

## **EDITORIAL REMARKS**

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### **In This Issue**

The articles by Dr. Gregory L. Baker and Rev. Erik Sandstrom, Sr. complement one another. In his continuing series "Connections: Science and Religion" (this installment entitled "Forms: Variety Within Recurrence") Gregory Baker lays a philosophical basis from the Writings for a view of aspects of nature seen from the vantage point of mathematical sets called fractals. In his paper "In the Same Light," Erik Sandstrom, Sr. argues compellingly that what we are now experiencing as a development of the Age of Enlightenment (including the development of modern science) springs from the presence of the Divine Natural with men with a power not possible before the Second Advent.

In Translator's Corner Dr. Odhner includes another paper presented at the 1988 Translators Conference, one by Mr. Richard L. Goerwitz III. The author, now well known to our readers, contributes again to our appreciation of the intellectual climate of Swedenborg's century.

The issue closes with a book review by Dr. Thomas W. Keiser, who brings his background as a practicing psychologist to bear in his commentary and evaluation of what he describes as a "fascinating work."

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