itching. Also, lack of sleep and depression and has been doing so for 600 million years.

25. THC in low doses relieves anxiety, while huge doses promote anxiety. (It's too strong like Marinol) Smoking marijuana relieves anxiety. Marijuana promotes sleeping better and normal persons when they are deprived of marijuana would have difficulty sleeping. (One other thing I'd like to add: When ingested, delta 9 THC, on the first pass thru the liver, changes into delta 11 THC. Five times as psychoactive and much longer lasting. I don't know how many people understand that. Ralph)

26. Cannabis protects nerve cells from dying thus protects against Alzheimers Disease.

27. Our bodies make up marijuana like compounds to make us hungry. (gives us the munchies) Then turn off those compounds & we don't have the munchies anymore when it has had enough food. The cannabinoid system first appeared 600 million years ago. Food & feeding is at the heart of evolution & the development of new species.

28. Head injuries cause the body to produce Endocannabinoids to protect itself as well as protecting the body against Nerve Gas. Marijuana turns on the bodies Protective Mode, because when you're hungry the body makes Cannabinoids to turn on your hunger. Cannabinoids turn on the expression of a Particular Gene (at the same time it prevents the expression of other Genes). How the Marijuana Receptors change the Integral Bio-Chemistry. Some of the Molecules that are involved or been studied in a Model Organism. There is a worm that people study alot. They have very simple Nervous Systems so you can define what exactly is going on. It turns out this one Particular Molecule regulates what is known

as a Transcription Factor (It turns on the Expression of Genes.) It turns out that when you turn on the Expression of this Particular Gene of the Worm Model it actually promotes Mimicking a condition that actually Promotes Longevity of these worms. This Parallels what we've seen in mice. Because Marijuana exhibits Free Radicals so people who've been using Cannabis, Long Term, tend to Live Longer & Look Younger. Marijuana Promotes your Health by affecting your Nerve Cells, by Balancing your Immune System, by Reducing Fat Deposition in your Cardio-Vascular System. It looks as if it helps Burn the Synthesis of things like Cholesterol.

29. New research shows that the argument over outlawing cannabis because it "Causes Cancer" is no longer valid. There are Nicotine Receptors in your throat. There are no Cannabinoid Receptors in your throat. Cells have a Bio-chemical Program known as "APOPTOSIS". This Bio-chemical Program is activated when cells too damaged to repair themselves commit suicide. There is a Bio-chemical Pathway that controls that. Nicotine activates a path that protects the cells from dying. Smoking anything puts Carcinogens into your Air Passage-ways and Cardio-Vascular system. Cells that get damaged by smoke die and that's what you want to happen. Cells to die before they become Cancer Cells.

For the rest of this interview with  
**Dr. Melamede Please visit The Church Of Cognizance  
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## AN INTERVIEW WITH DR ROBERT MELAMEDE.



New research shows anti-oxidant properties  
of cannabis have widespread medical  
applications.

Cannabis [Hemp] a.k.a.  
Marijuana has been wrongfully  
demonized

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**“The Cannabinoid System has been around for over 600 million years. Before the Dinosaurs. The Cannabinoid System is continuously evolving and has been retained by all new species. Food and feeding is at the heart of the Cannabinoid System.**

1. Cannabinoids are in every living animal on the planet above Hydra and Mollusks, with the exception of insects. Bodies are homeostatically maintained by the Cannabinoid System.
2. Mothers give their babies a booster shot of cannabinoids in mothers milk to give them the munchies because they have to learn to eat. (they've been fed thru the umbilical cord and did not have to know how to eat.)
3. Mice lacking the CB1 receptors don't like any changes. If they are moved to another part of the cage they act upset and when they are put back to the original spot in the cage they relax, but if then put into another part of the cage they get upset again.
4. All new species utilize cannabinoids.
5. By being alive and breathing air our bodies produce "free radicals". Cannabinoids help to reverse this action.
6. Cannabinoids do kill brain cells, but the brain cells they kill are called "Glioma" or Cancer of the brain(Tumor). All other brain cells are protected and healed by cannabinoids. (Glioma cells cannot tolerate the action of cannabinoids)
7. Cannabinoids protect against sunburn and skin cancer because of the CB1 receptors in our skin.
8. Cannabinoids slow down the aging process. Mice that their brains respond to cannabinoids live longer and mice that have brains that block the CB1 receptors die younger.

9. Activity in the evolutionary advanced areas of the brain is increased in cannabinoids receptors and promotes higher consciousness levels.

10. Cannabinoids are even found in the white blood cells (CB2 receptors). The CB2 receptors are found predominantly on immunological cells and regulate the shift in the immune system to the anti-inflammatory mode.

11. Cannabinoids protect the heart against Ahythmia.

12. The way it works on pain is there is specific nerves that deal with pain. They are called vanilloid-Receptors. Anandamide(sanscript word for "Blissful Amide"), the bodies internally produced marijuana binds with the nerve endings, reducing pain. Anandamides are produced internally by our bodies in response to a whole variety of conditions. As an example, Aspirin prevents the breakdown of Anandamide, the internally produced marijuana to activate & start working at easing pain. How many old lady's say they "WOULD NEVER" use marijuana & are actually using the equivalent of marijuana that their bodies produce as a natural activity, & don't even realize it. And how many politicians and citizens of the US do this also & aren't even aware they are condemning something that their bodies make naturally. Anecdotal evidence is valid because when a person smokes marijuana & it relieves their pain, then they smoke it again & it relieves their pain again it becomes a fact known only to that person, but nonetheless true.

13. In the case of most autoimmune diseases, the bodies immune cells produces free radicals & is destroying it's own body as a foreign object. Cannabis pushes the immune system into anti inflammatory mode & helps slow the progression of that disease, thereby slowing down the aging process.

14. Seizures are controlled by marijuana not only THC, but non-psychoactive cannabidiol.(CBD) The exact mechanism is not known, however HEMP is high in CBD's & can cancel out the psychoactive high of THC & at the same time benefits the user or smoker. Cannabinoids control everything in our bodies including our minds.

15. There are many other things that Cannabinoids do in the body, besides attaching to the CB1 and CB2 receptors, the main cannabinoid receptors in the higher part of

our brain. Cannabinoids affect our skin and other parts of our bodies .

16. Pharmaceutical companies are working at sythe-sizing different cannabinoid components and different types of strains of marijuana. If they can succeed, then there will be more choices for you and I to choose from and we will be able to use what works best for our particular bodies .

17. The natural course for mankind, because of the location of our CB1 CB2 the brains main receptors, is to be more stoned.

18. Drug warriors are not doing what they are doing to us because they are intentionally evil, but because they are more primitive(obtuse comes to mind). They look at the world with fear and hostility not cooperativity and understanding .

19. According to a brain function study of 150 depressed people Cannabis protects the brain against healthy cell death and it also protects Neurons.

20. Cannabinoids dilate our brochial tubes and help asthma sufferers to breath both in and out. Because of the balance that is maintained in our bodies for good health there are instances where it works backwards, where death is possible, if too much is smoked. This goes back to the effects of cannabinoids on individuals and if it doesn't work for you, you should not use it. There was some old studies that were done back in 1977 where "AEROSOLIZED THC" was used on patients. This is not what the government tells us when they say it's not medicine, but we are all familiar with the 7 government patients that are supplied marijuana to be used as medicine and we know the government is lying .

21. Natural pain eradication by cannabinol used by our receptors .

22. Cannabinoids control how we view the future. If you're loaded with bad experiences you're going to be fearful of the future. Lots of smoking of cannabinoids makes you want to be in the future. Lack of change vs embracing the future and changes. Conservative people might die prematurely, stressed, uptight and fearful (genocide). Open minded people and mice are able

11/14/94

Dear Karry,

Thanks for your endorsement of my senatorial attempt. I got 1% of the vote at a cost of <4 cents per vote as opposed to Jefford's \$10. Not to bad. Many people expressed joy that I brought the issue to the foreskin of the electoral process. The fight goes on. Below is a brief statement, that I believe should provide a serious challenge to marihuana prohibition based on religious grounds. I have sent this to both NORMAL and the ACLU. We'll see what happens. Looking forward to getting together with you. I'll be in La Jolla Dec 6-12.

Webster New Collegiate Dictionary religion 1: (2) commitment or devotion to religious faith or observance; 2: a personal or institutionalized system of religious attitudes, beliefs, or practices; 4: a cause, principle or system of beliefs held to with ardor or faith.

For about 20 years I have devoted much of my mental and spiritual efforts to developing an understanding that provides me and others with a scientific foundation for what I see as the common denominator underlying apparently diverse religious beliefs. The principles of nonequilibrium thermodynamics provides the framework for this effort. This branch of physics deals with the flow of energy in open systems (the biosphere and all life forms) and has been pioneered by Ilya Prigogine who received the Nobel Prize in chemistry for this work in 1977. Unlike equilibrium thermodynamics (classical) which cannot account for life other than by a miracle, this new branch can be viewed as mandating it. Evolution of complex systems, inclusive of creativity, are intrinsic to my interpretation of nonequilibrium thermodynamics as being the prime manifestation of the will of God. From this perspective I would interpret man being made "in the image of God" as meaning that we must embrace God's fundamental characteristic of creativity, which includes cooperatively and evolution. This principle is most elegantly displayed in the evolution of the human brain and the political and social systems that have co-developed with it. Scientifically, it has been demonstrated that the number of THC (active ingredient in marihuana) receptors increases as one looks higher up the evolutionary ladder, and furthermore, these receptors are found in highest numbers in those portions of the brain associated with human intelligence. Therefore I conclude, both logically and religiously from personal revelation, that the stimulation of these receptors is involved in thought processes that are representative of the will of God, i.e. the creative process. Personal exploration of my receptors, in particular by altering their activity levels through the intelligent religious use of natural plant products, is mandated by everything that I know scientifically, and believe religiously. Thermodynamically speaking, for a stable steady state to evolve to a new regime, the fluctuations around the average of the variables of the system must expand and in fact mathematically approach infinity prior to a nonlinear rearrangement that will lead to a new stable steady state. I believe that this process will manifest itself socially and politically as "heaven on earth". Individually this rearrangement will be seen as a jump in man's average lifetime and average level of health and intelligence. Practically speaking this new age should be characterized by peace, harmony and love, all of which are characteristics that are required for the next level of social, individual and molecular cooperativity. I hope your organization can help me defend my constitutional rights against mindless authoritarianism.

sincerely

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Dept Microbiology and Molecular Genetics  
Stafford Building





# Certificate of license

THIS IS TO CERTIFY

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whom having shown sufficient evidence of competence and understanding in the healing powers of HAOMA and in answering this calling into the MINISTRY of

## THE CHURCH OF COGNIZANCE

is hereby Licensed to establish and maintain a WELLNESS CENTER in the name of the church, to teach the Cogniscenti Mode of Worship, and to exercise their divine gifts through teaching and provision of the gifts of Haoma for our brethren, and others, for the healing of mind, body, and soul, in accordance with the healing arts of the Ministry

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At: \_\_\_\_\_

By Enlightened Cogniscenti \_\_\_\_\_

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Be it known by these Presents  
That on

The 12th Day in the 8th Month of the Year 1994AD  
By acting upon and within the Cognizance of  
Their Liberty of Conscience

John and Jane Doe Members

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Enlightened Cogniscenti Daniel D. Quaintance

Signature *Daniel D. Quaintance* Date 10-22-05



# Church Of Cognizance IOMM Membership Pledge

I/WE \_\_\_\_\_ by submitting our application, have pledged our allegiance, and support, to the Church Of Cognizance, and the IOMMs of which it is composed.

I will do my best to live an honorable life; in a family oriented mode; as described in The Church Of Cognizance Belief's Introduced; at the Church Of Cognizance Cultural Information Center.

I will not allow any Marijuana raised for religious use to enter into commerce, nor will I provide marijuana to anyone outside of the Church Of Cognizance; other than in providing for the religious use by a potential member; and, that use will be under my direct supervision.

I further agree that until such time as the governments end their war against our sacrament, I will keep any cultivation, or use, confined to a secluded, secure area, in order to mitigate government fears regarding child endangerment.

I further understand it is a duty of mine to share the bounty of any harvest with the sick, and dieing free of charge; when requested, if I am aware, or made aware, of it being beneficial in such situations.

I will respect other family's lifestyles by agreeing not to introduce any minors into the Marijuana Religion.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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