

# Review of: "Sacred Plants and Their Miraculous or Healing Properties"

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The authors of this paper combined the history, archaeological findings, traditional knowledge, and scientific knowledge on the use of psychoactive plants. The author stresses their importance in medicine, religion, and ritual life since ancient times, and they have been consumed for centuries by many cultures, cults, and groups during rituals and religious ceremonies. The manuscript is well-written, but we note certain shortcomings that could better edify the reader:

- The title seems too general, so the reader expected to see more about sacred plants and their healing properties. I suggest as a title: Some Sacred Plants and Their Miraculous or Healing Properties.

- In the main manuscript, the family names of the plants mentioned should be added.

- More information should be given on the use of these sacred plants.

Nowadays, we can easily determine the dosage, especially since these sacred and psychotropic plants are used in experimental models to verify their veracity.

- The author should provide information on the use of the plants. (Did they use it as a paste, or did they eat the plant or part of it directly? At what time of day, if any, ..... ) At what time did the plants produce their effects? If not, mention the difficulties in obtaining these informations.

- It would also be interesting to clarify the different contexts in which these different plants are used.

- It would be interesting for the author to provide a table for the plants, if not for the two sacred plants chosen, with the following elements: the parts of the plant used, the biological effects, the dosage, the active ingredient(s), the use.....

The paper needs corrections with regard to the comments above.