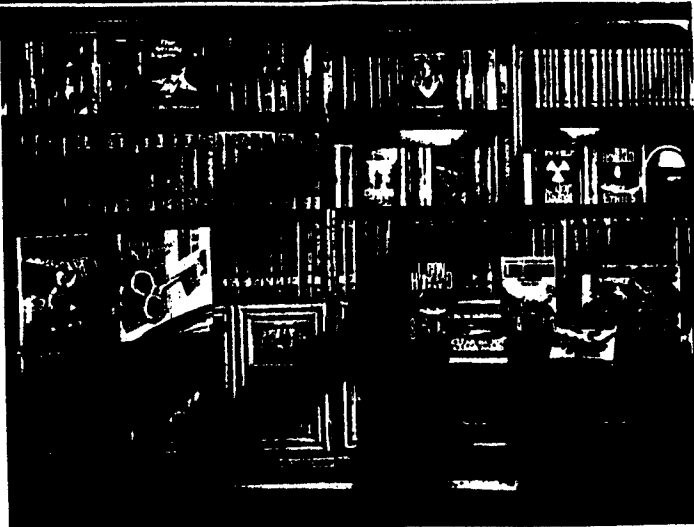


THE VITAL STATISTICS OF SCIENTOLOGY

WHAT IS SCIENTOLOGY?
 Scientology is an applied religious philosophy. The term *Scientology* is taken from the Latin word *scio* (knowing in the fullest sense of the word) and the Greek word *logos* (study of). In itself the word means literally *knowing how to know*.

Scientology is further defined as the study and handling of the spirit in relationship to itself, universes and other life.

Any comparison between Scientology and the subject known as psychology is nonsense. Early psychology such as that begun by St. Thomas Aquinas and extended by many later authors was, in 1879, interrupted severely by one Professor Wundt, a Marxist at Leipzig University in Germany. This man conceived that man was an animal without soul and based all of his work on the principle that there was no *psyche* (a Greek word meaning *spirit*). Psychology, the study of the spirit (or mind)



Some of the materials comprising the subject of Scientology.

Scientology is used by some of the largest companies on Earth. It is valid. It has been tested. It is the only thoroughly tested system of improving human relations, intelligence and character, and is the only one which does.

WHERE IS THERE MORE INFORMATION ABOUT SCIENTOLOGY?
 There are Scientology organizations

located throughout the world. Scientology practitioners are validated by these organizations. Diplomas are given only after very exact training.

A person who is skilled in Scientology procedures has a diploma from one of these organizations.

These organizations and their staff can give you more information about Scientology.

There have also been many books published on the subjects of Dianetics and Scientology.

For the subsequent decades, Wundtian "psychology" was taught broadly throughout the world. It taught that man was an animal. It taught that man could not be bettered. It taught that intelligence never changed. This subject, Wundtian psychology, became standard, mainly because of the indifference or lack of knowledge of people in charge of universities.

Scientology can and does change behavior and intelligence, and it can and does assist people to study life. Unlike Wundtian pseudo-psychology, it has no political aspiration. Scientology is not teaching dialectical materialism under the heading of "psychology."

Scientology is a *route*, a way, rather than a dissertation or an assertive body of knowledge.

Through its drills and studies one may find the truth for oneself. It is the only thing that can show you who you really are.

The technology is therefore not expounded as something to believe but something to *do*.

The end result of Scientology studies and drills is a renewed awareness of self as a spiritual and immortal being.

Only those who believe, as do psychiatrists and psychologists, that man is a soulless animal or who wish for their own reasons to keep man unhappy and oppressed are in any conflict with Scientology.

Scientology, used by the trained and untrained person, improves the health, intelligence, ability, behavior, skill and appearance of people.

It is a precise and exact science, designed for an age of exact sciences.

It is employed by an *auditor*¹ upon individuals or small or large groups of people in their presence. The auditor makes these

people, at their choice, do various exercises, and these exercises bring about changes for the better in intelligence, behavior and general competence.

Scientology is employed as well by business and government persons to solve problems and to establish better organization.

HOW IS SCIENTOLOGY USED?

Scientology is employed by an auditor as a set of drills upon the individual, and small or large groups. It is also employed as an educational subject.

It has been found that persons can be processed in Scientology with Scientology exercises and can be freed from their major anxieties and can become brighter, more alert and more competent. *But* if they are *only* processed they have a tendency to be overwhelmed or startled, and although they may be brighter and more competent they are still held down by an ignorance of life.

Therefore it is far better to teach and process a person than only to process him. In other words, the best use of Scientology is through processing and education in Scientology. In this way there is no imbalance. It is interesting that people only need to study Scientology to have some small rise in their own intelligence, behavior and competence. The study itself is therapeutic by actual testing.

It is also used by business and government leaders to establish or improve organization.

It is used as well by the individual at home or at his work to make a better life.

IS SCIENTOLOGY VALID? Tens of thousands of case histories, all sworn to, are in the possession of the organizations of Scientology. No other subjects on Earth except physics and chemistry have had such grueling testing. Scientology in the hands of an expert can restore man's ability to handle any and all of his problems.

Scientology is practiced in daily life by enormous numbers of people who have no formal training in the humanities beyond a study of textbooks. Scientology was developed to be used by such people as well as by the trained practitioner. A person studying by himself from textbooks can use Scientology to help his fellow human beings.

WHAT SPECIAL USE DOES SCIENTOLOGY HAVE? Scientology does things for people where nothing has been done before. It restores people's ability to handle conditions which were once considered hopeless. It increases their intelligence.

It changes their competence and betters their behavior. In addition to these it brings them a better understanding of life.

L. RON HUBBARD
 Founder of Scientology

1. **dialectical materialism** Marxist theory of political and historical events as due to conflict of social forces caused by man's material needs.
2. **auditor** a person trained and qualified in applying Dianetics and/or Scientology procedures to individuals for their betterment; called an auditor because *auditor* means *one who listens*.
3. **processed** have Scientology processes and procedures applied to one by a trained practitioner. This is called *processing*. The exact definition of processing is: The action of asking a person a question (which he can understand and answer), getting an answer to that question and acknowledging him for that answer. Processing is also called *auditing* (see definition of auditor above).

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