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PHILIP GARDINER has a masters degree in strategic marketing and nine diplomas ranging from personnel management to holistic medicine and etymology. A consultant to authors and experts in the fields of mythology and history, Gardiner is married with two children and lives in the heart of Robin Hood country in England.

Before retiring to dedicate his time to researching and writing, Gardiner was owner and marketing director of a company in the UK, a role that included giving lectures on the art and history of marketing and propaganda to various organizations, including government bodies and companies. He has infiltrated various secret societies and has been initiated into orders many people had thought were long forgotten.

Gardiner began his writing career with a book entitled *Proof: Does God Exist?*, published in 2002, following this with his bestselling *The Shining Ones: The World's Most Powerful Secret Society Revealed*, launched in the UK to immediate success. In this book he exposes an ancient priesthood that developed into the world's most powerful secret society.

Having appeared on more than 200 radio and TV programs, including *Fox News*, *The Art Bell Show* and *The Hilly Rose Show*, Gardiner is featured in the new Discovery Channel series, *Freemasonry*, to be released in the fall of 2006.

Currently, he is working on TV projects for US and UK production companies, including a series of documentaries and a reality TV show. He has just completed two new books, *Gateway to the Otherworld* and *The Ark*, *The Shroud and Mary*; both books have

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been contracted with a major publisher. August 2006 will see the release of the revised version of *The Shining Ones*, wherein Gardiner and co-author Gary Osborn increase the knowledge base and bring the secret society element up to today's world.

Committed to the constant struggle to uncover the real history of mankind and the unraveling of manipulative propaganda, Gardiner hosts the Forbidden Knowledge Conference. He is a featured speaker at the annual Signs of Destiny Conference which brings together world-renowned thinkers, researchers and teachers devoted to the greatest mysteries of our time; the 5th annual conference will be held in Arizona in November 2006.



Books by International Best-Selling Author PHILIP GARDINER

- Gnosis: The Secret of Solomon's Temple
- The Serpent Grail: The Truth Behind the Holy Grail, the Philosopher's Stone and the Elixir of Life
- The Shining Ones: The World's Most Powerful Secret Society Revealed
- Proof: Does God Exist?
- Gateway to the Otherworld
- The Ark, The Shroud and Mary
- Secrets of the Serpent: In Search of the Sacred Past