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Today's Featured Order

The Order of Hesychia, Contemplative Order



Order Head Rev. Debbe Tomkins HP

The Order of Hesychia is contemplative in nature and will draw upon meditative practices from many religious traditions and cultures. The overall goal of this Order is to help members to manifest what they want in their lives through contemplation, reflection, meditation and prayer and to bring inner peace and tranquility into their life. The teachings will emphasis that a person can live the contemplative life if they seek to find Deity in everything and if every day tasks are approached with reverence.

The Order of Hesychia is devoted to using meditations and prayers that draw from many religious traditions and is dedicated to promoting religious unity.

Retreat Center: 314 S. Chicago St. Rossville, IL

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To contact Rev. Debbe Tomkins email:
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Today's Date in the Wheel of the Year

25 October

The Greeks called today the Day of the Dioscuri. In Greek mythology the twin brothers Castor and Pollux were called the Dioscuri by the Greeks (and the Gemini by the Romans). Pollux was a god and Castor was a mortal, the twin sons of Leda and the brothers of Helen of Troy and Clytemnestra. Castor was renowned as a horseman, and Pollux was a famed boxer. The Dioscuri were worshipped as the protectors of travellers. The Spartans, in particular, worshipped the Dioscuri and carried their images into battle. Romulus and Remus, the twin founders of Rome, are related archetypically to the Dioscuri and the cobbler saints, as are Amphion and Zethus of Thebes the Asvins of Vedic mythology.

Bagadjimbiri

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia.

In Aboriginal mythology (specifically: Karadjeri), the Bagadjimbiri are two brothers and creator gods. They arose from the ground as dingos and made water-holes, sex organs (from a mushroom and another fungus) for the androgynous first people, and invented circumcision. Taking human form, the Bagadjimbiri began an argument with Ngariman, a cat-person. Ngariman was annoyed by the Bagadjimbiri's laughter. He killed the brothers underground, but was drowned by Dilga, their mother, who flooded the underground murder-spot with her milk, which also revived her sons. The Bagadjimbiri eventually turned into snakes and went to live in the sky as clouds.

This and much more can be found in our new group

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/DeitiesCelebrations/>

We will be posting information here in the Correllian Herald on Mondays and Thursdays for that date. For daily and monthly information on Gods, Goddesses and Celebrations the World over, please feel free to join the group. If you have anything to add to the files they are welcome, too! We look forward to seeing you there!

Runes
By Gothi Freyatrú

*Do you know how to carve, do you know how to interpret,
Do you know how to stain, do you know how to test out,
Do you know how to ask, do you know how to sacrifice,
Do you know how to dispatch, do you know how to slaughter?*

Sayings of the high one v144 Trans Carolyne Larrington 1996

“Three weeks in a row!” I hear you all cry. “How many more weeks is he going to trot out that same quote?” The answer is: as long as it is still relevant to what I am saying.

A few weeks back when I was talking about not using runes until you could use them properly. I used an example of an inept Vitki from the Eddas who caused more harm even though they were trying to heal. Last week I went into the complexities involved even before you start carving. This week, to quote my quote, I am going to explain how you carve your runes. This process is also known as risting your runes. This is more than just a simple act of inscribing a symbol. It is more than simply writing a letter from the alphabet. It is, in fact, when done correctly, an immensely powerful system of magic.

So how do you rist a rune correctly? As we have seen last week that depends so much on knowledge other than simply how to hold a chisel. Primarily you need a good knowledge of runes. Without this it is highly dangerous to start risting runes. It is like teaching someone how to light a match without first teaching them about fire. So am I then, being irresponsible in relating this knowledge here? Well I would hope that all the readers here would at least have an understanding of the basic ways in which magic works. And I have given warnings about misusing runes, so, no I don't think I am irresponsible. At the end of the day your actions are your own responsibility.

Okay , so enough with the introductions and the warnings already!
The first step in risting a rune is to decide which rune you want to rist. If making futhark so you can have a set for divination obviously you will need to make one of each of them. Here is an appropriate place to give a shameless plug for the rune course which I teach via a Sedna Temple group the link for which is here.

<http://uk.groups.yahoo.com/group/SednaRunes/>

Once you have decided on your rune you need to carve it into whatever material you have for your stave. I work almost exclusively in wood, though that is by no means the only substance you can carve runes into. The first thing to do is mark out your rune with a pencil. I am more than capable of risting a rune without guide marks, but I make a neater job when I do use them. Certainly for your first attempt I would use them. Concentrate and focus on the rune you are carving, you may find it useful to chant its name either silently or aloud. Then using a craft knife make a vertical cut at 90 degrees to your stave. Try to cut exactly along your guidelines. Also make a very small cut across the ends of each line. This will give your finished rune a neater appearance. Then at 30-45 degrees from the vertical cut either side of the first cut so you have a 60-90 degree valley. All this time you should hold in your head the rune you are carving and its symbolism. That is the first part of the risting process done with. The next part is colouring or staining your rune, and I will talk more about that next week.

The moon

By Charles Q. Choi, SPACE.com

The moon — linked in myth with goddesses of witchcraft and the hunt, with gods of magic and wisdom — is nearly as old as Earth itself, with enigmas of its own. As close as the moon is to Earth, we are still far from solving all its mysteries — from how the moon was born to whether life on Earth has its past and future there.

How was the moon made?

Most scientists think the moon was born from a gargantuan collision — when a young, 30-million-year-old Earth was sideswiped by an embryonic planet the size of Mars some 4.5 billion years ago, with debris from our planet and this impactor eventually coalescing into a molten, red-hot moon.

Curiously, while the latest computer models suggest most of the moon came from the impactor, lunar samples from the Apollo and other missions suggest the moon is very chemically similar to Earth's mantle.

"Perhaps that means the impactor, this embryonic planet, was similar to Earth, drawn from the same materials our planet was," said Bernard Foing, principal scientist on SMART-1, a European Space Agency satellite that orbited the moon from 2004 to 2006. Japan's lunar orbiter Kaguya, which launched Sept. 13, and India's 2008 lunar craft Chandrayaan-1 should return more details about the moon's composition, evolution and, ultimately, its mysterious origin

The Lunar Cataclysm

The moon was rocked by a chain of devastating cosmic impacts known as the Lunar Cataclysm or the Late Heavy Bombardment about 4.2 billion to 3.8 billion years ago, which gouged out 50 or so giant basins still visible on the lunar surface. Astronomers suspect it occurred when the orbits of Jupiter and Saturn shifted, with the gravitational pull of these giant planets hurling more asteroids and comets around.

All the inner planets likely got hit at the same epoch as well — Foing estimated Earth suffered 25 or 30 times more impacts than the moon. Scientists aren't quite certain when the Late Heavy Bombardment occurred and how long it lasted, but it apparently took place around when life arose on Earth.

Pinning down when these impacts occurred could help shed light on whether they scoured primitive life that had just developed on Earth — or whether they planted chemical ingredients that helped life emerge. "It will be necessary to go to many impact basins on the moon to measure samples to try and figure out when they were created," Foing said.

Complete article: http://www.usatoday.com/tech/science/space/2007-09-17-moon-mysteries_N.htm?loc=interstitialskip

Announcements

Witan Shrine 'Hall of the Ancestors' Class Offerings

Correllian Nativist Tradition 1st Degree

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Meditation Made Simple

Learn easy methods to attaining clarity of mind. There is a weekly assignment given to work at your own pace.

Usui Reiki

Learn how to administer treatments to yourself and others utilizing universal energy. In this class setting, you can earn certification up to Master/Teacher level. There will be required reading, hands on training, and assignments to be eligible to earn your Degrees.

Blessings,

Rev. Lee Fluhr

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hoancestors@hotmail.com

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Temple, Shrine & Order Upcoming Events Announcements

No upcoming events at this time

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Ongoing Announcements

Temples Taking Clergy Applications

- Mother Temple Please apply here: <http://www.correllian.com/application/main.asp> Or contact Lady Virginia at virginia@witchschool.com
- Selu Temple Please apply to Lady Virginia virginia@witchschool.com For outer court for Selu please contact Lady Windy WINDY0716@aol.com
- Sedna Temple Please apply here: <http://sednatemple.co.uk/> Or contact Lady Anna at Lady-Anna@sednatemple.co.uk
- Clan of Kheper Temple Please apply here: <http://www.clanofkheper temple.co.za/clergyapplications.php> Or contact Lady Raene at applications@clanofkheper temple.co.za

The Order of Web Weavers Crystal Web Mapping Project

The Order of the Web Weavers has been working diligently on mapping the Crystal Web. If any of you have a crystal that you have added or removed from the Crystal Web contact us to ensure are records up to date and accurate.

The information we need in order to best catalog your crystal/s is the following. Your Craft Name and E-mail Address along with your City, State, Country, Latitude, and Longitude. Sent to the following e-mail address: www@correllianorders.info

Please include the above information, if you have removed your crystal from the Crystal Web along with 'Remove' in the subject line. If you have added several crystals then we would need a separate entry for each crystal, unless they are located together. If they are located together then please include how many crystals are at that location.

We are excited about this project and hope that you will be too. Once the crystals have been properly cataloged we can then begin placing them on the map program. This will give us a good visualization on the Crystal Web. Thank you in advance for your participation in this wonderful project.

Bright Blessings,
The Order of Web Weavers

Temple, Shrine, Order and Study Group Services

Online Rituals

Shrine of Serenity

<http://www.shrineofserenity.bravehost.com/index.html>

Healing Rituals Date: last Thursday of the month Time: 9pm UK (BST) Place:

<http://www.shrineofserenity.bravehost.com/chat.html>

Full Moon Rituals on the Date, Time: 7PM GMT

Place: <http://www.shrineofserenity.bravehost.com/chat.html> For more information please contact the Shrine: shrineofserenity@hotmail.co.uk For inclusion in the Healing Rituals please contact

Rev. Silver- Moonblossom: rev.silvermoonblossom@hotmail.com

Animal Shrine of Sothistar Animal Healing Rituals

Rituals are held on the first Tuesday of each month at 9pm UK time. Requests for animal healing and/or to join the Shrine and group may be sent to me at coatimundi@btinternet.com

For more information about the Shrine of Sothistar and online rituals please contact

Rev. Mehitabel coatimundi@btinternet.com

Sedna Temple Online Rituals

Samhain online Rituals: 31st October 9pm UK & 9PM EST

Place: **Festival Shrine** <http://festivalshrine.bravehost.com/>

For all information on all of Sedna's online rituals please contact Lady Anna
sednatemple@btinternet.com

Sedna Healing Shrine Healing Rituals Date: Every Friday except the last Friday in the month which are memorial rituals: Times: 9pm UK & 9pm EST

Australian East Coast 7pm. Place: <http://klik.to/healingshrine>

Living Stones Memorial Shrine Memorial Rituals Date: Last Friday in the month Times: 9pm UK & 9pm EST Place: <http://klik.to/memorial>

Shrine of the Moon Moon Rituals (Full & New) Date: On the actual date (will be announced) Times: 9pm UK & 9pm EST Place: <http://formalmoonshrine.bravehost.com/>

8 Festival Shrine Sabbat online rituals dates are announced online

Healing Gaia Shrine Healing Gaia Rituals, monthly online rituals

Online Initiation Rituals also provided by Sedna Temple on request. Contact sednatemple@btinternet.com for more details

Other Services Provided by Temples & Shrines

The World Wide Crystal Web Monthly Ritual

The World Wide Crystal Web Club monthly ritual on the 11th of each month (Time you do the Ritual is up to you as long as it is done on the 11th.) The Ritual is for Hope, Peace, Love and Prosperity. The energy sent out through the Web is for anyone to use through out the world if they so desire. Ritual and instructions are in the file section of each group.

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For more details and information contact Rev. Isarma lady@sacredearth temple.com

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Green Man Temple, Norfolk England

Online rituals for all Sabbats, General get togethers on a fortnightly basis.

Contact: Polgara sheppardz@ntl world.com

Sedna Moon Shrine: <http://formal moon shrine.brave host.com/>

GMT/BST & EST times

New Moon and Full Moon online rituals

Please see the Correllian Calendar for dates

Forum: <http://uk.groups.yahoo.com/group/Moon-Shrine/>

UK rituals start at 9pm GMT Second US rituals: 9pm EST Contact: Lady Anna: annahp@bt internet.com Rev. Mick: dotnmick@tiscal i.co.uk or Rev. Dragon Angel: dragon_angel_22_ca@yahoo.ca for more information.

Sedna Festival Shrine: <http://clik.to/festivals>

Sabbat Online rituals

Please see the Correllian Calendar for dates. GMT/BST & EST times or look for the announcements

Forum: <http://uk.groups.yahoo.com/group/festival shrine>

UK rituals start at 9pm Second US rituals: 9:pm EST

Contact: Rev. Anna: annahp@bt internet.com, Rev. Mick: dotnmick@tiscal i.co.uk or Rev. Mehitabel: coatimundi@bt internet.com

Living Stones Memorial: <http://klik.to/memorial>

Online memorial rituals

Held on the last Friday of the month at 9pm UK

Place: Living Stones Memorial Shrine. Ritual Room: <http://klik.to/memorial>

Contact: Lady Anna: annahp@btinternet.com or Rev. Mick: dotnmick@tiscali.co.uk or Rev.

Mehitabel: coatimundi@btinternet.com

Forum: <http://uk.groups.yahoo.com/group/LSMemorial/>

The Order of Reiki: <http://klik.to/reikiorder>

The Order of Reiki takes healing requests. Please go to the Order web site and fill in the healing request form.

The Order of Reiki also teaches many disciplines of Reiki. If you are a Reiki Master/Teacher and would like to teach your discipline through the Order for the Tradition please contact Lady Anna: annahp@btinternet.com

Faces of Correllianism

<http://www.correllian.com/faces.htm>

"Faces of Correllianism" is a place where Correllians can send photos of themselves, their altars, their pets, as well as artwork, autobiographies, descriptions of events and projects, essays and poetry to share with all Correllians. Through "Faces of Correllianism" we hope to show what a strong, diverse, and positive community we are.

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Symbols & Robes

<http://www.correllian.com/symbolsandrobes.htm>

Explanations of some of the symbols and robes used by the Correllian Tradition

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- Order of Paladins Order Head Rev. Traci Wood HP
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- Order of Herbal Studies Order Head - Rev. Jackie Coyle
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- Order of Bast Order Head Rev. Anna Rowe HPs
- Order of Sirius Order Head Rev. Anna Rowe HPs
- Order of Hesychia Contemplative Order. Order Head Rev. Debbe Tomkins HPs
- Order of the Eagle. Order Head Rev. Stephanie Neal

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- **The Order of Orpheus:** The Order of Orpheus is awarded to people in recognition of outstanding services to the Correllian Tradition.
- **The Order of the Round Table:** The Order of the Round Table is awarded to people in recognition of outstanding services to the Pagan community.
- **The Order of Tsalv:** The Order of Tsalv (Selu) is awarded to people in recognition of outstanding services the cause of peace in the world.

In addition to the above Orders which are awarded only rarely and in recognition of extreme accomplishments, we have also Meritorious Orders awarded twice yearly at the Lustrations, to recognize the work and achievements which keep our Tradition running on a daily basis.

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- **The Order of the Golden Wand.** The Order of the Golden Wand is awarded for outstanding service in the field of Service to Others.
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- **The Order of the Iron Pentacle.** The Order of the Iron Pentacle is awarded for outstanding service in the field of teaching.
- **The Order of the Thurible.** The Order of the Thurible is awarded for outstanding service in the field of Spirituality.

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- **Automatic Writing** <http://uk.groups.yahoo.com/group/Automatic-Writing/>
- **Correllian Brazil** <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CW-Brazil/>
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