

## THE GREAT PYRAMID OF GIZA

### SIGNIFICANCE OF THE NUMBER OF COURSES OF STONES

#### INTRODUCTION

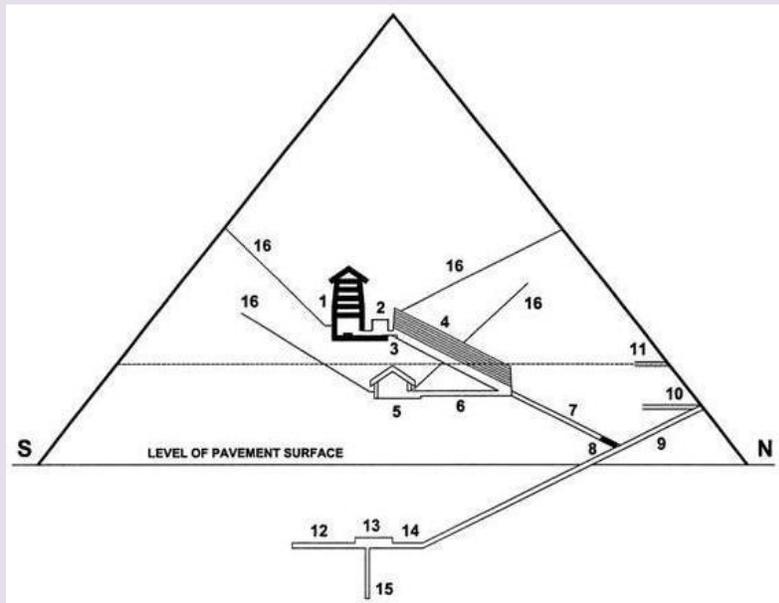
The location of each compartment and passageway of the Great Pyramid corresponds to a particular course of stones in the structure. There are 203 levels of stones from the pavement surface to the top of the pyramid. Including the capstone, there would be 204 levels of blocks.

The list below links the courses of blocks to the key compartments and junctures:

Entrance to Downward Passage	19 <sup>th</sup> Level
Passage to Queen's Chamber	25 <sup>th</sup> Level
Starting point of Grand Gallery ceiling	35 <sup>th</sup> Level
Passage to King's Chamber & Ante Chamber	50 <sup>th</sup> Level
Capstone	204 <sup>th</sup> Level

#### GREAT PYRAMID

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1. King's Chamber
2. Ante Chamber
3. Great Step [50<sup>th</sup> level stones]
4. Grand Gallery
5. Queen' Chamber
6. Passage to Queen's Chamber [25<sup>th</sup> level of stones]
7. Ascending Passage
8. Granite Plug (3 red stones)
9. Descending Passage
10. Entrance [19<sup>th</sup> level of stones]
11. Height of Entrance of Grand Gallery [35<sup>th</sup> level of stones]

**SPIRITUAL INTERPRETATION OF COURSES OF STONES<sup>1</sup>**

19	=	FAITH
25	=	FORGIVENESS OF SINS
35	=	SUFFERING SERVANT
50	=	PURIFICATION
204	=	WORLD PRAISES GOD

The connection between the entrance to the inner passages and the number **19** “**FAITH**” is most appropriate. Faith is “**the evidence of things not seen**” (Heb. 11:1). Today we have a map of the passages and chambers of the Great Pyramid but for 4,500 years those passages were cloaked in darkness inside a massive heap of stones. Those who have faith believed the message of the Bible before they ever saw the illustration of spiritual truth provided in the stones of the Great Pyramid. To those who do not have faith, the measurements of the passages and chambers are only a curiosity. To “enter in” to the spiritual meaning of the Great Pyramid one must begin with a faith in God, the creator of Heaven and Earth. Hence, the entrance is placed at the **19<sup>th</sup>** course of stones.

The Bride of Christ, the body of all believers, inhabits the **25<sup>th</sup>** course of stones in the form of the Queen’s Chamber. How is it possible for sinners like us to become the spotless Bride? We are able because of God’s “**FORGIVENESS OF SINS**”, as represented by the spiritual number **25**. Did God forgive our sins because our good deeds outweigh our bad deeds? No. Did He forgive our sins because He was feeling generous? No. He forgave our sins because Jesus stood in our place and took the punishment we deserved. It is on the merit of the blood of Christ, his literal death to pay the penalty for our sin, that God has forgiven us. Now we are forgiven we look forward to spending eternity with the lover of our souls.

The place where the Grand Gallery opens up to its full height is at the **35<sup>th</sup>** course of stones. This is the exact point in the prophetic time line of the Great Pyramid when Christ died on Calvary. The spiritual meaning of the number **35** is “**SUFFERING SERVANT**”. Isaiah wrote “**He was despised and rejected of men, a man of sorrows acquainted with grief...He was oppressed and afflicted, yet He opened not his mouth.**” We read in the gospel accounts of all the miracles Jesus performed. The blind received their sight. The lame walked. The stigmatized lepers were healed. All of these people danced for joy. But the tender heart of Jesus lived in a house of mourning. He wept over Jerusalem, longing to care for her as a hen gathers her chicks. He

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<sup>1</sup> For a detailed explanation as to the spiritual meaning of Bible numbers please refer to [www.biblenumbersforlife.com](http://www.biblenumbersforlife.com) and refer to the Spiritual Number Map 1-41 and Spiritual Number Map 2-77

could see what would befall that city, indeed the greater part of humanity, for rejecting his offer of reconciliation with God. That realization combined with His great love for every human being, pierced His heart with grief.

At the **50<sup>th</sup>** course of stones sits the passage to the Ante Chamber and to the King's Chamber. The spiritual meaning of the number **50** is "**PURIFICATION**". John the Baptist said "**I baptise you with water unto repentance... but He will baptise with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fan is in His hand and He will thoroughly clean out His threshing floor, and gather His wheat into the barn; but He will burn up the chaff with unquenchable fire.**" (Matt 3:11-12). The Age of Grace continues up to the **49<sup>th</sup>** course of stones. **49** is the spiritual number of "**JUBILEE**", or "**FATHER'S LOVE**". During the year of Jubilee all debts were cancelled. During the Age of Grace those who respond to the message of repentance from sins and receive the gift of eternal life through the blood of Christ enter into the Father's Love and eternal blessing. However, the Age of Grace will end at some time, and the Tribulation will begin. At the end of the Tribulation, Christ will judge the nations. The nations that honored the true God in the Tribulation will enter into the Millennium Age. The nations who worshipped and served the Devil in the Tribulation will not. The Earth will be purified from Satan and the effects of man's sin and those who enter it will enjoy long life and great blessing.

The pinnacle of the Great Pyramid is the **203<sup>rd</sup>** course of stones. Adding the missing capstone brings the Great Pyramid height to a total of 204 stones. The number 204 factors into 4 x 51. The number **4** means "**THE WORLD**" and the number **51** means "**PRAISE OF GOD**". We infer that the **204<sup>th</sup>** stone points to "**THE WORLD PRAISES GOD**". This was the original purpose of God when he created the Earth. It was seemingly spoiled when Adam and Eve disobeyed and ate forbidden fruit. Although much of history is a testimony of the adverse effects of man's rebellion, the history of the saints and of Christ's life on Earth has been to glorify God. During the Millennium Age the whole Earth will be restored and filled with worshippers. The original purpose of the Earth as the place where all creation praises God will thus be fulfilled.