

The Holy Spirit



The *ceremonial* aspect of the Great Work will increasingly become common practice when the Deva and Human evolutions start to work more consciously together. In order to bring forth the higher *divine* energies we need to know how to cooperate with the devas.

In keeping with the Conference focus on the Third Aspect of Divinity, this year's Ceremonial Workshop "**The Holy Spirit In The Ceremonial Arts**" will focus on the Holy Spirit/Brahma—a Being of great mystery Who appears at significant moments in the stories of the Mother Mary and of the Initiate Jesus and His overshadowing by the Head of the Spiritual Hierarchy, the Christ. As we progress through the Mysteries of Initiation, we first encounter the mother aspect – the Holy Spirit and through the agency of this great Being, the life of the soul will manifest through wonder and miracles.

The Holy Spirit is intimately associated with the etheric body and during the coming Age of Aquarius, which is nigh upon us, much scientific attention will be given to the proper cultivation of this subtle-yet-physical vehicle and its potentials. The etheric web is reorganized when the mind becomes the vehicle for Soul Life, Love (the second aspect) and Light (the third aspect); so it is in the group-life as well. When the group mind responds to the soul, then the etheric web can be reorganized according to the higher spiritual impulses.

One of the major purposes of ceremonial work is to make changes on physical plane which accord with the Holy Life; for this, the invocation of the Holy Spirit is needed. Compared to the dense physical realm, we can consider the etheric body to be *archetypal*, and responsible for that which finally manifests on dense levels. It is vitally important that the etheric body become the conduit for spiritual energies—those of the soul of the spiritual triad and, eventually, of the Monad. It is already largely the conduit-into-manifestation for the energies of the astral vehicle and the lower mind.

The Great Work pursued in the Ceremonial Arts is largely *magical* work. All manner of new forms are destined to appear in the Age of Aquarius. It will be a period of *new manifestation*. Work with the Holy Spirit/Brahma Aspect of Divinity will facilitate this transformation—the literal *trans-formation* of the human race and its elevation into far greater spiritual receptivity. The Third Divine aspect, the mother force, Shakti, is symbolized around the neck of Shiva in the form of a Naga, **Vasuki**; Shiva creates the manifested world. The First Aspect *Shiva* needs the Third Aspect *Shakti* in order to bring forth His Will.



One interesting connection with Angels and shakti-powers for us is to know that Naga Vasuki has a sister **Manasa**, and so calls our attention to Solar Angels, **Manasa-devas**.

The Ceremonial Workshop Group will also continue its deep subjective service to the Conference, so necessary and so much appreciated over previous years. This largely seventh ray work prepares and sustains in spiritual livingness the inner structure of the Conference.

During the Ceremonial Workshop the group will experimentally practice consciously and deliberately coming into more intimate relations with the Holy Spirit Aspect and infusing the etheric body of the individual participant and the group with the Energy of the Holy Spirit, thus preparing the way to achieve a truly purified etheric field for the Conference and its participants.

The Third Ray is focussed upon the throat centre, the organ of sound and the spoken word. This vibrational instrument creates the veil of lesser sounds which we need to learn to control. The need for this control is especially true for disciples when the Saturn becomes the ruler of the throat center. From certain perspective, humanity is the throat centre in the Life of Sanat Kumara and thus of the utmost *creative* importance in the spiritual, ceremonial work which we are learning to understand and apply.

The opening session of the 2019 **Ceremonial Workshop “The Holy Spirit In The Ceremonial Arts”** will begin on Tuesday, April 30th at 10:00 AM and will complete by 12:30 PM, on Thursday, May 2nd.

Please join us as a participant in the **University of the Seven Rays Ceremonial Workshop**. Sign in with sevenrayinstitute@gmail.com

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