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## Introduction

'...I know no man who has any monopoly upon the wisdom of this universe. It belongs to those who *can* use it to help themselves and others.

-My Philosophy," WHAT ARE PEOPLE FOR? Lafayette Ron Hubbard

Welcome to the Freezone. This little booklet is a simple introduction to the Freezone, What it is, where it is, and how easy it is to be a part of it.

This is the home away from home for ex-church members who thought there was no hope after leaving or being ousted from the church. This is the new adventure for those who have discovered Scientology™ for the first time.

Because discovering Scientology™ IS an adventure. Lafayette Ron Hubbard researched and developed an accurate understanding of man and plotted a specific route to spiritual freedom, which is attainable by anyone with sufficient desire and determination.

Here is your first step and of course it starts with the definition of Scientology™

May you never be the same again!

## What is Scientology?

"The term SCIENTOLOGY is taken from the Latin word SCIO (knowing in the fullest meaning of the word) and the Greek word LOGOS (to study)"

FUNDAMENTALS OF THOUGHT - Lafayette Ron Hubbard

Scientology™ is that applied and workable philosophy developed by Lafayette Ron Hubbard during most of his life.



Scientology™ includes the understanding of life, it's composition and potentialities. The application part of the philosophy includes activities which one can embark upon to improve one's life both in the spiritual sense as well as the physical.

The philosophy and the application of it is found in the many books he wrote and the many thousands of lectures he gave which are available on audio tapes and CDs

The application of the technology includes Auditors (practitioners) applying certain auditing techniques and procedures (exercises) with PreClears (Clients) to produce an exactly defined benefit for that client. Such benefits can include:

An increased spiritual awareness

An improvement in lifestyle

An acquired or improved ability of a clearly defined nature

Relief from a past activity that may be hindering a persons spiritual awareness or understanding

One of the 'tools of the trade' of an Auditor (practitioner) is what is known as an e-meter. This device is quite harmless and enables the auditor to guide the attention of the PreClear to the area or activity being looked at as the PreClear is usually unaware of the source of the difficulty.

The official body of Scientology™ is the Church of Scientology™. The church is considered by many to have departed from the original philosophy as expounded by Lafayette Ron Hubbard. Instead they are thought to be pursuing a different agenda of altering the application of the philosophy to a point where it becomes unworkable and no longer achieves the aims set out for it by the founder, purely on the basis of monetary gain.

## What is the Church of Scientology™?

The Church of Scientology™ was set up originally by Lafayette Ron Hubbard many years ago. A full history is available on the net so I am not going to bore you with that here. Currently the Church is administered by the *Church of Spiritual Technology* (CST) . The CST is NOT a church but a private company. A business. This business is run by one Meade Emory. Meade Emory is founder of the Church of Spiritual Technology (CST), doing business under the [fraudulent fictitious business name of "L. Ron Hubbard Library."](#) It isn't a church, and it isn't a library: it's the richest and most powerful corporation in the entire [Scientology empire](#), owner of all the [copyrights](#), owner and controller of the [most important trademarks](#), and being [run by the Internal Revenue Service](#) through three [non-Scientologist tax attorneys](#) hand-picked by Meade Emory and "the Service"--IRS--to be [Special Directors](#) of CST for *life*.

For further information go to <http://www.sc-i-r-s-ology.pair.com/index.html> which explains in great detail what happened to the Church of Scientology™ and how it is often considered not a church any longer but a private company controlling and operating Scientology™



## FREE THETA

*Journal of the International Freezone Association*  
*Preserve, Protect & Promote*

### What IS the Freezone?

“Freedom from” is all right, only so long as there is a place to be free to. An endless desire for *freedom from* is a perfect trap, a fear of all things.”

-SCIENTOLOGY: A NEW SLANT ON LIFE: Lafayette Ron Hubbard

The late Bill Robertson originally coined the term Freezone in 1983, and the concept has spread throughout the world with thousands of people using and practicing the technology of Lafayette Ron Hubbard. The biggest groups are in Europe Russia and the US but there are many hundreds of small groups and individuals using and practicing the technology of Lafayette Ron Hubbard. The Freezone, by definition is less rigid and not bound as is the 'official' Church of Scientology™.

The Freezone is mostly made up of persons who have previously been members of the Church of Scientology but have either been thrown out and excommunicated for one reason or another, or left on their own accord when they observed that the 'official' church was no longer practicing the original philosophy. In addition there are people who have learned about the philosophy in the Freezone for the first time without the influence of the 'official' church.

The Freezone includes many groups and organizations around the planet as well as individual auditors and people all of whom have an appreciation of Scientology and it's founder Lafayette Ron Hubbard.

Many of these groups practice the original philosophy of Lafayette Ron Hubbard, applying the same principles and applications. However there are also groups which practice altered versions of the original technology and naturally the same benefits obtained from Ron's discoveries and workabilities can not be guaranteed if one were to depart from the known workable philosophy. It has been said that the Church of Scientology™ comes into this category since the departure of its founder. This means that one needs to be circumspect (careful not to take risks) in this arena as one is dealing with one's own spirituality.

To this end, the International Freezone Association is a group that has been specifically set up for the benefit of all those who wish to participate in Ron's philosophy and enjoy the unparalleled spiritual gains obtainable as a result.



***The International Freezone Association***  
***The New Renaissance of Beingness***  
***Preserve, Protect & Promote!***

### **What is the International Freezone Association?**

When an individual is not permitted to be fully a part of the team he is apt to choose other members of the team as his opponents for, remember, man *must* have a game.

- THE PROBLEMS OF WORK: Lafayette Ron Hubbard

The International Freezone Association (IFA) has been created to assist Scientologists and non-scientologists alike to practice and pursue their chosen philosophy as developed by Lafayette Ron Hubbard.

It consists of members who may be simply individuals wishing to improve and enhance their life, or auditors (An auditor is a practitioner of the technology who listens and assists people to improve their life through various practical activities) or groups of auditors:

The purposes of the IFA (International Freezone Association) are to:

Preserve the exact technology and original workable philosophy of Lafayette Ron Hubbard for future use so it is available for all mankind.

Promote the exact technology and original workable philosophy of Lafayette Ron Hubbard so it may be known by all mankind

Protect the exact technology and original workable philosophy of Lafayette Ron Hubbard so it is not altered, diluted or changed in anyway but remains exactly as Lafayette Ron Hubbard issued it.

Foster, promote and develop fellowship and mutual aid among the IFA members within the framework of the constitution.

Establish communication and understanding among the members of the IFA and members of other communities.

Promote and sponsor educational activities that alert and teach the general public about the exact technology and original workable philosophy of Lafayette Ron Hubbard.

Defend the IFA from any attempt to inhibit its existence and expansion from any quarter.

Assist in the defence of any of it's members in the event of any unwarranted legal process to the detriment of the member on the basis of the member(s) exercising their legal religious right to practice the technology and original workable philosophy of Lafayette Ron Hubbard.

Mediate in any disputes between members when requested but such mediation subject to standard ethics and justice policies as were originally issued by Lafayette Ron Hubbard.

Membership of the IFA is by application only. Membership application and fees are available from:

<http://internationalfreezone.net>



As part of the benefits for its members the International Freezone Association has is setting up a Technical Support Centre to assist Auditors and PCs in the field including:

Programming:	Setting out the correct sequence of steps that a Preclear must take to progress to spiritual freedom.
FESing:	A thorough study of a PC's folders to locate any errors.
Flub Catch:	An FES, including standard repair and advance programs, with correction of any errors made by the auditors and C/Ses.
Quality Assurance:	Monitoring the activities of auditors to ensure the standard of delivery remains high. This is accomplished through tape and video critiques of TRs and metering, as well as folder reviews and flub catches.
Ethics Programs:	A sequence of steps to help a PC handle life situations that may be blocking their progress to spiritual freedom.

A comprehensive LRH reference section as part of preserving and promoting the technology complete with a search facility especially designed for Auditors and PCs.

A Communication Line for pcs to locate auditors they can feel safe with and who they know will apply LRH original technology to their case.

A legal support system for individuals, auditors and groups members subject to unwarranted attacks and hassles.

The knowledge that, despite what any other groups or church does, the technology is still being preserved and available.

The IFA has been constructed with the foresight in mind to predict possible issues that face the Freezone in the future and that can also face their members. This is why there is such an extensive Constitution. An exacting Terms of Use and a carefully thought out Dispute Resolution Process. Where else can you find the predictability offered by the use of these services? Many hundreds of hours went into the construction of the association with lots of discussion of, "What ifs?" and "How do we handle this issue if it arises?" Many experienced Scientologists participated and contributed to the creation of the IFA. Experienced Class VIs and Class VIIIs. People with many years of LRH administrative experience. All made serious contributions to the IFA format, working it over, picking holes, finding and indicating flaws and tweaking it until it fit the criteria as outlined in the purposes of preserving, protecting and promoting the original technology of Ron. It is no coincidence that the web site is 'green on white', and has a picture of Ron on the front! The IFA is dedicated to Rons Original Technology. To its preservation, it's protection and its promotion.

Each member, although a member of the association, is still an individual. There is no intrusion into a member's life or any dictatorial approach as to how one should live or be. The only criterion is "Has the member agreed to the Constitution and Terms of Service?" If so that person can become a member. There is no, "we don't like you because of this or that", no holding one's past against one or attitudes of cut communication lines, exclusions or stops on the lines. Our interest is in the future, and in pursuing our purposes as packaged in the motto, "Preserve, Protect & Promote".

The purpose then is to keep the technology sound and being applied and to be able to support and offer succor to those who apply it in the Freezone.



## Why come to the Freezone and not the C of S?

"My own philosophy is that one should share what wisdom one has and should help others to help themselves. I have never seen wisdom do any good kept to oneself"

- "The Goal of Training," THE AUDITOR 27: Lafayette Ronald Hubbard

As mentioned before, many people consider the official church has departed from the original source materials. Since the departure of the Founder Lafayette Ron Hubbard great changes have become evident within the management and hierarchy of the church. Changes in the issued materials. Sudden requirements of auditors to justify their understanding of the 'new age of technology' with increased repeated study of prelearned materials. The subtle changes in the materials being presented as 'source'. Stories of occupational health and safety abuse. It seem apparent that the Church is no longer a source point for Lafayette Ron Hubbard's original workable technology.

This coupled with the transfer of all the copyrights and trade marks to a private company headed up by a former Assistant Commissioner of the IRS <http://www.sc-i-r-s-ology.pair.com/index.html> around the time a 'deal' was done between the tax office and the church. The persistent increase of 'donations' for services far outstripping the average mans pocket effectively enforcing the feeling of being unable to have upon the vast majority of people, all indicate an agenda totally opposite to that intended by the original Founder Lafayette Ron Hubbard. Non-scientologist will get confused.

In the Freezone the use of the technology is growing rapidly without such stops and restrictions.

The knowledge and delivery of the technology Ron developed is available and within the grasp of the average 'joe'. Not thousands upon thousands for an unsatisfactory result due to the original technology having been altered and the processes and practices changed. But the original workable applied philosophy Ron Hubbard laid out. And at a price usually that can be afforded. Most practitioners, or auditors, are happy and willing to audit people at a reasonable price. And instead of purchasing the requisite e-meter, required for the majority of auditing, for several thousand dollars from the church, there are perfectly suitable meters available for a few hundred dollars in the Freezone. Some of them even better technical quality than the Church issue it seems.

As with all technology, there are variations available and while these may *appear* to have beneficial results for some, they are not the original technology as developed by Lafayette Ron Hubbard and their results cannot be guaranteed.

Sticking to that which has been proven to work thousands and thousands of times and which contains a predictable result when applied routinely is a more sensible approach. After all if you purchased a Rolls Royce, would you rip out the engine and replace it with a General Motors one because 'it sounded better'?

Lafayette Ron Hubbard's Technology is the Rolls Royce of technology for spiritual freedom. Why settle for anything less?



## Copyright & Trademark Questions

Freedom for man does not mean freedom to injure man. Freedom of speech does not mean freedom to harm by lies.

- SCIENTOLOGY: A NEW SLANT ON LIFE Lafayette Ron Hubbard.

No church, group, organisation or business has the right to suppress the application or practice of ones chosen religion or philosophy. That right is guaranteed in most countries in the western world and many others outside of it.

Despite this, the current church philosophy appears to be one that uses the trademark and copyright acts as a method of suppressing the knowledge and inhibiting the application of the technology. And applying the label 'Squirrel'\* (a term use to describe someone who alters the technology or practices 'off-beat' practices) warranted or not indiscriminately to all those who dare to use their chosen religion. Also using the threat of a perceived loss of future freedom as a spiritual being if one does not comply.

The truth is that the Church does NOT have a monopoly on the spiritual freedom of the individual. They were originally vested with the guardianship of the technology but this responsibility has, it seems, regrettably fallen by the wayside. The concern now seems to be for the loss of the monetary value of the technology available outside the church.

The Church of Scientology <sup>TM</sup> holds a copyright on certain words relating to the writings of Lafayette Ron Hubbard. Including the name L.Ron.Hubbard<sup>TM</sup>. Hence the <sup>TM</sup> after those words. This does not mean one cannot use those words. It means that one cannot pretend to own the copyright on them, or use them to allude that one is the copyright owner and able to enjoy the benefits bestowed upon the copyright owner. Also one cannot use them to make money or include them in a business name in which one expects to make money.

But this does not mean you cannot say or write the word scientology or any of the other words the church has 'copyrighted' In normal conversation and writing.



## Security & Safety

'On the day when we can fully trust each other, there will be peace on earth.  
- SCIENTOLOGY: A NEW SLANT ON LIFE Lafayette Ron Hubbard

As with other activities the introduction of the Internet has caused a massive growth of the Freezone due to the ease of communication and rapid spread of information. Along with this fantastic and useful growth is the spectre of viruses and the security

problems inherent in a fast communications system.

Here are some guidelines with regard to security and safety, which may be of value to you in your quest for knowledge.

### Upgrade to a better web browser.

Mozilla is available for almost every operating system and has many security and privacy advantages. Try "tabbed browsing". Manage your cookies. Block pop-up windows. The features are many, but the cost is low - in fact free. <http://www.mozilla.org/products/mozilla1.x/>



### Use a hardware and/or software firewall

A firewall can protect your computer from malicious traffic. A hardware firewall/router (such as the many offerings of companies like Linksys, D-Link, SMC, and others) acts as a barrier between the outside world and your computer. A software firewall, such as ZoneAlarm, performs that function to a lesser degree but can also block malicious programs on your computer from sending data out to the Internet. Windows XP includes a simple firewall, but it is disabled by default. The free version of ZoneAlarm does a very nice job.

<http://www.zonelabs.com/store/content/home.jsp>



### Do not click links in unsolicited email messages

Viruses can be delivered to your computer by simply looking at a web page using a vulnerable web browser.



### Keep your operating system and applications updated

Use Windows Update to make sure you have the latest security patches installed. Also check for updates to your application programs, especially Microsoft Office.

<http://windowsupdate.microsoft.com/>



### Use an Anti-Virus program

If you follow all the recommendations, then a virus will have difficulty in infecting your machine. Single home users may want to try Grisoft's AVG free edition. There are several other popular Anti-Virus programs available.

[http://www.grisoft.com/us/us\\_index.php](http://www.grisoft.com/us/us_index.php)



### Do not run untrusted applications

Running any program that arrives via email or that was



downloaded from the Internet can be dangerous. Only run applications that you wish to grant complete access to your computer and the data contained on it.

## **Educate yourself**

Become a smarter computer user with regard to security issues. Here are a few places to start:

[http://www.cert.org/tech\\_tips/home\\_networks.html](http://www.cert.org/tech_tips/home_networks.html)

<http://www.isalliance.org/resources>

<http://www.microsoft.com/security/home/>

<http://www.nsa.gov/snac/index.html>

<http://www.securityfocus.com/>

<http://www.grc.com/default.html>

<http://www.sherpasoft.org.uk/MacVirus/>

CERT Home Network Security  
Common Sense Guide for Home and Individual Users  
Microsoft Security Basics for Home Users  
NSA Security Recommendation Guides  
Security Focus community homepage  
Gibson Research. Info on Spyware, Shields-UP/port scan.  
Viruses & the MAC FAQ if you use an Apple.



## Finding Auditors

'The way out is the way through ...That which one cannot accept chains one.'  
- THE CREATION OF HUMAN ABILITY Lafayette Ron Hubbard

Perhaps at this point you are keen to get some auditing yourself. So how DO you find an auditor?

Your first port of call is the go to <http://internationalfreezone.net/auditor.shtml> and here you will find a list of verified and experienced auditors, which you can call upon. They are listed by region and country so you may select the one closest to you. Here you do not have to announce on any list that you are in the market for an auditor and do not have to expose your private matters on a public list. Each auditor has a contact point and you can simply, and in confidence, email that auditor.

There are, of course other sources of auditors and these can be found in the groups and links provided below.



## Groups & Discussion Lists

'The ability to assume or to grant beingness is probably the highest of human virtues.'  
- SCIENTOLOGY: NEW SLANT ON LIFE Lafayette Ron Hubbard

There are many groups to which one can subscribe to find out what is happening in the Freezone.

Most of the groups are through the Yahoo Groups facility.

This accessed through: <http://groups.yahoo.com/> One needs to be a member of Yahoo to access these groups and you can join for free here: <http://login.yahoo.com/>

With some exceptions, most of the groups are moderated and you will require permission of the moderator to join.

An honest discourse of who you are will almost always grant you access to the various groups.

Here is a list of the more productive discussion groups to join.

[ifachat-subscribe@yahogroups.com](mailto:ifachat-subscribe@yahogroups.com)

[FANZA-subscribe@yahogroups.com](mailto:FANZA-subscribe@yahogroups.com)

[fzelma-subscribe@yahogroups.com](mailto:fzelma-subscribe@yahogroups.com)

[icause-subscribe@yahogroups.com](mailto:icause-subscribe@yahogroups.com)

[FreezoneOrg-subscribe@yahogroups.com](mailto:FreezoneOrg-subscribe@yahogroups.com)

The International Freezone Association Group

Australian & New Zealand Freezone Group

Pat & Ray Krenik's Group

Tommy Tompson's ICAUSE Group

Terril Park's (bb) new FZ group

There are others but these are the prime groups.

I encourage you to check them out.

## Links

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Here are some links of interest. Feel free to browse

### Freezone Sites

<http://www.internationalfreezone.net/>  
<http://www.fzaoint.net>  
<http://www.fzaoint.net/success/>  
<http://FANZA.axdf.net>  
<http://www.freezoneamerica.org/>  
<http://home8.inet.tele.dk/ivy/IVy.html>  
<http://www.fzusa.com/forums/>  
<http://www.fzeu.fzaoint.net/>  
<http://www.geocities.com/clearbirds/>  
<http://www.freezone.org/>  
<http://www.freewebs.com/clearing/>  
<http://www.tigergold.net/ministry.html>  
<http://www.fzusa.com/>  
<http://operatinghetan.net/links.html>  
<http://home.tiscali.cz/ca895221//spirit/>

### Other Site in the Freezone worth checking out

<http://www.scientology.com>  
<http://www.freezone.de/english/>  
<http://www.ronsorg.nl>  
<http://www.trans4mind.com/spiritual/>

### Success Stories

<http://www.fzaoint.net/success/> Some Freezone Success Stories  
<http://www.freezoneworldwide.com/success.html> Freezone World Wide Successes  
<http://internationalafreezone.net/success.shtml> More Success Stories

### Meter Sites

<http://www.clearingtech.net/>

The Clarity Meter



International Freezone Association  
Freezone International Site  
Some Freezone Success Stories  
Freezone Australia  
Freezone USA  
Ivy Viewpoints Magazine  
A Freezone Forum  
Freezone Europe  
Clearbird  
Freezone Germany  
Self Clearing Academy Melbourne  
Pat Krenik's Ministry  
Rey Robles Freezone Center  
ICAUSE  
Czech Freezone Site

Church of Scientology™  
Ron's Org in English  
Rons Org Netherlands  
Meta Programming



<http://www.abilitymeters.com/>  
<http://www.cmeter.org/ula.html>

Ability Meter  
C Meter

#### People Sites

<http://freezoneamerica.org/pilot/self/index.html>  
<http://www.robertdam-cos.dk>  
<http://www.integrative-clearing.com.au/>  
<http://www.angelfire.com/pro/class12/>  
[http://www.geocities.com/steve\\_tustin](http://www.geocities.com/steve_tustin)  
<http://www.ralphhilton.org/>

The Pilot  
Robert Dam's site  
Peter Graham's website  
Pierre Ethier's website  
Steve Tustin's website  
Ralph Hilton's website

#### Misc. Sites

<http://www.sc-i-r-s-ology.pair.com/index.html>  
<http://www.xenu.net/>  
<https://www.rtc.org/reports/onertcreport.scgi>  
<http://home8.inet.tele.dk/ivy/links.html>  
<http://www.truthaboutscientology.com>

Explains the IRS relationship to the COS  
Anti Scientology but full of information  
RTC to which you can send reports about the RTC  
More Freezone links  
Information about the COS

The inclusion of any links or sites here does not mean or imply that any or all sites are endorsed by the International Freezone Association and are simply given for information and comparative purposes only.

If you have a link not shown here you think should be included or if you have any further questions or queries or wish to get into communication, please contact us at the following: [support@internationalfreezone.net](mailto:support@internationalfreezone.net)

Thank you.

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of the  
International Freezone Association

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