

Spheres Of Light
Sydney & Nowra Full Moon Circles
17th June 2016



NEITH

Introduction

On this night we will be celebrating Yule and connecting to the energy of the second Sagittarius/Gemini Full Moon under the guidance of the Goddess Neith who is a creation goddess.

The unsettled energy that we have been experiencing from the May full moon will peak at this June Sagittarius Full Moon. The Sagittarius full moon brings the focus on questioning our currently held ideas and ideals as well as urging us to search for better ways of manifesting our desires.

Circle format for 2016

A meditation will be conducted before the ritual begins, prior to casting the circle.

The Four Guardian Neteru [pronounced neecheroo] are:

- Qebhsennuf [kebs-noof]
- Duamutef [doo-a-moo-tef]
- Imsety [im-set-ee]
- Hapi [hah-pee]

Together they are called the Sons of Horus.

Opening the Circle

- Call in the Sons of Horus (sunwise - E, N, W, S.)
- After quarter calls turn sunwise (anticlockwise) to face the Altar/Shrine
- Strike drum or shake rattle
- Call in the Heavens
- Strike drum or shake rattle; The Circle is now Cast.
- Light the Candles on the Altar/Shrine
- Call The Shining Eye of Horus Comes
- Invoke Deity
- State Intent
- Conduct Activity

Closing the Circle

- Farewell Deity
- Close Quarters (anti-sunwise - S, W, N, E.)
- Ending - Qebhsennuf leaving, taking the elementals with him closing the doors to the elemental world. Extinguish outer Candles. Take centre candle from the altar and carry it anti-sunwise (clockwise) around the circle saying (all together):

By holy flame of candle-fire,
The ritual ends at our desire.
The circle is down, and is no more,
All things are as they were before.

East

Opening The Circle

Say - As we call Qebhsennuf [kebs-noof], picture him approaching in the form of a falcon, a golden bird of prey. See him come to rest at the edge of the circle in the form of a tall, falcon-headed man. Behind him picture a sunny sky with wind swept clouds.

Do - Strike drum or shake rattle

Say - Hail to you Lords and Ladies of the East; Powers of Air. Hail Lord Qebhsennuf! Please be present at this sacred place and witness this rite!

Qebhsennuf! (kebs-noof)

Qebhsennuf!

Qebhsennuf!

Hail And Welcome!

Closing The Circle

Do - Strike drum or shake rattle

Say - Lord and Ladies of the East; Powers of Air, And Lord Qebhsennuf. Thank you for attending this Rite. Hail and Farewell!

Ending - Qebhsennuf leaving, taking the elementals with him closing the doors to the elemental world.

Do - Extinguish outer Candles. Take the centre candle from the altar and carry it clockwise around the circle, saying:

By holy flame of candle-fire

The ritual ends at our desire

The circle is down, and is no more

All things are as they were before

North

Opening The Circle

Say - As we call Duamutef [doo-a-moo-tef], picture him as a black jackal approaching through the desert landscape. He comes to rest at the edge of the circle in the form of a jackal-headed man. Behind is a background of flames.

Do - Strike drum or shake rattle

Say - Hail to you Lords and Ladies of the North; Powers of Fire. Hail Lord Duamutef! Please be present at this sacred place and witness this rite.

Duamutef! (doo-a-moo-tef)

Duamutef!

Duamutef!

Hail And Welcome!

Closing The Circle

Do - Strike drum or shake rattle

Say - Lords and Ladies of the North; Powers of Fire, and Lord Duamutef. Thank you for attending this Rite. Hail and Farewell!

Ending

(after all 4 Sons of Horus are farewelled) all say as Qebhsennuf walks the circle:

By holy flame of candle-fire

The ritual ends at our desire

The circle is down, and is no more

All things are as they were before

West

Opening The Circle

Say - As we call Imsety [im-set-ee], picture him as a bearded man standing on the seashore with waves behind him.

Do - Strike drum or shake rattle

Say - Hail to you Lord and Ladies of the West; Powers of Water. Hail Lord Imsety! Please be present at this sacred place and witness this rite.

Imsety! (im-set-ee)

Imsety!

Imsety!

Hail And Welcome!

Closing The Circle

Do - Strike drum or shake rattle

Say - Lords and Ladies of the West; Powers of Water, and Lord Imsety. Thank you for attending this Rite. Hail and Farewell!

Ending

(after all 4 Sons of Horus are farewelled) all say as Qebhsennuf walks the circle:

By holy flame of candle-fire

The ritual ends at our desire

The circle is down, and is no more

All things are as they were before

South

Opening The Circle

Say - As we call Hapí [hah-pee], picture him approaching in the shape of a baboon or ape. He stands at the edge of the circle as a man with a baboon shaped head. Behind him a scene of trees and plants.

Do - Strike drum or shake rattle

Say - Hail to you Lord and Ladies of the South; Powers of Earth. Hail Lord Hapí! Please be present at this sacred place and witness this rite.

Hapí! (hah-pee)

Hapí!

Hapí!

Hail And Welcome!

Closing The Circle

Do - Strike drum or shake rattle

Say - Lords and Ladies of the South; Powers of Earth, and Lord Hapí Thank you for attending this Rite. Hail and Farewell!

Ending

(after all 4 Sons of Horus are farewelled) all say as Qebhsennuf walks the circle:

By holy flame of candle-fire

The ritual ends at our desire

The circle is down, and is no more

All things are as they were before

Heavens are Opened

Opening The Circle

Do

Strike drum or shake rattle

Say

The Heavens are Opened!

The Earth is Opened!

The West is Opened!

The East is Opened!

The Southern half of Heaven is Opened!

The Northern Half of Heaven is Opened!

And The Gates are thrown Wide Open To Ra & Thoth

As he comes from the horizon!

Do

Strike drum or shake rattle;

Say

The Circle is now Cast.

Do

Light the Candles on the Altar/Shrine

Ending

(after all 4 Sons of Horus are farewelled) all say as Qebhsennuf walks the circle:

By holy flame of candle-fire

The ritual ends at our desire

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Horus

Opening The Circle

Say

The Shining Eye of Horus Comes

The Brilliant Eye of Horus Comes

It Comes In Peace

It Sends forth rays of light unto Ra in the Horizon

And it Destroys the powers of Set according to the Decree

It Leads them on and takes possession of him

And its Flame is Kindled against him

Its Flame Comes and Goes about and brings adoration

It Comes and Goes about heaven in the Train of Ra

Upon the two hand of the two sister, Oh Ra

The Eye of Horus Lives

Yes, Lives within the great hall

The Eye of Horus lives

Yes, Lives!

Ending

(after all 4 Sons of Horus are farewelled) all say as Qebhsennuf walks the circle:

By holy flame of candle-fire

The ritual ends at our desire

The circle is down, and is no more

All things are as they were before

The circle format outlined above is used by Sydney and Nowra Circles. Each invocation has been printed out separately on papyrus styled paper, rolled and tied with ribbon coloured according to the elements and re-used for all rituals. However, each circle writes their own invocations to deity every full moon, and decides on their own intent and activity, so only those aspects of the ritual will differ and require printing anew each month.

Nowra Circle

Meditation followed by quiet contemplation

Please sit comfortably and close your eyes. Take a few long deep breaths, allowing your body to settle into wherever you are sitting. Now bring your awareness to your heart. Be aware of the breath here. Expand your awareness from your heart centre. Expand your awareness right out to the outer ends of the cosmos. Visualise that you are viewing the point of creation.

You see the birth of all that is and forming in front of your eyes is an electric blue cloud of cosmic gases that transform into a giant primordial goddess, the goddess Neith she who created herself. She immediately connects to you from your soul link. She asks you four soul questions:

Who are you? Now simply shift into the presence of Being, because that's who you are. Who are you is not an image, sensation or thought. Who are you? Shift into Being, just Be. Who are you?

What do you want? Say to yourself, what do I want and then allow the experience to come to you right now in the form of a sensation, image, feeling or thought. Just be open to it. What do I want? Allowing any sensation, image, feeling or thought to come to you. What do I want?

What is my purpose? This is also an experience, so allowing any sensation, image, feeling or thought to come. What is my purpose? What is my purpose?

What am I grateful for? Allowing any sensation, image, feeling or thought to come to you. What am I grateful for? What am I grateful for?

Now silently begin saying the following sentence: I AM and then your full name, first name and last name. Now drop your last name and just repeat I AM and your first name. Now drop your first name and just repeat I AM, I AM, I AM. And now change the I AM to AHUM, AHUM, AHUM. Which is the vibration of I AM AHUM, AHUM, AHUM.

And now begin your Primordial Sound Mantra in your mind, which is the unique vibration of your Soul. As you repeat your Primordial Sound you may notice that it changes. It may become faster or slower, louder or fainter or it may even become distorted. However your Primordial Sound changes, continue repeating it effortlessly without resisting or anticipating changes. It's more like listening to it rather than saying it. Stay with your mantra and I will call you back when it is time to return.

It is now time to leave the mantra and rest in Existence. Rest in Awareness. Rest in Being. Just rest. Existence, Awareness, Being.

Thanking the Goddess Neith for her connection.

Now take a few moments and think about what you want to create. Now take a few deeper breaths, move and stretch gently. Please bring your palms together in front of your heart centre. Opening your eyes and awakening to a new reality.

Every one then tones AHUM, AHUM, AHUM

Opening: Calling the sons of Horus
The Heavens are Opened...
The Shining Eye of Horus...

INVOCATION TO GODDESS NEITH

Unique Goddess Neith,

Mysterious & great who came to be in the beginning and caused everything to come to be.

The divine mother of Ra who shines on the horizon.

Teach us to confront the primal dark within us & to tame our ferocious fears, weaving our desires into existence with wisdom and webs of human connectedness.

"Hail Neith!!"

We stand before you tonight asking you to bring us wisdom and protection so that we may weave and create our primal desires & destinies, so that we are washed clean of fear and reborn anew.

Neith, defender of the home, master of arrows & spears, may you protect us always.

Welcome.

INTENT

To recreate whatever needs to be manifested.

CONDUCT ACTIVITY

Making God's Eyes (weaving brightly coloured yarn onto a simple frame of crossed sticks).



CLOSING THE CIRCLE

GODDESS NEITH

Unique Goddess Neith,

She who is mysterious and great and came to be in the beginning, causing everything to come to be.

Thank you for teaching us to confront our primal fears so that we could weave and recreate our innermost desires.

We have been washed clean and reborn anew.

Neith, defender of the home, master of arrows & spears, may you protect us always.

Hail and Farewell

CLOSE QUARTERS...