



It is presented by analogy in the book
Dorothy and the Wizard in Oz
by L Frank Baum

Oz - the virtual world - is introduced and defined in the first book
the Wizard of Oz

Oz is stabilized and sorted out in the second book
the Land of Oz

Dorothy's relationship to the land of Oz is firmly established in the third book
Ozma of Oz

And then the process of self transformation begins in the fourth book
Dorothy and the Wizard in Oz

The episodes proceed in the order of Transformation

On the way home from Australia Dorothy takes the train from San Francisco to
visit relatives in California.



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Central Focus

She arrives by train at her relatives siding in the midst of a continuing series of
major and minor earthquakes.

This parallels a major dissatisfaction with the meaninglessness and lack of
significance of one's life. This is the desire to find out what is really true and the
willingness to change.



Ba Purple Moon

Internal Specific Absence and Reflection

A major tremor opens a great split in the earth and she, her cousin Zeb who came
to pick her up, the buggy, Jim the horse drawing the buggy and Dorothy's kitten
Eureka fall into the void.

This parallels beginning the practice of contemplative meditation and the stilling
of judgmental thought, observing one's own thoughts without being involved in
them.