# Full Moon in Capricorn ~ Lunar Eclipse

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# **Background Information...**

FULL MOON IN CAPRICORN

PENUMBRAL LUNAR ECLIPSE JULY 7th AUST EST 7.21pm ECLIPSE 7.39pm

This Moon in Capricorn with Sun in Cancer is all about the structures, work and goals you make in regards your life, security and home. This eclipse will assist you to examine if you are focused on merely your insecurities about how you live or if you are ready to break through your limitations and adapt to the every changing world. The cosmic energies will help shift you to start moving into the bigger picture of your purpose on Earth and what you are here to achieve from the level of

yourself as a Co-creator, from the personal family, home and life to the greater family of humanity and your home the planet Earth.

This is the night of emotional release where we are given an opportunity to cleanse ourselves of the residual baggage that we hold onto and to reach deep into our well of strength and decide that achieving your own inner peace is the only goal worth attaining at this moment in our human evolution. This Full Moon simultaneously uncovers our fear and reflects the solution to our fear: acting only from love, compassion, and doing the hard work of relieving the suffering of all sentient beings by achieving enlightenment and inner peace. This is a very powerful and serious Full Moon which allows us to let go.

Tonight we will be working with the Goddess Yemaya and the God Aganju who are the Nommos who are a race of beings that takes the physical forms of dolphins, whales, mermaids/mermen. Their home world is a planet in the Sirius star system that is mostly warm aqua-blue water.

### The Ritual...

Everyone walks in single file with beat of the drum entering the circle from the Southern Quarter.

### **East**

Guardians of the Watchtowers of the East and the elements of Air, I call thee up to protect us in our rite.

I call upon your wisdom, summon your energy and love to witness this night of release.

So Mote it be

### North

Guardians of the Watchtowers of the North and the elements of Fire, I call thee up to protect us in our rite.

I call upon your wisdom, summon your energy and passion to witness this night of release.

So Mote it be

### West

Guardians of the Watchtowers of the West and the elements of Water, I call thee up to protect us in our rite.

I call upon your wisdom, summon your energy and intuition to witness this night of release.

So Mote it be

### South

Guardians of the Watchtowers of the South and the elements of Earth, I call thee up to protect us in our rite.

I call upon your wisdom, summon your energy and stability to witness this night of release.

So Mote it be

### **Casting Circle**

A circle is cast around about, spirit stay in, world stay out; a circle is cast around about, a world within a world without; the circle is cast around and around, in spirit and power we are now bound.

### **Goddess**

I call upon the Goddess Yemaya
Mother Ocean
Goddess of the Sea
She from whose womb
holds the waters from which spring all Life.
Come and join us here in our circle,
Come, for we honor you on this Night of release
Let Thy waters wash over us, cleanse us, and heal us...
May your waves of power and grace
Rock us deep in your love.
Hail and welcome.

### God

I call upon the God Aganju
Father Volcano
Oh Fiery one
Come and join us here in our circle,
Come, for we honor you on this Night of release
Let Thy brigtness enlighten and heal us...
May your warmth of power
Hold us deep in your love.
Hail and welcome.



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# Meditation on Dolphins

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Dolphin Song

Running time 10 minutes Written, performed and produced by Janine Donnellan

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# **Intent – Moving Forward**

A bowl of water is passed around the circle, this is a time to allow all the residual heartache and pain to be released. Think of your aspirations, where you want to go in your life. Now sprinkle a few drops of water into your right hand, honouring the water element in Cancer. Think of the flow of emotion, the blessings of nurture and compassion. Cupping your two palms together in a gesture of prayer, think of what you want to bring into your life and give thanks to Yemaya ask her to wash her waters over you and cleanse your soul. Holding your hands over the bowl, rinse your hands with the remaining water, allowing your energy then to flow into the bowl; once everyone has released their energy into the water a procession will move to the open park where we will pour our energy back into the earth, for healing of the earth.

# **Closing**

### **Goddess**

Yemaya Mother Ocean Goddess of the Sea Thank you for being with us tonight Hail & Farewell

### God

Aganju Father Volcano
Oh Fiery one
Thank you for being with us tonight
Hail & Farewell

### South

Guardians of the Watchtowers of the South and the elements of Earth, Thankyou for protecting us in our rite. and for witnessing this night of release. Hail & Farewell

### West

Guardians of the Watchtowers of the West and the elements of Water, Thankyou for protecting us in our rite. and for witnessing this night of release. Hail & Farewell

### North

Guardians of the Watchtowers of the North and the elements of Fire, Thankyou for protecting us in our rite. and for witnessing this night of release. Hail & Farewell

## **East**

Guardians of the Watchtowers of the East and the elements of Air, Thankyou for protecting us in our rite. and for witnessing this night of release. 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.



