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THERE IS A GOD ABOUT WHOM YOU KNOW NOTHING

(Previous title: Jung and the Figure of Abraxas)

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Central to the whole enterprise which we know as *The Red Book* is the creation of a new cosmology. It is in the text that Jung called *The Seven Sermons to the Dead* that this new vision of the microcosm and macrocosm is fully stated. The revelation of this forgotten god is deeply challenging as it contradicts the familiar certainties of the Judeo-Christian deity. It certainly challenged the Dead - the ancestral collective who had demanded enlightenment - as, on hearing about this new being, *Here the dead howled and raved greatly, for they were still incomplete ones*. Some effort will be made to understand this powerful, contradictory entity, although his essence lies in the realm of the non-rational. At the same time as Jung wrote *The Seven Sermons*, he painted a mandala and found a place for Abraxas at the nadir of the circle, labelling him *dominus mundi*, lord of the world!

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