

Rhiannon

Origin: Welsh mythology

Signs & Symbols:

Horses, Birds, Moon, Gates



Offerings:

Garlands of roses, feeding the birds, oatcakes, rose-scented candles, perfumes and incense

Titles & Epithets:

Epona Rigani
Great Queen

How to Worship Rhiannon

In modern practice, Rhiannon is a lunar goddess of fertility and rebirth, transformation, wisdom, and magic. A goddess of ethereal beauty, she is well known for granting wishes to those who ask for what they want.

People with a special connection to horses will naturally be drawn to Rhiannon, the horse goddess. Starting a relationship with a horse is the best way to approach and show devotion to Rhiannon. Find offerings to Rhiannon below.

She embodies the cleverness of women in patriarchal systems, such as when she helps Pwyll trick Gwawl by giving him a magical bag. She never breaks the rules in that episode, but she helps bend them to a degree that allows her to pursue her true love. Her magical presence, while more subtle than that of other Welsh women such as Arianrhod or Cerridwen, nevertheless marks her as a manifestation of the Divine Feminine.

She is a being of sovereignty, and her association with horses implies a cultured freedom that was hard-won.