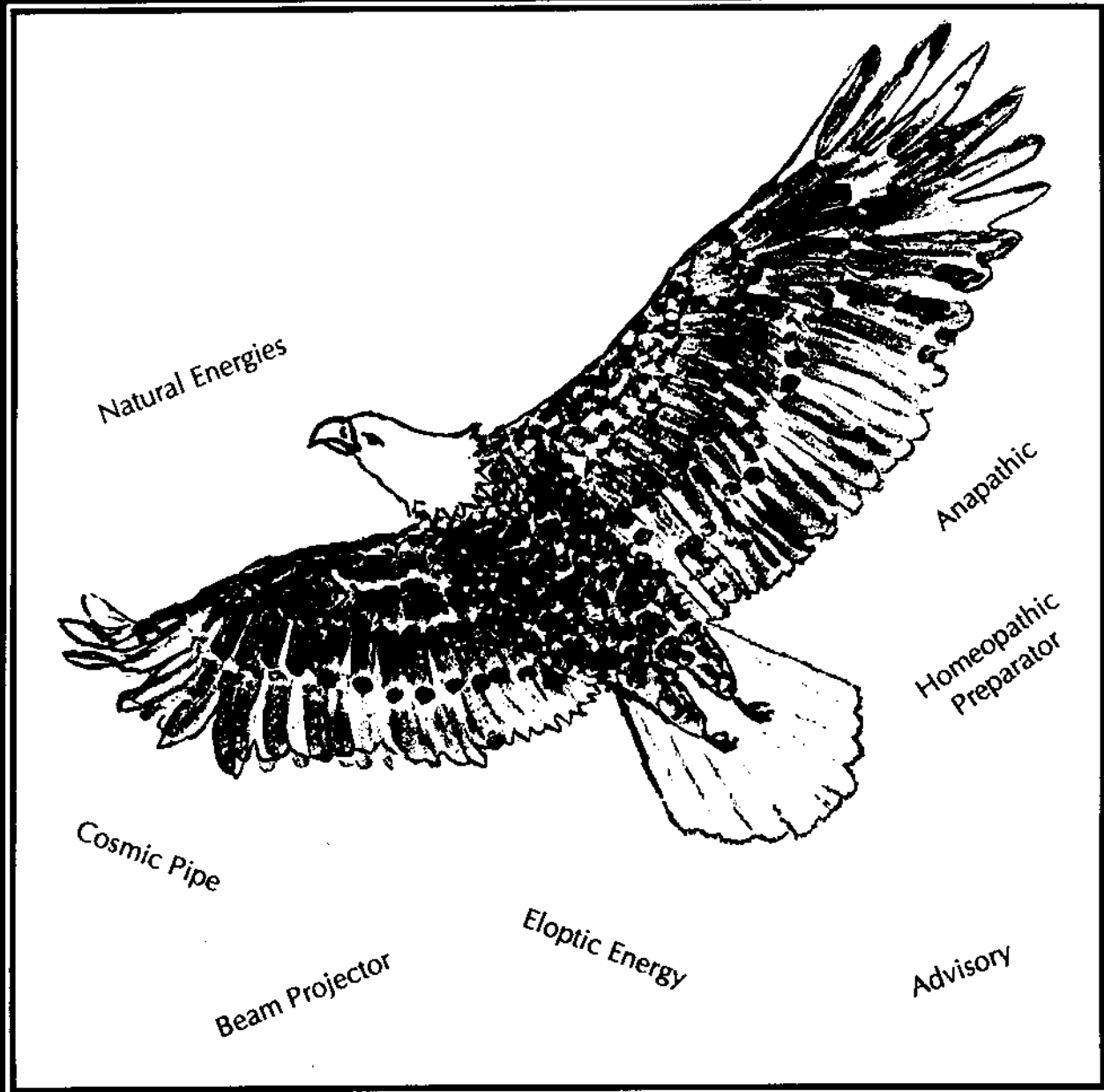


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**Dr. Thomas Galen Hieronymus**  
1895 - 1988

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Certificate of Birth

This Certifies: that according to the Records of this Health Department

Name THOMAS GALEN HIERONYMUS  
Was Born in VALPARAISO Indiana, on NOVEMBER, 21st. Year 1895.

Child of J. F. HIERONYMUS and MATTIE TOTUM HIERONYMUS.

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By *Freda M. Gray* Deputy  
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## **According to the Records**

Francis (Franz) Hieronymus was born September 24, 1729, in Vienna, Austria. He arrived in America October 13, 1747, aboard the Dutch ship "The Two Brothers," Capt. Thomas Arnot, Commander. He settled in Loudon County, Virginia. In 1760 he married Elizabeth Rector, born 1746. They had ten children, of whom Henry Hieronymus was one.

The children of Henry Hieronymus and his wife, Sarah, included James W. Hieronymus (who later served in the Union Army, was captured, and died in Libby prison, Andersonville, Georgia) who married Nancy Miller (born October 17, 1831). James W. Hieronymus (born 1832) bought a 135 acre farm 12 miles south of Lawrenceburg, Kentucky.

My father, James Frederick Hieronymus was born on that farm on March 5, 1861. My father lived on that farm for 19 years. He tended the farm and the stock. He taught music and sold organs in four counties of Kentucky for two years, then went to Jackson County, Missouri in August, 1882, where he continued to sell organs and teach singing schools in various parts of the area. Later, he raised saddle horses and short horned cattle. He was married twice. The first time to Matilda Stayton and raised a daughter, Fedora May. He was married in 1894 to Mary Jane Tatum (1872), my mother. They had four children.

James Frederick and Mattie Hieronymus were the parents of Thomas Galen Hieronymus, who was born November 21, 1895, at Valpariso, Indiana and died February 21, 1988, at Clayton, Georgia. Thomas Galen Hieronymus married Edith Hughes (born 1901) in 1916. Their only child was Velma Hieronymus (born in 1917, died in 1981). The marriage ended in divorce.

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Thomas Galen Hieronymus' second wife was Louise Barbara Williams, born 1901 in Lake Charles, Louisiana, and who died in 1974 in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. Their children were Alan Van Lieu Hieronymus (born 1927), and Janet Gale Hieronymus (born August 1930).

Alan's wife's name is Barbara. They had a son, and possibly other children.

Janet Gale married Charles Mullis in 1951, and they now live in Organ, New Mexico. Their children are Linda, Charles Jr., and Galen Mullis.

Linda Mullis married Charles Specht. Their children are Jimmie and Jadee (short for Janet Dorothy).

Charles Mullis, Jr. (Chad) married Rene Marz in 1981. They have two children, Devon Marie, born August 3, 1983, and Keaton, age two-and-a-half years.

Thomas Galen Hieronymus married Sarah Williams Gran, February 13, 1980. His stepchildren by this marriage are Marta Gran Scott, Judith Gran Mitzlaff, Victor Gran and Constance A. Gran.

Marta Gran Scott and her husband, George Scott have 3 children, George M. Scott, Gregory William Scott, and Denise (DeeDee) Scott.

Judith Gran Mitzlaff and Alan Mitzlaff have 2 children, Daniel and Karl Mitzlaff. Victor and Roberta Gran have two children, Jill, and Jacquelyn.

*Hieronymus Coat Of Arms*



*Hieronymus*



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*Mrs. Charles W. Mullis, Sr. (Gale Hieronymus Mullis, daughter of Dr. Galen Hieronymus), and her family; her daughter Linda (Mrs. Charles Specht), her son, Galen Mullis, her Husband, Charles W. Mullis, Sr. (Chuck), and her son, C. W. Mullis, Jr. (Chad).*

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*Charles Specht, Linda Mullis Specht, Jadee Specht (daughter) and Jimmie Specht (son).*



*C. W. Mullis, Jr. (Chad), his wife, Rene' Marz Mullis, their children, Devon Marie Mullis and Keaton Mullis.*

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*Dr. T. Galen Hieronymus' four great-grandchildren, Jimmie Specht, Jadee (Janet Dorothy) Specht, Devon Marie Mullis and Keaton Mullis*



*Dr. and Mrs. T. Galen Hieronymus. (Sarah and Galen.)*

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## **Tracking the Astronauts:** **A still hidden milestone in the history of science.** By: Rho Sigma

It was about 20 years ago, at the height of the US Space program. The lunar landing project, set as a goal by then President John Kennedy for the decade ending with 1970, was nearing its climax. A middle-aged aerospace research engineer at the NASA—MSFC facility in Huntsville, Alabama, had heard persistent rumors about a gentleman named Galen T. Hieronymus and his amazing invention, and was on his way to said inventor's then residence in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Recalling Thomas Huxley's admonition: "I am too much of a skeptic to deny the possibility of anything," his curiosity prompted him to pay Galen Hieronymus a personal visit in order to learn more about him and his experiments.

Galen, at that time a very youthful septuagenarian with the natural curiosity of a child and the persistence of a trial lawyer welcomed the stranger—yours truly—and showed him some of his equipment, telling him at the same time of his research and experiments with an astounding form of energy which was quite evidently not part of the known textbook physics and/or part of the E/M spectrum. Jokingly, he mentioned the various states of his frustration concerning the stony silence of the establishment in view of the amazing results he had achieved with what he chose to call "Eloptic Energy."

"I feel like saying 'STOP THE PLANET AND LET ME GET OFF!'"

Well, fate had decreed otherwise, as his many friends found out, and Galen was merely scheduled to leave his ho-hum retirement community in Florida with the shuffle boards and gala-community affairs, and again to enter the life of an active scientific pioneer for another 20 years of new achievements in the wilds of the quiet Georgia mountains, interrupted only by frequent travels, including to places in Switzerland and Brazil.

Recalling his successful experiments with personnel aboard submerged submarines, he suggested to start investigating the possibility of tracking the biological functions of American astronauts circling the moon during the upcoming APOLLO 8 flight. So far, the energy he was dealing with had shown no detectable attenuation characteristics. Would it be possible to utilize it also out in space, following the astronauts on their way to the moon and back again?

This intriguing question was privately discussed among some of the technical and scientific people at the NASA Center in Huntsville, and preparations were made to prepare the first private forum for Galen Hieronymus in our residence there. Soon a hardcore of about 20 engineers with various qualifications listened to Galen's and his operator-wife's lively accounts of their various experiences, and his instrument was duplicated by some of the engineering types—with success!

Thereafter, some excellent photos of the astronauts scheduled to go on APOLLO 8 were secured from NASA channels and a hot-line was prepared between Galen's residence in Florida and our private residence in the space-city of Huntsville, Alabama. With the help of Mrs. Hieronymus, the astronauts were checked out about 2 days before the flight and a baseline of their various biological

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values established. The tracking of these values was continued before and during lift-off of the APOLLO 8 moon rocket and periodically checked at short intervals during the flight to the moon. One of the prime questions was: Would the energy-connection hold for thousands of miles in airless space, even when radio-contact with the astronauts would be interrupted when their vehicle was "behind the moon," and thus all communication with them would cease? How would NASA know whether the retro-rockets would function properly during this critical time period? If this particular small rocket, (without backup system) did **not** function properly, the correct orbit around the moon might not be established and the brave crew could be lost in space, period. A call from Florida, **not** from the Kennedy flight Center, but from the home of Galen and his wife, brought welcome news. The adrenal glands of the astronauts had registered a change, together with the vitality of their bodies. Everything had worked as scheduled and the astronauts were safe!

There was considerable excitement among the small band of "those in the know" in Huntsville and a subsequent 300 copy report with graphs and charts of intensity values was prepared by volunteers, including Galen himself, who worked late into the night, with the enthusiasm of a teenager expecting to drive a car for the first time in his life. Free copies were sent to journals and personalities who should have been interested in this remarkable experiment. A former secretary of Dr. Wernher V. Braun, the Director of the Space Center in Huntsville, persuaded him to take a copy of the report along to a conference with the space medical people in Houston, Texas. Well, the expectations were premature, and not even a small science fiction magazine known for its "far-out" material showed any inclination to publish anything about it! Dr. V. Braun was told in unmistakable ways to "stick to his rocket-building" and leave the medical projects to the authorized NASA medical doctors. The iron curtain of the establishment did **not** open, period. Many more interesting sessions in Huntsville with Galen and his wife forged a close bond between him and yours truly. In one case, our German Shepherd was bitten by a poisonous snake during one of his visits to a deep drainage ditch and came limping home, his paw badly swollen and showing the teeth mark of the snake. A proper "rate" brought relief within a few hours and the dog recovered beautifully. Many of us wondered at the time: Would application of this new knowledge be limited to the animal and plant kingdom because of the close-minded attitude of "vested interests?"

Was this civilization so blinded by greed that it could or would not see the tremendous impact this space experiment should have made? Was nobody curious anymore?

The space program was winding down and the qualified research people are gone with the wind, it seems. A strong personal bond had developed and many hours of happy and wild ideas with Galen, who liked to introduce himself as "one of the Jones' boys," were registered in the Akashic Records. His passing will be mourned by many, since the undersigned and most of his friends fully expected to see him celebrate his 100th birthday. But his achievements will be kept alive and his work continued.

Farewell, dear friend, until we meet again! Your laudatio will be written by more evolved beings than those who rejected your experiment with the astronauts . . .

To my beloved Wife and Partner, Sarah Williams Hieronymus,  
who, with her love, devotion to me and my work, and her faithful  
and unselfish work in my behalf, made these years since 1979  
the best years of my life; to her children and grandchildren,  
to my daughter Gale and her family; to my faithful employees  
and associates, and to our research associates,  
this book is affectionately dedicated,  
with all my Love and Appreciation.

T. Galen Hieronymus, Ph.D.