

The First Garden

Glossary



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Introduction

~ This will Grow as the Gardens Grow ~

In Writings of the Garden, many words begin with a capital letter.

These are (almost always) the Terms of the Garden.

Sometimes there are good reasons to not begin them with a capital letter;

for example, for the sake of Beauty.

Sometimes there are good reasons to begin words that are not Terms with a capital letter;

for example, 'You'.

It is not too strict.

Here, an Essence and an Explanation is provided for a selection of them.

Not all Terms are included here and not all will be.

Interpretation is invited.

Contents

Loam, Root, Mantle

Body, Mind, Heart, Soul, Spirit
Health, Truth, Love, Beauty, Peace

Success, Freedom, Power
Character, Courage, Patience

Evilness, Meagreness
Goodness, Greatness

Loam

~ An Area of Life ~

Loams are the areas of Life (Lfe).

Life (Lfe), the largest Loam, is envisioned as a circle in the plane.

All Loams of Life (Lfe) have a place in the circle and a three-letter Code.

The Code is cited afterwards in between brackets.

In the First Garden, the Five Root Loams are very general:

Sustenance (Hth)

Development (Tth)

Connection (Lve)

Enrichment (Bty)

Guidance (Pce)

Some Loams of later Gardens are mentioned in the Writings of the First Garden, such as Science (Tht).

In the later Gardens, the Loams are more specific and range widely from:

Breathing (Bre) to Physics (Phy) to Law (Law)

Root

~ A Value of Life ~

Roots are the values of Life (Lfe).

They are visualised as special points in the plane.

Every Loam is paired with a Root.

For example, paired with the Loam 'Connection (Lve)' is the Root 'Love'.

Additionally, every Root is paired with a Quality.

For example, paired with the Root 'Love' is the Quality '(loving)'.

In the First Garden, here are the Five Roots paired with the Five Root Qualities and the Five Root Loams:

Health (healthy)	Sustenance (Hth)
Truth (truthful)	Development (Tth)
Love (loving)	Connection (Lve)
Beauty (beautiful)	Enrichment (Bty)
Peace (peaceful)	Guidance (Pce)

Some other Roots are implied in the Writings of the First Garden, such as 'Freedom' or 'Cleanliness'.

This is given greater clarity in the later Gardens.

Mantle

~ A Role of Life ~

Mantles are the roles of Life (Lfe).

They are visualised as a passage in the plane from a Loam to its Roots.

Every Loam is paired with a Mantle.

For example, paired with the Loam 'Connection (Lve)' is the Mantle 'Connector'.

Additionally, every Mantle is paired with an Act.

It is a verb given in its -ing form.

For example, paired with the Mantle 'Connector' is the Act 'connecting'.

Continuously doing that Act makes one a 'Wearer' of the Mantle.

In the First Garden, here are the Five Root Loams paired with the Five Root Mantles:

Sustenance (Hth)	Sustainer (sustaining)
Development (Tth)	Developer (developing)
Connection (Lve)	Connector (connecting)
Enrichment (Bty)	Enricher (enriching)
Guidance (Pce)	Guider (guiding)

A Wearer 'furthers' their Loam and is 'directed' by their Root.

Hence, a Connector furthers Connection (Lve) and is directed by Love.

The largest Loam is Life (Lfe).

It seems to be paired with the Root of Goodness, but this is not the full story.

The Mantle paired with Life (Lfe) is a mystery for now.

Body

~ Part of One which extends over Space ~

Breathing, moving, sensing.

These are things the Body does.

The Body is one of the Five Parts of a Person.

It is the Part of One which extends over Space.

This may be extended to include bodies in virtual spaces.

The Body is paired with the Root of Health.

To make Health better, sustain the Body.

As the Body's Needs give the Instincts to Live.

Mind

~ Part of One which thinks & understands ~

Thinking and understanding.
These are things the Mind does.

The Mind is one of the Five Parts of a Person.

The Mind is paired with the Root of Truth.

To find more Truth, develop the Mind.
As the Mind reflects the Truth of the World.

Heart

~ Part of One which extends to People ~

Connecting to Others.

This is what the Heart does.

The Heart is one of the Five Parts of a Person.

The Heart is paired with the Root of Love.

To make Love better, connect Hearts.

As the Heart's Desires give the Reasons to Live.

Soul

~ Part of One which dreams & experiences ~

Dreaming and experiencing.
These are things the Soul does.

The Soul is one of the Five Parts of a Person.

The Soul is paired with the Root of Beauty.

To find more Beauty, enrich the Soul.
As the Soul projects Beauty onto the World.

Spirit

~ Part of One which extends over Time ~

The past, the present, the future.

These are what the Spirit of One extends to.

The Spirit is one of the Five Parts of a Person.

It is the Part of One which extends over Time.

The Spirit is paired with the Root of Peace.

To make the Peace better, guide the Spirit.

As the Spirit's Rules give the Ways to Live.

Health

~ Goodness of the Needs of People ~

Health regards Goodness of the Needs of People.

It is one of the Five Roots of Life.

Health is regarded as stability in Space.

Truth

~ Goodness of Minds reflecting Worlds ~

Truth regards Goodness of Minds reflecting Worlds.

It is one of the Five Roots of Life.

Truth is interpreted as mental or internal structures corresponding with mundane or external structures.

Familiarly, this is seen in accurate beliefs.

More generally, it may manifest in a measurement, a textbook, a program, and so on.

Love

~ Goodness of the Bonds of People ~

Love regards Goodness of the Bonds of People

It is one of the Five Roots of Life.

Love is the Purpose of People.

Beauty

~ Goodness of Worlds reflecting Souls ~

Beauty regards Goodness of Worlds reflecting Souls.

It is one of the Five Roots of Life.

Beauty is interpreted as mundane or external structures corresponding with mental or internal structures.

Familiarly, this is seen in artistic expressions.

More generally, it may be every choice made without a reasoned best option.

Peace

~ Goodness of the Rule of People ~

Peace regards Goodness of the Rule of People

It is one of the Five Roots of Life.

Peace is interpreted as stability over Time.

Success

~ All Actual Past Actions of One ~

Success is all the actual past actions of One.

For a Person, it's all their accomplishments.

More generally, it is their entire impact and effect on this World.

It is important to be clear that Successes may be Good, Mixed, or Evil.

Usually, 'success' is considered only to be Good.

But, someone may have Evil goals, achieve them, and consider themselves successful.

Freedom

~ All Perceived Present Choices of One ~

Freedom is all the perceived present choices of One.

A person may be confined to a small and dark room, but have more Freedom than one who is not.

This is if they have a strong enough Mind that they can change to what they want.

Freedoms may be Good, Mixed, or Evil.

Power

~ All Possible Future Actions of One ~

Power is all possible future actions of One.

For people, it is all their abilities.

More generally, it is all their potential.

Powers may be for Good, Mixed, or Evil purposes.

Character

~ The Goodness of Success ~

Character is the Goodness of Success.

This covers actual actions for the Greatest Good.

It appears as righteousness.

And it arises from Spiritual Strength.

Courage

~ The Goodness of Freedom ~

Courage is the Goodness of Freedom.

It is the subset of perceived present choices, which are perceived as most Good, and then to act upon them.

It has Serving Roots in later Gardens:

Strength of Body

Curiosity of Mind

Charm of Heart

Liberality of Soul

Hope of Spirit

Patience

~ The Best of Powers ~

Patience is the Best of Powers.

This covers possible actions for the Greatest Good.

It appears as endurance.

And it gives rise to Bodily Hope.

Evilness

~ Lowness of the Worth of Being ~

Evilness is lowness of the Worth of Being.

Its lowness of quality, merit, and content.

Meagreness

~ Lowness of the Growth of Being ~

Meagreness is lowness of the Growth of Being.
Its lowness of quantity, magnitude, and extent.

Goodness

~ Highness of the Worth of Being ~

Goodness is highness of the Worth of Being.

Its highness of quality, merit, and content.

The Five Roots of Life are SubRoots of Goodness.

Its exact nature is found in later Gardens.

Its Mantle is currently a mystery.

Greatness

~ Highness of the Growth of Being ~

Greatness is highness of the Growth of Being.

Its quantity, magnitude, and extent.

Its exact nature and relation to Goodness is found in later Gardens.