

Spheres Of Light, Sydney & Nowra Full Moon Circles



Litha ~ Full Moon in Gemini Friday 1st December 2017

On this last full moon circle for the year we will be connecting to the energy of the Gemini Full Moon. This is a time to celebrate our diversity in oneness; it is a great time for a party and to be the radiant Light that we all are. This is a time to show gratitude for the blessings of our life and the abundance that we receive.

As we approach Midsummer it is said that the Faerie folk come and interact with the mundane world and the humans. On Friday night we will be connecting to Gywn Ap Nudd, the Fairy King and the Fey and we will be making happiness and prosperity talismans in preparation for 2018.

Introduction

Full Moon in Gemini

December is a big month in astrology as there are a lot of changes and shifts taking place. These changes and shifts are really going to help shower us with a new energy and a new outlook for the year ahead.

The last Full Moon for 2017, falls in the air sign of Gemini on December 3, the same day that Mercury goes retrograde. This Full Moon is also a Super Moon, which means its energy is going to be amplified.

During this time, we may feel like we are taking two steps forward and one step back. We may also feel a bit stuck or stagnant.

It is important to honour this energy however, for it seems that this Full Moon may be helping to bring things to the surface. If there are things that you need to hear or even secrets that need to be revealed, this Full Moon is definitely going to be shining a light so you can see the truth.

This Full Moon is all about illuminating the truth, especially when it comes to how you communicate, and your true motives and intentions. If you or someone you know has been holding back the truth or doing things for the wrong reasons, this Full Moon may force things to rise up to the surface.

Gwyn ap Nudd, Lord of the Otherworld

Gwyn ap Nudd, the black-faced trickster King of the Faeries, Lord of the Underworld and of the Dead, is synonymous with Glastonbury and Avalon, and the Wild Hunt.

Entwined with his mythology is that of Glastonbury Tor - thought to be a gateway to his realm of the Underworld. There are many themes that tie him into popular Arthurian legend, which later became christianized. The Celtic Realm of the Dead, the Underworld, is said to contain Ceridwen's Cauldron, the Cauldron of Rebirth. Glastonbury is reputed to be one of the possible hiding places of the Holy Grail, the mythical cup that restores life. The series of terraces on the Tor

claimed to be a spiral labyrinth, Caer Arianrhod, the spiral Castle, resides in the heart of the Underworld.

As the son of Nudd, he is also the grandson of Beli Mawr, and nephew to Arianrhod. The realms of the Dead appear to be very much the family business! If Beli and Don are equivalent to the Irish Bile and Danu, then logically the Children of Gwynedd are equivalent to the Tuatha de Danaan, the latter who later became synonymous with People of the Fae.

Gwyn ap Nudd, whose name means 'Bright' or 'White'. He is also a mysterious Faery King, dwelling in his Glass Castle beneath Glastonbury Tor, and under numerous dark still lakes in the wild Welsh hills. A dark lover and hunter god of the winter, he guides us to the secret places, within our magical land and within ourselves....

In the 14th Century, Welsh soothsayers when entering the forest would say

"ad regem Eumenidium et reginam eius: Gwynn ap Nwdd qui es ultra in silvis pro amore concubine tue permittite nos venire domum"

"To the King of the Spirits and his queen: Gwyn ap Nudd, you who are yonder in the forest, for the love of your mate, permit me to enter your dwelling."

When working with the Fae one must always proceed with caution and call in the Elemental Rulers of the Dragons to watch and protect.

Tonight we will be calling in the Dragons to watch over our proceedings. We will be making Happiness and Wealth Talismans for 2018 blessed by the Fairy King.

As I was beginning to prepare the meditation on Gwyn ap Nudd I was told the meditation tonight will be channelled so it will be interesting what comes through.

Cast Circle

"By the power of the Dragons may this circle be blessed, cleansed and sanctified." *(Repeat over and over while walking the circle three times.)*

East

Dragons of Air
(ad-lib quarter call - no written script)

North

Dragons of Fire
(ad-lib quarter call - no written script)

West

Dragons of Water
(ad-lib quarter call - no written script)

South

Dragons of Earth
(ad-lib quarter call - no written script)

Gwyn ap Nudd Invocation (Sydney Circle)

To the King of the Spirits and his queen:
Gwyn ap Nudd, you who are yonder in the forest,
for the love of your mate,
permit us to enter your dwelling.
Guard us, guide us teach us and bless us.
Hail & Welcome

Gwyn ap Nudd Invocation (Nowra Circle)

I call to you, Horned one, King of the Realm of the Fae,
Ruler of spirit, ruler of Annwyn, Lord of death and resurrection.
Hear the call of your wild children, waiting for you to unite them
Lord and Master of the Wild Hunt!

Hear my cry through the mists, through the void
Watcher in the shadows - who stands with one foot upon the earth
And one foot within the domains of the underworld

Hear my words, step forth into our circle, honour us with your presence
Let us glimpse your form beneath the full moon on this most wondrous of nights,
Beams dancing from your antlered brow

Tear down the veil between our worlds, let us become one with the realm of spirit
Let us commune with those who have passed through on that journey before us
Let us connect upon their ancient ways

Though our heart may skip a beat and the blood boil in our veins
Allow us to sit at your feet,
glimpse whispers of the future and impart your wisdom of the aeons

Great Gwynn Ap Nudd - you who are the beginning and the end
Life, death, blood and breath
By the wind swept land and moon drenched sea
By standing stone and blasted tree
By the flame upon your brow that burns bright
I call thee to dance with us through the night
Hear the voice of your children at this time!

Gywnn Ap Nudd join us!

Hail and welcome!

Meditation

Intent and Activity

Make a happiness and prosperity talisman using potpourri and cinnamon. Wrapped in yellow or red paper (or use yellow or red cloth bags) and tied together with ribbon which you can place on your altar or on your Christmas tree. The talismans will be consecrated over the smoke of cinnamon.

Closing

Gwyn ap Nudd

To the King of the Spirits and his queen:
Gwyn ap Nudd, you who are yonder in the forest,
for the love of your mate,
thank you for letting us into your dwelling
and for guarding us.
Hail & Farewell

South

Dragons of Earth
(ad-lib farewell - no written script)

West

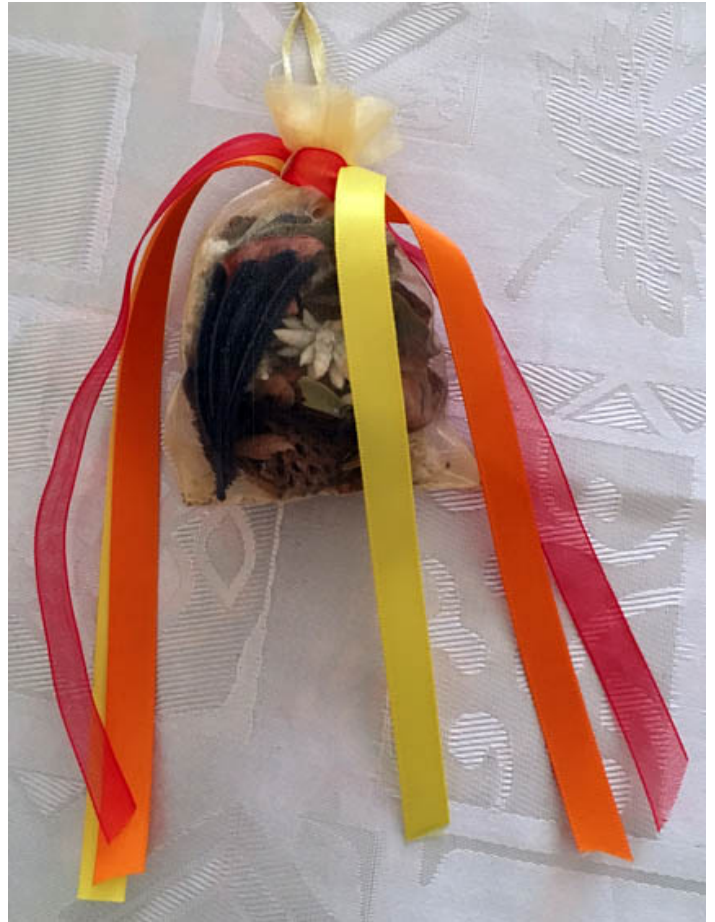
Dragons of Water
(ad-lib farewell - no written script)

North

Dragons of Fire
(ad-lib farewell - no written script)

East

Dragons of Air
(ad-lib farewell - no written script)



Prosperity talisman

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.

