The Invoking Pentagram Ritual of Air

Relax and Perform the Fourfold Breath

Perform The Qabalistic Cross

- 1. Touching the forehead, say Atah.
- 2. Touching the breast, say Malkuth.
- 3. Touching the right shoulder, say ve-Geburah.
- 4. Touching the left shoulder, say ve-Gedulah.
- 5. Clasping the hands upon the breast, say le-Olam, AMEN.

Facing East, use the index finger of the right hand, a dagger, or the white end of the Outer Wand of Double Power to trace a large Lesser invoking pentagram.



Charge it with Light by piercing either the dagger, wand tip or index finger through the center of the pentagram and vibrate "YHVH" (Yode-Heh-Vav-Heh). Keep the arm extended while tracing a line of white Light as you turn or move to the SOUTH. (Keep the right arm extended throughout; never let it drop.)

Facing South, with the white end of the wand trace another large Lesser invoking pentagram .



Charge the pentagram as before by thrusting the wand, through the center of the pentagram and vibrate, "YHVH!" (Yode-Heh-Vav-Heh). Keeping the arm extended, trace a line of white Light as you turn or move to the WEST.

Facing West, with the black end of the wand trace again a large Lesser invoking pentagram.



Charge the pentagram as before by thrusting the wand, through the center of the pentagram and vibrate, "YHVH!" (Yode-Heh-Vav-Heh). Keeping the arm extended, trace a line of white Light as you turn or move to the NORTH.

Facing North, with the black end of the wand trace a large Lesser invoking pentagram.



Charge the pentagram as before by thrusting the wand, through the center of the pentagram and vibrate, "YHVH!" (Yode-Heh-Vav-Heh). Keeping the arm extended, trace a line of white Light as you turn or move back to

the arm extended, trace a line of white Light as you turn or move back to the EAST.

Facing to the East extend both arms out in the form of a cross and say, **"Before me RAPHAEL" (Rah-fahy-el).** Visualize before you the great Archangel of Air rising out of the clouds in flowing yellow and violet robes, carrying a Caduceus Wand.

Behind you visualize another figure and say **"Behind me GABRIEL"** (Gah-bree-el). See the Archangel stepping out of the sea like the goddess Venus, dressed in robes of blue and orange, with cup in hand.

See to your right another figure in flaming red and green robes carrying a sword Say "*On my right hand MICHAEL*" (Mee-chai-el).

See another great Archangel at your left, who rises up from the vegetation of the Earth in robes of citrine, olive, russet, and black, holding stems of ripened wheat.

Say, "On my left hand URIEL" (Ur-ee-el).

(Say:) "For about me flames the pentagram, and in the column shines the Six-rayed Star."

Give the Adoration to the Lord of the Universe

Give the Theoricus Sign

Facing EAST Recite the PRAYER OF THE SYLPHS:

Spirit of Life, Spirit of Wisdom! Whose breath giveth forth and withdraweth the form of all living things; Thou, before whom the Life of Beings is but a shadow which changeth, and a vapor which passeth; Thou, who mountest upon the clouds, and who walketh upon the wings of the wind. Thou who breathest forth Thy Breath, and endless space is peopled; Thou, who drawest in Thy Breath and all that cometh from Thee, returneth unto Thee! Ceaseless Movement, in Eternal Stability, be Thou eternally blessed! We praise Thee and we bless Thee in the changless Empire of Created Light, of Shades, of reflections, and of Images -- and we aspire without cessation unto Thy Immutable and Imperishable Brilliance. Let the Ray of Thine Intelligence and the warmth of Thy Love penetrate even unto us! Then that which is volatile shall be fixed, the Shadow shall be a Body, the Spirit of Air shall be a Soul, the Dream shall be a Thought. And no longer shall we be swept away by the Tempest, but we shall hold the bridles of the Winged Steeds of Dawn. And we shall direct the course of the Evening Breeze to fly before Thee. O Spirit of Spirits! O Eternal Soul of Souls! O imperishable Breath of Life! O Creative Sigh! O mouth which breathest forth and withdrawest the Life of all beings, in the flux and reflux ebb and flow of Thine Eternal Word, which is the Divine Ocean of Movement and of Truth!

Amen.

Give the Theoricus Sign

Repeat The Qabalistic Cross.

NOTE: The Lesser Rituals of the Pentagram, or commonly called Lesser Banishing Ritual of the Pentagram, and the Lesser Invoking Ritual of the Pentagram, (LBRP/LIRP) were the only actual rituals taught to and used by the Outer Order of the traditional Golden Dawn. However, here at the Sanctuary of Ma'at we have incorporated this Lesser Invoking Pentagram Ritual as an introduction ritual to the Elemental Air principle of nature, while still adhering to principles set forth by the Founders . This Lesser Invoking Ritual should be used as a Daily Ritual which will help invoke the energy and call the spiritual forces into ones temple or ritual space. It is recommended to be perfomed in the mornings for as long as one is in the Theoricus grade.