

An Invocation of Planet Earth

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It is strange that, while recognizing the need for invoking and harmonizing oneself with each of the ancient visible planets of our solar system, the modern magical tradition has not devised a means to invoke the planetary force of Earth itself.

I do not refer here to the element of Earth but to the planet herself. It is my opinion that this fact has kept magicians not only from understanding the needs of the planet but has also prevented them from tapping into a source of tremendous magical power and energy.

In order to remedy this situation, I present an example of a ritual for invoking Planet Earth below:

Steps:

1. Decorate the Temple in bright greens and dark browns, wear appropriate colours and jewelry made out of stones, crystals and gems.
2. Go to the northeast and declare: ***Hekas, Hekas Este Bebeloi!***
3. Banish with the LRBP and the LRBH
4. Perform the Qabalistic Cross
5. Invocation of the Most High
6. Fumigate using Dittany of Crete
7. Recite the following invocation:

In the name of ***Aima Asherah***, mighty mother of us all, and in the names of ***Binah, Hathor, Gaia, Rhea, Ceres*** and ***Maria***, great ***Malkah*** the bride! Goddess of the Earth, I invoke you in all your ancient names:

O Goddess, Earth (Gaia), of Gods and men the source,
Endu'd with fertile, all-destroying force;
All-parent, bounding, whose prolific pow'rs,
Produce a store of beauteous fruits and flow'rs,
All-various maid, th'eternal world's strong base
Immortal, blessed, crown'd with ev'ry grace;
From whose wide womb, as from an endless root,
Fruits, many-form'd, mature and grateful shoot.
Deep bosom'd, blessed, pleas'd with grassy plains,
Sweet to the smell, and with prolific rains.
All flow'ry dæmon, centre of the world,
Around thy orb, the beauteous stars are hurl'd
With rapid whirl, eternal and divine,
Whose frames with matchless skill and wisdom shine.
Come, blessed Goddess, listen to my pray'r,
And make increase of fruits thy constant care;
With fertile Seasons in thy train, draw near,
And with propitious mind thy suppliant hear.
(Orpheus, *Hymn to the Earth*)

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8. Go to the east, south, west and north, while performing the Invoking Ritual of the Hexagram. Use the forms of Saturn but trace equal armed crosses of Earth in the centres. Imagine the hexagrams in bright green and the Earth symbols in radiant dark brown.
9. Go to the north and, while you vibrate the names: **Malkah**, **Sandalphon** and **Uriel**, trace the appropriate golden Hebrew letters and sigils from the Rose Cross.
10. Circumambulate the temple three times and then perform an Adoration of the Lord of the Universe toward the east.
11. Take time to connect with the presence of the power of the planet Earth in your temple and to visualize the goddess of nature and the angels of the planet Earth.
12. Perform the Middle Pillar ritual, focusing on absorbing Earth energy. Do it first downward with bright white light descending from above but then reverse the order and focus on bringing the energy from the Earth into your sphere of sensation and up into your Tipareth centre. Imagine this light as a bright green mixing with the white light from above.
13. After some time connecting with the force, take time to again visualize the goddess and angels of the Planet and proceed to ecological spiritual work, or skrying or asking for a message.
14. When you are ready, give leave and thanks to the angels and banish in your usual manner.

