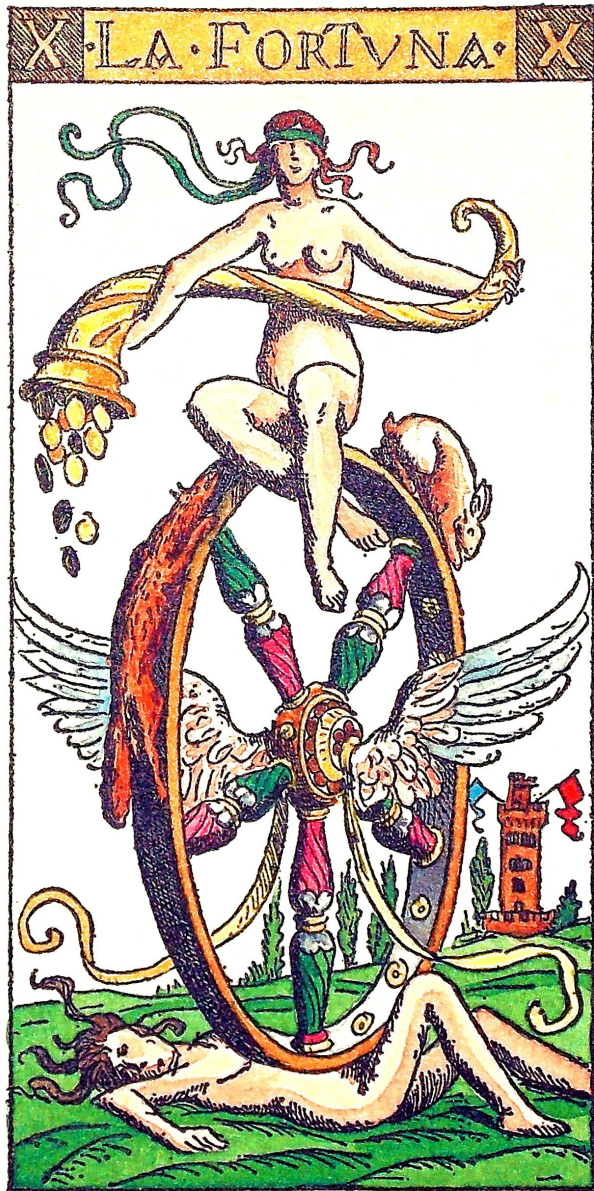


Visions from the Heart with Paul & Neelam
May, 2020

The New



Greetings Dear Ones!

We hope and pray that all of you are doing well with all that is going on in the world right now.

This is such a profound time...a time of Great Change and Evolution.

Look carefully at the image of the Wheel of Fortune tarot card. I tell students that the key words to this card is: "Evolution by Revolution."

This statement is aligned to the Medicine Wheel Ways and Teachings. Consider this: The Wheel only turns one way, and that is forward.

And so, the Wheel now rolls onward, leaving behind that which no longer serves, not only you, but rather all of humanity.

Certainly, many factions of mankind will fight this change.

However, for those who walk a Spirit Path, this change is welcomed, embraced and we understand that our Spiritual Calling is now needed more than ever.

It is time to Stand Tall my Brothers and Sisters.

Roll with the Change!

There have never been greater challenges than those that face us today.

We stand at the edge of an evolutionary precipice, and the Choices we make matter.

Our planetary future depends on a shift in consciousness. We *must* direct ourselves towards the recognition of our light, our love, and our inter-connectedness with all life. We must acknowledge both the visible and the invisible. We must stand strong for we are beacons of hope and inspiration to those whom we meet.

Neelam and I thank you for the part you play in this time of The Great Turning. You make a difference, your voice is essential, and it is an honor to work together with you to bring about a new era of peace, compassion, and equality for all.

Please know that we are here to support you towards that end.

Quote of the Month

Society must reconcile the harm within and without. It must say, "Ah, we have willingly hurt ourselves and other people. We have covered up our mess for so long." Society must learn to see. A society that does not examine itself is an unenlightened one.

Zenju Earthlyn Manuel. *The Way of Tenderness: Awakening through Race, Sexuality, and Gender.*

Power Animal of the Month: Raven

- ** Rebirth without fear
- ** Ability to tear down what needs to be rebuilt
- ** Renewal
- ** Ability to find light in darkness
- ** Courage of self-reflection
- ** Introspection
- ** Comfort with self
- ** Honoring ancestors
- ** Connection to the Crone
- ** Divination
- ** Change in consciousness
- ** New occurrences
- ** Eloquence



Shamanic Vision Worldwide News

Paul & Neelam podcasts return

After a number of years, Neelam and I have once again began doing our podcasts. Here is one we recorded a few days ago:

Episode #1:

The importance of Shamanism in today's world.

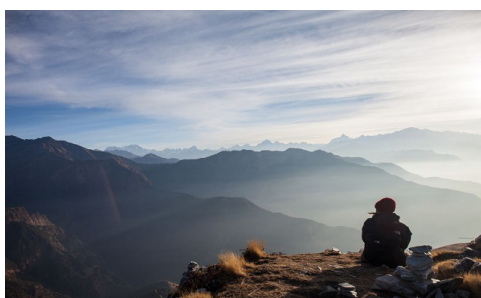
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Our podcast home page is found here:

<https://anchor.fm/shamanic-vision-worldwide>

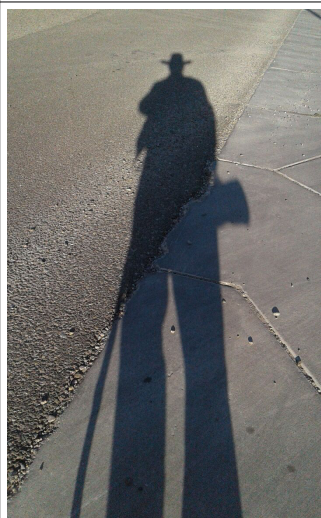
If there is a topic you would like for us to talk on or if you have any questions about anything, let us know! Write to us at:

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Paul releases Daily Prompts on CotW

Since March 25th, Paul has released daily writing prompts on the Church of the Wheel website. The Daily Prompt offers a singular topic to either journal on, contemplate, meditate upon or to keep in your heart during the day. The prompts are varied and offer a chance to venture inward rather than outward during the pandemic.



The prompts seem simple on the surface. However, just like everything else, the more you put into it, the more you'll get out of it!

These are really very “chewy” and the more you write, the more that will come out. These are tools for working with the reflective qualities that we are being offered right now. This is working with the current situation in a Good Way.

It is recommended that you give only one of them your complete, 100% dedication each day.

An Index to the published prompts is found here: <https://bit.ly/2xha4PM>

Feel free to subscribe while visitng!

Neelam recently opened her blog

If you have enjoyed Neelam's facebook posts, her blog offers even more indepth and soul stirring writings.

You are invited to visit her blog, titled:
*From wounds to wisdom by Neelam Nanwani—
Midwife to your Soul*

Her writings are found here:
<https://fromwoundstofreedom.wordpress.com>



Sacred Men's Group opens in Southern Idaho: All men welcome

Paul has opened a Meetup group in the USA: Sacred Men of South East Idaho. In light of the current situation, meetings will take place online (Zoom) with physical gatherings and retreats planned when it is deemed safe to do so. All men are invited to join regardless of your location around the world.

The meetup is found at: <https://www.meetup.com/Sacred-Men-of-South-East-Idaho/>

The Sacred Path of life has a middle, a left side, and a right side. As human beings, we are designed to walk this middle path as much as we can. As we walk, we will stray to the left and to the right and come back to the middle. Straying to the left or right side is as sacred as being in the middle. Sometimes we call this straying our mistakes. We are designed by the Creator to walk the Sacred Path of life, and realize that our mistakes are the source of lessons. These lessons give us our wisdom. It is not wrong that we are tempted. What matters is what we do with the temptation.

Paul's *The River of Life* available on Amazon for readers around the world



It was born from a Dream in 1972 at a snowy river in Colorado...

It began as a dream in 1972 and it has now become a book.

The *River of Life* book is now available on Amazon and is available in both hard copy and also on Kindle. Hard copy is ready now. Kindle is available for pre-order and will be out June 1st.

Amazon USA: <https://amzn.to/35pfxAW>

Kindle: <https://amzn.to/3d7Jh83>

Amazon India: <https://amzn.to/35mTbjy>
(Available soon)

The River of Life is also available at all other Amazon locations around the world.

For more on the book, please check it out here:
<https://bit.ly/3eYTFAD>

Changing Times drive us to teach in a Special Circle

We live in challenging times. The World has changed.

And the world continues to change every day as it always has.

However, with the pandemic, folks are now more aware of something that both Spirit and Nature, has been trying to tell us for a long time.

Some of you are struggling, some are coping. And some of you are rising.

We live within the Wheel of Life, and today we are offered the opportunity for a far Greater Evolution.

This reflects Shamanic teachings, namely that of Cycles and, furthermore, an understanding of our Connection to all things.

This is a time to Rise.

And this is also a time when we also need to BE Strong, Anchored, Present, and actively aware of our Highest Selves.

This is a time of BEing in Balance. This time asks us to be in Harmony with all things, including ourselves and each other. It is a time to connect to Nature and also with our Souls.

The Wheel of Life only moves forward. In doing so, it asks us to travel forward with the Wheel. Therefore, this is the Time of the Great Turning.

And there has never been a time in the history of man where these Teachings are more needed.

You see, Traditional Shamanism goes far from the borders of the self. In a traditional Shamanic culture, the mantle of responsibility of the indigenous Shaman required caring for all the Tribe, which was considered family. Their sacred work considered the welfare of All our Relations (which includes all plants, animals, rocks, trees—all living things and all aspects of Nature).

Shamanism is very much a Calling; a Call for something Sacred. It is something that burns deep within you. Your Calling reflects the Light of Your Soul and the Light of your BEing, that part of you that seeks its Fullest and most magnificent expression.

And until the Call is realized, a large part of you...dies.

Neelam and I have heard the clarion Call of our Souls. This is expressed in how we share these Teachings in a Good and Sacred Way. For us, Shamanism is a Way of BEing. It is a Way of Life. We walk this Path with dedication, commitment, and honor to the Ways of these Teachings. As teachers, our hearts yearn to share these teachings in a Good Way.

Therefore, in light of these changing times, we will conduct our next Foundations of Shamanic Practices course online. By doing this, we will be able to share these teachings with students around the world, doing so from the comfort (and safety) of your home.

However, to maintain the integrity of these Teachings, we are limiting the number of students to ten.

For some folks, online courses don't seem the same.

Well, Neelam and I have conducted many online Gatherings, and they carry the same sense of Sacredness and intimacy of one of our physical Gatherings.

This, Dear One is the wave of the future.

We shall teach LIVE on Zoom, interacting and flowing with the Spirit of these Ways.

Dates: May 23, 24 and 30, 31st, 2020.

Limit: 10 students

Details are found here: <https://bit.ly/2SkCW18>

Blessing for the Month

"I Bless you and your Loved Ones...I Bless you for BEing strong and present, for walking the Road in a Good Way...for your strength and loving hearts. Allow your Inner Light to shine, and in doing so, touch the hearts of those who you can touch, and reach out with Love to those who you can not."

Paul