

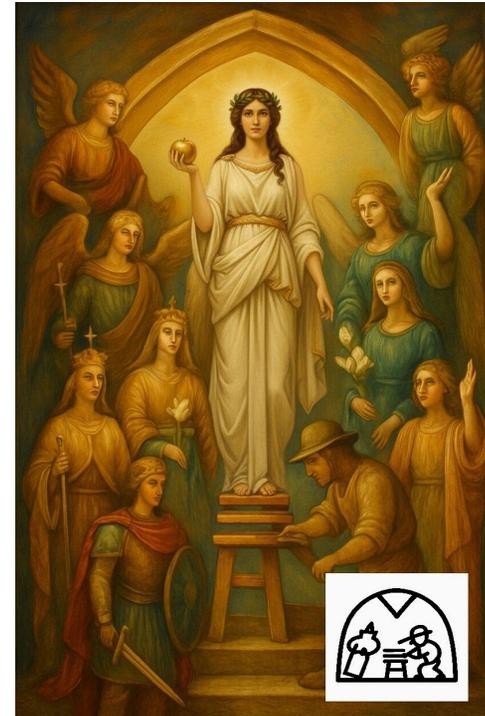
Family, my communities, and circumstance
crafted me, one of their herd.

Much of my experience can stay, but some
parts just aren't in tune.

These poems are new tales we tell ourselves,
and then begin to live.

The analyzer and dreamer in me work in union.

Eight realms, eight ways to be aware; into one I
go!



Heroes of myth, gods, angels, saints, and
naked virtues are here.

The palace of perfection, a stasis where
disorder cannot prevail.

This is the sacred cradle of values.

Living my cherished values connects me and
Ideal.

Manifest life done well has the Realm of Ideals
in its sights.



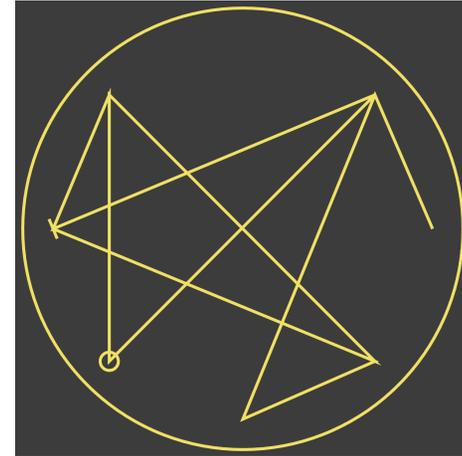
My cherished values are ingredients in your
stew pot.

Love, compassion, discernment, and
perseverance blend well.

A mix of those traits guide my choices.

How they blend and present, I'll never know...

But with them as foundation, my actions ever
nourish my community.



I am an aspirant, ready to snatch the reigns of my
life away, to write my own destiny.

The sword of my reason cuts through delusion.

I'm thrilled to discover and become my Ideal Self.

Part of my integration is with Mother Earth and her
children.

My psychic senses grow more aware with each
practice.

Anything can be my teacher, any sign of Chaos is a
chance to improve.

I honor Ancestors and humanity's great ones by
applying their strategies.

I live in accountability for the direct and accidental
consequences of my actions.

With the world as my mirror, I give and receive
strength in connection.

May the voices and realms of my Inner Kingdom
grow in union!



As I pull myself out of habits which paid in
despair, I see that fault in others.

Enshrouded now in sacred truth, I wonder if I'm
above it all...

Give me balance. I belong here, entwined in
spirit and mundane. If I'm enlightened, may my
actions inspire!



Hear your Ego, dear Psyche, that we may stand
in union!

Out of Chaos, we know our realm, our virtue's
champion, our shadow, and our helpers.

May my actions ever match these aspirations.

May other bearers of these virtues ally in
common goals.

May this knowledge and action move me ever
closer to my Ideal Self!



I bless myself for my efforts on this sacred path.

I bless the Order of Book Builders, sticking
apart with me in stride!

Joy from the future I KNOW I manifest by
magnetizing virtues, fills me now!

My life, my actions, when channeled through
virtues, give strength to my communities.

Grow in wisdom and compassion.