

Prayer for Opening Sacred Space

South

To the winds of the South

Great Serpent

Wrap your coils of light around us

Teach us to shed the past the way you shed your skin, all at once.

Help me to open to beauty within and to find the soft underbelly of new possibility in which I can walk in balance and beauty, belly to belly with the earth and all of her creatures.

West

To the winds of the West

Mother-Sister Jaguar

You who knows the ways of life, death and rebirth, help me die to the ways that no longer serve me so I may be reborn to the truth inside my heart.

Lend me your eyes, so I may see into the shadows.

Take me on journey and show me the ways of deep peace living in the truth of my heart with nothing to prove, nothing to defend.

Teach me the ways of the Luminous Warrior.

North

To the winds of the North

Grandmothers and Grandfathers, Royal Hummingbird

Fly into this space and teach me of my Soul's journey.

The ways of living in the center of my being, calm amidst the chaos.

Remind me to source only from the sweetest flowers, to drink from those things that nurture and sustain me.

To the holy mountains-lend me your wisdom, inform me, whisper to me in the winds.

To my ancestors, you who have come before and you who will come after me, I call for healing of all the generations.

To the lineage that takes me back to the beginning of time, to the star beings, step through that curtain of time and inform me, help me take my place at the fire as a keeper for the wisdom of Creation.

East

To the winds of the East

Great Eagle, Condor

You who sits perched high above the mountain top from the place of the rising sun.

Fly down and push me from my nest.

Help me to remember that I have wings to fly.

Teach me to find the updraft that will take me to see mountain tops I have only dared to dream of.

Lend me your eyes so I may keep your perspective, from high above-rising above the storm and soaring from the wings of my heart, wing tip to wing tip with Great Spirit.

Mother Earth, Pachamama, Gaia

I am your child and I am here to make difference in the world.

Hold me sweetly mother; guide my footsteps upon my highest path upon your belly.

Take that which no longer serves me, turn it over and make it food for another.

I am an agent of peace and change for the creation of new world, where all beings live upon your belly in peace and harmony.

I am here for all my relations.

Father Sun, Great Spirit, Wankan Tanka

You who are known by a thousand names and you who are unnamable.

Open the portal to the time to come and help me to source from my becoming.

Guide me to my highest essence in service to all creation.

Father Sun, Grandmother Moon, to the Star Nations- shine your light upon me,

illuminate all that is dark within me so I may reflect the light of my heart back to you like a thousand suns.

To My Highest Self

I call upon your presence on this day.

May all that I do and say come from your great wisdom.

May I walk with integrity and impeccability and be guided by your grace in every moment for my highest good and greatest evolution.

(to close the space, go through the directions in the above order and thank them each for sharing their gifts with you.)