



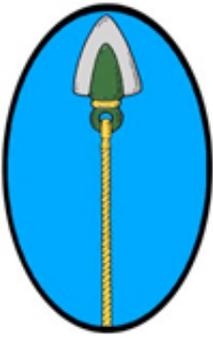
Mabon ~ Full Moon in Virgo **10th March 2017**

On this night we will be connecting to the energy of the Virgo Full Moon and the Horned God as he prepares for his death as Winter looms. Traditionally, the annual Virgo Full Moon opposite the Pisces Sun is a time to reflect upon the balance of energies between such qualities as service and compassion, craft and inspiration, analysis and intuition. The cooler days remind us that the Autumn Equinox is only days away and it is a time for thanksgiving and celebration of harvest abundance, of hearth, home, and family.

Sydney Ritual

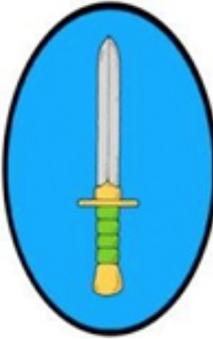
(Tribal face paint is applied by participants before the start of the ritual.)

By the power of the Dragons may this circle be blessed, cleansed and sanctified (x3)



East

Oh great seer Esmas,
Ancient one of Gorias
I call thee to come forth and protect and charge this circle,
With the power of the spear of Lugh
Come forth so mote it be



North

Oh great seer Usias
Ancient one of Findias
I call thee to come forth and protect and charge this circle.
With the power of the sword of Nuada
Come forth so mote it be



West

Oh great seer Semias,
Ancient one of Murias,
I call thee to come forth and protect and charge this circle
With the power of the cauldron of Dagda
Come forth so mote it be



South

Oh great seer Morfessa,
Ancient one of Falias,
I call thee to come forth and protect and charge this circle
With the power of the Stone of Lia Fail
Come forth so mote it be

Invocation to Goddess

Mother Earth Invocation:

Oh mother Earth, sacred source of all life,
Who is the fruitful earth,
I gaze upon your beauty in wonder and awe,
Your presence is everywhere.
Creator, preserver and eternal renewer,
From whom I was born and to whom I shall return,
May we live our life in reverence, gratitude and awareness.
May we harm not the delicate web of your existence,
and may we help to heal and strengthen it.
We honour and praise you now,
And vow to walk according to your ways,

Come, be welcome here;
We invite you to this Circle!
Guard us, guide us teach us and bless us;
Join us in the Circle!
Hail & Welcome

Horned God Invocation

Horned One come!
Lord of the Winds, Lord of the Hunt,
Sun Child, Winter-Born King!
Stag and Stallion, Goat and Bull,
Guardian of the Gate -
He who is called Herne, Cernunnos,
Jack-In-The Green,
The Green Man,
Daghda,
Pan,
Spirit of the Wood -

Come, be welcome here;
We invite you to this Circle!
Guard us, guide us teach us and bless us;
Join us in the Circle!
Hail & Welcome

Intent - To tap into our inner strength and the warrior energy of the Virgo full Moon to enable us to stand in our power.

Meditation - Drumming by the group instead of music during meditation.





Activity - Drumming and singing to raise energy:

We all come from the Goddess
And to her we shall return
Like a drop of rain
Flowing to the ocean

Earth my body
Water my blood
Air my breath and
Fire my spirit

Closing

Goddess

Oh Mother Earth, sacred of all life,
Who is the fruitful earth,
I gaze upon your beauty in wonder and awe,
Your presence is everywhere.
Thank you for join gin our circle
Hail & farewell

God

Horned One
Lord of the Winds, Lord of the Hunt,
sun Child, Winter-born King!
Stag and Stallion, goat and Bull,
Guardian of the Gate
Thank you for joining us in our circle
Hail & farewell

South

Oh great seer Morfessa,
Ancient one of Falias,
Thank you for your guidance & protection
With the power of the Stone of Lia Fail
Hail & Farewell

West

Oh great seer Semias,
Ancient one of Murias,
Thank you for your guidance & protection
With the power of the cauldron of Dagda
Hail & Farewell

North

Oh great seer Usias
Ancient one of Findias
Thank you for your guidance & protection
With the power of the sword of Nuada
Hail & Farewell

East

Oh great seer Esmas,
Ancient one of Gorias
Thank you for your guidance & protection
With the power of the spear of Lugh
Hail & Farewell

May this circle be open but unbroken
May the peace of the Goddess be ever in our hearts.
Merry Meet and Merry Part
And Merry Meet again.

Nowra Ritual

Anointment: "Do you enter this circle in perfect love and perfect trust?" (slow drumming)

OPENING

EAST

Oh great seer Esmas
Ancient one of Gorias
I call thee to come forth and protect and charge this circle
With the power of the spear of Lugh
Come forth, so mote it be.

NORTH

Oh great seer Usias
Ancient one of Findias
I call thee to come forth and protect and charge this circle
With the power of the sword of Nuada
Come forth, so mote it be.

WEST

Oh great seer Semias
Ancient one of Murias
I call thee to come forth and protect and charge
this circle
With the power of the cauldron of Dagda
Come forth, so mote it be.

SOUTH

Oh great seer Morfessa
Ancient one of Falias
I call thee to come forth and protect and charge
this circle
With the power of the Stone of Lia Fail
Come forth, so mote it be.

THE HORNED GOD - DEATH INVOCATION

(Osiris pose)

Horned God
You are the deer in rut
Mighty horned one
Who roams the Autumn woods
The hunter circling round the oak
The antlers of the wild stag
And the lifeblood that spills upon the ground each season.
God of the wilderness, Lord of the forest

ALL: I give myself to you as a sacrifice

Dance & music: starting fast then slowing down, then stop.

MEDITATION

THE HORNED GOD – REBIRTH INVOCATION (Goddess pose)

Horned God
You are the stag in pursuit
Mighty Horned One
Who roams the Spring Forest
The hunter circling round the oak
The antlers of the wild stag
And the lifeblood that liberates my spirit, igniting my passion.
God of the hunt, Lord of the forest,

ALL: I give myself to you to be reborn

Dance & music: starting slow then quickening, then stop and ground.



DISCUSSION

CLOSING

SOUTH

Oh great seer Morfessa
Ancient one of Falias
Thank you for your guidance and protection
With the power of the Stone of Lia Fail
Hail and Farewell

WEST

Oh great seer Semias
Ancient one of Murias
Thank you for your guidance and protection
With the power of the cauldron of Dagda
Hail and Farewell

NORTH

Oh great seer Usias
Ancient one of Findias
Thank you for your guidance and protection
With the power of the sword of Nuada
Hail and Farewell

EAST

Oh great seer Esmas
Ancient one of Gorias
Thank you for your guidance and protection
With the power of the spear of Lugh
Hail and Farewell

***May the circle be open but unbroken
May the peace of the Goddess be ever in our hearts
Merry Meet and Merry Part and Merry Meet again.***