

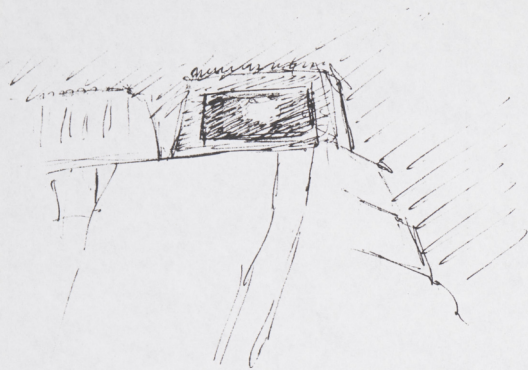
Dear John,

Just a note about the great temple painting: It would be fantastic if you could computerize or whatever, this picture in such a way as to show the sun actually reflecting off the great panel on Huitzilopochtli's temple.

This was not red as the official models show but was a mosaic of obsidian created to reflect the sky in all its moods. It must have appeared blue on occasion and, on certain sunsets, red and then also ^{at} other ~~moods~~ times it just reflected what was going on with other phenomena. Remember that this temple was called Ilhuicatl Xoxouqui - Blue Heaven.

The official model makers have not read the description of this structure accurately which says that certain parts of the trim and decoration were painted red — as you see them in my painting — and not the star panel.

Scott Cerning



Remember also, that Tlaloc's Chapel is about 6 feet lower than that of Huitzilopochtli's.

