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Beginning Wicca Witchcraft

Wicca is a religion that is based on nature and its infinite wonders. The universal energy that flows through each of us flows through everything in it.

This includes not only humans, but the animal and plant kingdom as well as the elements around us. There is no reason in Wicca to have any discord because when we get angry at another, we get angry at ourselves.

How do we practice and celebrate Wicca? There are no strict rules. However, we may follow several rules initially and then decide on our own unique path later.

The first thing to do is to read, write and learn about this ancient way of life. Go to a used book store or an occult store (or search online for used books) for information on the history of Wicca, information on its principles and how to live by its rules.

In Wicca, women and men are equally important. The Moon is considered as the Goddess and the Sun as God. There is no one entity that is considered above all. Everyone is equal and our energy increases as we get more attuned to ourselves and nature.

Wicca encourages you to find your likes and dislikes. As a practitioner of Wicca, you won't have to worry about what others think and you don't have to go to a church or give money to an organization. What you need to do is to be the best human you can be; by helping others by preserving the world around you, you will be an invaluable asset to this world.

When we understand that the same energy flows through all of us, we realize that no one in this world is different from us because they are a different color, speak a strange language or follow a different religion. As a Wiccan practitioner, we have to stay out of the conflicts and see the Earth as though we are seeing it from the moon.





What would the Goddess think if She sees us fighting with each other for silly things and calling others who supposedly does not belong to the part of the earth known as "our country" as "aliens", etc. Borders do not matter and cultures do not matter, we are all in the same boat. If it capsizes, we all get destroyed regardless of all the nonsense that we have been taught by religious and capitalistic zealots.

The one and only important rule in Wicca is this: "An ye harm none, do what thou wilt" which means that you can do what makes you happy so long as you don't hurt another. Another doesn't mean another human being; it means "do not hurt ANYTHING in the Universe". This means you have to think twice and get spiritual permission if you want to cut down a tree or move a fence or bring a dog to your home. Every spirit has its own likes and dislikes similar to ours. Anytime we hurt another (even if we are unaware of it) the hurt returns back to us sometimes with more power.

Wiccans are on a journey of their own. Sometimes they share it with others in a group (coven) and at other times they are content to be one with the Universe.

Many of the Wiccan practitioners keep a log of their experiences in a journal called the Book of Shadows.

Imagine how perfect the world would be if everyone believed in this "gospel"? It may not happen because there are too many vested interests that stand to lose wealth, power and prestige if all people became equals and the wealth of the world was equally divided.

What we can do as Wiccans is to bring the world together, one country at a time. Neighbors can come together to celebrate the seasons and other festivals. Countries can come together to celebrate solidarity so that all the nations of the Earth can come together as one immensely powerful energy!

As a Wiccan practitioner, you can also use your mind for the good of others and for your own happiness. Creating an altar in your home with your favorite items, getting some tools to increase your energy, collecting herbs and incense to maintain a calm, peaceful atmosphere in your home, and cooking up items that can be shared with your coven or neighbors are wonderful things that can increase the joy in the area where you live.

The more we give, the more we get in return. As you live your life as a Wicca practitioner, you will understand that hatred and anger can only bring unhappiness while love and joy will always bring more of the same into your life.

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