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[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

A great read!

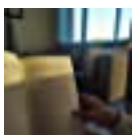
Reviewed in the United States on February 2, 2023

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Quest For the Emerald Crystal by Dan Ford is the first book in the Spiritual Warriors in The Bahamas series. This novel is the story of Zenithians, beings responsible for the creation of Earth's creatures, creating human-like animals that become sentient. The earlier chapters of the book give us an understanding of the old times and how they've come to their current evolutionary standpoint. Following The Seekers, we see them looking for new ways to further advance their evolution, and become better than before.

The plot is written with such detail that you're stunned by the literature, it's a thrilling read meant for mature audiences. Showing such a complex spiritual journey, it really appeals to the audience's imagination. The storyline is extremely captivating, and the characters are written very detailed. There's lots of very interesting history and background incorporated, that brings the story building to life.

Overall, the story is filled with action and spiritual adventures, a combo I've found I love! It's definitely worth reading, as it causes you to think and is highly interesting. Everything is thoroughly detailed and well thought out. So, I am giving this book 5 out of 5 stars.



Lucia Maranghello

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

A deeply transformational novel!

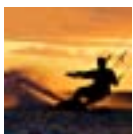
Reviewed in the United States on January 31, 2023

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Spiritual Warriors in the Bahamas by Dan Ford is the first book in the Quest For The Emerald Crystal Series. The novel is about human-like animal species made by Celestial creatures called Zenithians in the Earthly Realm. These beings begin to revolutionize into modern-day individuals, and that's where the true story starts. These revolutionized people, called The Seekers, are distinguished for naturally being explorers, and having spiritual and out-of-body experiences.

The plot seems complex, and it is. However, it is a book meant for mature readers, those that enjoy the complexity of characters, plots, and events in a single book. The story approaches the audience with philosophical arguments about the evolutionary process and origin of individual souls. What I can say about this book is that although it may not be so easy to read, the intensity of the story was on point, being easily intriguing and fast-paced.

The complexity of the main story made it so captivating, and I got hooked pretty fast, by just reading the first chapter. I would highly recommend it to not only mature readers, but to those who seek to reflect on important philosophical topics that can be applied to real life.



Ivan

[4.0 out of 5 stars](#)

A great book to have.

Reviewed in the United States on January 31, 2023

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Dan Ford writes Quest For The Emerald Crystal with passion and an imagination hard to compare. It is clear that he's an author who has extensively read about mythology, spirituality, and evolution. Mixing his knowledge with his colorful past, he writes this interesting book.

Quest For The Emerald Crystal is one of the most challenging books I've ever reviewed! The book has so many layers as it mixes spirituality with the modern age, making a perfect blend that takes the reader through a rollercoaster of emotions! It also requires great attention from the reader, because it is easy to get lost or forget some of the details that become important later in the story. All the characters are written with such amazing, full personalities and abilities. But not all of them use their powers for good, that's the case of Diana, who recruits people for an expedition in the Bahamas, to find the lost city of Atlantis, with an evil purpose.

Trying to keep this review spoiler free, I can definitely say this is a book worth reading. It is a novel that starts straight with action, then presents a world beyond common comprehension. One of the best parts is the beautiful description and exploration of nature. It's the perfect book for the reader who wants to enjoy a good spiritual thriller, a book that tries to open your mind to new possibilities and life forms.



Nela

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

Enlightening

Reviewed in the United States on February 14, 2023

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Quest For The Emerald Crystal is the first book in the Spiritual Warriors In The Bahamas series by author Dan Ford. This is the beginning of this

metaphysical fiction saga, whose books can also be read alone as each one has its own story to tell. Everything is connected, from the common world building, to similar themes and plot. But each one is unique and has their own special touch!

This volume is a spiritual thriller novel, aimed at adults as it dives into philosophical discussions on the origin and evolutionary progress of individual souls. As a starting point, the book discusses the instinctive and reactive animal creatures evolving towards individuality, acquiring sensitivity and awareness. These individuals continue their evolution in spiritual growth and adventures of modern-day individuals. Within this context, the plot of the book itself develops in the Bahamas where the characters are in search of the submerged ruins of Atlantis and the Emerald Crystal, which hold the key to acquiring power and global domination.

The strongest part of this book is the plot as it is a challenging message from the philosophical point of view and also enriching from its contributions to the mind and thoughts of the readers. The evolutionary theory background that is raised is definitely thought-provoking and inspiring. Another strong aspect of the story is the characters. They manage to take the reader into an imaginary and adventurous world in which everything is possible.

Overall, I really enjoyed reading this story. It wasn't like anything I've ever picked up, and the story was very enlightening. It really brought me to think from new perspectives and gain new knowledge. I would rate it 5 out of 5 stars, for its unique storyline and interesting characters.



Celeste S

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

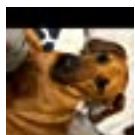
Excellent book

Reviewed in the United States on February 14, 2023

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Quest for the Emerald Crystal is the first book in the series Spiritual Warriors in the Bahamas created by author Dan Ford. The story follows Adam and Buck, two pilots who barely escaped an accident, and from it they gained some spiritual and paranormal abilities. They travel to find the Emerald Crystal, which they believe is hidden in Atlantis. But they run into trouble along the way, and their goal becomes increasingly difficult.

The novel mixes up a number of genres that creates a beautiful blend. The story combines paranormal events, spiritual searches, action, danger, as well as philosophical ideas. This leads to the story becoming an entertaining and thought-provoking mix of action and spirituality. The characters in the book are very well written and put together, and they have strong personalities. Ford is able to put together an amazing storyline, and keep the audience engaged which is what makes this book so wonderful. I would highly recommend this story to a large range of readers as it caters to multiple genres. For those who love spiritual journey, action, or philosophy, this would be a perfect read for you. It's a strong and confident mix, bringing a unique book that you can't miss out on reading! With strong, well-built characters and a captivating plot, it's difficult to not love this book.



George

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

Thought-provoking and immersive.

Reviewed in the United States on February 16, 2023

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Quest for the Emerald Crystal-Book #1/Spiritual Warriors in the Bahamas by Dan Ford is an inspiring science fiction novel that takes readers on an

unforgettable adventure. The story begins with an allegorical tale of how human-like animals evolved from instinctual creatures to individuals with sentience and free will, created by the superior spiritual beings called Zenithians. The plot then follows the modern-day characters, The Seekers, on their journey of spiritual exploration, experience, and growth in their quest to find the ruins of Atlantis and the Emerald Crystal. The protagonist, Adam, and his friends awaken their abilities after a mysterious and near-death experience, similar to the making of a Justice League. The characters come from diverse lifestyles and origins, and their backstories are captivating. The author has done an excellent job of building the characters and plot, creating a great sense of character development. The story takes place in the Bahamas, which is a tropical paradise and the first sighting of the remnants of the lost city of Atlantis. The descriptions of the islands make it feel like a travel guide to the Bahamas, adding a unique element to the story. The main antagonist, Diana Daggert, is a spiritually powerful and wealthy woman who has a hidden agenda. The conflict between her and the protagonists adds an exciting element to the story, and the novel becomes a thriller towards the end. The author has done a fantastic job of combining complex philosophical discussions on the origin and evolutionary progress of individual souls with thrilling action scenes. The story is thought-provoking and immersive, leaving readers with a sense of spiritual and actual adventure.

Overall, *Quest for the Emerald Crystal-Book #1/Spiritual Warriors in the Bahamas* is a fantastic read for mature readers who enjoy science fiction with complex philosophical discussions, adventure, and spiritual growth. The author has created a world that is reminiscent of Marvel and DC heroes' origins with a combination of *Avatar* and *Journey to the Center of the Earth*, and it would make an amazing graphic novel. This novel is highly recommended, and readers will be eagerly anticipating the sequel.



Ashley

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

Interesting twist

Reviewed in the United States on February 16, 2023

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Dan Ford's *Quest For The Emerald Crystal - Book #1 / Spiritual Warriors in the Bahamas* is a unique, thought-provoking blend of metaphysical and fantasy elements that make for an interesting read. The book is the first in a potential series that follows a group of characters on a quest to find the lost city of Atlantis and the Emerald Crystal, after a near-death experience awakens their abilities. The plot is well-developed, with strong protagonists, antagonists, and conflicts, and it also explores the nature of human evolution and free will.

Ford's world-building is impressive, and the concept of the Zenithians, higher beings who bestow sentience as a gift, is intriguing. The book delves into the complexities of free will and souls, as well as the evolution of creatures on the Earthly Realm. The book takes time to introduce a diverse set of characters and their backgrounds, all while setting them against the main antagonist Diana in the Bahamas. I particularly enjoyed the beginning of the book, which describes the creation of humankind in detail, with a unique twist that we are mere amusement for a higher race. The end of the book was also satisfying, with no cliff-hanger but a sense that the Zenithians are not overly concerned about the events that have transpired. Overall, the book is well-written, and the combination of metaphysical and fantasy elements is well-executed. It offers a unique perspective on the nature of spirituality and human evolution that makes for an interesting read. I would recommend this book to anyone who enjoys a novel with strong character development and an engaging plot that will entice your curiosity.



Liz

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

Quest For The Emerald Crystal

Reviewed in the United States on February 13, 2023

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Quest For The Emerald Crystal is the first book in the Spiritual Warriors in The Bahamas series, written by Dan Ford. This novel begins with explaining how different creatures evolve to become individuals who receive the gift of sentience. The story then continues with the adventures of modern-day individuals seeking the continuation of their evolution and spiritual growth for themselves.

The world building is fantastic, fresh, and original. The main characters and the antagonist, Diana Daggert are interesting and well fleshed out, all of them are very well-described and drawn. This is one of those books that completely drags the reader in, making them fall in love with the characters and become hooked by the plot. This book takes a seeker on a journey to self-discovery by providing helpful tools that encourage curiosity and introspection. The story feels that it's not just fiction, but meant to be much more than that, as it has profound teachings.

This is definitely one of my favorite reads this month, as the story was completely unique from anything I've read. It's not everyday you find a spiritual action story, which is why this is another story you can't pass on. The characters are very well developed and have loveable personalities, even the antagonist! And the overall world building creates fascinating imagery, and a much more engaging book!



ostrich

[4.0 out of 5 stars](#)

A spiritual thriller

Reviewed in the United States on February 14, 2023

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Quest For The Emerald Crystal: Spiritual Warriors in the Bahamas, written by Dan Ford, is an extraordinary and thrilling book. This novel tells the story of a group of Seekers, beings who have developed into their current form through the assistance of beings known as Zenithians. The Zenithians are depicted as the gods of this alternate, earth-like reality and have immense spiritual power. The Seekers find previously unsuspected powers awakening within them and try to find the Emerald Crystal, thought to be hidden in the underwater ruins of Atlantis. The race to find this Emerald Crystal will determine who can, in future, wield power over this Earth-like world.

This novel can be best described as a spiritual thriller, an uncommon genre involving, for example, reincarnation, Akashic Records, and out-of-body experiences. The story's setting in the Bahamas and the world-building complements the overall storyline and creates a convincing parallel reality. It is also the first book in a planned series by Dan Ford so if you enjoy this book, there will be plenty more like it to look forward to!

Overall, The Quest For The Emerald Crystal is a unique and fresh take on the fantasy/thriller genre. The book starts with a highly detailed synopsis for the upcoming chapters, right down to what pacing readers can expect, what characters are introduced, and how the story develops. This can be great in terms of preparing readers for what's to come and it also serves as

a reference point for the story. The book was very unique and interesting and I highly enjoyed reading it!



Ane Sanchez

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

Amazing.

Reviewed in the United States on February 17, 2023

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The Quest For The Emerald Crystal, the first book in the Spiritual Warriors In The Bahamas series by Dan Ford, defies a simple genre classification. It is a unique blend of fiction, thriller, spirituality, and philosophy that tells an incredible story. The novel begins with an allegorical tale of human-like animals evolving from reactive creatures to individuals gifted with sentience and awareness. These evolutionary advancements are created by superior spiritual beings called Zenithians who are responsible for the evolution of all aspects of living beings. The story follows modern-day individuals known as The Seekers on a journey of spiritual exploration and growth. They are brought together by a wealthy and spiritually powerful woman named Diana Daggert, who has a hidden agenda and a dangerous plan to discover the ruins of Atlantis in the Bahamas.

The story takes the reader on a ride that starts at a moderate pace but picks up speed as the conflict between the protagonists and antagonists heats up. While the book includes violent and sexual scenes, they are not gratuitous and add to the story's overall impact. Dan Ford's writing is skillful, and the book's chapter arrangement makes it easy to read. However, it is not a quick or easy read, as it invites readers to reflect deeply on their philosophical and spiritual beliefs. The book may not be for everyone, but those who take the time to engage with it will find a fascinating and thought-provoking story that is hard to put down. Overall, I

would give *The Quest For The Emerald Crystal* a 5 out of 5 stars for its unique storytelling, philosophical depth, and skillful writing.

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[Following is an official OnlineBookClub.org review of "Quest For The Emerald Crystal Book #1" by Dan Ford.]



3 out of 5 stars

Quest For The Emerald Crystal by Dan Ford is a mystery/thriller novel that follows the adventures of Adam and Buck as they get involved in a spiritual battle. Adam Taylor and Buck Carter are commercial airline pilots that were miraculously saved when their aircraft crashed, killing one of their colleagues. Both men find out that they had some form of near-death or spiritual experience that enabled them to survive the crash. After this, they decide to explore this possibility by being open-minded and meeting with a mysterious psychic and clairvoyant named Cleito. The latter opens their mind and introduces them to the spiritual dimension of their world, where they learn that Atlantis once existed, reincarnation actually happens, and the existence of an ongoing age-old battle between the forces of good and evil. Adam, Buck, and their other

friends have to decide if they want to get involved in this spiritual battle that is unlike anything they have ever experienced.

This book was a different read. It requires you to keep an open mind on its plot because the book has its version of the origin of humans and the nature of God. According to it, humans (as we know ourselves now) were designed and put into place by 'Zenithians', who are beings that have a higher consciousness (kind of like angels). God is referred to as 'Supreme Consciousness', which is a level which all beings reach when their souls have attained perfection and not a particular being. I appreciated that the author took great lengths to explain these concepts in his book, both in the body of work and in a glossary at the end.

However, I had several issues with this book. Although I understood that the author was trying to lay the foundation of the origin of humans and how the Zenithians played a big part in it, it takes quite a while before the reader is introduced to any dialogue. When these dialogues eventually happen, they are stilted and very formal. After the riveting origin story, the book drags on while introducing characters such as Adam, Tanya, Buck, and Antonio. I felt that too much time was wasted on the mundane things about them. As a result, the interest and intrigue I had after reading about the origin story and the Zenithians wore off, and I got very bored and had to power through the book to figure out its direction.

Another issue I had was that most of the characters had perfect physical attributes and postures. They were all attractive, without an ounce of body fat. I always find this sort of characterisation very unrealistic. Also, the book had many errors, especially punctuation errors, that greatly interrupted my reading flow.

Despite these negatives, I think the storyline has great potential and would have made a wonderful read if properly executed. When I finally got to the thick of the plot, I couldn't stop reading as I was eager to find out if the protagonists came out on top in the continuous battle with Diana, the antagonist. Considering my likes and dislikes, I rate this book **3 out of 5 stars**. I took away one star for its many errors and another for the remaining negative aspects.

This book is not tailored to any religion and is more spiritual than religious. Regardless, some of its views, especially on the existence of Supreme Consciousness rather than God, may not sit well with readers belonging to religions that believe otherwise. Thus, readers who are generally open-minded and those that subscribe to non-religion may be best suited to enjoy this book. I'll also recommend it to fans of mysteries and thrillers.

**The Evolution Of Adam reviews
(This novel became *Quest For The Emerald Crystal - Book #1, Spiritual Warriors In The Bahamas* when the *Quest* trilogy was created.)**



Eric P. Storberg

[*5.0 out of 5 stars*](#)

Good, interesting and suspenseful reading!

Reviewed in the United States on January 4, 2015

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To begin, I am not one to read or watch sci-fi or spiritual genre novels, so when this book was recommended to me, I was a bit apprehensive about reading it. Nonetheless, I decided to delve into it with an open mind. I'm glad I did! This book does in fact have some portion of it's content devoted to various levels of spirituality, as describe by the author. Not so much however that the story line is overwhelmed by this facet. It's good, interesting and suspenseful reading, with twists and turns unlike anything I've read before. Don't let any preconceived notions of spirituality stop you from reading this book. Read it. You won't regret it.

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Mary of Vero

[4.0 out of 5 stars](#)

Review --The Evolution of Adam by Dan Ford

Reviewed in the United States on August 22, 2014

Dan Ford's first novel, The Evolution of Adam, is an inspirational thriller.

Some will revel in, or perhaps simply be introduced to, new age philosophy as the author takes us on a thought provoking journey of the mind. Ford's insight into outer-body experiences, observations on the evolution of gay culture, and reincarnation opens the reader's philosophy to entirely new perspectives.

"The Evolution of Adam" is nearly an existential experience. This is an extraordinary accomplishment for any book.

Dan accomplishes all this, in part, through his vivid description of the Bahamas, transporting you - body and mind - to hidden, mysterious ships where most of the drama unfolds.

In all, the author taps into the growing philosophy among many that a universal consciousness connects us all through space and time. Here, we are catapulted through ancient teachings about the yearning to love one another, and challenging us to redefine what it means to be human.

"The Evolution of Adam," is a wild ride with fascinating friends whom you have longed to know. Fortunately, Dan Ford has arranged an extraordinary introduction.

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Miklos Kiraly Jr.

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

A definite must read!

Reviewed in the United States on August 25, 2015

An easy read which immediately transforms you into each character's persona. The author has a gift for describing each character and location in such detail that you feel like your right there. Now for the genre of the book, this book will definitely open your mind in the spiritual aspect of life.

Personally, I have a skewed idea of the human spirit and soul. This book confirmed that I am not far off from my so called skewed ideas. I hope this author is in the process of writing to continue this novel. We humans need to be taught more about our inner soul and spirit in ways that we can digest and understand better. Perhaps then we will get it. It would make a great

movie and or television series for which I feel the Composer John Williams would be proud to do the music for. If you don't know who John Williams is, perhaps it's time for you to do some research and explore a side of you that you never thought you had. Enjoy the journey during your read. I look forward to reading it again once the copy I have read is replaced with another copy as I passed this book onto someone who I believe will benefit from it. Pay it forward people Pay it forward.

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Mrs k

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

 **Really makes you go hmmm.**

Reviewed in the United States on October 28, 2018

Love the characters and plot. Very different from anything I've ever read. So much detail I feel like I have been to the Bahamas 😊

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J. Pfeifer

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

Edgar Cayce devotees will love this novel

Reviewed in the United States on March 6, 2015

For those readers who are interested in the lost continent of Atlantis and the work of Edgar Cayce, Dan Ford's novel, "The Evolution of Adam" is a

must read. Edgar Cayce's principles are expertly woven through this narrative about a group of reincarnated souls from Atlantis who are trying to achieve spiritual enlightenment. Before they can attain that goal, they must stop the evil forces that are close to finding the lost power source of Atlantis. The characters, good and bad, are beautiful, articulate, and well developed, and the author provides meaningful insights into their motivations and desires. Mr. Ford's knowledge of the Bahama Islands and their topography, marine life, and politics enables him to create a rich landscape which makes the reader want to fly to Bimini and join the campaign. Reading the novel is almost as good as the time travel and out of body experiences that Ford's characters learn to enjoy. I look forward to the next installment.

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Delta Mike

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

The Evolution of Adam

Reviewed in the United States on July 19, 2015

The Evolution of Adam reeled me in from the start. The author's writing flows expertly, taking the reader inside a thrilling story combining out-of-body experiences with a thought-provoking plot of good versus evil. Add that to a cast of characters that felt like my friends and the lovely visual images created of the Bahamas and the lost continent of Atlantis, made it impossible to put this book down until I reached the last page. I'm definitely looking forward to the next installment!

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Chris Folla

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

The author keeps the novel moving along and interesting, ...

Reviewed in the United States on August 30, 2015

The author keeps the novel moving along and interesting, once you start reading you don't want to put the book down. I found this book very interesting. A must read.

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CAROLYN L STUTT

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

Reviewed in the United States on November 20, 2014

Wonderful read - thoroughly enjoyed The Evolution of Adam - for those of us interested in spirituality and reincarnation - it is a must for your reading list!

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Donna Bertoldo

[5.0 out of 5 stars](#)

A personal opinion of this novel!

Reviewed in the United States on November 23, 2014

Dan Ford's first novel, an exciting thriller, delves into spirituality and reincarnation. The out-of-body experiences are fascinating. I hope to see more from this talented writer!



Samfreene

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[4.0 out of 5 stars](#)

The Evolution of Adam

Reviewed in the United States on September 11, 2015

The Evolution of Adam: Dan Ford

Within the realm of life there are high beings that might control your every thought and movement without you knowing. The Evolution of Adam is a multi-complex novel introducing Spirits of Consciousness that willingly enter the minds and bodies of others in order to help them find their pasts and ignite their present. "This novel begins with an allegorical tale depicting the origin of humanlike animals that evolve from purely instinctual and reactive creatures, to ones having sentience and an inherent consciousness of individuality. This evolutionary movement is instigated by highly evolved spiritual entities that are responsible for all creations within the Earthly as stated on the back cover." As we meet the spiritual beings and learn about the primary quest we understand that the story is being narrated to relate the events about a group of reincarnated souls from Atlantis. Their primary purpose is to change the ways of those with evil within them, teach spiritual enlightenment and create a world where we understand the goodness in others and seek to help those in need. In order

to accomplish these goals you will meet characters that will become part of this new realm, others who will try to destroy what has already been created and some who just want plain power, greed and revenge. The prize the lost power source of Atlantis. The settings are many as the author takes us to the Bahama Islands, describes the waters in depth, the land and the people while enticing readers to learn more. There are spiritual beings or entities the author calls Zenithians who embody themselves within the soul, minds and thoughts of the characters within the present. These beings created are the ones responsible for the Earthly Realm and all of its creations.

In the present as the story moves forward we meet Adam and Buck who are pilots and whose plane is about to crash and for some reason with the help of an inner voice and powers that have been unleashed but unknown to Adam as yet, he manages to land the plane. Then Adam explains to his friend about this incident and the second that occurs in the park where he feels that he had an out of body experience. He went for a walk in the park and found himself sleeping on the ground and thought that he was inside a sea gull and then on the “bridge of a ship heading to sea.” But, he was not just telling his feelings to Buck but to his girlfriend Tonya who was skeptical about both incidents and became angry as he spoke, Her reaction was out of character and their relationship quite structured, organized and tailor made to fit each of their jobs and personalities.

Buck and Adam meet two archeologists and things start to heat up and change at this point. We meet Melanie who innocently becomes part of this entire mission to change the mindset of people, change her life from that of a hooker and is approached by a man named Mark who convinces her to join what is called The Miracle Center. Spiritual characters and those within this group that are there to help her find her way in life and much more. Teaching her and others what powers they have and will attain in order to help others.

Dorad and Leo are two of the spirits that are watching the actions of Melanie as she begins to transform. Carron is the third as she and Dorad have taken up residence in Adam and Tonya's minds and bodies and often control their thoughts, actions but not who or what they really are. Adam and Buck meet Antonio who is Buck's life partner and they discuss the situation under the amazing coconut palm trees in Bimini. The main thrust of the conversation was Adam's experiences and the underwater ruins that were supposed to be "Remains of the lost continent of Atlantis and the Fountain of Youth." George Sanders and Harry Percel are the two archeologists that approached Adam and Buck in a bar and from that point on they became immersed in their project related to a man named Edward Cayce whose readings and findings created a certain prejudice concerning what the structures might be and the missing ruins of Atlantis

Melanie made the decision to fulfilling her part "in completing this important place of allowing a significant segment of his Spiritual Family to evolve towards Transcendence." Leto watched this scene as Dorad joined in. But, next we meet Diana the one catalyst who will trigger the danger, animosity and try to pit everyone against each other. The antagonist of the story who without there might not be a conflict within the last part of the novel making it a thriller/mystery. Diana they hope will change and transform but when you meet her has her own agenda and endless wealth. Enter in another character named Cleito whose relationship and connection to Melanie becomes clear as the plot becomes more complex and Melanie takes on a new role. Tiber/Cleito is one and the same and within Chapter 5 their roles are defined and more about the entities and the spirits are clarified. Tiber even expands and explains the many definitions and examples of Supreme Consciousness.

Diana comes front and center in her desire to discover the ruins of Atlantis and she will stop at nothing to get what she wants. Ruthless, beautiful and manages to snare the attention of the archeologists by providing them

funding for the search, she demands to become their partner and take part in each event. Each one of the other characters has some form of spiritual powers and each one will get more powerful as the story continues and as they travel within the Spiritual timeline and at times have Out of Body experiences.

The final sections or chapters of the book focus on lengthy explanations of the higher beings, the purpose of the expedition and how Melanie and Mark as well as Tonya become part of the project. But, Diana is ruthless and attempts to deter and stop Adam and the others from achieving their goals. How do souls evolve? Just what changes do they all undertake? What will endanger them on the dives? Is there such a thing as spiritual destiny? Can they unite with the Supreme Consciousness and an all-knowing, god-like figure? How can they stop Diana? Diana is rich, powerful and does not want to give up what she has? Can they convince her?

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Discussing the point of structure with Diana and talking about what they found is the focus of Chapter 9 titled the Search where you can join the team on their dive, enter the cold waters and listen as Diana asks George about the damage that would occur if they let everyone know about what they found. Would there be many boats and divers trying to explore the area? They were holding back from the Bahamian Government already until they analyze the find. The Sea Venture and the Royal Athenian are the vessels in question and Diana had full control of both. As we learn more about Melanie her new role and her feelings for Mark explained in detail in pages 339- 340. Melanie even connected with Tonya who at times feels left out. Diana appeared cordial and greets everyone. Talking to Justin now part of the team was enlightening. Teams of explorers entered the waters and would not waste time as Diana seemed disturbed about the previous night's activities and had Tyrone to take care of her needs.

Traveling through the Spiritual Timeline kept her centered and on point. She needed to be taken in this incarnation and the reason for the Spiritual Timeline. But, how would she penetrate into anyone's individual privacy? There were entities that would reincarnate in this existence in order to influence her goals. The author relates on page 346 the how Edgar Cayce defined several trances and the classification of souls on earth at the time of Atlantis. You need to learn that for yourself and the two classifications and much more as Diana is aware of these definitions making it imperative to reject the transcendental nonsense. Her goal: to create a utopian existence in the physical environment based on her beliefs and efforts, which within the remainder to the chapter the author explains.

The dialogue at times seems controlled and the characters are able to interact through the narrator in an organized and methodical manner. The scenes are described by the narrator quite vividly and are presented in a rigid and formal manner in some cases. Some of the responses are quite unique and different. The characters at times seem to care about each other yet strained in their conversations as Adam and Tonya often find ways to share their thoughts and yet bring Diana down.

Diana is suspicious of Melanie and Mark and has them watched. Using the Timeline she manages to have an Out of Body Experience to ending up in the Miracle Center where Mark took Melanie. Derek Romano is the man who runs the center and Diana is concerned about Melanie's powers and how they will affect her mission. Added in she becomes aware of Cleito and wants more information about her and has figured out a way to get it. But, then the story once again shifts to the archeologists and Adam, Antonio, Tonya and Buck who is now convinced there is more to the dive and has brought in someone else. Diana is shrewd, suspicious and manages to overhear much of what Adam and his team are saying without anyone knowing it and yet somehow she is blocked with a privacy block which sends her back to her suite but how?

Melanie was smart and although Diana thought she had the situation under control she did not. Thinking that she had the situation running in her direction she did not realize that Melanie overheard her plans and would now have to find a way to protect her new friends. Diana's past lives are revealed and her relationship to some of the other characters might change the way readers view her but her intentions are dangerous and the crystal in question could destroy nations if in the wrong hands. Just how will this all turn out and who will become the victor? Diana cannot bare to live without her power and wealth. Each character evolving and developing powers of their own and the quest to find the ruins of Atlantis is the goal but will they succeed? An ending that is fast paced, powerful and a thriller that leaves many loose ends letting you know that Diana and Tyrone are not done yet and Adam and his group still have a fight on their hands. The Evolution of Adam: more like the evolution of mankind in a spiritual way.