

# Revelation and Preservation

## Light/Shadow Study

Chosen Site Location: Miami, FL LAT: 25.5 LONG: 80.1

Year Round Solstice Study  
Previous Iteration

Protection of the Holy Book is necessary in order to salvage the meaning behind the texts. Exposing it to nature's heat rays will provide damage to the books over time. It is vital to store the readings in an area that is not directly hit by the sun.

The exhibition space on the other hand, will provide visitors with the necessary illumination needed to read the text after achieving it. The concept of **gradiance** was derived by the idea of the "light at the end of the tunnel" which is what one experiences after life, before entering to its salvation. Using the modular barnacle-like facade treatment, height and capping will allow for an increase of light towards the end of the structure making it feel as one is traveling towards the "holy light."

