

The Witches' Rune

Written by Doreen Valiente, the Witches' Rune is a poem used during Wiccan rituals to raise energy. It can be chanted in a group or in solitary.



Darksome night and shining Moon,
East, then South, then West, then North,
Harken to the Witches' Rune:
Here come I to call thee forth.

Earth and Water, Air and Fire,
Wand and Pentacle and Sword,
Work ye unto my desire,
Harken ye unto my word.

Cords and Censer, Scourge and Knife,
Powers of the Witches' blade,
Waken all ye into life,
Come ye as the charm is made:

Queen of Heaven, Queen of Hell,
Horned Hunter of the Night,
Lend your power unto the Spell,
Work my will by Magic rite.

By all the power of land and sea,
by all the might of Moon and Sun,
What is my will, so mote it be,
What I do say, it shall be done.