



Healers, Curanderas & Medicine Women Friday Visual Talk

Friday, June 7, 7-9:30p

An international view of women healers and their work with herbs, touch, stones, rattles, smoke, wands, and knives, and their many ways of removing energies of illness from the body. We look at ecstatic healing ceremonies, and a widespread theme of medicine women whose curing power was so great that they were able to raise the dead. We will see healers from Mexico, the Philippines, Namibia, California, Korea, South Africa, Hungary, Wisconsin and medieval Europe; and healers among the Aztecs, Kirghiz, Karok, Hupa and Yurok, Irish and Welsh, Thai, Ainu, Tibetan, Black Carib and Dayak healers. \$15-30 sliding scale, prepurchase or door.



Saturday Salon Goddess Wisdom & Faerie Faith Saturday, June 8, 2019 11a-5p

A daylong visual journey into the Faerie faith and the female Divine in her many aspects. Talking circle: the Meanings of Goddess, the vast spectrum of numinous Mystery: your stories, your questions. Art salon with music and coloring drawings from the *Deasophy Coloring Book*. We'll dance the round and make our invocations. First visual talk features Goddess wisdom: as Snake, as Mother, as Waters, Earth or Heavens; as Sun, Spider, Tree. Creatrix, holy Wisdom, the Fates, the Tao: the numinous, primal Mystery. We gaze at ancient figurines in clay and stone and ivory; statues, seals, ceramics, rock murals, megaliths, pipes, codices, ancestor carvings and masks. Ranging from Ecuador to Zimbabwe to Iran and China and the Balkans, to Spain, Nigeria, Mexico, Eurasia and Indiana, this show draws on the resplendent collection of the Suppressed Histories Archives. Second talk features the Faerie Faith in Europe. Taking the long view, we look at antecedents of the faery faith, in the ancestral women of megalithic France, old Gaulish and British goddesses, and stones of the Matres and Matronae (and the "hooded spirits" as well). The emblem of mirror and comb in faery stories and on Pictish stones. Fairy mounds: the siddhe, bergfolk, domus de janas, and elf-hoves. The Tuatha Dé Danann in Ireland, with figures like Tailtiu and Tlachtga, and Y Mamau in Wales. Morgan le Fay, the Lady of the Lake, Dahut of Caer Ys, and The Nine Maidens. Mélusine, Sapiante Sibyllia, Habetrot, and Tante Arie. Water spirits, selkies, the wivern/vouivre and groac'h. Faery godmothers and "the good women who go by night."

\$35 – 75, Sliding Scale. Pre-registration recommended. Register by May 1 for \$7 off.



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