

## **MOMENTS IN THE INFINITE ABSOLUTE**

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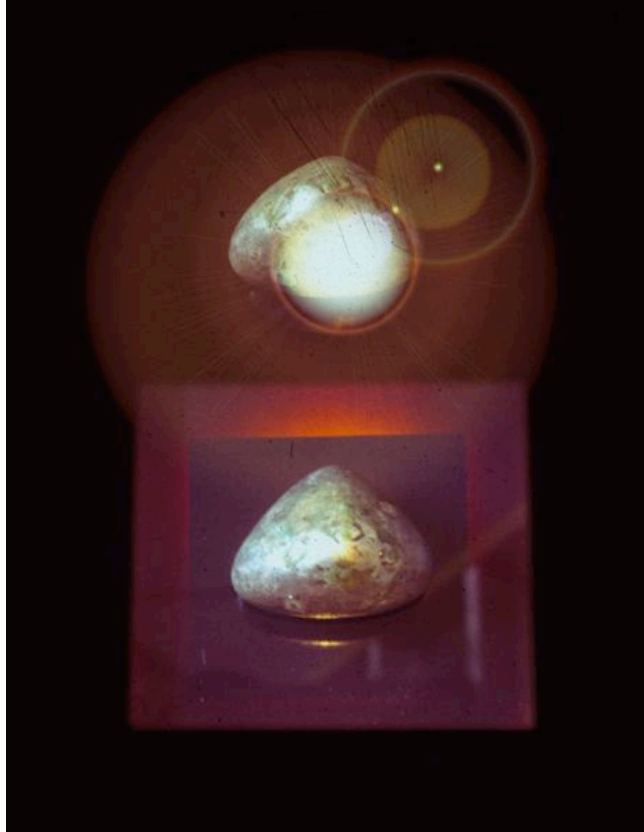
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### **ABOUT MOMENTS IN THE INFINITE ABSOLUTE**

Burgess's monumental work, 'The Seed of the Infinite Absolute' will float in microgravity above Los Angeles, generating brilliant flashes of light as it transits from OG to 2Gs. It is formed by an elaborate series of processes and distillations created, in different global climates, over the past 25 years.

Its shell, a geometrically complex, hand size 'seed' is a fusion of the 12 'royal' metals. It contains a unified emulsion of the essences of 44 trees, 52 flowers, 36 waters, 32 bloods and 120 telepathic hopes representing, in essence, the entire Earth. All these elements are unified into one essential, hand-held form to be 'released' by the artist at the edge of the absolute state of micro-gravity.

The concept for this artwork in micro-gravity is the simple gesture of release from a human hand of the hand-sized form of "the Seed of the Infinite Absolute" into repeated moments of weightlessness (moments of 'equant' balance) and double-density/double-gravity weighted ness. (It is actually quite a dense and heavy small pear sized object). At the moment of its weightlessness, it flashes with bright white stroboscopic light (the flashing brilliance of its approach to the Absolute).



The Seed of the Infinite Absolute by Lowry Burgess, 2005

The "Seed of the Infinite Absolute" is a distilled seed-form which by its nature establishes an entity which is the unit, root, measure, proportion/portion of the single one' or the absolute unit or measure of this cosmos -- its source and end. It is the geometric and ritualistic gravitational center of a nest of infinities within the larger artwork called the "Quiet Axis".

The "Seed of the Infinite Absolute' is formed by an elaborate series of processes and distillations over the past 25 years. The shell of the 'seed' is a meld of 12 metals 'distilled' at the foot of Mount Whitney and 'poured from the sun' at twilight. This shell contains an emulsion of the essences of 44 trees, 52 flowers, 36 waters, 32 bloods and 120 hopes. In it all these are brought together into one essential form.