

FULL MOON IN AQUARIUS

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The Full Moon in Aquarius gives us a window of opportunity where we can create new ways of thinking and being. We are given the opportunity to look at others and the world in love and as a sister/brotherhood, we are all one. We can use this loving energy to create new ways of being for our self, moving beyond the limitations of duality and separation. Where in our own life can we create a more unified, humanitarian approach to the way we are and what we do?

Humanity is asleep, and we live in a false culture, one that is out of balance with life and its elemental powers. Many of us know now what the price will be, more or less, for the excesses of our current lifestyles. And that too is in keeping with cosmic law. On the night of our circle we will journey back to Avalon and connect with Vivienne & Merlin in order that we may learn the ancient spiritual concepts to live in balance with life once again - accepting and enjoying it for what it is, and being part of its revelation.

East

Blodeuwedd, Lady of Initiation Help us to cast off the garments of expectation and to peer into the darkness of the self to find, and ultimately live, our inner truth. With the power of the winds.

Come forth and join our circle So mote it be

North

Rhiannon, the Lady of Manifestation. Call us to stand strong regardless of the challenges to our truth. Teaches us to ask for what we need, and grants abundant and loving support to carry us through our dark times.

With the power of the Flame. Come forth and join our circle So mote it be

West

Arianrhod, the Great Teacher. Allow us to move within the Wheel as destiny dictates, mindful of the force of Bound and Rebound, the Karmic Lesson Bringer that brings the Universe into Balance.

With the power of the tides. Come forth and join our circle So mote it be

South

Cerridwen, Lady of Transformation. Allow us to enter into our darkness to seek out the seeds of our wholeness. Help us to

understand that the path to wisdom is through trial and experience.

With the power of the ancestors.

Come forth and join our circle

So mote it be

Guardian of Avalon

Branwen, Goddess of the Land, Guardian of Avalon, you are the Whole, the Centre, the Axis Mundi of this mystical realm. Guide us safely through Avalon and allow the greater patterns of our journey to be revealed. So mote it be

Invocation to Vivienne: High Priestess of Avalon Guardian of the Sacred well Speaker of the Healing spell Vivienne come to us now Lady of the Sacred Lake Where Excalibur, You did make Vivienne come to us now Welcome

Invocation to Merlin: You who are the wind that gives voice to the trees The Lord of Earth, the Sentinel of Eternity You are the circle of standing stones The fire along the blade of a sword Mighty Merlin Come to us now Welcome

Vivianne holds aloft a crystal ball

(East) We turn to the East & open the gate and ask Blodeuwedd to tell us our fate.

(North) We turn to the North & open the door and ask Rhiannon to tell us her lore.

(West) We turn to the West & open the portel and ask Arianrhod our future to foretell.

(South) We turn to the South and open the Way and ask Ceridwen and the Old Ones to join us this day.

Meditation on Avalon followed by spiral walk...

Guardian of Avalon Branwen, Guardian of Avalon, thank you for guiding us safely through Avalon. Hail & Farewell Goddess All honour and love to Vivienne High Priestess of Avalon. She is the power behind all powers Hail & Farewell

God

All honour and love to Merlin Master of all, for He is the power behind all powers, Hail & Farewell

South

Cerridwen, Lady of Transformation By the power of the ancestors Thank you for you protection and charge of this circle Hail & Farewell

West

Arianrhod, the Great Teacher By the power of the tides Thank you for you protection and charge of this circle Hail & Farewell

North

Rhiannon, the Lady of Manifestation By the power of the Flame Thank you for you protection and charge of this circle Hail & Farewell

East

Blodeuwedd, Lady of Initiation By the power of the winds Thank you for you protection and charge of this circle, 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.