### The Enchanted Gate

### Musings on the Magick of the Natural World

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#### INTRODUCTION

This small book is my offering to the beauty and peace that is found within the world of nature. I walk a spiritual path that keeps the natural world very near and dear to my heart and it is in this spirit that I offer to you, the reader an opportunity to share with me in the profound experience of communing with the living world.

I have used poetry so that you may experience and feel the rhythm that is the heartbeat coursing through our natural world. I have chosen pictures in black and white so that you may see the inherent beauty of structure and form and add the colors of your inner knowing.

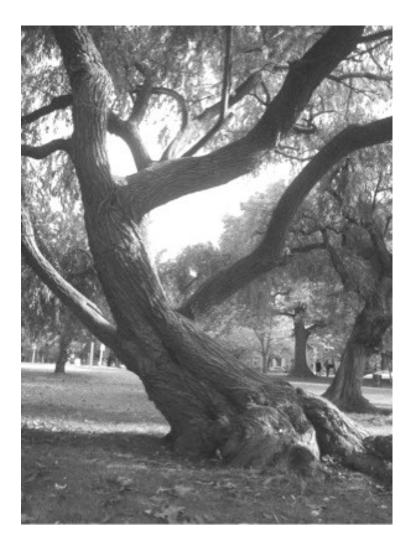
I invite you to step through the Enchanted Gate with me. To look upon nature in a fresh and enlivened way and to spend some time in the natural world through all her seasons, marveling at the cloak of many colors that she wears.

Where your journey begins, and
Where your journey ends are
But cornerstones of the limitless potential
Of the many paths taken between.

Blessings on your journey..... Robin

# Chapter One

### Tree Speak



I have a particular fondness for trees and as I have come to know them I see the relationships and delicate lives of strength they have. I came across this tree in Boston and fell in love with the grace, geometric design and power it holds.

#### The Serpent's Rod



She coils silently and skillfully around
Encircling and spiraling upwards
Branch and fiber, vine and trunk strongly
Held in Her embrace knowing that
No limb will offer obstacle.

Reaching ever upwards
The serpent moves with fluid grace
Around her stable rod
As man marvels at the symmetry
And grace of Her willful Ascent.

# **Chapter Four**



Pathworkings of Natural Magick

# The Secret Garden Part One

This meditation can be used to plant the seeds that will bring abundance into your life, whether it is health, financial or personal growth. Form your intent and then enter your Secret Garden.

Part One is aligned to use at the New Moon and Part Two would be empowered at the Full Moon. You may hold this cycle in place for as long as you need to draw to you what you wish.

Sit in a comfortable position with a white candle lit in front of you a few feet away. As you stare at the flame of the candle allow your gaze to soften and the rhythm of your breath to become slowed and easy of pace. As you continue to gaze at the candle flame allow you eyes to gently close and retain the image of the flame within the center of your higher consciousness. As the flame expands and becomes brighter and luminescent of white light see your physical image standing directly in front of this veil of white light. Give as much detail, shape and form to that image as you can. And, when you feel ready step through this white flame of purification.

As you emerge through its dense veil, you find yourself standing at the outer gate of what appears to be a garden. The wrought iron of the gate is slightly rusted with weathering and is embraced on either side by a brick wall that seems to extend infinitely on either side. As you look upwards the tops of scantily budded branches reach upwards towards a clear blue sky and the promise of lush greenery is just a few months away. It is early Spring and time to prepare the ground for the planting of seeds and the new growth that will occur in the months ahead.

You move towards the Gate and barely reach forward with your hand as the Gate gently swings open, allowing you entrance. This