



The Church of Balder Rising

Hail Light Elf!

We greet you as such because you are about to begin a journey of exploration and discover of your lost heritage. By enrolling in the Yggdrasil Training Program shows that you are a serious seeker of the wisdom of the ancient Elders of the European Folk. It also shows that you have heard the call of your ancestral Gods, who dwell within you and that you are willing to begin the journey across the rainbow bridge of spiritual evolution and enlightenment.

We are enclosing an introduction to the training program plus the first level of nine lessons--- Hel. This level is designed to awaken you from the trance-like existence of ignorance, an existence you have endured, blind to your true heritage. When you have completed the nine lessons of Hel, you will discover that you have embarked upon a path of a new understanding of the universe and yourself. You will discover that you possess great potential that needs to be furthered developed and cultivated. Once you achieved this potentiality, you will find that your perception of the world around has changed. This is what meant by Balder Rising! You will have taken your first steps on the road of evolving into a new being—a Vril Being!

Please be advised that the Yggdrasil Training Program was designed for you to study this course either individually, or as a member of a group. If you have others who wish to take part in your training program, we encourage you to form your group. You will find your experience to be more profound. Your group can meet every two weeks, or as often as you want, and you can still study the program on your own between meetings. The choice is yours.

The program has two purposes: First, to work toward the individual growth and development of the individual, or individuals, taking the course, so that you can evolve into a Vril Being. Secondly, for planting the seeds in the creation of new congregations of the Church of Balder Rising. If you desire to build a congregation, we will provide you with more information about the requirements for such an endeavor in the future. To do so, you must seek to become a Gothi or priest within the Church. And if you wish to continue with your training, you can eventually seek entry into the highest order of the Church by becoming a member of the Vrilir as each a Vril Lord or Lady. But if you do not desire to get too deeply involved in the Church, and wish only to expand your own spirituality and Vrilic powers, this is also acceptable. There is no reason why individuals cannot take

the training program for their own individual growth and development without ever becoming part of the Church. Whatever path you decide to follow, we welcome you as a student in our training program.

The Church of Balder Rising believes that every individual who develops his or her powers is aligning himself, or herself with the Gods, and thus, strengthening their powers in holding back the forces of Chaos, whether or not they become active members of the Church. Our cosmology believes that the flow of power is both ways between Asgard and Midgard. Vrilology is a tradition rooted in the essence and collective soul of the European Folk. We recognize that individuals who might not be of European ancestry would be interested in taking our training program. There is no reason why they cannot. It is wise to discover and explore traditions belonging to other Folks. This is very important in the modern era we live in because of the large degree of intermarriage that is taking place in the world today. Individuals of mixed heritages might possess a need to explore their multiply heritages, and we hope that the Yggdrasill Training Program will assist them in finding spiritual fulfillment. But it is important to understand that it is not wise to mix the disciplines belonging to different traditions. Each is a product of a particular spirituality that was produced by the biological and spiritual essence of a given people and should be respected, cherished and honored, as such. Comparative studies, is useful to learn, not only the similarities among different traditions, but to respect the differences.

Feel free to e-mail us or write us about your progress, especially any insights you might have. We are always interested in hearing what others think about the program and their reactions to the material. It often evokes new insights to the lore, that was for the most part, lost to us when Europe was converted to Christianity.

Your title for the first three levels is Light Elf, the first of three Holy Peoples (the other two are the Vanir and Aesir). This title represents the enlightenment that you will experience while training in the first three levels of the program. May you demonstrate every noble attribute of this honored distinction in the months to come, as you take the first steps across the rainbow bridge.

Yours, in Balder Rising,

Robert Blumetti
Vril Master of the Church of Balder Rising