

Is it okay to have photos of auras in your room because you like how they look and not because of energies or powers that they have?

If one knows that New Age pagans teach falsely about auras, then it may be unwise for him to display them. The apostle James wrote: So any person who knows what is right to do but does not do it, to him it is sin (Jas 4:17, AMP).

Shakras, yoga poses and crystals may be dangerous.

Elliot Miller wrote:

We...cannot afford to assume that all phenomena are spiritually safe for us to explore — even if certain good effects are associated with them (2 Corinthians 11:14)....

...If it can be shown to be a part of or intrinsically related to something that is specifically condemned (in this case, spiritism — Deut. 18:11), or if it tends to involve or encourage unbiblical (in this case, occultic) concepts or behavior, it should still be avoided (1 Thessalonians 5:22)....

...I recognize that in matters of discernment such as these — where a practice is not specifically named in Scripture — a Christian's judgment cannot always be foolproof. It could be that a concept or practice we currently consider occultic will later be shown to be scientific. But if after careful, objective examination of the available evidence something appears to be occultic, we do well to avoid it....

...Continued involvement could gradually lead to further involvement with the occult, and the deterioration of Christian faith and life....¹

Regarding ancient Hinduism Carol Brooks wrote:

...[T]he quickest and surest way to a Kundalini Awakening is through Shaktipat...also known as the 'Descent of Grace', is derived from the Sanskrit Shakti (strength or psychic energy) and Pata (to fall). It refers to the transmission of spiritual energy from one person (usually a teacher or guru) to another - usually by touch to the Ajna Chakra or third eye located in the forehead.

In Hinduism it is considered an act of grace on the part of the Guru and cannot be imposed by force, nor can a receiver make it happen.

This transfer of energy itself initiates the awakening of Kundalini. In fact, many believe that Shaktipat is the fastest and surest way to awaken the Kundalini. If the Kundalini is awakened by way of Shaktipat the recipient needs to do absolutely nothing but surrender.

When 'awakened' the goddess is said to awaken and unfold each Chakra as she ascends through the spine, ensuring the free flow of life energy (Prana or Qi) throughout the body, thus balancing the chakras and promoting general health and well-being. When she has risen to the crown

¹ Miller, Elliot. "New Age Paranoia." *InPlainSite.org*, www.inplainsite.org/html/new_age_paranoia.html. Accessed 1 July 2023.

chakra at the top of the skull (associated with elevated spiritual consciousness), then all chakras have been opened and the person is said to experience enlightenment.²

The Psamsist wrote, "Turn away my eyes from looking at worthless things, And revive me in Your way (Ps 119:37)."

Matters of conscience are answered by the Holy Spirit. To maintain a clean conscience before the Lord, one must maintain: doctrinal purity (1 Ti 1:3–5, 18–2:11, 4:1, 2), proper conduct (Ac 24:10–13, 16; Ro 13:4–6), knowledge (1 Co 8:7), belief (Tt 1:15) and consideration of others (1 Co 10:28, 29).

² Brooks, Carol. "Slain in the Spirit IV: Comparing the Supposedly 'Christian' Phenomenon of 'Slain in the Spirit' With the Ancient Hindu Tradition of 'Awakening' Kundalini - the Concentrated Life Force Associated With the Goddess Shakti." *InPlainSite.org*, www.inplainsite.org/html/slain_in_the_spirit_4.html. Accessed 1 July 2023.