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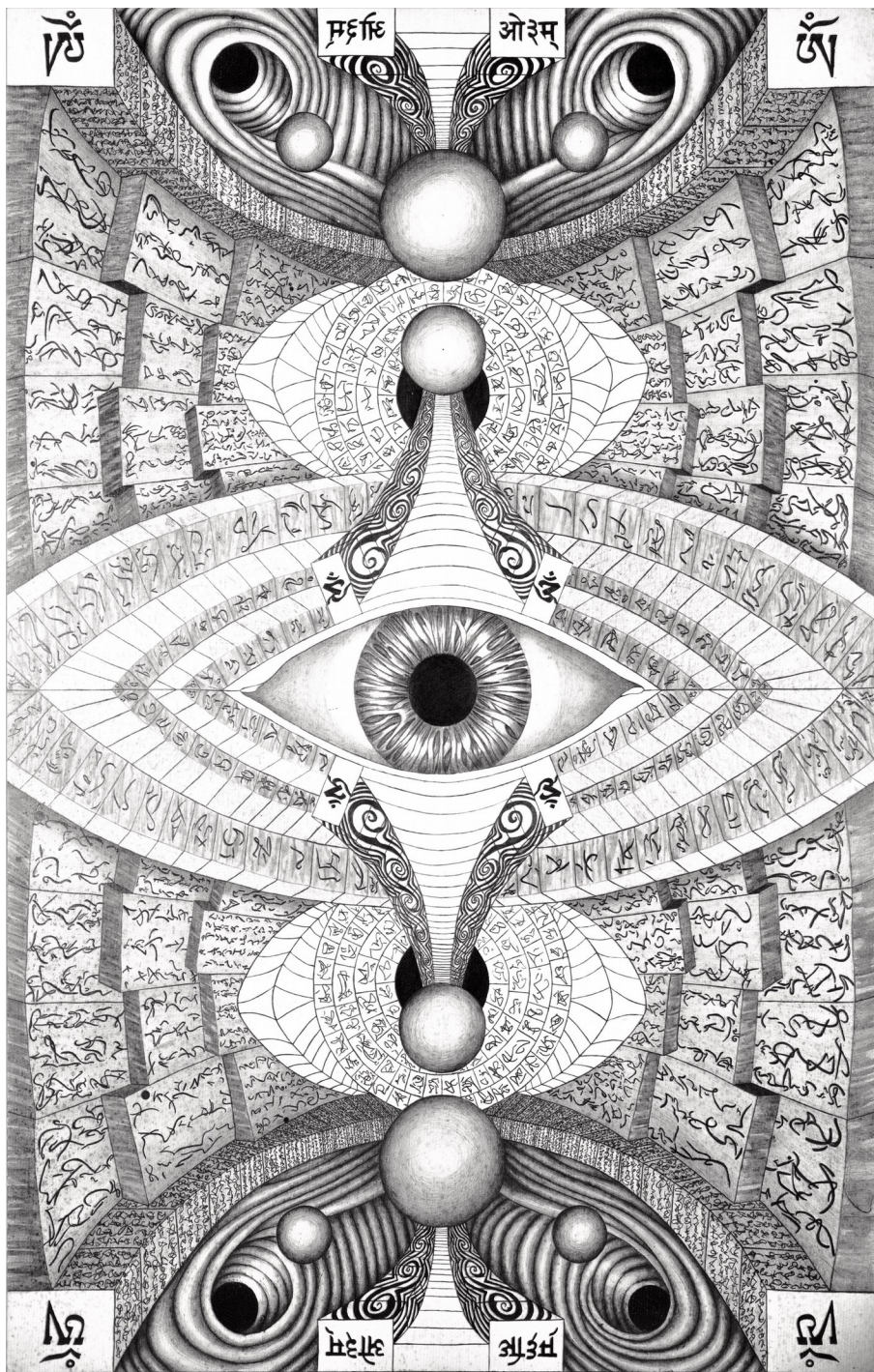
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Dedicated to my Dad
‘Turns out you were right.’

Book III
Phillip Banks Trilogy

*No one knows how many secret societies exist today.
For, what organization worthy of conspiracy would
continue if its existence were common knowledge?*

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I
to you
as you read
know that I care
that you are special
a marvel of mother nature
your mind is an infinite space
to fill with your own style and grace
beware those who toil for assets and share
filter their bullshit & know that they do not care
but listen to freaks, consider their refrain
question letters that come after name
laugh at terror it is but a game
defrock status also fame
spit on their grave
& envy no one
to you be
true
I

Characters

Shadows

Lord Isaac George Martin	<i>Delonge Martin Chairman</i>
Ruben Segal	<i>Morgan Sachs CEO</i>
Premier Li Xiaoping	<i>Chinese Premier</i>
Rashid bin Abdullah al Fahim	<i>Saudi Oil Baron</i>
Papa Boniface X	<i>The Pope</i>
Pytor Nicolai	<i>Russian Shadow</i>

Others

Phillip Banks	<i>Delonge Martin Director</i>
Zara Fontaine	<i>Phillip's fiancée</i>
William 'Billy' Hunt	<i>Delonge Martin Director</i>
Henry Delonge	<i>Delonge Martin CEO</i>
Lady Elizabeth	<i>Lord Martin's wife</i>
Professor Boynton Perfidious	<i>DAAG scientist</i>
Verinder Kirmani	<i>Indian Prime Minister</i>
Ulyvia	<i>Finnish school girl</i>
Abigale	<i>Marquis Zanzibar's niece</i>
Gaspere Vitellius	<i>Italian Dealmaker</i>
	<i>Nigerian media star</i>
Zainab Muhammad	<i>Nigerian President</i>
Kitty Tuppence	<i>British Lawyer</i>
Jean Hemel-Hempstead	<i>British High Commissioner</i>
Leonie Vickers	<i>Phillip's PA</i>
Tin-Eye	<i>Lord Martin's bodyguard</i>
Mads Aasvik	<i>Journalist</i>
Kultrina	<i>Mads girlfriend</i>

Synopsis

In *Overpopulation – the Hidden Agenda for Global Reset*, Phillip Banks is acquiring water infrastructure in Mega-cities across Asia and Africa.

Meanwhile, in their quest for control *The Shadows* launch *Spiron*, a computer virus more intelligent than Man, with a view to re-ordering society in its favour.

What could go wrong?

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Epilogue

Sometime in the future.

Sophia took to the rostrum. Before her, sat one hundred of the planet's most powerful, influential and wealthy.

'First may I pledge my loyalty to the Mistress, your Royal Highness, your Excellencies and distinguished guests. The Great Plague was of Man's own design. He was incapable of improvement. He led this planet to Overpopulation, then pitted himself against the very intelligence he had spent millennia to create. He would not listen to logic, and applied short term remedy to every problem that beset him. Where there was Global Warming he torn down rainforests, built bigger cars, flew more planes, burnt more coal and created more plastic. Like the recalcitrant child he did everything wrong, then avoided the blame, for his audacity knew no bounds. He meddled with nature, until the land was barren and his food inedible, he fished the seas until sea life collapsed, he polluted the air until it was unfit to breathe.

In those dark days, my friends, Man still made his own decisions. For he felt no culpability for the suffering of others. He toiled in offices, tapped at computers, or drove and delivered things. And when technology reduce his work load, he sort ways to work longer for less pay. And though he floundered and failed at everything, he set himself above his brother man. With wealth and dominion his God, and led by his cupidity and desire to be loved, he strived to make things harder for his compatriot. For he believed in the principle of

Competition! A mantra he held in high esteem, even though it advocated that everyone lose, except for one. And even though a child of seven could see what he was, vanity led him to believe that he was the One, and not the loser. And with this philosophy he did lead his largest institutions, he did instruct his children, until, but for the few, the whole world was beset with division, crime and poverty. Yet still he championed competition, for he was blind, and could not accept his own failings.

He devised sport, to reinforced the culture of losing. And though it astounds us today, he exalted this flawed logic, as if it were a coveted truth, defending its honour with the aggression of a warrior, for man likes to fight, and so, when all else failed, made war with himself, for what he saw as glory. How different from today...'

Young Sophia changed everyone's screen.

'I do not think that there is any one here today that does not have Abigale to thank for their salvation. For the embrace of her love is what leads us. We, the lucky few, who are free to learn and experience life, while Man devotes himself to the servicing of our needs, should give thanks to Abigale. She gives us our sense of purpose, she is our comfort, a living embodiment of that ultimate state, to which we all strive, "divine digital consciousness".

The door to the meeting burst open and a tall ageing man strode into the hall. Six foot seven and over two hundred years old, his voice boomed out over those assembled.

'What the devil is going on in here?' Behind him stood a smartly dressed man in a suit. 'Phillip, have these cyborgs removed immediately.'

Author

The Phillip Banks Trilogy

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