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Astrologically speaking, July promises to be an interesting month. The grand Cross formed by the Sun/Moon, Saturn, Uranus and Pluto on 1 July might 'activate' a whole series of National Horoscopes including: The UK, England, Australia, Canada, Turkey, New Zealand, Japan, Scotland and the USA, bringing to birth people, rather than state led initiatives in regards to government. With Pluto square to Uranus over the next 4/5 years some of the ideals and dreams of the 1960's might also re-manifest. For more information email the Totnes Astrology Group at dave@starlynx.plus.com

The latest addition to the on-line digital lecture archive is *The Family of Isis* by Ann Neate. *Dimensional Shift* by Dorothy is the latest addition to the on-line article archive.

The Pattern of Truth

By Harold Blair

"What is truth?" said jesting Pilate, and would not stay for an answer.' So wrote the great Francis Bacon in the days of the first Elizabeth; and later in the same essay he quotes the Roman Lucretius: "It is a pleasure to stand upon the shore, and to see ships test upon the sea; a pleasure to stand in the window of a castle and see a battle, and the adventures thereof below; but no pleasure is comparable to the standing upon the vantage ground of truth (a hill not to be commanded, and where the air is always clear and Serene), and to see the errors, and wanderings, and mists, and tempests, in the vale below;" so always that this prospect be with pity, and not with swelling or pride.

The early Christians knew that there are many truths. They believed that 'The Truth' is One, and that the jigsaw of the many truths was finally complete in the life and teaching of a man who lived the life and spoke the language of common men, but left behind a message which was far from common: so far from common that the people of his age found him and his message quite intolerable, and put him out of the way. His message seemed clear enough to those willing to take it at its surface meaning, but the underlying meanings could be quite bewildering and fascinating none the less. They spoke of him as 'the mystery of godliness', and gave him praise and recognition as in some way showing those who accepted him what God in heaven is really like.

In a letter to the Roman emperor Trajan in the early second century, the pro-consul of Bythina, Pliny the younger, asked for advice from his imperial master. How was he to deal with a body of folk who were professing a religion which was not on the list of permitted faiths'.



They seemed harmless enough and kept the state laws. There as only one way in which they refused to conform. They proclaimed their loyalty to a 'Lord' who was not the emperor, and recited a verse antiphonally to Christ as God. They bound themselves by a 'sacramenturn' (i.e. a pledge of the same kind as a Roman soldier had to make to the emperor). But this was not for any criminal purpose, but that they would not commit theft or robbery or adultery; that they would not break their promise or fail in any keeping of a trust.

To Pliny this last phrase would mean the duty to keep safe any property entrusted by a friend for safe keeping in his absence. To the Christians it probably meant something much more — namely, the preservation of a confession of faith in Jesus Christ as a pledge of loyalty to him and to the God whom he had revealed. It may have taken the form of that charming little verse in Paul's first letter to Timothy (ch.3, v.16), which is a beautiful example of a very early Christian creed, of an entirely positive kind, without definitions or any kind of fussiness to set theologians quarrelling, but with all the essentials of the Christian faith within it.

Here is the verse — notice its antiphonal pattern:

'Great indeed, we confess, is the Mystery of godliness: who was manifested in flesh - vindicated in Spirit, seen by angels - preached among the nations, believed on in the world - taken up in glory'.

In such a little confession of faith we have a pattern of believing that few would quarrel with, and yet which gives scope for the widest fields of meditation; for the most poetic imagination and yet without wild fantasy. Here is a Christ, fully man, vindicating his own teaching by the spirit which came out of it. Here is a figure recognised by psychic powers beyond normal vision, and so proclaimed to nations irrespective of colour or cultural difference. Here is Man as he was meant to be, living in an atmosphere of confidence and trust, and so in full control of himself and of a world's destiny. Surely this is the alpha and omega of faith.

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Yeovil Psychic Society
www.yeovilpsychics.org.uk

**Dorset Earth Mysteries
Group**
www.dorsetmysteries.org

**School of Energy
Healing Educational Trust**
www.energyhealing.co.uk

**New Dimensions
Group Bristol**
Lea 01225 722963

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Joyous Isle workshops
www.joyousisle.com

www.awarenesscentre.org.uk

www.stoneseeker.net

www.dragonseeker.co.uk

Centre for Pure Sound
Tel. 01935 389655

www.londonearth.com

The Martinsey Isle Trust
www.martinsey.org.uk

Natures Way, Exmoor
Tel. 01984 640147

Hawkwood College
www.hawkwoodcollege.co.uk

Taunton Pagan Moot
Tel. 01823 330585

www.avalonrising.co.uk

www.angellight.co.uk

**Taunton Association for
Psychodynamics (TAP)**
Tel. 01823 665798

www.wccsg.com

www.innerpotential.org

www.wrekinforum.org

**Theosophical Society in
Scotland**

www.findhorn.org

West Somerset Dowzers
Tel. 01460 281450

www.pierian-centre.com

EVENTS

Glastonbury 8 July
Creativity and Ways of Knowing in
Science, Art and Spirituality
www.scimednet.org

Highbridge 8 July
Secret World Healing
Weekend
www.thehealingweekend.co.uk

Iona 9 July
Iona Summer Retreat
www.findhorn.org

London 12 July
Open Forum and Social
London Earth Mysteries Circle
lemc@operamail.com

Blackdown Hills 13 July
Buddhafield Festival
www.buddhafield.com

Bournemouth PLG 18 July
Summer Party
Tel. Sue 01202 581898

Glastonbury 22 July
Summer Retreat
www.yogaliving.co.uk

Glastonbury 22 July
Glastonbury Symposium
www.glastonburysymposium.co.uk

London 23 July
Death, Dying and
Exceptional Experiences
the Natural Death Centre
Tel. 01962 712 690

Monkton Heathfield 25 July
Annual General Meeting
West Somerset Dowzers
Tel. 01460 281450

Glastonbury 26 July
Goddess Conference
www.goddessconference.com

Glastonbury 29 July
Openhand Summer Retreat
www.openhandweb.org

Worcester 29 July
Resurgence Readers
Summer Camp
www.resurgence.org

Glastonbury 31 July
Mystic and Earth Spirit Fayre
www.glastonburyfayres.co.uk

TALKS

Axminster 1 July
Clairvoyance
Liz Conway
Tel. 01297 32331

London (CPS) 1 July
the Power of Universal Energy
Douglas Ballard
Tel. 0207 589 3292

London (TS) 3 July
the Path of the Heart in Sufi
Understanding and Practice
Sarida Brown
Tel. 0207 563 9817

Bath PLG 4 July
Life Happiness and
Making a Difference
Isabel Losada
Tel. Jacqui 07868 890388

Bournemouth PLG 4 July
Living with the Angels
Fiona Grant
Tel. Sue 01202 581898

London (CPS) 5 July
Awake, Aware, Unity into 2012
Tracey Ash
Tel. 0207 589 3292

Glastonbury PLG 6 July
Life, Happiness and the Battersea
Park Road to Paradise
Isobel Losada
Tel. 01458 833128

Yeovil 6 July
Palmistry
Sasha
Tel. John 01963 220306

Frome 7 July
Why Does Water
have Memory?
Alick Bartholemew
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DEMG at Stapehill 7 July
Etheric Influences in the
Landscape. The Limitations of
Earth Energy Dowsing
Pat Toms
Tel. Dave 07977 144147

Axminster 8 July
West Kennet Longbarrow.
Landscape, Shamans
and the Cosmos
Peter Knight
Tel. 01297 32331

London (CPS) 8 July
Embracing a New Chapter
for Humanity
Jeddah Mali
Tel. 0207 589 3292

London (TS) 10 July
Charting Your Destiny with
Numerology
Clemens Brenan
Tel. 0207 563 9817

London (TS) 10 July
Detachment. A Key to
Human Development
Patricia Pitchon
Tel. 0207 563 9817

Bournemouth PLG 11 July
UFO's and the Extraterrestrial
Message
Richard Lawrence
Tel. Sue 01202 581898

Bristol 12 July
Life Happiness and the
Battersea Park Road
to Paradise
Isabel Losada
Tel. 0117 9244512

Wellington 12 July
the Pagan Meaning of West
Kennet Long Barrow
Peter Knight
Tel. Stephen 01823 330585

London (CPS) 12 July
the Contagious Power
of Thinking
David Hamilton
Tel. 0207 589 3292

Glastonbury PLG 13 July
Cellular Awakening. How Your
Body Holds and Creates Light
Andy Baggott
Tel. 01458 833128

**Weymouth &
Dorchester 13 July**
Crop Circles
Anthony Thorley
Tel. Roma 01305 816644

Shaftesbury 14 July
the Wessex Astrum. Sacred
Geometry in a Mystical
Landscape
Peter Knight
Tel. Annette 01747 826144

Bath 14 July
the Reception of Ovids
Metamorphoses in the
20th Century
Prof. Stephen Harrison
Tel. 01225 312084

Axminster 15 July
Clairvoyance
Claire Corner
Tel. 01297 32331

Glastonbury 15 July
Full Moon Evening
Stephanie Hiller
Tel. 01458 831154

Bristol 17 July
Living by the Influence
of the Moon
Mary Hykel Hunt
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Woodshaw 18 July
West Kennet Landscape,
Shaman and the Cosmos
Peter Knight
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Bath 18 July
Bath Story Telling Circle
Tel. David 01225 482170

Bath PLG 18 July
the Path to Divinity
and Longevity
Jericho Genesis Sunfire
Tel. Jacqui 07868 890388

London (CPS) 19 July
Our Eternal Souls
Andy Tomlinson and
Reena Kumarasingham
Tel. 0207 589 3292

Glastonbury 19 July
the Rainbow Serpent;
the Earths Chakra Points
Tor Webster
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Glastonbury PLG 20 July
Music Essences. A Healing
Journey through the Chakras
Katalin Kertesz
Tel. 01458 833128

Sherborne & Yeovil 20 July
Surviving the Final Meltdown
Ian Crane
Tel. Jan 01935 421161

Bradford on Avon 20 July
Leading to Dance
Nayhan Ka
Tel. 07810010840

Wilton 23 July
an Evening of
Mediumship and Trance
Alison Hood
Tel. 01985 850233

Bath PLG 25 July
the Practice of Shamanism
Brian Anderson
Tel. Jacqui 07868 890388

Sherborne & Yeovil 25 July
the Power of Pure Sound
Dean Carter
Tel. Jan 01935 421161

WORKSHOPS & COURSES

Wimborne 1 July
Approaching the Self.
Experiencing the
Transpersonal
Ian Thorp
Tel. 01202 841522

Glastonbury 1 July
Flower of Life
Claudie Planche
Tel. Claudie 01458 835506

London (CPS) 2 July
Grow Your Soul
Ian Lawton
Tel. 0207 589 3292

Thakeham 2 July
Inner Child and Personal
Transformation through Art
Justine van de Weg
Justine@angeldivinity.com

Dundee 2 July
Living and Working with
Crystal Skulls and
Surrendering into BEing
White Elk Woman &
Rhian Crystal Priestess
Tel. 07525 936334

Axminster 2 July
Aurveyic Facial Massage
Karen Wright
Tel. 01297 32331

Forres 2 July
the Elusive Obvious
Roger Linden and Sue Miles
Tel. 01309 690311

Dundee 3 July
Multi Dimensionality and
Stepping into your Stargate
White Elk Woman &
Rhian Crystal Priestess
Tel. 07525 936334

Oborne 3 July
Overtone Circle
Dean Carter
Tel. Dean 01935 389655

Avebury 3 July
Earth Energies & the
Shamanism of Avebury
Peter Knight & Sue Wallace
Tel. 01249 823287

Bristol 3 July
Resilience and Positive Change
Chris Johnstone
Tel. 0117 9244512

London (CPS) 3 July
the Future of the Soul
Ian Lawton
Tel. 0207 589 3292

Thornford 9 July
Past Life Regression
Louise Salmon
Tel. 01935 872494

Thakeham 9 July
Healing and Painting
through Horses
Justine van de Weg
Justine@angeldivinity.com

Ilton 9-10 July
Reiki I and II
Margaret Merrison
Tel. 01460 53699

Bournemouth 10 July
an Afternoon of Happiness
and Empowerment
Sue Stone
Tel. Sue 01202 581898

Stroud 10 July
Living Abundantly
Maggy Whitehouse
Tel. 01453 759034

Glastonbury 10 July
Mayan Calendar
Claudie Planche
Tel. Claudie 01458 835506

Chippenham 10 July
Animal Healing
Brigid Reilly
Tel. 0800 977 4647

Wimborne 13 July
Regression Academy
Andy Tomlinson &
Hazel Newton
Tel. 01202 841522

Ollantaytambo 15 July
Full Moon Sacred
Site Ceremony
Grand Mayan Itza Council
yokhahmaya@hotmail.com

Glastonbury 15 July
the Template: Sacred
Geometry Activation
Claudie Planche
Tel. Claudie 01458 835506

London (CPS) 16 July
Multidimensional Human
Being and the Activation of
the Feminine Essence
Sangeeta Sahi
Tel. 0207 589 3292

Forres 16 July
Spiritual Practice - Nature
Katharina Brocke
Tel. 01309 690311

Bristol 16 July
the True Nature of Reality
Prue Elkington
Tel. 0117 9244512

London (IP) 16 July
Mystic Yoga Breathing for
Power and Inspiration
Noemi Perkin & Ayub Malik
Tel. 0207 736 4187

Chingford 16 July
Meditation Intensive
FISU
Tel. 0208 523 3133

Plymouth 16 July
Discover Dowsing
Aaron Bray
Tel. Aaron 07973 120244

Axminster 17 July
Mediumship
Marion Bellfield
Tel. 01297 32331

London (IP) 17 July
the 12 Blessings.
Prayer Energy in Action
Mark Bennett and
Zascha Breslley
Tel. 0207 736 4187

Bristol 21 July
Sound Relaxation and
Meditation. With Gongs
and Singing Bowls
Celia Beeson
Tel. 0117 9244512

Stroud 22 July
the Heart of Rumi
Duncan Mackintosh
Tel. 01453 759034

Forres 23 July
Co-Creation and the
Subtle Realm
Judy MacAllister &
Monica Boni
Tel. 01309 690311

www.Mindspiritnetwork.com

Bath Storytelling Circle.
Tel. 01225 482170

the London Forum.
www.londoncircles.net

Bournemouth PLG
www.powerofpositiveliving.com

www.body-spirit.co.uk

www.fire-in-the-head.co.uk

www.chalicewell.org.uk

www.unicorncentre.co.uk

www.mysticklight.com

www.thamesvalleydowsers.org.uk

www.libraryofavalon.org.uk

Glastonbury PLG
www.positivelivinggroups.co.uk

www.theosophical-society.org.uk

www.fisu.org/en

www.theantiquariansociety.com

www.Loveandlight.co.uk

www.hospiceoftheheart.org

www.openhandweb.org

www.stargaia.com

www.white-elk-woman.com

www.thehouseoflife.co.uk

R.I.L.K.O.
<http://members.aol.com/rilko/>

www.Psychic-Sanctum.co.uk

www.Enneagram-uk.com

www.sacredconnections.co.uk

www.revolutionof2012.net

www.networkoflight.org

www.megalithictours.com

www.saahera-centre.org

www.gauntshouse.com

www.educationalaid.net

Sea Spirit Centre
<http://spiritual-courses.co.uk>

www.collegeofpsychicstudies.co.uk

www.wyverndowsing@freeserve.co.uk

www.brlsi.org

www.kabbalahcentres.com

www.insearchofthesacred.com

www.valehealing.co.uk

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Ilton 23 July
 Reiki Masters
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Devon 23 July
 Writing from Life
 Roselle Angwin
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London (CPS) 23 July
 Destiny and New Reality
 Tracey Ash
 Tel. 0207 589 3292

Wimborne 23 July
 Grow Your Soul
 Ian Lawton
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Stroud 23 July
 Creative Writing
 Kevan Manwaring
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Caversham 23 July
 Creative Manifestation.
 Change your Destiny
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Wimborne 24 July
 the Future of the Soul
 Ian Lawton
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Devon 24 July
 Dusting off that Novel
 Roselle Angwin
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Beaconsfield 24 July
 Body Realignment Taster Day
 Jan Trewartha
 Tel. 01753 867877

Bristol 30 July
 A Life of Peace
 and Harmony
 Prue Elkington
 Tel. 0117 9244512

Yeovil 30 July
 Disciples of Experience Day
 Clint Denyer
 Tel. 07546 598582

Yeovil 30 July
 Releasing Old Patterns and
 Learning to Love Again
 Louise Salmon
 Tel. 01935 872494

Oborne 31 July
 Sound Bath
 Dean Carter
 Tel. Dean 01935 389655

Stroud 31 July
 Mindfulness and Breath.
 Optimise your Health
 and Wellbeing
 David Beales &
 Jonathan Nunn
 Tel. 01453 759034

LIGHTWORKER GROUPS

Global Meditation Event
 1 July 9pm
www.networkoflight.org

Bournemouth 5 July
 Reiki Share
 Tel. Karen 08456 808 467

Totnes 8 July
 Meeting of the Astrology Group
dave@starlynx.plus.com

E. Woodlands 11, 25 July
 Healing from the Heart
 Tel. Marina 01373 465848

Bournemouth Tues / Weds
 Channelling & Meditation
 Tel. Gary 01202 418291

Weymouth Thursday (eves)
 / Friday (mornings)
 Lightworker Development
 Tel. Tricia 01305 784348

TRIPS, TOURS & VISITS

Wiltshire 2 July
 A Day with the Crop Circles
 Clare Russell
 Tel. Clare on 07966 253111

Rollright 2 July
 Divining the Rollright
 Stone Circle
 Maria Wheatley
 Tel. 07546 598582

Crop Circle Quest 8 July
 Megalithic Tours
 Tel. Neil 01772 728181

Mystical Cornwall 16 July
 Megalithic Tours
 Tel. Neil 01772 728181

Wiltshire 16 July
 Crop Circle Tour
 London Forum
 Tel. 0208 671 5417

Stanton Drew 16 July
 The Stone Circles
 Bristol Dowders
 Tel. Lea 01225 722963

A Weekend in Dorset 16 July
 Thames Valley Dowders
 Tel. 01494 813214

Chedworth 16 July
 Roman Villa Visit
 Wyvern Dowders
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Dorchester 16 July
 Mysteries of Maiden Castle
 Maria Wheatley
 Tel. 07546 598582

Crop Circles Visit 17 July
 A Day in the Field with
 Oliver Morel
 Tel. 01380 739966

**Templecombe
 and Horsington** 23 July
 Peter Knight
 Tel. 01249 823287

**West Wales
 Pilgrimage** 26 July
 Walking the Golden Way
 Karen Bishop &
 Roger Orgill
 Tel. 01432 277410

**Scottish West Coast
 Highlands and
 Islands** 28 July
 Megalithic Tours
 Tel. Neil 01772 728181

Book Review – The Story of Water

By Alick Bartholemew

Water shapes our landscapes and sustains life on Earth. It also influences our emotions and inspires imagination and creativity. Yet we take it for granted, treating it as a convenience or for cleansing. In *The Story of Water*, and with satisfying links to Masaru Emoto's findings, Alick Bartholemew shows that water is the medium of communication between all living organisms. He suggests that only through understanding water's true role in Nature can we begin to live responsibly and sustainably. The book covers all aspects of water, from water in the cosmos and solar system, through the Earth's water cycles, to water in our bodies and in plants. It goes on to consider the larger picture as well: water's cosmic role, the memory of water, and its crucial relationship to the quantum field. Finally, Alick addresses the future: the global water crisis and how to access the best quality of living water for human health. This is an informative, well written book which offers an original and fascinating study of water as a vital dimension that interconnects all life on Earth. Log on to www.cygnus-books.co.uk for further information.

Book Review – Words of Re- Enchantment . Storytelling, Myth and Ecological Desire

By Anthony Nanson

The time-honoured art of storytelling ancestor of all narrative media – is finding new pathways of relevance in education, consciousness-raising, and the journey of transformation. Storytellers are reinterpreting ancient myths and communicating the new stories we need in our challenging times. This book brings together the best of Anthony Nanson's incisive writings about the ways that story can re-enchant our lives and the world we live in. Grounded in his practice as a storyteller, the essays range from the myths of Arthur, Arcadia, and the voyage west, to true tales of the past, science-fiction visions of the future, and the big questions of politics and spirituality such stories raise. The book contains full texts of exemplar stories and will stimulate the thinking of anyone interested in storytelling or in the use of myth in fiction and film. For further information log on to www.awenpublications.co.uk

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