The NEW AGE Movement

Introduction:

This New Age philosophy is really nothing new, but is a blend of Occultism and Hinduism (which started 2,000 B.C.)

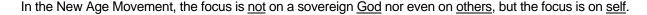
Four tenets of Hinduism:

Monism - All is one
Pantheism - All is God
Maya - All is illusion

4. Reincarnation - All is recycling (to reach karma)

Appealing New Age concepts:

- --Unlimited human potential
- --Self-determined morality
- --Perfection through self-awareness



- A. The **NAMES** of the New Age Movement:
- B. The **SYMBOLS** of the New Age Movement:
- C. The BUZZ WORDS of the New Age Movement:
- D. The **Key PHILOSOPHIES** of the New Age Movement:

Four major tenets:

1. ALL IS ONE

(Monism - All things are ONE)

2. ALL IS GOD

(The <u>universe</u> is god)

- 3. MAN IS GOD
- 4. Man needs a CHANGE IN CONSCIOUSNESS to discover His Deity
- E. Other **TEACHINGS** of the New Age Movement:
 - 1. Reincarnation
 - 2. Evolution
 - 3. **Relativism** (no absolutes; no rights and wrongs; no one single path to follow)
 - 4. Existentialism
 - 5. **Gnosticism**
 - 6. **Vegetarianism**





