INVOCATION OF ARCHANGEL AURIEL

Invocation of the Gods needs some thought. The various Earth Gods, Pan for example, need respectfull treatment for many of them have somewhat conflicting effects. Particularly as they also have very lofty attributes that could have an overwhelming potency.

On the **Tree of Life**, it is recommended that the philosophic form of the Hebraic Gods, or the use of the Archangel of the Element of Earth - **AURIEL**. The following is an invocation designed to contact this Great Being. The preamble to a Malkuthian operation is quite appropriate here!

Note: You will be tracing two sigils in this operation. DO these in the Northern Quarter of your Temple. These are the sigils of Taurus (the Ox) and the sigil of Auriel. The sigil of Taurus, of course, is the familiar circle surmounted by a crescent. The sigil of Auriel, is to be taken, for example, from the Rose Cross. This one looks like this:

alternate forms

Since we want to invoke Earth forces, open the ceremont with the Invoking (earth) Lesser Ritual of the Pentagram. Close it with the Banishing Ritual of the Pentagram. Prior to the Pentagram Ritual, one could read the Malkuthian preamble as indicated.

.1. Perform the Qabalistic Cross:

2. "Let us adore the Lord and King of Earth, Adonai Ha Aretz, Holy Art Thou O Lord of Earth. Glorious is Thy radiance that imbibeth the Earth, Thy Footstool, with Power. Adonai Malekh, in Thee are hidden the secrets of the Earth and her teachings. Bless our Ceremony and convey to our striving minds the realisation of the earth and the Mysteries thereof, as we invoke thy Great Archangel Auriel to instruct us in these matters. Holy art Thou O Lord of Earth!"

"Let us lift up our eyes unto the North, to the realms of darkness wherein are hidden the secret teachings of the earth. And lo the Fiat issued forth and the cold darkness of the North was rent assunder as if by mighty volcanoes belching forth fire and rocky armaments. Adonai Ha Aretz Lord and King of Earth, thy mysterious treasures are well hidden. Yet, in time, the Breath of God

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did touch upon these realms, bringing the divine harvest of fruit and crops to sustain the dwellers of earth. As seasons change so the seed reaches down into thy cavernous depths and seeks the message that will say: 'Rise and grow, for the Lord of Earth is thy master; grow and bring forth fruit to feed the children of Earth.' And thus there stood a figure, whose wings were outstretched as if to protect the growing seed, whose raiments reflected the yellow of the wheat; the green of grass; the red of ripening fruit. Yet amidst this multitude of colour see the tint of the Earth — dark, yet powerful as if hiding the secret of growth. See ye this figure as of a mighty angel, towering over the scene with the colours of the Earth flashing through his robes — shining from his mighty wings. At his feet gnomes and pixies; to his side stand oxen and sheep; in his hand he holds a book. Auriel, we salute thee; Auriel we praise thee!

In the name of Adonai Ha Aretz I invoke thee, Auriel In the name of Adonai Malekh I invoke thee Auriel.

By the sign of the Ox I invoke thee, Auriel.

By my feet which stand upon the Earth, I invoke thee Auriel. Auriel, step from the North and teach us of the Earth. O Thou who once taught those of yore, teach us now of the mysteries of the Earth. Auriel, Archangel of the North, I invoke thee that I may learn of thy teachings. Auriel, with this, thy sigil*I invoke thee and call thee, that I, who am a servant of the One True God might learn from thy book of Wisdom. Auriel, come forth that I might learn of the Earth. In the name of Adonai Ha Aretz, Adonai Malekh, I invoke the presence of the Archangel of Earth Auriel!"

4. Visualise the Archangel standing before you with the book in his hand, open as if he is reading to you. Meditate strongly upon the image for 10 to 15 minutes, extracting as much information as you are able. Then imagine that Auriel closes the book and say to him:

"Auriel, I thank thee through the name and courtesy of Adonai Malekh. In peace and thankfulness I bid thee farewell. Amen."

5. Detrace the sigil and close the ceremony.

* Sigil of Auriel