

Exposing the Truth, One Secret at a Time

# NIGHT VISION

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# RADIO



# Orion Foxwood

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00:00:09,830 --> 00:00:02,550  
you're locked into inception radio

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00:00:14,789 --> 00:00:13,030  
you're tuned in to night vision radio

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00:00:16,790 --> 00:00:14,799  
exposing the truth

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00:00:19,029 --> 00:00:16,800  
one secret at a time

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00:00:21,990 --> 00:00:19,039  
prepare yourself as we explore the

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00:00:25,189 --> 00:00:22,000  
shadow worlds of suppressed history

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00:00:27,750 --> 00:00:25,199  
secret knowledge forbidden religion

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00:00:43,350 --> 00:00:27,760  
and shine a light on the conspiracies to

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00:01:18,070 --> 00:01:10,789  
is

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00:01:22,230 --> 00:01:20,070  
good evening everybody welcome indeed to

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00:01:23,670 --> 00:01:22,240  
night vision radio i'm your host renee

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00:01:26,310 --> 00:01:23,680  
barnett

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00:01:28,149 --> 00:01:26,320

we got a kind of a spooky show i guess

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00:01:30,310 --> 00:01:28,159

planned for tonight maybe not maybe a

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00:01:33,749 --> 00:01:30,320

little bit but i know

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00:01:37,270 --> 00:01:33,759

my guest is very exciting he's an expert

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00:01:38,310 --> 00:01:37,280

in uh southern witchcraft and southern

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00:01:40,870 --> 00:01:38,320

magic

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00:01:43,429 --> 00:01:40,880

and root doctoring and all those

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00:01:46,710 --> 00:01:43,439

wonderful things uh he's a teacher he's

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00:01:49,830 --> 00:01:46,720

an author his uh latest book is flaming

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00:01:51,590 --> 00:01:49,840

the cauldron and he uh

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00:01:53,030 --> 00:01:51,600

you can find him if you want to take a

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00:01:54,710 --> 00:01:53,040

look at him while we're while we're

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00:01:56,870 --> 00:01:54,720

talking here online

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00:01:59,109 --> 00:01:56,880

uh his uh

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00:02:03,469 --> 00:01:59,119

his i'm sorry his website address is

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00:02:08,630 --> 00:02:06,149

orionfoxwood.com so have a look while

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00:02:11,270 --> 00:02:08,640

we're chatting and i'd love for you to

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00:02:15,110 --> 00:02:11,280

join us in the live chat room at located

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00:02:17,190 --> 00:02:15,120

right here at inceptionradionetwork.com

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00:02:19,990 --> 00:02:17,200

and if you have a question

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00:02:21,510 --> 00:02:20,000

for me uh or for orion which i'm sure

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00:02:22,949 --> 00:02:21,520

it's probably going to be more for orion

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00:02:24,550 --> 00:02:22,959

or a comment

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00:02:27,030 --> 00:02:24,560

throw it to me in the chat room and i'll

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00:02:30,229 --> 00:02:27,040

be happy to try to work it into the show

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00:02:33,190 --> 00:02:30,239

uh where it is appropriate so thanks so

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00:02:34,790 --> 00:02:33,200

much and orion thank you for agreeing to

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00:02:36,390 --> 00:02:34,800

come on tonight

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00:02:38,390 --> 00:02:36,400

thank you so much for having me on i'm

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00:02:41,190 --> 00:02:38,400

excited to be here and we got to thank

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00:02:43,589 --> 00:02:41,200

our friend patricia baker for making our

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00:02:45,910 --> 00:02:43,599

connection for she's a great friend a

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00:02:48,790 --> 00:02:45,920

night vision and great friend of mine

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00:02:50,390 --> 00:02:48,800

and and a friend of yours as well so we

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00:02:51,750 --> 00:02:50,400

want to thank patricia

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00:02:53,910 --> 00:02:51,760

uh for

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00:02:55,670 --> 00:02:53,920

making this connection for us so that we

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00:02:58,390 --> 00:02:55,680

could have this show tonight i've got

51  
00:03:00,390 --> 00:02:58,400  
people already uh talking about the show

52  
00:03:02,830 --> 00:03:00,400  
in the chat room the people getting

53  
00:03:05,270 --> 00:03:02,840  
excited and

54  
00:03:07,990 --> 00:03:05,280  
apparently um

55  
00:03:10,630 --> 00:03:08,000  
one person in particular was super

56  
00:03:12,710 --> 00:03:10,640  
excited and she says oh my gosh i can't

57  
00:03:16,470 --> 00:03:12,720  
believe i'm getting to hear him

58  
00:03:18,790 --> 00:03:16,480  
and it's really wild so i'm i'm happy

59  
00:03:20,790 --> 00:03:18,800  
and and she may be a much more an expert

60  
00:03:22,309 --> 00:03:20,800  
in this area than certainly i am because

61  
00:03:24,149 --> 00:03:22,319  
i'm not at all

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00:03:27,670 --> 00:03:24,159  
but you know when we were talking

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00:03:30,149 --> 00:03:27,680

earlier today orion uh for just a bit

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00:03:31,670 --> 00:03:30,159

and we talked about things like you know

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00:03:34,470 --> 00:03:31,680

where i grew up

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00:03:35,270 --> 00:03:34,480

was in native america in oklahoma

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00:03:36,309 --> 00:03:35,280

so

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00:03:41,030 --> 00:03:36,319

uh

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00:03:43,110 --> 00:03:41,040

i think i shared with you the story when

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00:03:46,630 --> 00:03:43,120

i was very very young and became really

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00:03:49,990 --> 00:03:46,640

ill and my young husband's grandmother

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00:03:53,670 --> 00:03:50,000

was full blood choctaw and she uh

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00:03:55,990 --> 00:03:53,680

prepared some kind of a tea or a potion

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00:03:57,030 --> 00:03:56,000

with with deer antlers

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00:03:59,830 --> 00:03:57,040

uh

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00:04:01,190 --> 00:03:59,840

and had me drink it and you know i did i

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00:04:02,630 --> 00:04:01,200

did recover

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00:04:05,190 --> 00:04:02,640

uh i don't know whether it was because

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00:04:06,789 --> 00:04:05,200

of the potion but it sure didn't hurt me

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00:04:09,750 --> 00:04:06,799

and i know i really thought oh my gosh

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00:04:11,429 --> 00:04:09,760

this is weird drinking deer antlers but

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00:04:14,070 --> 00:04:11,439

then again

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00:04:17,670 --> 00:04:14,080

uh well after i moved to los angeles a

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00:04:20,949 --> 00:04:17,680

number of years ago my mother uh

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00:04:23,590 --> 00:04:20,959

occasionally still sends me a little

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00:04:26,469 --> 00:04:23,600

plastic bag she'll fedex it or whatever

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00:04:27,590 --> 00:04:26,479

of cedar branches because we use those

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00:04:29,830 --> 00:04:27,600

to

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00:04:31,830 --> 00:04:29,840  
smoke ourselves as we called it a lot of

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00:04:33,270 --> 00:04:31,840  
people call it smudging

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00:04:35,189 --> 00:04:33,280  
and

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00:04:36,469 --> 00:04:35,199  
you know to purify

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00:04:39,430 --> 00:04:36,479  
so

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00:04:42,150 --> 00:04:39,440  
i think maybe we all have a little bit

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00:04:44,230 --> 00:04:42,160  
of witchcraft in our background whether

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00:04:46,390 --> 00:04:44,240  
we really know it or identified it as

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00:04:47,830 --> 00:04:46,400  
such it would you say that's a fair

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00:04:50,629 --> 00:04:47,840  
statement

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00:04:52,070 --> 00:04:50,639  
well yeah because witchcraft uh

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00:04:53,670 --> 00:04:52,080  
really heralds

101  
00:04:55,510 --> 00:04:53,680  
from a time when our relationship was

102  
00:04:58,710 --> 00:04:55,520  
much closer to the spirit world what

103  
00:05:00,550 --> 00:04:58,720  
later because it was called witchcraft

104  
00:05:03,030 --> 00:05:00,560  
because it really is a

105  
00:05:04,150 --> 00:05:03,040  
derived from an old saxon term

106  
00:05:06,230 --> 00:05:04,160  
um

107  
00:05:07,830 --> 00:05:06,240  
was really originally a name for people

108  
00:05:10,390 --> 00:05:07,840  
who held wisdom

109  
00:05:13,189 --> 00:05:10,400  
the wichi

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00:05:14,950 --> 00:05:13,199  
but later you know with religions

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00:05:17,749 --> 00:05:14,960  
changing and a bit of religious

112  
00:05:19,670 --> 00:05:17,759  
propaganda as as happens when different

113  
00:05:20,790 --> 00:05:19,680

religions invade each other

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00:05:23,110 --> 00:05:20,800

um

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00:05:26,070 --> 00:05:23,120

that that wise person of the old ways

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00:05:27,909 --> 00:05:26,080

began to be seen as somehow

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00:05:29,749 --> 00:05:27,919

evil because they weren't a part of the

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00:05:31,189 --> 00:05:29,759

regular church although some of them

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00:05:34,150 --> 00:05:31,199

later became

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00:05:35,830 --> 00:05:34,160

so and so in all of our bloodlines in

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00:05:39,029 --> 00:05:35,840

all of our cultures

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00:05:41,430 --> 00:05:39,039

we have these people who were either

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00:05:44,629 --> 00:05:41,440

trained and or gifted

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00:05:48,550 --> 00:05:44,639

to relate to the spirit world

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00:05:49,909 --> 00:05:48,560

to the benefit of humanity and their

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00:05:51,990 --> 00:05:49,919

relationship

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00:05:55,029 --> 00:05:52,000

to life itself knowing that all that is

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00:05:57,830 --> 00:05:55,039

invisible i'm sorry all that is visible

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00:06:00,070 --> 00:05:57,840

comes from the invisible so if we dig in

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00:06:01,830 --> 00:06:00,080

our families we're always going to find

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00:06:04,390 --> 00:06:01,840

a little bit of what we may think of as

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00:06:07,110 --> 00:06:04,400

witchcraft or folk magic it's always

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00:06:10,150 --> 00:06:07,120

going to be there

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00:06:12,710 --> 00:06:10,160

yeah you know and it's funny because you

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00:06:14,950 --> 00:06:12,720

you you sort of grew up in the south

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00:06:17,670 --> 00:06:14,960

there uh certainly identify as a

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00:06:19,990 --> 00:06:17,680

southerner and uh

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00:06:21,110 --> 00:06:20,000

you know which is largely largely

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00:06:22,550 --> 00:06:21,120

christian

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00:06:24,469 --> 00:06:22,560

and i know that

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00:06:26,150 --> 00:06:24,479

you know and and i considered you know

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00:06:27,909 --> 00:06:26,160

we considered ourselves southern in

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00:06:30,629 --> 00:06:27,919

oklahoma because we were south of the

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00:06:32,629 --> 00:06:30,639

mason-dixon line

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00:06:35,430 --> 00:06:32,639

but uh

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00:06:38,790 --> 00:06:35,440

certainly you know in dealing with some

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00:06:41,270 --> 00:06:38,800

of the uh native indian cultures

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00:06:43,189 --> 00:06:41,280

the there are a lot of people who pursue

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00:06:45,590 --> 00:06:43,199

the practices you know with roots and

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00:06:48,790 --> 00:06:45,600

plants and things like that

151  
00:06:52,309 --> 00:06:48,800  
uh other remedies and rituals and things

152  
00:06:54,790 --> 00:06:52,319  
but it seems kind of all jumbled up

153  
00:06:56,710 --> 00:06:54,800  
also with christianity

154  
00:07:00,230 --> 00:06:56,720  
because you know

155  
00:07:04,070 --> 00:07:01,350  
you know

156  
00:07:06,710 --> 00:07:04,080  
i guess influenced by the europeans into

157  
00:07:09,510 --> 00:07:06,720  
christianity and so

158  
00:07:12,629 --> 00:07:09,520  
they do keep some of their old ways but

159  
00:07:15,350 --> 00:07:12,639  
it seems to be kind of uh integrated

160  
00:07:17,110 --> 00:07:15,360  
into that do you find that it with

161  
00:07:20,150 --> 00:07:17,120  
in the south where you grew up with the

162  
00:07:21,990 --> 00:07:20,160  
practices that you're talking about

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00:07:23,350 --> 00:07:22,000

oh yeah well you find that all over the

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00:07:27,270 --> 00:07:23,360

world wherever

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00:07:29,749 --> 00:07:27,280

uh the governing or uh

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00:07:31,830 --> 00:07:29,759

general populist

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00:07:34,390 --> 00:07:31,840

religious tradition is and and

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00:07:37,589 --> 00:07:34,400

especially if it required adherence

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00:07:39,350 --> 00:07:37,599

that folks who practice an old faith

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00:07:41,110 --> 00:07:39,360

maybe from a native practice an

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00:07:42,390 --> 00:07:41,120

indigenous practice

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00:07:48,150 --> 00:07:42,400

they

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00:07:51,990 --> 00:07:48,160

you call it that's just a name we humans

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00:07:54,390 --> 00:07:52,000

have for it um so they had no

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00:07:55,670 --> 00:07:54,400

often no qualms with

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00:07:58,710 --> 00:07:55,680

you know kind of getting on board with

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00:08:00,469 --> 00:07:58,720

that new new religion sometimes it was

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00:08:03,990 --> 00:08:00,479

you know by risk of death also that they

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00:08:07,029 --> 00:08:04,000

had to but they did not lose

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00:08:08,469 --> 00:08:07,039

their old ways there's a concept that

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00:08:10,830 --> 00:08:08,479

was used mostly in folkloric

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00:08:13,350 --> 00:08:10,840

anthropology called

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00:08:15,029 --> 00:08:13,360

syncreticism and uh

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00:08:16,790 --> 00:08:15,039

what they would do

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00:08:19,189 --> 00:08:16,800

is continue to practice their

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00:08:22,390 --> 00:08:19,199

relationship with the spirit world

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00:08:25,510 --> 00:08:22,400

uh plant animal human other for the

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00:08:27,189 --> 00:08:25,520

benefit of humanity the benefit of

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00:08:29,270 --> 00:08:27,199

a good life

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00:08:30,950 --> 00:08:29,280

but under the structures

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00:08:35,269 --> 00:08:30,960

of the religious

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00:08:37,990 --> 00:08:35,279

uh you know doctrine of christianity

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00:08:41,110 --> 00:08:38,000

we must never confuse religion

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00:08:42,310 --> 00:08:41,120

spirituality and magic they can all look

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00:08:44,310 --> 00:08:42,320

very different i tell people all the

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00:08:45,990 --> 00:08:44,320

time because i'm a bit of a pagan boy

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00:08:50,230 --> 00:08:46,000

right but i tell people but i'm

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00:08:53,190 --> 00:08:51,990

i'm culturally christian because i was

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00:08:56,150 --> 00:08:53,200

baptized

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00:08:58,949 --> 00:08:56,160

and i didn't unbaptize myself that's

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00:09:01,190 --> 00:08:58,959

right now that brings me to

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00:09:03,590 --> 00:09:01,200

uh my next question is let's let's back

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00:09:05,829 --> 00:09:03,600

up a little bit because

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00:09:07,990 --> 00:09:05,839

you came by all this pretty naturally

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00:09:09,590 --> 00:09:08,000

didn't you because you were kind of born

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00:09:10,870 --> 00:09:09,600

into the culture

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00:09:12,470 --> 00:09:10,880

of this

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00:09:14,870 --> 00:09:12,480

and um

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00:09:16,389 --> 00:09:14,880

mixed with the christian culture

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00:09:18,310 --> 00:09:16,399

right so

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00:09:20,550 --> 00:09:18,320

i'm sorry no no no that's what i was

212

00:09:23,110 --> 00:09:20,560

just going to ask you is what was your

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00:09:24,389 --> 00:09:23,120

your entry or your entree into this

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00:09:30,230 --> 00:09:24,399

world

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00:09:31,829 --> 00:09:30,240

spirit and magic was in my culture

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00:09:32,870 --> 00:09:31,839

because i'm of southern appalachian

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00:09:35,350 --> 00:09:32,880

culture

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00:09:38,870 --> 00:09:35,360

um and i grew up i was born and raised

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00:09:43,430 --> 00:09:40,870

in the foothills of the blue ridge

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00:09:45,190 --> 00:09:43,440

and there you had this syncretic

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practice mostly

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out in the countryside

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00:09:51,750 --> 00:09:48,800

that was a synergy

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00:09:54,710 --> 00:09:51,760

of celtic and english folk practices

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00:09:56,470 --> 00:09:54,720

that flowed down from

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00:09:59,590 --> 00:09:56,480

the appalachians

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00:10:00,389 --> 00:09:59,600

into the valley and then co-mixed with

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00:10:03,030 --> 00:10:00,399

uh

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00:10:04,389 --> 00:10:03,040

what was left of the old slave magic

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00:10:06,070 --> 00:10:04,399

because unfortunately of course virginia

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00:10:07,269 --> 00:10:06,080

was the center of the slave trade so you

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00:10:10,230 --> 00:10:07,279

start having

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00:10:13,350 --> 00:10:12,150

african practices

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00:10:14,310 --> 00:10:13,360

merging

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00:10:16,310 --> 00:10:14,320

with

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00:10:19,269 --> 00:10:16,320

some of the old traditional

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00:10:21,269 --> 00:10:19,279

folk magic practices of england and

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00:10:23,590 --> 00:10:21,279

europe because remember that when people

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00:10:26,550 --> 00:10:23,600

migrated here uh

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00:10:28,949 --> 00:10:26,560

for many of them it became easier to

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00:10:30,470 --> 00:10:28,959

preserve their old ways because this is

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00:10:34,069 --> 00:10:30,480

a big continent they could hide in the

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00:10:35,750 --> 00:10:34,079

mountains they get hide and on

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00:10:37,750 --> 00:10:35,760

islands in the middle of lakes that are

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00:10:39,670 --> 00:10:37,760

as big as small seas you know there's

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00:10:43,750 --> 00:10:39,680

lots of places for them

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00:10:44,790 --> 00:10:43,760

to avoid inquisitions and oppression

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00:10:46,949 --> 00:10:44,800

so

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00:10:49,829 --> 00:10:46,959

they continued to do what they did and

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00:10:51,990 --> 00:10:49,839

they just think criticized to fit into

251  
00:10:54,310 --> 00:10:52,000  
their communities and then many of them

252  
00:10:56,710 --> 00:10:54,320  
it wasn't just well i'm acting christian

253  
00:10:58,870 --> 00:10:56,720  
so i won't get in trouble uh they loved

254  
00:11:00,710 --> 00:10:58,880  
christianity and christianity became a

255  
00:11:04,949 --> 00:11:00,720  
part of their actual faith

256  
00:11:07,829 --> 00:11:04,959  
but i would say christianity was a twist

257  
00:11:09,829 --> 00:11:07,839  
was a what a twist with its list oh

258  
00:11:11,269 --> 00:11:09,839  
christianity with a twist right

259  
00:11:13,430 --> 00:11:11,279  
absolutely

260  
00:11:15,509 --> 00:11:13,440  
yeah no i i know what you mean i mean

261  
00:11:18,230 --> 00:11:15,519  
the people that i you know that i've run

262  
00:11:19,110 --> 00:11:18,240  
into that have this sort of

263  
00:11:21,829 --> 00:11:19,120

uh

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00:11:22,949 --> 00:11:21,839

you know conglomeration of beliefs

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00:11:25,829 --> 00:11:22,959

they're very

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00:11:27,269 --> 00:11:25,839

serious about their christian beliefs

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00:11:29,430 --> 00:11:27,279

and uh

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00:11:32,870 --> 00:11:29,440

you know i mean i and they they do take

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00:11:34,230 --> 00:11:32,880

some flack uh about their old ways from

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00:11:36,310 --> 00:11:34,240

some people

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00:11:39,190 --> 00:11:36,320

who've sort of completely gone over to

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00:11:40,949 --> 00:11:39,200

the you know to the mainstream side

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00:11:43,110 --> 00:11:40,959

but uh

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00:11:45,350 --> 00:11:43,120

but you know it seems like you know in

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00:11:47,590 --> 00:11:45,360

every culture that that we can think of

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00:11:50,150 --> 00:11:47,600

and you mentioned you know the celtic

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00:11:53,030 --> 00:11:50,160

culture and uh i was going to ask you

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00:11:55,190 --> 00:11:53,040

and you basically answered it already uh

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people who came from those areas in

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00:11:58,949 --> 00:11:56,480

europe

281

00:12:00,630 --> 00:11:58,959

brought those ways and those beliefs

282

00:12:03,110 --> 00:12:00,640

with them

283

00:12:04,150 --> 00:12:03,120

that's how it got here and then it mixed

284

00:12:06,470 --> 00:12:04,160

in with

285

00:12:08,470 --> 00:12:06,480

you know other practices that were

286

00:12:10,069 --> 00:12:08,480

brought here by people who came from

287

00:12:13,590 --> 00:12:10,079

africa

288

00:12:15,350 --> 00:12:13,600

and probably from native americans

289

00:12:19,110 --> 00:12:15,360

america is

290

00:12:22,310 --> 00:12:19,120

a hotbed of folk magic hotbed

291

00:12:24,629 --> 00:12:22,320

um whether it's ozark witchcraft or

292

00:12:26,629 --> 00:12:24,639

appalachian folk magic or southern root

293

00:12:28,949 --> 00:12:26,639

uh doctoring or

294

00:12:31,750 --> 00:12:28,959

hoodoo in the black community or you

295

00:12:35,430 --> 00:12:31,760

know the list goes on it is a hot bed

296

00:12:37,829 --> 00:12:35,440

because of the mixtures of

297

00:12:39,990 --> 00:12:37,839

different cultures that came here the

298

00:12:42,310 --> 00:12:40,000

size of the country the other thing with

299

00:12:44,550 --> 00:12:42,320

some of these uh practices especially

300

00:12:46,389 --> 00:12:44,560

conjure you have to look at it and

301  
00:12:48,949 --> 00:12:46,399  
that's the southern root work you have

302  
00:12:52,389 --> 00:12:48,959  
to look at it in terms of

303  
00:12:55,190 --> 00:12:52,399  
the colonial era the civil war era

304  
00:12:57,829 --> 00:12:55,200  
the uh emancipation era and then the

305  
00:12:59,269 --> 00:12:57,839  
reconstruction era and its face changes

306  
00:13:01,990 --> 00:12:59,279  
what it looks like as people are

307  
00:13:04,470 --> 00:13:02,000  
migrating uh further north looking for

308  
00:13:06,870 --> 00:13:04,480  
jobs uh they would meet other folks who

309  
00:13:08,150 --> 00:13:06,880  
were in similar difficult financial

310  
00:13:09,670 --> 00:13:08,160  
straits

311  
00:13:11,590 --> 00:13:09,680  
and they would share

312  
00:13:14,389 --> 00:13:11,600  
you know they would share with say

313  
00:13:15,829 --> 00:13:14,399

jewish folk magic workers or asian folk

314

00:13:16,710 --> 00:13:15,839

magic workers and the next thing you

315

00:13:18,949 --> 00:13:16,720

know

316

00:13:24,310 --> 00:13:18,959

it looks like

317

00:13:25,590 --> 00:13:24,320

has occurred but it hasn't because

318

00:13:26,949 --> 00:13:25,600

what's occurred

319

00:13:28,629 --> 00:13:26,959

is cultures

320

00:13:31,509 --> 00:13:28,639

they beat each other

321

00:13:32,870 --> 00:13:31,519

uh and they share like if you saw me

322

00:13:35,269 --> 00:13:32,880

sometimes some of these traditional

323

00:13:37,110 --> 00:13:35,279

workers here's a great story for renee i

324

00:13:39,030 --> 00:13:37,120

was at a event

325

00:13:42,389 --> 00:13:39,040

where this guy comes up

326

00:13:44,069 --> 00:13:42,399

a strong uh welsh accent

327

00:13:47,190 --> 00:13:44,079

and he said aren't you ryan foxman i

328

00:13:49,190 --> 00:13:47,200

said yeah and he said you're a charmer

329

00:13:51,509 --> 00:13:49,200

uh and i said well yeah and see charmer

330

00:13:53,829 --> 00:13:51,519

is a as a term that's used

331

00:13:56,230 --> 00:13:53,839

in many magical cultures and definitely

332

00:13:57,269 --> 00:13:56,240

in appalachian folk magic for one who

333

00:13:59,910 --> 00:13:57,279

knows

334

00:14:02,790 --> 00:13:59,920

the recitation of these rhymed often

335

00:14:04,470 --> 00:14:02,800

rhymed uh charms for doing things like

336

00:14:05,910 --> 00:14:04,480

blowing fire out the burners staunching

337

00:14:07,910 --> 00:14:05,920

blood or causing the weather to change

338

00:14:10,470 --> 00:14:07,920

with any list of things and i was

339

00:14:11,509 --> 00:14:10,480

identified by the elders very early as a

340

00:14:14,150 --> 00:14:11,519

charmer

341

00:14:17,269 --> 00:14:14,160

and i know oh god hundreds of them and

342

00:14:19,269 --> 00:14:17,279

so he goes oh i need he says i'm a

343

00:14:21,350 --> 00:14:19,279

charmer in the

344

00:14:23,110 --> 00:14:21,360

uh welsh tradition

345

00:14:25,910 --> 00:14:23,120

and i need a charm

346

00:14:27,269 --> 00:14:25,920

for i believe it was a headache to make

347

00:14:28,150 --> 00:14:27,279

headache go away

348

00:14:33,910 --> 00:14:28,160

and

349

00:14:36,150 --> 00:14:33,920

for staunching blood

350

00:14:37,670 --> 00:14:36,160

or women no no no i got that reverse he

351

00:14:39,030 --> 00:14:37,680

needed sconching blood and i needed one

352

00:14:40,150 --> 00:14:39,040

for making a headache awake they didn't

353

00:14:42,790 --> 00:14:40,160

have that one

354

00:14:44,629 --> 00:14:42,800

and that was it we shared

355

00:14:46,710 --> 00:14:44,639

magic workers have done that for

356

00:14:49,430 --> 00:14:46,720

centuries and and

357

00:14:51,829 --> 00:14:49,440

magic workers across cultures

358

00:14:54,870 --> 00:14:51,839

because we've got to remember folk magic

359

00:14:56,230 --> 00:14:54,880

is not about

360

00:14:59,509 --> 00:14:56,240

some fad

361

00:15:02,470 --> 00:14:59,519

it's not about a belief system it's a

362

00:15:04,710 --> 00:15:02,480

practice sometimes it's even a vocation

363

00:15:07,430 --> 00:15:04,720

and it's centered and on getting your

364

00:15:09,750 --> 00:15:07,440

needs met and often because it grew out

365

00:15:12,069 --> 00:15:09,760

of poverty or in the south it even grew

366

00:15:14,550 --> 00:15:12,079

out of slavery

367

00:15:20,150 --> 00:15:14,560

it's a way of leveraging the forces of

368

00:15:26,389 --> 00:15:22,550

am i hearing you also say that it's

369

00:15:28,949 --> 00:15:26,399

really all the same thing

370

00:15:31,509 --> 00:15:28,959

uh you made across traditions or yeah i

371

00:15:32,710 --> 00:15:31,519

mean you know uh you said what was it

372

00:15:35,990 --> 00:15:32,720

that uh

373

00:15:37,829 --> 00:15:36,000

it might seem like a a you know a

374

00:15:40,550 --> 00:15:37,839

joining together or

375

00:15:44,150 --> 00:15:40,560

of something but it's really not yeah an

376

00:15:46,230 --> 00:15:44,160

eclectic mix but it's really not because

377

00:15:47,430 --> 00:15:46,240

really at the heart of it or at the root

378

00:15:49,110 --> 00:15:47,440

of it

379

00:15:52,389 --> 00:15:49,120

not to make a pun

380

00:15:55,110 --> 00:15:52,399

is it really all the same thing but

381

00:15:56,870 --> 00:15:55,120

people are using a different doorway to

382

00:15:58,710 --> 00:15:56,880

get in

383

00:16:00,949 --> 00:15:58,720

like maybe with a different sort of

384

00:16:01,829 --> 00:16:00,959

style of practice or

385

00:16:05,590 --> 00:16:01,839

but

386

00:16:08,710 --> 00:16:05,600

are people basically people's cultures

387

00:16:10,389 --> 00:16:08,720

in these old ways and folk magic

388

00:16:13,350 --> 00:16:10,399

is it really sort of

389

00:16:15,749 --> 00:16:13,360

part and parcel of the same thing

390

00:16:17,350 --> 00:16:15,759

well here's what i would say the the

391

00:16:20,230 --> 00:16:17,360

structures of it

392

00:16:23,189 --> 00:16:20,240

may not be the same

393

00:16:25,189 --> 00:16:23,199

the uh

394

00:16:26,790 --> 00:16:25,199

religious implications sometimes may not

395

00:16:29,189 --> 00:16:26,800

be the same

396

00:16:30,310 --> 00:16:29,199

the needs are the same like across

397

00:16:34,230 --> 00:16:30,320

cultures

398

00:16:36,870 --> 00:16:34,240

we have a need for love um food shelter

399

00:16:39,189 --> 00:16:36,880

uh money to pay our bills

400

00:16:40,710 --> 00:16:39,199

um justice

401  
00:16:42,230 --> 00:16:40,720  
protection

402  
00:16:44,790 --> 00:16:42,240  
um

403  
00:16:47,110 --> 00:16:44,800  
wellness you know what i mean

404  
00:16:48,790 --> 00:16:47,120  
there's certain routes to our life that

405  
00:16:51,749 --> 00:16:48,800  
never change

406  
00:16:52,870 --> 00:16:51,759  
we can get all the technology we want

407  
00:16:55,990 --> 00:16:52,880  
but those

408  
00:16:57,990 --> 00:16:56,000  
core things in life don't change so then

409  
00:17:00,389 --> 00:16:58,000  
what happens is to answer your question

410  
00:17:02,550 --> 00:17:00,399  
are they the same at the core

411  
00:17:04,470 --> 00:17:02,560  
they're the same in that they're about

412  
00:17:07,350 --> 00:17:04,480  
achieving

413  
00:17:09,990 --> 00:17:07,360

you know getting and growing those core

414

00:17:11,909 --> 00:17:10,000

things that we need in life to be happy

415

00:17:13,829 --> 00:17:11,919

and healthy

416

00:17:15,750 --> 00:17:13,839

preventing those things that are harmful

417

00:17:16,789 --> 00:17:15,760

from harming us

418

00:17:18,470 --> 00:17:16,799

and

419

00:17:20,390 --> 00:17:18,480

a relationship

420

00:17:21,909 --> 00:17:20,400

between the visible world and the

421

00:17:24,069 --> 00:17:21,919

invisible world

422

00:17:27,189 --> 00:17:24,079

uh knowing that all that is in all that

423

00:17:29,830 --> 00:17:27,199

is visible comes from the invisible

424

00:17:31,270 --> 00:17:29,840

therefore at the core of these practices

425

00:17:34,070 --> 00:17:31,280

being in a relationship with the

426

00:17:36,150 --> 00:17:34,080

invisible forces that in that affect

427

00:17:37,909 --> 00:17:36,160

visible things so at that core they're

428

00:17:40,070 --> 00:17:37,919

still the same

429

00:17:42,710 --> 00:17:40,080

you know but it'll be the structures

430

00:17:43,990 --> 00:17:42,720

that might look different

431

00:17:46,230 --> 00:17:44,000

right right

432

00:17:48,150 --> 00:17:46,240

you know there does seem to be some sort

433

00:17:52,390 --> 00:17:48,160

of crossover and i was thinking i know a

434

00:17:54,390 --> 00:17:52,400

lot in american uh folk art and you know

435

00:17:57,430 --> 00:17:54,400

maybe in folklore i mean folk magic and

436

00:17:59,830 --> 00:17:57,440

maybe from other places too i know

437

00:18:01,909 --> 00:17:59,840

they talk about work or

438

00:18:03,430 --> 00:18:01,919

working i've heard you know like in the

439

00:18:05,190 --> 00:18:03,440

south you know

440

00:18:08,070 --> 00:18:05,200

working routes you know i'm going to

441

00:18:09,830 --> 00:18:08,080

work some routes on this question or on

442

00:18:12,390 --> 00:18:09,840

this this matter

443

00:18:15,270 --> 00:18:12,400

things like that um

444

00:18:16,470 --> 00:18:15,280

and then of course in you know alchemy

445

00:18:17,830 --> 00:18:16,480

that sort of

446

00:18:20,390 --> 00:18:17,840

you know

447

00:18:23,110 --> 00:18:20,400

came out in in europe

448

00:18:24,470 --> 00:18:23,120

they talk about the work or the great

449

00:18:29,350 --> 00:18:24,480

work

450

00:18:31,909 --> 00:18:29,360

there's any relationship there

451  
00:18:34,789 --> 00:18:31,919  
i mean is is folk magic sort of like the

452  
00:18:38,070 --> 00:18:34,799  
poor man's alchemy

453  
00:18:40,470 --> 00:18:38,080  
i don't think so because alchemy

454  
00:18:41,669 --> 00:18:40,480  
but i see where you're going which was a

455  
00:18:44,230 --> 00:18:41,679  
very

456  
00:18:46,710 --> 00:18:44,240  
astute uh observation

457  
00:18:48,230 --> 00:18:46,720  
uh alchemy is more about refining the

458  
00:18:50,630 --> 00:18:48,240  
spirit

459  
00:18:51,830 --> 00:18:50,640  
and purifying oneself from the lead to

460  
00:18:52,950 --> 00:18:51,840  
the goal

461  
00:18:55,909 --> 00:18:52,960  
yes and

462  
00:18:59,350 --> 00:18:55,919  
raising ourselves to the highest nature

463  
00:19:01,430 --> 00:18:59,360

folk magic is not necessarily

464

00:19:03,270 --> 00:19:01,440

about raising ourselves to the highest

465

00:19:05,990 --> 00:19:03,280

nature it can be

466

00:19:07,270 --> 00:19:06,000

if the practitioner is very spiritual

467

00:19:09,430 --> 00:19:07,280

like for instance

468

00:19:11,029 --> 00:19:09,440

in in my book candle in the crossroads

469

00:19:13,909 --> 00:19:11,039

which is what

470

00:19:15,430 --> 00:19:13,919

uh i wrote the most about the southern

471

00:19:16,870 --> 00:19:15,440

folk work that i grew up around and then

472

00:19:18,390 --> 00:19:16,880

continue to learn

473

00:19:20,950 --> 00:19:18,400

i talk a lot about

474

00:19:22,950 --> 00:19:20,960

the spiritual cleansing and also about

475

00:19:25,590 --> 00:19:22,960

what i call knowing growing and healing

476

00:19:28,390 --> 00:19:25,600

and revealing your soul

477

00:19:31,190 --> 00:19:28,400

so for me as a worker

478

00:19:32,310 --> 00:19:31,200

uh i am invested in the same kind of

479

00:19:34,870 --> 00:19:32,320

work

480

00:19:37,430 --> 00:19:34,880

that the alchemist is and that is

481

00:19:40,950 --> 00:19:37,440

about also not having the best having

482

00:19:43,830 --> 00:19:40,960

the best in life but also about having

483

00:19:49,190 --> 00:19:47,029

clean uh and clear spirit

484

00:19:50,950 --> 00:19:49,200

inner spirit that i can have

485

00:19:53,110 --> 00:19:50,960

but now in root work when they're

486

00:19:54,950 --> 00:19:53,120

talking about work

487

00:19:56,950 --> 00:19:54,960

they're not talking about

488

00:19:58,549 --> 00:19:56,960

the refining of the spirit the elevation

489

00:20:01,029 --> 00:19:58,559

of the spirit they're just talking about

490

00:20:02,789 --> 00:20:01,039

the working itself like for instance if

491

00:20:04,789 --> 00:20:02,799

someone is doing

492

00:20:07,510 --> 00:20:04,799

some work to get a job or some

493

00:20:09,270 --> 00:20:07,520

work to protect they'll call that the

494

00:20:10,470 --> 00:20:09,280

work

495

00:20:11,590 --> 00:20:10,480

right

496

00:20:13,430 --> 00:20:11,600

yeah

497

00:20:15,750 --> 00:20:13,440

do they say um

498

00:20:17,510 --> 00:20:15,760

do they do they say i'm going to work it

499

00:20:20,549 --> 00:20:17,520

or

500

00:20:21,750 --> 00:20:20,559

do they use it as a as a verb as well as

501  
00:20:24,150 --> 00:20:21,760  
a noun

502  
00:20:26,150 --> 00:20:24,160  
yes exactly they use it very much like

503  
00:20:27,350 --> 00:20:26,160  
that and in fact you'll hear

504  
00:20:29,430 --> 00:20:27,360  
root workers

505  
00:20:30,870 --> 00:20:29,440  
then call themselves witches so you'll

506  
00:20:32,230 --> 00:20:30,880  
hear them call

507  
00:20:33,590 --> 00:20:32,240  
to the workers

508  
00:20:35,830 --> 00:20:33,600  
workers

509  
00:20:38,230 --> 00:20:35,840  
and is there a difference between a root

510  
00:20:39,510 --> 00:20:38,240  
worker and a root doctor

511  
00:20:42,310 --> 00:20:39,520  
no

512  
00:20:46,230 --> 00:20:42,320  
so it's sort of the the same thing

513  
00:20:49,029 --> 00:20:46,240

it sounds very um shamanic

514

00:20:51,190 --> 00:20:49,039

um yeah well there there's this element

515

00:20:54,310 --> 00:20:51,200

in southern root work we can

516

00:20:57,110 --> 00:20:54,320

we can never leave out if you look

517

00:20:57,990 --> 00:20:57,120

closely at the cultures that it grew out

518

00:20:59,990 --> 00:20:58,000

of

519

00:21:01,990 --> 00:21:00,000

it is african at its base because it

520

00:21:03,990 --> 00:21:02,000

grew up

521

00:21:05,669 --> 00:21:04,000

everywhere where the slave trade went

522

00:21:08,149 --> 00:21:05,679

and was

523

00:21:09,669 --> 00:21:08,159

it has been european folk magic and

524

00:21:11,590 --> 00:21:09,679

depending on

525

00:21:12,950 --> 00:21:11,600

the immigration there was spanish with

526  
00:21:14,789 --> 00:21:12,960  
the french with the english you know

527  
00:21:16,390 --> 00:21:14,799  
what i mean etc

528  
00:21:19,430 --> 00:21:16,400  
then you add to that

529  
00:21:22,230 --> 00:21:19,440  
then who were the local indigenous

530  
00:21:26,230 --> 00:21:22,240  
people who were often in oppressed

531  
00:21:27,830 --> 00:21:26,240  
situations just like freed slaves were

532  
00:21:30,149 --> 00:21:27,840  
the native american people so you'll

533  
00:21:32,390 --> 00:21:30,159  
have those elements in there so like for

534  
00:21:34,149 --> 00:21:32,400  
instance i did a workshop one time out

535  
00:21:35,669 --> 00:21:34,159  
in southern california

536  
00:21:40,149 --> 00:21:35,679  
and i was teaching them

537  
00:21:42,870 --> 00:21:40,159  
how to make a hand which is like a mojo

538  
00:21:45,590 --> 00:21:42,880

and i was teaching them how to as we say

539

00:21:48,149 --> 00:21:45,600

wake the root feed the root

540

00:21:50,789 --> 00:21:48,159

dress the root and work the root

541

00:21:51,909 --> 00:21:50,799

and there was a wonderful native woman

542

00:21:54,149 --> 00:21:51,919

in the

543

00:21:55,270 --> 00:21:54,159

workshop and she came to me she said

544

00:21:58,149 --> 00:21:55,280

ryan

545

00:22:00,870 --> 00:21:58,159

the way not not all of it but the way

546

00:22:02,470 --> 00:22:00,880

you were working that there's lots of

547

00:22:03,669 --> 00:22:02,480

native american

548

00:22:05,669 --> 00:22:03,679

sort of

549

00:22:06,710 --> 00:22:05,679

philosophy or approaches

550

00:22:08,149 --> 00:22:06,720

in it

551  
00:22:09,110 --> 00:22:08,159  
and she was surprised i said well of

552  
00:22:10,870 --> 00:22:09,120  
course

553  
00:22:13,510 --> 00:22:10,880  
that was a part of

554  
00:22:15,909 --> 00:22:13,520  
the elements that contributed to what we

555  
00:22:17,270 --> 00:22:15,919  
now know as root work or conjure i have

556  
00:22:19,029 --> 00:22:17,280  
to tell you that where i grew up they

557  
00:22:21,190 --> 00:22:19,039  
didn't call it conjure i only heard it a

558  
00:22:23,110 --> 00:22:21,200  
few times i used the word

559  
00:22:24,470 --> 00:22:23,120  
uh in that book

560  
00:22:25,750 --> 00:22:24,480  
so people would understand what i was

561  
00:22:26,950 --> 00:22:25,760  
talking about because it's a relatively

562  
00:22:28,630 --> 00:22:26,960  
known word

563  
00:22:31,110 --> 00:22:28,640

in the south they call it spirit

564

00:22:33,750 --> 00:22:31,120

doctrine

565

00:22:36,310 --> 00:22:33,760

a great term a spirit doctor it is

566

00:22:39,190 --> 00:22:36,320

you're a doctor to doctor your spirit or

567

00:22:40,789 --> 00:22:39,200

to doctor the spirits

568

00:22:42,789 --> 00:22:40,799

wow

569

00:22:43,909 --> 00:22:42,799

that that's that's really interesting

570

00:22:47,350 --> 00:22:43,919

now

571

00:22:49,669 --> 00:22:47,360

not to completely jump uh

572

00:22:53,190 --> 00:22:49,679

to something else but i i

573

00:22:55,029 --> 00:22:53,200

i heard it and i hope this is true but i

574

00:22:57,270 --> 00:22:55,039

heard that you worked with

575

00:22:59,430 --> 00:22:57,280

the great marie laveau

576

00:23:02,710 --> 00:22:59,440

is that possibly true

577

00:23:05,029 --> 00:23:02,720

oh yes oh my goodness my shero

578

00:23:08,870 --> 00:23:05,039

oh yeah

579

00:23:10,950 --> 00:23:08,880

she is what a personality and character

580

00:23:13,029 --> 00:23:10,960

oh my goodness you have to look at

581

00:23:13,909 --> 00:23:13,039

closely at this woman

582

00:23:17,270 --> 00:23:13,919

she

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00:23:20,070 --> 00:23:17,280

think of this a woman free woman's color

584

00:23:21,029 --> 00:23:20,080

uh in the middle of civil war occupation

585

00:23:23,029 --> 00:23:21,039

of

586

00:23:25,669 --> 00:23:23,039

new orleans

587

00:23:28,070 --> 00:23:25,679

unbelievable plagues

588

00:23:31,110 --> 00:23:28,080

tens of thousands of people dying

589

00:23:33,110 --> 00:23:31,120

she herself had lost children

590

00:23:36,870 --> 00:23:33,120

yet she captured

591

00:23:38,310 --> 00:23:36,880

the attention of the most powerful city

592

00:23:39,350 --> 00:23:38,320

in the south

593

00:23:41,750 --> 00:23:39,360

and

594

00:23:44,390 --> 00:23:41,760

nearly 200 years later

595

00:23:46,549 --> 00:23:44,400

captures the world's attention as a

596

00:23:48,549 --> 00:23:46,559

powerful spirit of voodoo

597

00:23:51,990 --> 00:23:48,559

that's a testimony

598

00:23:55,590 --> 00:23:52,000

to the force of this woman her legacy

599

00:24:01,350 --> 00:23:59,350

oh yeah absolutely now what was it it

600

00:24:02,789 --> 00:24:01,360

how did you happen to connect with her

601  
00:24:05,669 --> 00:24:02,799  
and what kind of work were you doing

602  
00:24:08,390 --> 00:24:05,679  
with her was she teaching you or were

603  
00:24:11,029 --> 00:24:08,400  
you just sharing ideas

604  
00:24:12,950 --> 00:24:11,039  
a great question now years ago and and

605  
00:24:14,789 --> 00:24:12,960  
then after i answered this one i might

606  
00:24:16,789 --> 00:24:14,799  
like to mention a festival that i'm a

607  
00:24:19,830 --> 00:24:16,799  
part of doing in new orleans and we're

608  
00:24:24,710 --> 00:24:22,149  
oh amazing yeah absolutely

609  
00:24:26,710 --> 00:24:24,720  
yeah when you're done uh answering

610  
00:24:28,950 --> 00:24:26,720  
uh what i asked them please do share

611  
00:24:31,269 --> 00:24:28,960  
that information with us and uh i'll

612  
00:24:32,710 --> 00:24:31,279  
also share it on uh on our facebook

613  
00:24:35,830 --> 00:24:32,720

pages here

614

00:24:38,230 --> 00:24:35,840

oh thank you thank you so uh

615

00:24:39,590 --> 00:24:38,240

many years ago for the first time i'd

616

00:24:41,669 --> 00:24:39,600

ever gone

617

00:24:43,590 --> 00:24:41,679

uh someone took me to new orleans i've

618

00:24:45,830 --> 00:24:43,600

been really drawn and i had heard of

619

00:24:47,590 --> 00:24:45,840

maria though but really didn't know that

620

00:24:49,669 --> 00:24:47,600

much about her and what i didn't know

621

00:24:50,950 --> 00:24:49,679

was very sensationalistic

622

00:24:53,990 --> 00:24:50,960

sure

623

00:24:55,350 --> 00:24:54,000

so i got there uh met a

624

00:24:57,669 --> 00:24:55,360

wonderful woman

625

00:25:00,870 --> 00:24:57,679

often knows bloody mary she has bloody

626  
00:25:02,470 --> 00:25:00,880  
mary's tours there she's quite a

627  
00:25:04,070 --> 00:25:02,480  
historian

628  
00:25:05,830 --> 00:25:04,080  
as well as you know a paranormal

629  
00:25:07,350 --> 00:25:05,840  
researcher

630  
00:25:10,549 --> 00:25:07,360  
and a tour guide

631  
00:25:13,269 --> 00:25:10,559  
and she took me on a tour and we did a

632  
00:25:14,789 --> 00:25:13,279  
ceremony at her tomb in st louis

633  
00:25:16,870 --> 00:25:14,799  
uh number

634  
00:25:19,350 --> 00:25:16,880  
one i think it's the singular number one

635  
00:25:21,110 --> 00:25:19,360  
cemetery and uh

636  
00:25:23,750 --> 00:25:21,120  
a brief ceremony to connect with her

637  
00:25:25,909 --> 00:25:23,760  
spirit when i connected with her spirit

638  
00:25:28,710 --> 00:25:25,919

her essence her power

639

00:25:30,070 --> 00:25:28,720

i was overcome

640

00:25:31,990 --> 00:25:30,080

with holiness

641

00:25:35,430 --> 00:25:32,000

and overcome with the immensity of her

642

00:25:37,669 --> 00:25:35,440

power well needless to say that sealed

643

00:25:39,669 --> 00:25:37,679

my fate for quite some time i knew i'd

644

00:25:42,310 --> 00:25:39,679

be coming back to new orleans to touch

645

00:25:45,029 --> 00:25:42,320

her spirit to go to her tomb to learn

646

00:25:46,950 --> 00:25:45,039

more about the ceremonies and ways the

647

00:25:47,990 --> 00:25:46,960

offerings the things to connect with her

648

00:25:50,870 --> 00:25:48,000

spirit

649

00:25:52,950 --> 00:25:50,880

um and have had a

650

00:25:56,789 --> 00:25:52,960

altar going for i don't know who's got

651  
00:25:59,830 --> 00:25:56,799  
to be 25 years now to marie and i go to

652  
00:26:02,710 --> 00:25:59,840  
her for help she likes to help with love

653  
00:26:04,149 --> 00:26:02,720  
and justice that's her two favorite

654  
00:26:06,549 --> 00:26:04,159  
uh jobs

655  
00:26:08,789 --> 00:26:06,559  
she tends to but she was definitely an

656  
00:26:11,029 --> 00:26:08,799  
all-around girl you know

657  
00:26:13,510 --> 00:26:11,039  
and you said the feeling has grown

658  
00:26:14,870 --> 00:26:13,520  
stronger and so she is the spirit of new

659  
00:26:15,750 --> 00:26:14,880  
orleans voodoo

660  
00:26:18,310 --> 00:26:15,760  
wow

661  
00:26:19,430 --> 00:26:18,320  
and you said that you got the

662  
00:26:23,430 --> 00:26:19,440  
feeling of

663  
00:26:25,830 --> 00:26:23,440

oh yes

664

00:26:27,590 --> 00:26:25,840

yeah you know of course a lot of people

665

00:26:29,269 --> 00:26:27,600

you know especially people in the

666

00:26:31,269 --> 00:26:29,279

mainstream

667

00:26:33,350 --> 00:26:31,279

would say well that's weird you know she

668

00:26:35,350 --> 00:26:33,360

was a voodoo priestess and this that and

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00:26:36,830 --> 00:26:35,360

the other but

670

00:26:40,549 --> 00:26:36,840

i think that

671

00:26:42,149 --> 00:26:40,559

uh you know we kind of have gotten

672

00:26:43,510 --> 00:26:42,159

the wrong end of the stick when it comes

673

00:26:45,830 --> 00:26:43,520

to holiness

674

00:26:48,630 --> 00:26:45,840

because of just you know

675

00:26:50,870 --> 00:26:48,640

particular programming that we each had

676  
00:26:53,909 --> 00:26:50,880  
depending on where we grew up and

677  
00:26:57,750 --> 00:26:53,919  
what kind of circumstances we grew up in

678  
00:27:00,710 --> 00:26:57,760  
but when can you describe that feeling

679  
00:27:02,789 --> 00:27:00,720  
from her that you were talking about

680  
00:27:04,830 --> 00:27:02,799  
first i just felt power

681  
00:27:08,789 --> 00:27:04,840  
and then i felt

682  
00:27:12,310 --> 00:27:08,799  
her receptivity her desire to assist and

683  
00:27:15,830 --> 00:27:12,320  
uphold and see in her physical life

684  
00:27:18,549 --> 00:27:15,840  
she uh helped many a dying person

685  
00:27:21,269 --> 00:27:18,559  
as well as a nurse any a person back to

686  
00:27:23,750 --> 00:27:21,279  
health from the many deadly infections

687  
00:27:26,310 --> 00:27:23,760  
that were ravaging new orleans

688  
00:27:28,870 --> 00:27:26,320

so this woman quite literally was doing

689

00:27:30,230 --> 00:27:28,880

holy work right now i think we got to

690

00:27:31,190 --> 00:27:30,240

remember about

691

00:27:32,789 --> 00:27:31,200

when

692

00:27:34,390 --> 00:27:32,799

people hear voodoo and then they hear

693

00:27:37,269 --> 00:27:34,400

the voodoo queen and they wouldn't put

694

00:27:38,710 --> 00:27:37,279

voodoo and voodoo queen and holy in the

695

00:27:39,830 --> 00:27:38,720

same

696

00:27:42,789 --> 00:27:39,840

sentence

697

00:27:44,789 --> 00:27:42,799

a lot of that's again propaganda right

698

00:27:47,669 --> 00:27:44,799

because voodoo itself stems from a

699

00:27:50,390 --> 00:27:47,679

traditional indigenous african practice

700

00:27:52,950 --> 00:27:50,400

right when and racism can be written

701  
00:27:55,510 --> 00:27:52,960  
into things so

702  
00:27:57,830 --> 00:27:55,520  
cunning and devious it's as simple as

703  
00:28:00,310 --> 00:27:57,840  
black magic white magic white magic is

704  
00:28:03,269 --> 00:28:00,320  
good black magic's bad

705  
00:28:05,510 --> 00:28:03,279  
well the truth is magic is neutral

706  
00:28:08,389 --> 00:28:05,520  
just like electricity is a neutral

707  
00:28:12,470 --> 00:28:08,399  
it can either uh cook your food light

708  
00:28:14,630 --> 00:28:12,480  
your house or it can electrocute someone

709  
00:28:17,590 --> 00:28:14,640  
so um

710  
00:28:19,350 --> 00:28:17,600  
so how she used her power

711  
00:28:21,350 --> 00:28:19,360  
to help others

712  
00:28:25,029 --> 00:28:21,360  
and uphold others

713  
00:28:27,190 --> 00:28:25,039

is what makes and and continues to do so

714

00:28:29,430 --> 00:28:27,200

hundreds of years now after

715

00:28:31,750 --> 00:28:29,440

her transition into the other world she

716

00:28:33,029 --> 00:28:31,760

comes when called

717

00:28:34,149 --> 00:28:33,039

and and the truth is you know these

718

00:28:35,669 --> 00:28:34,159

spirits

719

00:28:38,549 --> 00:28:35,679

they don't have to

720

00:28:40,950 --> 00:28:38,559

they could leave all interest in us

721

00:28:43,190 --> 00:28:40,960

who are in the embodied realm

722

00:28:45,269 --> 00:28:43,200

when they pass to the other world

723

00:28:47,350 --> 00:28:45,279

but many of them don't they become

724

00:28:48,950 --> 00:28:47,360

exalted ancestors

725

00:28:50,070 --> 00:28:48,960

and they want to be

726  
00:28:52,149 --> 00:28:50,080  
helpful

727  
00:28:53,750 --> 00:28:52,159  
to others who are trying to just have a

728  
00:28:55,830 --> 00:28:53,760  
good life

729  
00:28:57,430 --> 00:28:55,840  
you know wow

730  
00:28:59,430 --> 00:28:57,440  
it's really interesting i think we're

731  
00:29:01,830 --> 00:28:59,440  
going to have to take a quick break here

732  
00:29:03,750 --> 00:29:01,840  
orion we're talking with orion foxwood

733  
00:29:05,029 --> 00:29:03,760  
we're talking about conjuring and root

734  
00:29:06,070 --> 00:29:05,039  
doctoring

735  
00:29:11,110 --> 00:29:06,080  
and

736  
00:29:37,430 --> 00:29:11,120  
we'll be right

737  
00:29:37,440 --> 00:29:42,710  
why don't you mommy

738  
00:29:48,230 --> 00:29:45,909

hello everyone lorian fenton here host

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00:29:51,269 --> 00:29:48,240

of the california mufon radio show

740

00:29:54,389 --> 00:29:51,279

asking if you'd like special access to

741

00:29:57,830 --> 00:29:54,399

exclusive and amazing information about

742

00:29:59,269 --> 00:29:57,840

ufos the paranormal and all things

743

00:30:02,149 --> 00:29:59,279

unexplained

744

00:30:03,750 --> 00:30:02,159

if you're nodding yes then join irn's

745

00:30:08,470 --> 00:30:03,760

insider club

746

00:30:11,549 --> 00:30:08,480

all-access pass to premiere inception

747

00:30:14,950 --> 00:30:11,559

radio network content for only

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00:30:17,909 --> 00:30:14,960

4.99 a month this includes

749

00:30:21,830 --> 00:30:17,919

live ufo and paranormal conferences

750

00:30:24,870 --> 00:30:21,840

live streaming ufo sky watches exclusive

751  
00:30:28,070 --> 00:30:24,880  
radio and tv productions and of course

752  
00:30:29,830 --> 00:30:28,080  
paying radio with mj and ken starch so

753  
00:30:32,230 --> 00:30:29,840  
don't wait any longer visit

754  
00:30:35,590 --> 00:30:32,240  
inceptionradionetwork.com

755  
00:30:39,110 --> 00:30:35,600  
and click on member login to join iran's

756  
00:30:40,630 --> 00:30:39,120  
insider club and get your vip access

757  
00:30:43,029 --> 00:30:40,640  
today

758  
00:30:44,870 --> 00:30:43,039  
are you a fan of inception radio network

759  
00:30:47,269 --> 00:30:44,880  
do you reckon it's the best alternative

760  
00:30:49,830 --> 00:30:47,279  
talk radio station on the planet well if

761  
00:30:52,310 --> 00:30:49,840  
you do head to facebook.com forward

762  
00:30:53,430 --> 00:30:52,320  
slash inception radio network and like

763  
00:30:55,430 --> 00:30:53,440

the page

764

00:30:59,669 --> 00:30:55,440

tell your friends spread the word and

765

00:31:04,470 --> 00:31:02,230

do you have a smartphone if so inception

766

00:31:07,830 --> 00:31:04,480

radio network is the best app for you

767

00:31:09,830 --> 00:31:07,840

available on itunes android samsung and

768

00:31:11,830 --> 00:31:09,840

most other app stores just search

769

00:31:13,750 --> 00:31:11,840

inception radio network

770

00:31:16,549 --> 00:31:13,760

with the app you can listen live check

771

00:31:18,950 --> 00:31:16,559

out podcast recent and past shows view

772

00:31:21,909 --> 00:31:18,960

our videos see what shows are coming up

773

00:31:24,389 --> 00:31:21,919

who the guests are and via the chat room

774

00:31:26,549 --> 00:31:24,399

send live questions to those guests you

775

00:31:29,669 --> 00:31:26,559

know it makes sense check your app store

776

00:31:34,310 --> 00:31:29,679

now inception radio network i'll see you

777

00:31:39,430 --> 00:31:36,789

hey iron listeners make sure you tune in

778

00:31:41,430 --> 00:31:39,440

to night vision radio with renee barnett

779

00:31:43,909 --> 00:31:41,440

renee will be exposing the truth one

780

00:31:46,789 --> 00:31:43,919

secret at a time when thursdays every

781

00:31:52,389 --> 00:31:46,799

thursday 10 30 p.m eastern 7 30 p.m

782

00:31:57,269 --> 00:31:55,190

hello iron listeners this is mj saying

783

00:32:00,870 --> 00:31:57,279

hello and sharing an awesome secret i

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00:32:03,029 --> 00:32:00,880

discovered it's called dreamnuage.com

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00:32:05,029 --> 00:32:03,039

fresh raw organic ingredients are used

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00:32:07,269 --> 00:32:05,039

to create all their products

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00:32:09,350 --> 00:32:07,279

they are made in very small batches to

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00:32:12,230 --> 00:32:09,360

ensure quality and freshness

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00:32:14,310 --> 00:32:12,240

hand made in the usa each product is

790

00:32:16,230 --> 00:32:14,320

created with care and with the finest

791

00:32:18,389 --> 00:32:16,240

organic ingredients there are no

792

00:32:19,350 --> 00:32:18,399

preservatives dyes or chemicals in any

793

00:32:22,230 --> 00:32:19,360

product

794

00:32:24,950 --> 00:32:22,240

stop by dream nuage and relax

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00:32:27,750 --> 00:32:24,960

that's d r e a m

796

00:32:35,750 --> 00:32:27,760

n u a g e dot com

797

00:33:18,630 --> 00:32:38,149

you're locked into inception radio

798

00:33:22,630 --> 00:33:20,230

welcome back you're listening to night

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00:33:24,470 --> 00:33:22,640

vision radio if you're just joining us

800

00:33:27,029 --> 00:33:24,480

i'm your host renee barnett

801  
00:33:28,870 --> 00:33:27,039  
and we're talking to author

802  
00:33:31,350 --> 00:33:28,880  
and conjurer

803  
00:33:32,470 --> 00:33:31,360  
orion foxwood um

804  
00:33:35,350 --> 00:33:32,480  
now

805  
00:33:36,870 --> 00:33:35,360  
orion we we mentioned before the break

806  
00:33:38,549 --> 00:33:36,880  
that you're going to be making some

807  
00:33:40,310 --> 00:33:38,559  
personal appearances

808  
00:33:42,149 --> 00:33:40,320  
and why don't we let our listeners know

809  
00:33:44,950 --> 00:33:42,159  
where those are going to be

810  
00:33:47,830 --> 00:33:44,960  
and what those dates are so that people

811  
00:33:49,909 --> 00:33:47,840  
in your area can take advantage of that

812  
00:33:51,190 --> 00:33:49,919  
sure sure one of the most exciting ones

813  
00:33:54,310 --> 00:33:51,200

is coming up

814

00:33:57,029 --> 00:33:54,320

very very quickly may 8th through may

815

00:33:58,310 --> 00:33:57,039

10th and it's going to be at a beautiful

816

00:34:02,389 --> 00:33:58,320

place

817

00:34:04,950 --> 00:34:02,399

in massachusetts called the rose center

818

00:34:06,389 --> 00:34:04,960

i'm going to be doing a two-day

819

00:34:09,349 --> 00:34:06,399

immersion experience

820

00:34:11,589 --> 00:34:09,359

into the fairy realms into folkloric

821

00:34:13,669 --> 00:34:11,599

fairy tradition which is the old older

822

00:34:16,869 --> 00:34:13,679

practices

823

00:34:20,230 --> 00:34:16,879

in a wooded area where we can touch

824

00:34:22,069 --> 00:34:20,240

those spirits so much closer

825

00:34:24,950 --> 00:34:22,079

and if folks want to know about that

826

00:34:28,230 --> 00:34:24,960

then go to the rose or go to roe center

827

00:34:32,310 --> 00:34:29,750

dot org

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00:34:34,550 --> 00:34:32,320

that'll be may 8-10 and my workshop is

829

00:34:36,470 --> 00:34:34,560

called engaging the worlds of

830

00:34:37,990 --> 00:34:36,480

the realms of enchantment

831

00:34:40,790 --> 00:34:38,000

i'm also a part

832

00:34:43,589 --> 00:34:40,800

of a collective of conjure root workers

833

00:34:46,149 --> 00:34:43,599

called the conjure crossroads and we're

834

00:34:50,869 --> 00:34:46,159

going to be doing a two and a half day

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00:34:52,149 --> 00:34:50,879

event in new orleans november um 6th 7th

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00:34:54,149 --> 00:34:52,159

and 8th

837

00:34:55,990 --> 00:34:54,159

if you just look up folk magic

838

00:34:57,829 --> 00:34:56,000

festival.com

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00:34:59,990 --> 00:34:57,839

we're also on facebook you can find more

840

00:35:01,670 --> 00:35:00,000

information there that's going to be

841

00:35:03,829 --> 00:35:01,680

powerful

842

00:35:06,390 --> 00:35:03,839

well now is that magic with the c or

843

00:35:07,910 --> 00:35:06,400

magic with the ck

844

00:35:09,990 --> 00:35:07,920

well i often use

845

00:35:11,430 --> 00:35:10,000

ck but the truth is

846

00:35:12,950 --> 00:35:11,440

it's all magic

847

00:35:14,470 --> 00:35:12,960

but i mean i mean for the website

848

00:35:20,950 --> 00:35:14,480

address

849

00:35:24,550 --> 00:35:22,870

i'll look it up i'll look it up and i'll

850

00:35:25,430 --> 00:35:24,560

let everybody know

851  
00:35:26,710 --> 00:35:25,440  
okay

852  
00:35:28,230 --> 00:35:26,720  
folks

853  
00:35:29,829 --> 00:35:28,240  
yeah this thing coming up the rose

854  
00:35:31,589 --> 00:35:29,839  
center is going to be a rare experience

855  
00:35:33,349 --> 00:35:31,599  
for folks who want to get

856  
00:35:34,310 --> 00:35:33,359  
that kind of training it's going to be

857  
00:35:36,310 --> 00:35:34,320  
intense

858  
00:35:39,829 --> 00:35:36,320  
wow

859  
00:35:41,750 --> 00:35:39,839  
that will be nice i think it

860  
00:35:43,349 --> 00:35:41,760  
must be with a k because i didn't get it

861  
00:35:44,950 --> 00:35:43,359  
with the c

862  
00:35:46,230 --> 00:35:44,960  
so um

863  
00:35:48,069 --> 00:35:46,240

so that's

864

00:35:50,069 --> 00:35:48,079

massachusetts and new orleans where in

865

00:35:52,950 --> 00:35:50,079

massachusetts is it

866

00:35:54,470 --> 00:35:52,960

it is at roe massachusetts row oh that's

867

00:35:56,790 --> 00:35:54,480

the name of the town

868

00:35:58,390 --> 00:35:56,800

yeah yeah it's in the mountains i

869

00:36:00,950 --> 00:35:58,400

believe that is considered the

870

00:36:03,430 --> 00:36:00,960

berkshires there i think that's western

871

00:36:06,470 --> 00:36:03,440

mass which of course is gorgeous

872

00:36:08,950 --> 00:36:06,480

oh absolutely it's wonderful up there

873

00:36:10,790 --> 00:36:08,960

and the weather should be getting nice

874

00:36:13,270 --> 00:36:10,800

oh yes

875

00:36:15,190 --> 00:36:13,280

the ability to connect with these potent

876

00:36:16,390 --> 00:36:15,200

ancient spirits will be real strong

877

00:36:18,550 --> 00:36:16,400

there

878

00:36:21,510 --> 00:36:18,560

now speaking of being in the out of

879

00:36:24,710 --> 00:36:21,520

doors and that sort of thing um

880

00:36:27,349 --> 00:36:24,720

i listened to uh one interview with you

881

00:36:29,109 --> 00:36:27,359

where you talked about

882

00:36:30,870 --> 00:36:29,119

the crossroads

883

00:36:32,550 --> 00:36:30,880

and the dark rider going to the

884

00:36:34,790 --> 00:36:32,560

crossroads and

885

00:36:35,829 --> 00:36:34,800

connecting with the dark writer first of

886

00:36:37,829 --> 00:36:35,839

all

887

00:36:40,870 --> 00:36:37,839

who's the dark writer and it seems to be

888

00:36:42,630 --> 00:36:40,880

through a lot of cultures oh yeah

889

00:36:44,550 --> 00:36:42,640

well the first thing to understand about

890

00:36:46,150 --> 00:36:44,560

the crossroads i think the best way to

891

00:36:48,950 --> 00:36:46,160

back into that answer it might be a

892

00:36:51,270 --> 00:36:48,960

slightly long one go right ahead enjoy

893

00:36:52,390 --> 00:36:51,280

the info in it um

894

00:36:55,430 --> 00:36:52,400

is

895

00:36:58,069 --> 00:36:55,440

many of the old crossroads

896

00:36:59,430 --> 00:36:58,079

have a history to them right they were

897

00:37:00,230 --> 00:36:59,440

built on

898

00:37:03,990 --> 00:37:00,240

uh

899

00:37:06,790 --> 00:37:04,000

native american trading routes right

900

00:37:09,750 --> 00:37:06,800

and the native american trading routes

901  
00:37:12,790 --> 00:37:09,760  
followed animal migratory patterns

902  
00:37:15,589 --> 00:37:12,800  
animal migratory patterns follow the ley

903  
00:37:17,829 --> 00:37:15,599  
lines and energetic grid of the earth

904  
00:37:19,990 --> 00:37:17,839  
so what would happen is when you saw

905  
00:37:23,349 --> 00:37:20,000  
where paths cross and then later that

906  
00:37:25,910 --> 00:37:23,359  
evolves into crossroads these

907  
00:37:27,829 --> 00:37:25,920  
crossroads have power

908  
00:37:30,150 --> 00:37:27,839  
into the unseen

909  
00:37:31,990 --> 00:37:30,160  
and subtle spirit world of the earth

910  
00:37:34,710 --> 00:37:32,000  
itself

911  
00:37:38,310 --> 00:37:34,720  
now that's one quality of the crossroads

912  
00:37:40,069 --> 00:37:38,320  
work another one is that uh historically

913  
00:37:42,710 --> 00:37:40,079

the crossroads the center of the

914

00:37:45,589 --> 00:37:42,720

crossroads was owned by no one just like

915

00:37:47,430 --> 00:37:45,599

a graveyard owned by no one the

916

00:37:49,750 --> 00:37:47,440

graveyard being the place where those

917

00:37:52,630 --> 00:37:49,760

who live above the horizon and those who

918

00:37:53,829 --> 00:37:52,640

live below the horizon dwell

919

00:37:55,670 --> 00:37:53,839

and so

920

00:37:58,150 --> 00:37:55,680

the this concept

921

00:38:01,030 --> 00:37:58,160

of liminal places that are betwixt and

922

00:38:03,190 --> 00:38:01,040

between claimed by none

923

00:38:05,670 --> 00:38:03,200

are considered to be powerful also that

924

00:38:08,790 --> 00:38:05,680

they're meeting places

925

00:38:11,589 --> 00:38:08,800

where people coming and going places uh

926  
00:38:14,950 --> 00:38:11,599  
you know come through are considered to

927  
00:38:17,510 --> 00:38:14,960  
have power um when i what i was taught

928  
00:38:22,470 --> 00:38:17,520  
growing up that is at the crossroads and

929  
00:38:27,670 --> 00:38:24,630  
it has the power

930  
00:38:31,190 --> 00:38:27,680  
to affect the four roads of life which

931  
00:38:34,630 --> 00:38:31,200  
are life death luck and love

932  
00:38:35,829 --> 00:38:34,640  
and that this crossroads and in fact all

933  
00:38:39,190 --> 00:38:35,839  
thresholds because remember the

934  
00:38:41,030 --> 00:38:39,200  
crossroads is a threshold between one

935  
00:38:43,990 --> 00:38:41,040  
state and another

936  
00:38:46,310 --> 00:38:44,000  
uh has a spirit force that lives within

937  
00:38:48,710 --> 00:38:46,320  
it an intelligence the thing to remember

938  
00:38:49,589 --> 00:38:48,720

you mentioned shamanism earlier is that

939

00:38:52,710 --> 00:38:49,599

to

940

00:38:54,390 --> 00:38:52,720

the old root workers and the old witches

941

00:38:56,630 --> 00:38:54,400

uh the world

942

00:38:58,829 --> 00:38:56,640

was and is

943

00:39:02,550 --> 00:38:58,839

animated alive and

944

00:39:04,390 --> 00:39:02,560

filled with spirits and spirit energy

945

00:39:05,430 --> 00:39:04,400

spirit life

946

00:39:08,310 --> 00:39:05,440

so

947

00:39:12,630 --> 00:39:08,320

if one's sick it's because of a spirit

948

00:39:15,030 --> 00:39:12,640

flu's not just a bug it's a spirit

949

00:39:15,990 --> 00:39:15,040

the thresholds not just the place it's a

950

00:39:18,550 --> 00:39:16,000

spirit

951  
00:39:21,829 --> 00:39:18,560  
so we go to the crossroads we make

952  
00:39:23,670 --> 00:39:21,839  
offerings to encounter this spirit that

953  
00:39:25,510 --> 00:39:23,680  
governs transition

954  
00:39:26,790 --> 00:39:25,520  
and that governs

955  
00:39:28,630 --> 00:39:26,800  
the movement

956  
00:39:33,109 --> 00:39:28,640  
across boundaries

957  
00:39:34,230 --> 00:39:33,119  
uh the movements to thresholds of change

958  
00:39:37,030 --> 00:39:34,240  
um

959  
00:39:39,030 --> 00:39:37,040  
and it's often called

960  
00:39:40,310 --> 00:39:39,040  
so many names and like you said

961  
00:39:41,750 --> 00:39:40,320  
interestingly

962  
00:39:42,950 --> 00:39:41,760  
this spirit

963  
00:39:48,470 --> 00:39:42,960

shows up

964

00:39:51,589 --> 00:39:48,480

the the concept of the spirit at the

965

00:39:54,150 --> 00:39:51,599

crossroads uh well you met you you

966

00:39:57,349 --> 00:39:54,160

mentioned something that intrigued me uh

967

00:39:59,109 --> 00:39:57,359

just a second ago you said i personally

968

00:40:02,230 --> 00:39:59,119

work with the four

969

00:40:04,550 --> 00:40:02,240

crossroads because in in in just when

970

00:40:06,630 --> 00:40:04,560

you said that i was thinking about you

971

00:40:09,190 --> 00:40:06,640

know i've done a lot of work in france

972

00:40:10,550 --> 00:40:09,200

and there's some very like energetic

973

00:40:13,109 --> 00:40:10,560

places there

974

00:40:15,510 --> 00:40:13,119

and very powerful ley lines and telluric

975

00:40:17,910 --> 00:40:15,520

currents and that sort of thing

976

00:40:19,910 --> 00:40:17,920

and i work um

977

00:40:22,870 --> 00:40:19,920

i don't know uh if you're familiar with

978

00:40:25,109 --> 00:40:22,880

the author henry lincoln he's um sort of

979

00:40:26,870 --> 00:40:25,119

the grand master of the entire da vinci

980

00:40:27,750 --> 00:40:26,880

code he was the guy

981

00:40:30,630 --> 00:40:27,760

the

982

00:40:32,710 --> 00:40:30,640

sole uh living auth co-author of holy

983

00:40:34,950 --> 00:40:32,720

blood holy grail and he's

984

00:40:37,030 --> 00:40:34,960

uh lived in that area now for many years

985

00:40:39,030 --> 00:40:37,040

and done you know tons of work and lots

986

00:40:41,190 --> 00:40:39,040

of other books on the subject

987

00:40:42,390 --> 00:40:41,200

but in working with him and others in

988

00:40:45,589 --> 00:40:42,400

that area

989

00:40:48,550 --> 00:40:45,599

we were looking for places where

990

00:40:50,950 --> 00:40:48,560

three roads met have you heard heard

991

00:40:53,190 --> 00:40:50,960

anything about that and a lot of times

992

00:40:55,270 --> 00:40:53,200

when you would find those places there

993

00:40:58,950 --> 00:40:55,280

would be some kind of an ancient

994

00:41:01,430 --> 00:40:58,960

uh stone marker or a calvare

995

00:41:04,710 --> 00:41:01,440

or something like that that was put up

996

00:41:06,630 --> 00:41:04,720

long long ago some of them very ancient

997

00:41:08,790 --> 00:41:06,640

some of them were celtic

998

00:41:09,589 --> 00:41:08,800

uh do you know about the three points

999

00:41:11,670 --> 00:41:09,599

and

1000

00:41:13,990 --> 00:41:11,680

what is that i know about them i don't

1001  
00:41:15,829 --> 00:41:14,000  
know their lore like for instance in

1002  
00:41:18,550 --> 00:41:15,839  
greece of course you have hecate of the

1003  
00:41:20,870 --> 00:41:18,560  
three ways the god of sacrifices yes

1004  
00:41:23,750 --> 00:41:20,880  
so this seems to be uh

1005  
00:41:25,589 --> 00:41:23,760  
you know to also change uh from culture

1006  
00:41:27,349 --> 00:41:25,599  
to culture you know whether it's

1007  
00:41:29,589 --> 00:41:27,359  
three way or four way

1008  
00:41:31,670 --> 00:41:29,599  
whether it's an x or a plus shape

1009  
00:41:32,870 --> 00:41:31,680  
whether it's a male spirit or a female

1010  
00:41:34,390 --> 00:41:32,880  
spirit

1011  
00:41:36,230 --> 00:41:34,400  
right they covered it

1012  
00:41:38,790 --> 00:41:36,240  
and i i think

1013  
00:41:42,150 --> 00:41:38,800

that what seems in my view what seems to

1014

00:41:43,030 --> 00:41:42,160

affect the cultural language around that

1015

00:41:44,790 --> 00:41:43,040

is

1016

00:41:46,390 --> 00:41:44,800

what grows out of the land itself

1017

00:41:49,589 --> 00:41:46,400

because see we got to remember that the

1018

00:41:52,069 --> 00:41:49,599

rituals and ceremonies and practices

1019

00:41:53,910 --> 00:41:52,079

that these people did and do

1020

00:41:56,870 --> 00:41:53,920

grew out of

1021

00:41:59,109 --> 00:41:56,880

a relationship between the human

1022

00:42:00,829 --> 00:41:59,119

and what i call the enscape which is the

1023

00:42:02,550 --> 00:42:00,839

interior

1024

00:42:04,630 --> 00:42:02,560

landscape

1025

00:42:07,829 --> 00:42:04,640

of the spirit world of place because you

1026

00:42:09,510 --> 00:42:07,839

remember the oldest of magics was

1027

00:42:11,670 --> 00:42:09,520

how to keep good weather

1028

00:42:13,510 --> 00:42:11,680

how to keep fertility flowing

1029

00:42:16,390 --> 00:42:13,520

how to prevent bad spirits from making

1030

00:42:18,390 --> 00:42:16,400

us sick how to keep the herds coming

1031

00:42:20,390 --> 00:42:18,400

so first and foremost they want to be in

1032

00:42:22,790 --> 00:42:20,400

a relationship then with nature all you

1033

00:42:25,190 --> 00:42:22,800

know all of nature to know what rituals

1034

00:42:27,750 --> 00:42:25,200

ceremonies works need to be done

1035

00:42:30,470 --> 00:42:27,760

to achieve those things right

1036

00:42:33,190 --> 00:42:30,480

and and then inclusive in that meant

1037

00:42:35,349 --> 00:42:33,200

sort of listening to the interior land

1038

00:42:36,790 --> 00:42:35,359

of the first ancestor which is the earth

1039

00:42:39,430 --> 00:42:36,800

itself

1040

00:42:41,990 --> 00:42:39,440

right and so i think that that language

1041

00:42:43,670 --> 00:42:42,000

of three versus four may grow out of the

1042

00:42:45,349 --> 00:42:43,680

spirit of place

1043

00:42:46,790 --> 00:42:45,359

that it just happens to be that what i

1044

00:42:49,750 --> 00:42:46,800

grew up with

1045

00:42:51,510 --> 00:42:49,760

was for and it was a male spirit and in

1046

00:42:54,390 --> 00:42:51,520

fact what they called him where i grew

1047

00:42:56,710 --> 00:42:54,400

up it was my mama that told me about him

1048

00:43:00,150 --> 00:42:56,720

when i was kid they called him the dark

1049

00:43:02,870 --> 00:43:00,160

rider and some of the lore with the dark

1050

00:43:04,230 --> 00:43:02,880

rider is and in fact i remember clear

1051  
00:43:06,790 --> 00:43:04,240  
the bell

1052  
00:43:08,309 --> 00:43:06,800  
talking to my mom about the dark rider

1053  
00:43:10,790 --> 00:43:08,319  
and i was you know you can imagine a

1054  
00:43:12,470 --> 00:43:10,800  
little kid i was intrigued and

1055  
00:43:14,390 --> 00:43:12,480  
i said my mama does you know and he

1056  
00:43:16,870 --> 00:43:14,400  
comes at three in the morning i was

1057  
00:43:18,870 --> 00:43:16,880  
taught not that midnight was not the

1058  
00:43:21,030 --> 00:43:18,880  
witching hour three in the morning yes

1059  
00:43:22,390 --> 00:43:21,040  
yeah that's what i hear yep

1060  
00:43:24,309 --> 00:43:22,400  
and so

1061  
00:43:27,910 --> 00:43:24,319  
uh to go out to see him at three in the

1062  
00:43:29,910 --> 00:43:27,920  
morning so at a crossroads and

1063  
00:43:30,870 --> 00:43:29,920

this giant's mama well mama what happens

1064

00:43:33,750 --> 00:43:30,880

is there

1065

00:43:36,069 --> 00:43:33,760

is a dark man on a dark horse

1066

00:43:37,190 --> 00:43:36,079

and she said well no it's not quite like

1067

00:43:38,710 --> 00:43:37,200

that it's

1068

00:43:41,829 --> 00:43:38,720

the four

1069

00:43:47,589 --> 00:43:41,839

the

1070

00:43:48,790 --> 00:43:47,599

up through those roads from an unseen

1071

00:43:50,710 --> 00:43:48,800

place

1072

00:43:53,990 --> 00:43:50,720

and together

1073

00:43:55,589 --> 00:43:54,000

they whirl into one being now she told

1074

00:43:57,109 --> 00:43:55,599

me not to do it of course because i was

1075

00:43:59,030 --> 00:43:57,119

too young and of course what did i have

1076

00:43:59,750 --> 00:43:59,040

to do i had to go out and do it

1077

00:44:01,510 --> 00:43:59,760

so

1078

00:44:03,109 --> 00:44:01,520

well that's what curious little young

1079

00:44:04,309 --> 00:44:03,119

conjurer boys do

1080

00:44:06,630 --> 00:44:04,319

so

1081

00:44:09,270 --> 00:44:06,640

i went out and i did the work

1082

00:44:10,550 --> 00:44:09,280

and i learned very quickly why people

1083

00:44:11,829 --> 00:44:10,560

interpreted him

1084

00:44:15,109 --> 00:44:11,839

as a

1085

00:44:17,670 --> 00:44:15,119

like a rider on a horse i heard

1086

00:44:19,910 --> 00:44:17,680

the sound of uh like horse you know how

1087

00:44:21,990 --> 00:44:19,920

they had a galloping sound yeah

1088

00:44:23,109 --> 00:44:22,000

but i heard it as if it was under the

1089

00:44:25,829 --> 00:44:23,119

ground

1090

00:44:28,230 --> 00:44:25,839

and the hooves were beating up against

1091

00:44:31,829 --> 00:44:28,240

the ground oh wow

1092

00:44:34,309 --> 00:44:31,839

oh yeah and then this cold wind

1093

00:44:36,230 --> 00:44:34,319

that comes up the four crossroads the

1094

00:44:37,990 --> 00:44:36,240

dogs uh throughout the neighborhood

1095

00:44:39,990 --> 00:44:38,000

going crazy

1096

00:44:42,230 --> 00:44:40,000

uh and then you know the power is there

1097

00:44:45,030 --> 00:44:42,240

and it's time to petition them can you

1098

00:44:46,950 --> 00:44:45,040

share or would you share

1099

00:44:47,910 --> 00:44:46,960

sort of what you did

1100

00:44:51,190 --> 00:44:47,920

to

1101  
00:44:53,430 --> 00:44:51,200  
summons the dark rider well yeah and

1102  
00:44:55,430 --> 00:44:53,440  
also if the folks want to really read

1103  
00:44:57,589 --> 00:44:55,440  
about it in length

1104  
00:44:59,910 --> 00:44:57,599  
uh my book the candle in the crossroads

1105  
00:45:01,750 --> 00:44:59,920  
published by weiver

1106  
00:45:04,390 --> 00:45:01,760  
have that in it

1107  
00:45:05,829 --> 00:45:04,400  
but uh it was really simple and you know

1108  
00:45:08,309 --> 00:45:05,839  
there's different traditions about how

1109  
00:45:10,550 --> 00:45:08,319  
many nights you go and which night's the

1110  
00:45:13,109 --> 00:45:10,560  
perfect night to start it yeah should

1111  
00:45:14,390 --> 00:45:13,119  
you go seven nights and nine nights five

1112  
00:45:17,750 --> 00:45:14,400  
nights

1113  
00:45:21,270 --> 00:45:17,760

in the morning and i started on a

1114

00:45:24,309 --> 00:45:21,280

wednesday night because wednesday as i

1115

00:45:27,829 --> 00:45:24,319

was taught was is the day of the opener

1116

00:45:28,870 --> 00:45:27,839

and of course wednesday is mercury day

1117

00:45:31,109 --> 00:45:28,880

and so

1118

00:45:33,589 --> 00:45:31,119

i went at three in the morning now three

1119

00:45:35,910 --> 00:45:33,599

in the morning is if you've ever got up

1120

00:45:37,829 --> 00:45:35,920

and done prayer or in fact if the

1121

00:45:39,910 --> 00:45:37,839

spirits want to reach you and they can't

1122

00:45:42,630 --> 00:45:39,920

reach you at any other time they will

1123

00:45:46,870 --> 00:45:42,640

wake you up at three in the morning

1124

00:45:49,109 --> 00:45:46,880

because the world sins it in in it in

1125

00:45:52,870 --> 00:45:49,119

and of itself is a crossroads it is a

1126

00:45:54,550 --> 00:45:52,880

thinning time of a boundary-less uh

1127

00:45:55,750 --> 00:45:54,560

threshold time

1128

00:45:56,950 --> 00:45:55,760

and so

1129

00:45:58,630 --> 00:45:56,960

i went out

1130

00:46:01,270 --> 00:45:58,640

and how i was taught as you go to the

1131

00:46:02,069 --> 00:46:01,280

crossroads you you take an offering

1132

00:46:03,670 --> 00:46:02,079

uh

1133

00:46:05,589 --> 00:46:03,680

three mercury head pennies is what i

1134

00:46:07,109 --> 00:46:05,599

grew up with i'm not pennies i'm sorry

1135

00:46:09,190 --> 00:46:07,119

dimes

1136

00:46:10,309 --> 00:46:09,200

they're like antiques now

1137

00:46:13,109 --> 00:46:10,319

um

1138

00:46:15,910 --> 00:46:13,119

and you know a shot of whiskey or a shot

1139

00:46:17,109 --> 00:46:15,920

of rum uh there we go

1140

00:46:19,990 --> 00:46:17,119

uh and yeah

1141

00:46:21,510 --> 00:46:20,000

so this what the spirits like to drink

1142

00:46:22,710 --> 00:46:21,520

is it's uh

1143

00:46:25,270 --> 00:46:22,720

it's fire

1144

00:46:26,790 --> 00:46:25,280

they draw the fire out of it

1145

00:46:27,670 --> 00:46:26,800

that's what they use

1146

00:46:29,349 --> 00:46:27,680

so

1147

00:46:32,069 --> 00:46:29,359

i went out

1148

00:46:34,309 --> 00:46:32,079

knocked on the floor you know between

1149

00:46:35,589 --> 00:46:34,319

with the crossroads me

1150

00:46:37,910 --> 00:46:35,599

and uh

1151  
00:46:40,309 --> 00:46:37,920  
called to him you know dark rider opened

1152  
00:46:42,870 --> 00:46:40,319  
the way and turned counterclockwise

1153  
00:46:45,349 --> 00:46:42,880  
spinning myself away from the realm of

1154  
00:46:49,750 --> 00:46:45,359  
humanity into the realm of spirits

1155  
00:46:53,030 --> 00:46:51,430  
and then turned again you know

1156  
00:46:54,870 --> 00:46:53,040  
counterclockwise

1157  
00:46:57,109 --> 00:46:54,880  
uh turn and then did that same thing

1158  
00:46:58,790 --> 00:46:57,119  
three times in total so now spun myself

1159  
00:47:00,950 --> 00:46:58,800  
into the realm of the spirits

1160  
00:47:03,030 --> 00:47:00,960  
then i simply made my petition

1161  
00:47:04,950 --> 00:47:03,040  
i asked for help on whatever it was i

1162  
00:47:06,870 --> 00:47:04,960  
needed to have help with

1163  
00:47:09,190 --> 00:47:06,880

and i brought with me the mercury head

1164

00:47:12,309 --> 00:47:09,200

dimes and the whiskey

1165

00:47:14,150 --> 00:47:12,319

and later left those as offerings now an

1166

00:47:16,470 --> 00:47:14,160

interesting thing about the dark rider

1167

00:47:18,790 --> 00:47:16,480

crossroads and this was you know

1168

00:47:21,750 --> 00:47:18,800

popularized oh god goodness i just lost

1169

00:47:22,710 --> 00:47:21,760

his name now for the famous delta blue

1170

00:47:23,510 --> 00:47:22,720

singer

1171

00:47:27,430 --> 00:47:23,520

uh

1172

00:47:29,829 --> 00:47:27,440

crossroads people come to me all the

1173

00:47:31,589 --> 00:47:29,839

time go ron i i heard

1174

00:47:33,430 --> 00:47:31,599

that you have to sell your soul to the

1175

00:47:35,750 --> 00:47:33,440

devil at the crossroads

1176

00:47:36,829 --> 00:47:35,760

and some of where that lord comes from

1177

00:47:39,510 --> 00:47:36,839

you have to

1178

00:47:41,270 --> 00:47:39,520

understand that

1179

00:47:42,870 --> 00:47:41,280

a lot of where that lord came through

1180

00:47:44,390 --> 00:47:42,880

was africa

1181

00:47:46,870 --> 00:47:44,400

and it merged with some of the european

1182

00:47:49,430 --> 00:47:46,880

witchcraft practices that came over with

1183

00:47:50,710 --> 00:47:49,440

the peasant people

1184

00:47:53,430 --> 00:47:50,720

and

1185

00:47:55,270 --> 00:47:53,440

the only thing that a slave owned was

1186

00:47:57,109 --> 00:47:55,280

their soul

1187

00:48:00,550 --> 00:47:57,119

i didn't know their flesh they didn't

1188

00:48:02,150 --> 00:48:00,560

know anything oh that's true so to give

1189

00:48:04,630 --> 00:48:02,160

your soul

1190

00:48:06,950 --> 00:48:04,640

was to give your heart to something

1191

00:48:08,790 --> 00:48:06,960

wasn't that sell your soul like faust or

1192

00:48:10,390 --> 00:48:08,800

something like that in fact what i tell

1193

00:48:12,230 --> 00:48:10,400

people i said you don't sell your soul

1194

00:48:13,349 --> 00:48:12,240

you bury your soul

1195

00:48:15,670 --> 00:48:13,359

because

1196

00:48:18,470 --> 00:48:15,680

uh he is also called

1197

00:48:21,349 --> 00:48:18,480

the spirit the crossroads is also called

1198

00:48:24,549 --> 00:48:21,359

the trick doctor and he can see the

1199

00:48:27,270 --> 00:48:24,559

tricks that you hide in your heart

1200

00:48:31,109 --> 00:48:27,280

so if you go to the crossroads

1201  
00:48:37,750 --> 00:48:33,349  
bad for another

1202  
00:48:40,790 --> 00:48:37,760  
uh and it's unjust he'll punish him

1203  
00:48:42,870 --> 00:48:40,800  
so intention is very important

1204  
00:48:44,069 --> 00:48:42,880  
oh yes when you're working with powerful

1205  
00:48:44,870 --> 00:48:44,079  
spirits

1206  
00:48:47,829 --> 00:48:44,880  
uh

1207  
00:48:49,510 --> 00:48:47,839  
you can't excuse my language but you

1208  
00:48:51,510 --> 00:48:49,520  
can't them

1209  
00:48:52,790 --> 00:48:51,520  
and cannot

1210  
00:48:55,109 --> 00:48:52,800  
uh

1211  
00:48:57,190 --> 00:48:55,119  
walk in there thinking you're just gonna

1212  
00:48:58,630 --> 00:48:57,200  
harm another uh there's a saying in the

1213  
00:49:00,309 --> 00:48:58,640

witchcraft tradition i come out of

1214

00:49:01,910 --> 00:49:00,319

because i come up you know a few

1215

00:49:02,870 --> 00:49:01,920

traditions i carrying

1216

00:49:03,910 --> 00:49:02,880

and

1217

00:49:06,470 --> 00:49:03,920

uh

1218

00:49:09,190 --> 00:49:06,480

that the the toucher is touched

1219

00:49:09,990 --> 00:49:09,200

now the conjurer's saying i grew up with

1220

00:49:13,670 --> 00:49:10,000

is

1221

00:49:16,790 --> 00:49:13,680

what you conjure conjures you

1222

00:49:19,030 --> 00:49:16,800

um what's happening they like as well so

1223

00:49:21,750 --> 00:49:19,040

we can understand that if we make

1224

00:49:23,589 --> 00:49:21,760

relationships that are toxic

1225

00:49:26,549 --> 00:49:23,599

with the spirit

1226

00:49:28,470 --> 00:49:26,559

now that is the path

1227

00:49:30,710 --> 00:49:28,480

that we have laid before us in

1228

00:49:32,790 --> 00:49:30,720

relationship to them and as the old

1229

00:49:34,790 --> 00:49:32,800

saying goes if you lay down with dogs

1230

00:49:38,390 --> 00:49:34,800

you'll get at least no disrespect to

1231

00:49:43,670 --> 00:49:41,829

so i tell people be mindful

1232

00:49:47,109 --> 00:49:43,680

you can get anything you want if you're

1233

00:49:50,069 --> 00:49:47,119

willing to give everything you have up

1234

00:49:52,230 --> 00:49:50,079

uh be mindful about why you go to such

1235

00:49:53,589 --> 00:49:52,240

spirits as the crossroads spirits the

1236

00:49:54,390 --> 00:49:53,599

dark rider

1237

00:49:56,390 --> 00:49:54,400

uh

1238

00:49:58,470 --> 00:49:56,400

be honest in your spirit honest in your

1239

00:50:01,910 --> 00:49:58,480

heart because they now why you're there

1240

00:50:02,950 --> 00:50:01,920

even if you don't say it

1241

00:50:04,230 --> 00:50:02,960

hmm

1242

00:50:08,390 --> 00:50:04,240

and is

1243

00:50:10,390 --> 00:50:08,400

is there a an issue with ego

1244

00:50:14,710 --> 00:50:10,400

is that something that you have to sort

1245

00:50:17,030 --> 00:50:14,720

of take care not to get out of control

1246

00:50:19,190 --> 00:50:17,040

oh god yes well eco

1247

00:50:21,109 --> 00:50:19,200

because i mean that's a big that's a big

1248

00:50:22,630 --> 00:50:21,119

challenge i think for everybody i mean i

1249

00:50:25,349 --> 00:50:22,640

know i've certainly

1250

00:50:27,430 --> 00:50:25,359

you know had my issues with that and

1251

00:50:30,309 --> 00:50:27,440

every time they pop up i get slapped

1252

00:50:31,270 --> 00:50:30,319

back down so quickly it's not even funny

1253

00:50:33,670 --> 00:50:31,280

and

1254

00:50:34,470 --> 00:50:33,680

i find that a lot of times when people

1255

00:50:36,390 --> 00:50:34,480

are

1256

00:50:37,990 --> 00:50:36,400

getting into something whether it's some

1257

00:50:41,190 --> 00:50:38,000

kind of practice if they become

1258

00:50:43,910 --> 00:50:41,200

successful at it or you know uh

1259

00:50:46,230 --> 00:50:43,920

good at it or known for it

1260

00:50:49,270 --> 00:50:46,240

and it starts

1261

00:50:51,270 --> 00:50:49,280

wearing on their ego and that starts

1262

00:50:54,390 --> 00:50:51,280

taking over then they kind of seem to

1263

00:50:56,950 --> 00:50:54,400

lose their way in what they're doing is

1264

00:50:58,950 --> 00:50:56,960

that a danger in this kind of work

1265

00:51:01,510 --> 00:50:58,960

well it is it is we got to remember a

1266

00:51:03,430 --> 00:51:01,520

couple things the the power

1267

00:51:05,750 --> 00:51:03,440

the magical power

1268

00:51:06,950 --> 00:51:05,760

does not come from us it comes from the

1269

00:51:08,710 --> 00:51:06,960

source

1270

00:51:10,309 --> 00:51:08,720

by whatever you call it

1271

00:51:11,750 --> 00:51:10,319

the second thing

1272

00:51:16,950 --> 00:51:11,760

is

1273

00:51:16,960 --> 00:51:20,390

exploited

1274

00:51:25,270 --> 00:51:22,470

and so

1275

00:51:27,910 --> 00:51:25,280

uh one has got to remember that it with

1276

00:51:29,990 --> 00:51:27,920

magic magic has high voltage work i

1277

00:51:32,630 --> 00:51:30,000

always tell folks that you know there's

1278

00:51:33,910 --> 00:51:32,640

three levels to the cultivation of the

1279

00:51:41,910 --> 00:51:33,920

spirit

1280

00:51:43,270 --> 00:51:41,920

that well there's an essence of which

1281

00:51:49,190 --> 00:51:43,280

all things

1282

00:51:51,349 --> 00:51:49,200

um

1283

00:51:53,190 --> 00:51:51,359

and uh

1284

00:51:55,430 --> 00:51:53,200

what what is its nature what does it

1285

00:51:57,990 --> 00:51:55,440

want how do i be in right relationship

1286

00:52:00,390 --> 00:51:58,000

with it right mysticism goes further and

1287

00:52:01,750 --> 00:52:00,400

says well if this source is in

1288

00:52:04,150 --> 00:52:01,760

everything

1289

00:52:06,549 --> 00:52:04,160

then it's in me and what is that part of

1290

00:52:07,349 --> 00:52:06,559

the source that's in me

1291

00:52:08,150 --> 00:52:07,359

to

1292

00:52:10,470 --> 00:52:08,160

uh

1293

00:52:13,109 --> 00:52:10,480

what is that part wants of this life and

1294

00:52:14,230 --> 00:52:13,119

how do i bring that out for me and live

1295

00:52:18,470 --> 00:52:14,240

that life

1296

00:52:20,630 --> 00:52:18,480

magic goes a step further magic is

1297

00:52:23,270 --> 00:52:20,640

i want to know what's in god's toolbox

1298

00:52:24,950 --> 00:52:23,280

i'm going to be a conscious creator

1299

00:52:27,030 --> 00:52:24,960

i don't want to just surrender to the

1300

00:52:28,710 --> 00:52:27,040

will of fate

1301

00:52:29,910 --> 00:52:28,720

i'm going to exert

1302

00:52:43,109 --> 00:52:29,920

a

1303

00:52:45,030 --> 00:52:43,119

surrender to the will of the spirit

1304

00:52:46,870 --> 00:52:45,040

when i can tell that it's the will of

1305

00:52:50,230 --> 00:52:46,880

the spirit right now that knows greater

1306

00:52:52,790 --> 00:52:50,240

picture sometimes i'm supposed to

1307

00:52:54,549 --> 00:52:52,800

make a choice and affect that choice

1308

00:52:56,230 --> 00:52:54,559

sometimes i'm supposed to have the

1309

00:52:58,630 --> 00:52:56,240

inward serenity

1310

00:53:00,470 --> 00:52:58,640

to know and by spirit that there's a

1311

00:53:02,790 --> 00:53:00,480

greater hand guiding something that's

1312

00:53:04,549 --> 00:53:02,800

happening in my life and don't

1313

00:53:07,990 --> 00:53:04,559

don't meddle with it

1314

00:53:10,950 --> 00:53:08,000

ego is a whopper and i've actually seen

1315

00:53:13,750 --> 00:53:10,960

and i use a word so

1316

00:53:16,230 --> 00:53:13,760

so powerful i've seen people

1317

00:53:18,549 --> 00:53:16,240

who do magic work die from their own

1318

00:53:20,309 --> 00:53:18,559

magic because of ego

1319

00:53:22,390 --> 00:53:20,319

ego contaminates

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00:53:24,390 --> 00:53:22,400

you know yes

1321

00:53:26,150 --> 00:53:24,400

oh my goodness you're confirming a lot

1322

00:53:28,710 --> 00:53:26,160

of stuff i was wondering about because

1323

00:53:33,030 --> 00:53:28,720

i've seen that happen to people it's

1324

00:53:34,710 --> 00:53:33,040

really really wild now if you don't mind

1325

00:53:36,470 --> 00:53:34,720

uh i'd like to

1326  
00:53:38,870 --> 00:53:36,480  
throw a couple of questions to you from

1327  
00:53:41,190 --> 00:53:38,880  
the chat room before we go to the next

1328  
00:53:42,630 --> 00:53:41,200  
break here

1329  
00:53:45,670 --> 00:53:42,640  
durr says

1330  
00:53:47,270 --> 00:53:45,680  
renee does orion think the dark rider

1331  
00:53:50,630 --> 00:53:47,280  
may have a connection

1332  
00:53:52,069 --> 00:53:50,640  
with the civil war perhaps confederate

1333  
00:53:54,230 --> 00:53:52,079  
cavalry or

1334  
00:53:55,589 --> 00:53:54,240  
raiding writer

1335  
00:53:57,109 --> 00:53:55,599  
well you know i think that's a good

1336  
00:54:00,069 --> 00:53:57,119  
question uh

1337  
00:54:01,750 --> 00:54:00,079  
and and i wish i could answer it um i

1338  
00:54:03,510 --> 00:54:01,760

don't know

1339

00:54:05,270 --> 00:54:03,520

but i don't see any reason why it

1340

00:54:06,549 --> 00:54:05,280

wouldn't be i mean that makes that makes

1341

00:54:09,109 --> 00:54:06,559

good sense

1342

00:54:10,710 --> 00:54:09,119

um because i think the whole concept of

1343

00:54:13,109 --> 00:54:10,720

the rider

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00:54:14,230 --> 00:54:13,119

well the languaging itself tells us a

1345

00:54:15,589 --> 00:54:14,240

couple things

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00:54:17,829 --> 00:54:15,599

uh that

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00:54:20,390 --> 00:54:17,839

that this being that the spirit is is

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00:54:21,190 --> 00:54:20,400

mobile it moves it rides like the wind

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00:54:23,829 --> 00:54:21,200

even

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00:54:26,069 --> 00:54:23,839

um so they're telling us qualities of

1351

00:54:27,510 --> 00:54:26,079

the spirit

1352

00:54:30,549 --> 00:54:27,520

as

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00:54:33,349 --> 00:54:30,559

discussed through a cultural language

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00:54:36,230 --> 00:54:33,359

of the time that that language came

1355

00:54:38,470 --> 00:54:36,240

which was likely colonial

1356

00:54:39,829 --> 00:54:38,480

so i think that's i think her question

1357

00:54:42,309 --> 00:54:39,839

her uh

1358

00:54:44,309 --> 00:54:42,319

maybe her insight may be as good as any

1359

00:54:45,910 --> 00:54:44,319

as to why they might call a copper dark

1360

00:54:47,670 --> 00:54:45,920

rider yeah

1361

00:54:49,349 --> 00:54:47,680

and um

1362

00:54:52,710 --> 00:54:49,359

you you talked about

1363

00:54:56,549 --> 00:54:52,720

the the ritual that you did you know

1364

00:54:58,870 --> 00:54:56,559

long ago as a teenager to summon the the

1365

00:55:01,670 --> 00:54:58,880

dark rider and i know you've done a

1366

00:55:04,309 --> 00:55:01,680

million other rituals since then but

1367

00:55:06,710 --> 00:55:04,319

lorraine would like to know if you have

1368

00:55:11,030 --> 00:55:06,720

a favorite ritual for this particular

1369

00:55:14,950 --> 00:55:13,430

i have to think about that

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00:55:17,829 --> 00:55:14,960

well uh

1371

00:55:20,470 --> 00:55:17,839

if i put it into just a magical working

1372

00:55:23,109 --> 00:55:20,480

context what i would say my favorite

1373

00:55:24,710 --> 00:55:23,119

workings at this time of the year is

1374

00:55:26,710 --> 00:55:24,720

spiritual cleansing

1375

00:55:28,710 --> 00:55:26,720

because just as uh

1376

00:55:30,230 --> 00:55:28,720

we'll see i'm on the east coast right so

1377

00:55:31,430 --> 00:55:30,240

this time of the year

1378

00:55:32,630 --> 00:55:31,440

uh we're

1379

00:55:34,790 --> 00:55:32,640

in spring

1380

00:55:37,430 --> 00:55:34,800

and the buds are still just opening so

1381

00:55:39,270 --> 00:55:37,440

that means life is is bursting out with

1382

00:55:42,230 --> 00:55:39,280

freshness everywhere

1383

00:55:44,470 --> 00:55:42,240

i want to have my magic on board with

1384

00:55:47,670 --> 00:55:44,480

that right i want to sensitize and

1385

00:55:49,670 --> 00:55:47,680

synchronize myself with that same force

1386

00:55:51,270 --> 00:55:49,680

so i like to work a

1387

00:55:54,069 --> 00:55:51,280

magic around

1388

00:55:57,270 --> 00:55:54,079

cleansing and renewal

1389

00:55:58,549 --> 00:55:57,280

and also fanning the flame of my desires

1390

00:56:00,829 --> 00:55:58,559

and vision

1391

00:56:05,270 --> 00:56:00,839

for this year for this time for this

1392

00:56:06,870 --> 00:56:05,280

cycle um i hope that kind of answers

1393

00:56:10,710 --> 00:56:06,880

because i could come up with a million

1394

00:56:13,670 --> 00:56:10,720

different workings but right area yeah

1395

00:56:15,589 --> 00:56:13,680

is there maybe one uh

1396

00:56:17,510 --> 00:56:15,599

you know just pick one

1397

00:56:19,430 --> 00:56:17,520

of those that you mentioned and could

1398

00:56:21,589 --> 00:56:19,440

you sort of share with us how you might

1399

00:56:23,270 --> 00:56:21,599

go about performing that ritual i know

1400

00:56:24,150 --> 00:56:23,280

it's only like three minutes to break

1401

00:56:26,069 --> 00:56:24,160

but

1402

00:56:28,390 --> 00:56:26,079

uh

1403

00:56:30,870 --> 00:56:28,400

i mean as a quickie let me mention then

1404

00:56:33,030 --> 00:56:30,880

spiritual cleansing as a part of this

1405

00:56:35,510 --> 00:56:33,040

spiritual cleansing should be the core

1406

00:56:37,030 --> 00:56:35,520

of every magic workers practice and

1407

00:56:39,430 --> 00:56:37,040

every spiritual

1408

00:56:40,789 --> 00:56:39,440

person's practice because we get things

1409

00:56:43,270 --> 00:56:40,799

on us

1410

00:56:46,309 --> 00:56:43,280

we step in things people throw things at

1411

00:56:48,390 --> 00:56:46,319

us you know energetically and we need to

1412

00:56:49,670 --> 00:56:48,400

be conscious uh

1413

00:56:51,030 --> 00:56:49,680

uh

1414

00:56:53,190 --> 00:56:51,040

conscious

1415

00:56:56,069 --> 00:56:53,200

liv livers in our life we don't want to

1416

00:56:56,950 --> 00:56:56,079

be lived we want to live life

1417

00:57:00,069 --> 00:56:56,960

so

1418

00:57:03,030 --> 00:57:00,079

uh there is uh i'd recommend folks to

1419

00:57:06,470 --> 00:57:03,040

take a bath that spans over seven days

1420

00:57:09,190 --> 00:57:06,480

right uh get into the tub when the clock

1421

00:57:10,150 --> 00:57:09,200

hand is going down the minute hand

1422

00:57:11,510 --> 00:57:10,160

um

1423

00:57:15,750 --> 00:57:11,520

fix yourself

1424

00:57:17,030 --> 00:57:15,760

a container full of a mix of dark coffee

1425

00:57:21,190 --> 00:57:17,040

salt

1426

00:57:24,230 --> 00:57:21,200

a little bit of florida water and a

1427

00:57:26,069 --> 00:57:24,240

little bit of lemon juice

1428

00:57:28,069 --> 00:57:26,079

and put in to make enough of that that

1429

00:57:30,069 --> 00:57:28,079

you could pour like a dixie cups worth

1430

00:57:32,309 --> 00:57:30,079

of that into your water each of those

1431

00:57:34,630 --> 00:57:32,319

seven days and get into the water each

1432

00:57:35,990 --> 00:57:34,640

of those and call to the spirits and the

1433

00:57:38,470 --> 00:57:36,000

ancestors

1434

00:57:40,710 --> 00:57:38,480

to help you clear from you the things

1435

00:57:43,190 --> 00:57:40,720

that would restrain or girdle your soul

1436

00:57:44,950 --> 00:57:43,200

and prevent you from achieving your joys

1437

00:57:46,549 --> 00:57:44,960

your and your well-being

1438

00:57:48,390 --> 00:57:46,559

uh and then take a little bit of that

1439

00:57:50,549 --> 00:57:48,400

water every day

1440

00:57:52,150 --> 00:57:50,559

and go out after you're done find a

1441

00:57:53,750 --> 00:57:52,160

rotten stump or stump you know where

1442

00:57:56,150 --> 00:57:53,760

someone's chopped down a tree and it's

1443

00:57:57,109 --> 00:57:56,160

still got that bottom part in the

1444

00:57:59,349 --> 00:57:57,119

soil

1445

00:58:01,190 --> 00:57:59,359

and throw that cup of water at that

1446

00:58:03,750 --> 00:58:01,200

that's a couple of your bath water

1447

00:58:05,270 --> 00:58:03,760

that's called fixing so you're fixing

1448

00:58:07,270 --> 00:58:05,280

your work

1449

00:58:09,190 --> 00:58:07,280

to a natural thing something that's

1450

00:58:11,349 --> 00:58:09,200

already occurring in nature

1451  
00:58:13,829 --> 00:58:11,359  
and then that that has power and that'll

1452  
00:58:16,470 --> 00:58:13,839  
enhance but why a stump and not just a

1453  
00:58:19,589 --> 00:58:16,480  
regular tree

1454  
00:58:21,670 --> 00:58:19,599  
um well that's not how i was taught that

1455  
00:58:23,750 --> 00:58:21,680  
what a worker does is it works with the

1456  
00:58:25,910 --> 00:58:23,760  
power that's there

1457  
00:58:28,390 --> 00:58:25,920  
and so for instance a tree that's in the

1458  
00:58:29,750 --> 00:58:28,400  
middle of rotting is taking apart

1459  
00:58:34,950 --> 00:58:29,760  
something

1460  
00:58:39,349 --> 00:58:37,109  
whereas a living tree

1461  
00:58:41,109 --> 00:58:39,359  
is building

1462  
00:58:42,789 --> 00:58:41,119  
you know i might do something

1463  
00:58:45,190 --> 00:58:42,799

around renewal

1464

00:58:46,549 --> 00:58:45,200

or something about wishes for fulfilling

1465

00:58:48,150 --> 00:58:46,559

wishes with the living tree but i

1466

00:58:48,829 --> 00:58:48,160

wouldn't do that

1467

00:58:50,630 --> 00:58:48,839

the

1468

00:58:52,150 --> 00:58:50,640

cleansing

1469

00:58:53,990 --> 00:58:52,160

huh

1470

00:58:55,910 --> 00:58:54,000

wow that's interesting well thank you so

1471

00:58:58,309 --> 00:58:55,920

much for sharing that i hope i

1472

00:58:59,510 --> 00:58:58,319

didn't force you into explaining

1473

00:59:01,109 --> 00:58:59,520

something that you weren't going to

1474

00:59:02,470 --> 00:59:01,119

explain

1475

00:59:05,109 --> 00:59:02,480

it's very helpful

1476

00:59:08,470 --> 00:59:06,230

yeah

1477

00:59:12,470 --> 00:59:08,480

absolutely well it's time for another

1478

00:59:14,150 --> 00:59:12,480

break boy time is flying tonight so if

1479

00:59:17,510 --> 00:59:14,160

you will just hang in there with us

1480

00:59:36,950 --> 00:59:17,520

we'll be right back with orion foxwood

1481

00:59:36,960 --> 00:59:59,030

so

1482

01:00:02,470 --> 01:00:00,549

hello everyone

1483

01:00:05,670 --> 01:00:02,480

lorian fenton here host of the

1484

01:00:08,470 --> 01:00:05,680

california mufon radio show asking if

1485

01:00:11,990 --> 01:00:08,480

you'd like special access to exclusive

1486

01:00:15,589 --> 01:00:12,000

and amazing information about ufos the

1487

01:00:18,470 --> 01:00:15,599

paranormal and all things unexplained

1488

01:00:20,069 --> 01:00:18,480

if you're nodding yes then join irn's

1489

01:00:24,789 --> 01:00:20,079

insider club

1490

01:00:27,870 --> 01:00:24,799

all-access pass to premier inception

1491

01:00:31,270 --> 01:00:27,880

radio network content for only

1492

01:00:34,230 --> 01:00:31,280

4.99 a month this includes

1493

01:00:37,589 --> 01:00:34,240

live ufo and paranormal conferences

1494

01:00:40,390 --> 01:00:37,599

live streaming ufo sky watches exclusive

1495

01:00:43,430 --> 01:00:40,400

irn radio and tv productions and of

1496

01:00:46,150 --> 01:00:43,440

course paying radio with mj and ken

1497

01:00:48,549 --> 01:00:46,160

storch so don't wait any longer visit

1498

01:00:51,910 --> 01:00:48,559

[inceptionradionetwork.com](http://inceptionradionetwork.com)

1499

01:00:55,430 --> 01:00:51,920

and click on member login to join irn's

1500

01:00:56,789 --> 01:00:55,440

insider club and get your vip access

1501

01:00:59,190 --> 01:00:56,799

today

1502

01:01:01,030 --> 01:00:59,200

are you a fan of inception radio network

1503

01:01:03,430 --> 01:01:01,040

do you reckon it's the best alternative

1504

01:01:05,990 --> 01:01:03,440

talk radio station on the planet well if

1505

01:01:08,549 --> 01:01:06,000

you do head to facebook.com forward

1506

01:01:09,589 --> 01:01:08,559

slash inception radio network and like

1507

01:01:11,589 --> 01:01:09,599

the page

1508

01:01:15,750 --> 01:01:11,599

tell your friends spread the word and

1509

01:01:20,630 --> 01:01:18,390

do you have a smartphone if so inception

1510

01:01:23,910 --> 01:01:20,640

radio network is the best app for you

1511

01:01:25,990 --> 01:01:23,920

available on itunes android samsung and

1512

01:01:27,910 --> 01:01:26,000

most other app stores just search

1513

01:01:29,910 --> 01:01:27,920

inception radio network

1514

01:01:32,630 --> 01:01:29,920

with the app you can listen live check

1515

01:01:35,109 --> 01:01:32,640

out podcasts of recent empire shows view

1516

01:01:37,990 --> 01:01:35,119

our videos see what shows are coming up

1517

01:01:40,390 --> 01:01:38,000

who the guests are and via the chat room

1518

01:01:42,309 --> 01:01:40,400

send live questions to those guests do

1519

01:01:45,510 --> 01:01:42,319

you know it makes sense check your app

1520

01:01:50,309 --> 01:01:45,520

store now inception radio network i'll

1521

01:01:55,430 --> 01:01:52,789

hey iron listeners make sure you tune in

1522

01:01:57,430 --> 01:01:55,440

to night vision radio with renee barnett

1523

01:01:59,990 --> 01:01:57,440

renee will be exposing the truth one

1524

01:02:02,789 --> 01:02:00,000

secret at a time when thursdays every

1525

01:02:08,390 --> 01:02:02,799

thursday 10 30 p.m eastern 7 30 p.m

1526

01:02:13,270 --> 01:02:11,190

hello iron listeners this is mj saying

1527

01:02:16,870 --> 01:02:13,280

hello and sharing an awesome secret i

1528

01:02:19,030 --> 01:02:16,880

discovered it's called dreamnuage.com

1529

01:02:21,030 --> 01:02:19,040

fresh raw organic ingredients are used

1530

01:02:23,270 --> 01:02:21,040

to create all their products

1531

01:02:25,349 --> 01:02:23,280

they are made in very small batches to

1532

01:02:28,230 --> 01:02:25,359

ensure quality and freshness

1533

01:02:30,309 --> 01:02:28,240

hand made in the usa each product is

1534

01:02:32,150 --> 01:02:30,319

created with care and with the finest

1535

01:02:34,390 --> 01:02:32,160

organic ingredients there are no

1536

01:02:35,349 --> 01:02:34,400

preservatives dyes or chemicals in any

1537

01:02:38,549 --> 01:02:35,359

product

1538

01:02:43,670 --> 01:02:38,559

stop by dream nuage and relax that's

1539

01:02:43,680 --> 01:02:51,750

simple raw organic

1540

01:03:21,510 --> 01:02:54,150

you're locked into inception radio

1541

01:03:21,520 --> 01:03:34,710

so

1542

01:03:38,870 --> 01:03:36,789

hey we're back with night fishing radio

1543

01:03:41,910 --> 01:03:38,880

i'm your host renee barnett

1544

01:03:45,270 --> 01:03:41,920

my guest tonight is orion foxwood we're

1545

01:03:47,190 --> 01:03:45,280

talking about conjuring and

1546

01:03:49,349 --> 01:03:47,200

southern american

1547

01:03:51,670 --> 01:03:49,359

magic i guess you could call it

1548

01:03:53,069 --> 01:03:51,680

and orion's the author of several books

1549

01:03:57,029 --> 01:03:53,079

uh check him out at

1550

01:03:58,549 --> 01:03:57,039

orionfoxwood.com now orion um

1551

01:04:01,109 --> 01:03:58,559

durr wanted me to

1552

01:04:04,230 --> 01:04:01,119

ask me in the chat room renee can you

1553

01:04:06,789 --> 01:04:04,240

get him back to the crossroads

1554

01:04:09,589 --> 01:04:06,799

sounds like the old african-american

1555

01:04:11,750 --> 01:04:09,599

meeting location with the devil cutting

1556

01:04:13,349 --> 01:04:11,760

deals at the crossroads

1557

01:04:14,549 --> 01:04:13,359

didn't you sort of say something like

1558

01:04:16,630 --> 01:04:14,559

that or

1559

01:04:18,950 --> 01:04:16,640

i did i did the thing we've got to

1560

01:04:20,069 --> 01:04:18,960

remember when that word a devil is being

1561

01:04:23,109 --> 01:04:20,079

used

1562

01:04:25,270 --> 01:04:23,119

uh you you immediately know something

1563

01:04:27,829 --> 01:04:25,280

you can hear that that is uh

1564

01:04:29,670 --> 01:04:27,839

going to be a

1565

01:04:33,910 --> 01:04:29,680

colonial language

1566

01:04:35,349 --> 01:04:33,920

uh likely you know used by europeans

1567

01:04:37,829 --> 01:04:35,359

and would not have showed up in the

1568

01:04:40,150 --> 01:04:37,839

african practices they would have never

1569

01:04:42,789 --> 01:04:40,160

ever called the spirit the devil at the

1570

01:04:45,029 --> 01:04:42,799

crossroads ever

1571

01:04:47,109 --> 01:04:45,039

that concept got most popularized in

1572

01:04:49,029 --> 01:04:47,119

america by robert johnson's music i

1573

01:04:51,510 --> 01:04:49,039

believe that was the 40s i may be wrong

1574

01:04:52,950 --> 01:04:51,520

leave the 50s but

1575

01:04:55,910 --> 01:04:52,960

but

1576

01:04:57,910 --> 01:04:55,920

this being at the crossroads uh and the

1577

01:05:00,069 --> 01:04:57,920

reason he does get sometimes a bad rap

1578

01:05:02,309 --> 01:05:00,079

is again you've got to be honest when

1579

01:05:04,789 --> 01:05:02,319

you go to the spirit

1580

01:05:06,829 --> 01:05:04,799

you have to be honest his other name

1581

01:05:09,510 --> 01:05:06,839

where i grew up with was the trick

1582

01:05:12,549 --> 01:05:09,520

doctor the trick doctor and remember

1583

01:05:14,870 --> 01:05:12,559

that the word trick is an old folk word

1584

01:05:18,309 --> 01:05:14,880

in the south for uh

1585

01:05:19,670 --> 01:05:18,319

for a working for uh fixing a trip

1586

01:05:20,789 --> 01:05:19,680

um

1587

01:05:21,670 --> 01:05:20,799

so

1588

01:05:23,670 --> 01:05:21,680

uh

1589

01:05:30,950 --> 01:05:23,680

this

1590

01:05:34,069 --> 01:05:30,960

is neither benevolent nor malevolent

1591

01:05:36,630 --> 01:05:34,079

it is what you bring with you

1592

01:05:39,589 --> 01:05:36,640

it is the content of your heart that can

1593

01:05:41,750 --> 01:05:39,599

be the scariest thing of all

1594

01:05:44,870 --> 01:05:41,760

that's why i say he the dark writers

1595

01:05:45,750 --> 01:05:44,880

made me be an honest man over the years

1596

01:05:47,990 --> 01:05:45,760

you know

1597

01:05:51,750 --> 01:05:48,000

we talked a little bit earlier about you

1598

01:05:54,390 --> 01:05:51,760

know people getting involved in magic or

1599

01:05:56,630 --> 01:05:54,400

maybe even people uh

1600

01:05:58,390 --> 01:05:56,640

spending time in some of these locations

1601  
01:06:01,029 --> 01:05:58,400  
that you're talking about some of these

1602  
01:06:02,829 --> 01:06:01,039  
power centers these crossroads and

1603  
01:06:05,910 --> 01:06:02,839  
and other places

1604  
01:06:09,029 --> 01:06:05,920  
and having the wrong

1605  
01:06:10,309 --> 01:06:09,039  
intent or you know not be in the right

1606  
01:06:11,109 --> 01:06:10,319  
place

1607  
01:06:16,950 --> 01:06:11,119  
and

1608  
01:06:18,950 --> 01:06:16,960  
insane i've seen it happen more than

1609  
01:06:20,150 --> 01:06:18,960  
once

1610  
01:06:21,349 --> 01:06:20,160  
well renee

1611  
01:06:22,710 --> 01:06:21,359  
when i talk to people about these

1612  
01:06:27,750 --> 01:06:22,720  
spirits

1613  
01:06:29,190 --> 01:06:27,760

show up across cultures worldwide such

1614

01:06:30,069 --> 01:06:29,200

as this one

1615

01:06:31,990 --> 01:06:30,079

so

1616

01:06:35,510 --> 01:06:32,000

because of that we should be able to say

1617

01:06:37,270 --> 01:06:35,520

one thing real clearly they're real

1618

01:06:39,589 --> 01:06:37,280

all those cultures

1619

01:06:41,109 --> 01:06:39,599

all those millions of people

1620

01:06:43,349 --> 01:06:41,119

aren't crazy

1621

01:06:45,430 --> 01:06:43,359

you know they they know it's real

1622

01:06:47,670 --> 01:06:45,440

they're let their descendants know it's

1623

01:06:49,349 --> 01:06:47,680

real and that it can be contacted and

1624

01:06:50,470 --> 01:06:49,359

can be worked with

1625

01:06:52,950 --> 01:06:50,480

um

1626  
01:06:55,349 --> 01:06:52,960  
when people go out to the crossroads or

1627  
01:06:57,190 --> 01:06:55,359  
they work with these powerful spirits

1628  
01:06:58,870 --> 01:06:57,200  
they often treat them like they're

1629  
01:07:00,870 --> 01:06:58,880  
symbols they'll say oh don't you think

1630  
01:07:02,710 --> 01:07:00,880  
this is a symbol of this or symbol of

1631  
01:07:04,230 --> 01:07:02,720  
that and i'm saying no you have to

1632  
01:07:05,750 --> 01:07:04,240  
understand

1633  
01:07:07,990 --> 01:07:05,760  
that they're not a symbol of anything

1634  
01:07:09,589 --> 01:07:08,000  
they're an independent

1635  
01:07:12,549 --> 01:07:09,599  
powerful being

1636  
01:07:15,109 --> 01:07:12,559  
and our elders and our many traditions

1637  
01:07:16,470 --> 01:07:15,119  
have told us that they've told us how to

1638  
01:07:18,309 --> 01:07:16,480

encounter them

1639

01:07:19,029 --> 01:07:18,319

what attitude they have in encountering

1640

01:07:20,789 --> 01:07:19,039

them

1641

01:07:22,470 --> 01:07:20,799

and how to

1642

01:07:24,870 --> 01:07:22,480

receive from them

1643

01:07:26,950 --> 01:07:24,880

the best things in life so what happens

1644

01:07:29,990 --> 01:07:26,960

is people will go out and they'll go

1645

01:07:31,589 --> 01:07:30,000

well i mean they is as long as you go

1646

01:07:34,069 --> 01:07:31,599

out and you're being honest in your

1647

01:07:35,589 --> 01:07:34,079

heart they are often very you know

1648

01:07:37,270 --> 01:07:35,599

very helpful

1649

01:07:38,710 --> 01:07:37,280

but it's when uh

1650

01:07:40,870 --> 01:07:38,720

people go out

1651

01:07:42,950 --> 01:07:40,880

not knowing what they want

1652

01:07:45,750 --> 01:07:42,960

not having the clarity

1653

01:07:47,430 --> 01:07:45,760

um and they come maybe even with some

1654

01:07:48,950 --> 01:07:47,440

doubt in their mind

1655

01:07:51,190 --> 01:07:48,960

they get themselves

1656

01:07:52,950 --> 01:07:51,200

into some sticky wickets you know

1657

01:07:53,910 --> 01:07:52,960

because these spirits are more than

1658

01:07:56,390 --> 01:07:53,920

happy

1659

01:07:59,349 --> 01:07:56,400

to prove to you how real they are

1660

01:08:01,349 --> 01:07:59,359

but it may not be to your benefit

1661

01:08:03,270 --> 01:08:01,359

um

1662

01:08:06,230 --> 01:08:03,280

i guess

1663

01:08:07,829 --> 01:08:06,240

the ability to

1664

01:08:09,349 --> 01:08:07,839

sort of be

1665

01:08:11,349 --> 01:08:09,359

self-aware

1666

01:08:14,309 --> 01:08:11,359

is really important

1667

01:08:16,950 --> 01:08:14,319

because you know a lot of times

1668

01:08:18,630 --> 01:08:16,960

uh i think people lie to themselves

1669

01:08:20,390 --> 01:08:18,640

about who they are

1670

01:08:22,870 --> 01:08:20,400

and about where they're really at and

1671

01:08:25,110 --> 01:08:22,880

about what their real intentions are i

1672

01:08:27,510 --> 01:08:25,120

mean no one i don't think sits around

1673

01:08:28,709 --> 01:08:27,520

and says oh i'm a selfish bastard you

1674

01:08:30,550 --> 01:08:28,719

know

1675

01:08:32,709 --> 01:08:30,560

but they might be

1676

01:08:33,990 --> 01:08:32,719

and if they're fooling themselves about

1677

01:08:40,070 --> 01:08:34,000

that

1678

01:08:42,070 --> 01:08:40,080

place to be when confronting

1679

01:08:43,990 --> 01:08:42,080

these powers

1680

01:08:47,030 --> 01:08:44,000

it can be absolutely because these

1681

01:08:49,430 --> 01:08:47,040

spirits know us better than we know us

1682

01:08:51,430 --> 01:08:49,440

you know it's sometimes hard you know to

1683

01:08:53,829 --> 01:08:51,440

step out of yourself and look and say

1684

01:08:56,470 --> 01:08:53,839

okay how am i contributing to this

1685

01:08:59,829 --> 01:08:56,480

problem or where is it that i can

1686

01:09:01,990 --> 01:08:59,839

improve myself you know and if i'm

1687

01:09:05,349 --> 01:09:02,000

getting so upset about this thing what

1688

01:09:06,550 --> 01:09:05,359

is it about me that i need to look at

1689

01:09:08,950 --> 01:09:06,560

you know that's

1690

01:09:11,510 --> 01:09:08,960

very very difficult sometimes

1691

01:09:12,550 --> 01:09:11,520

but when you can do that it would seem

1692

01:09:14,870 --> 01:09:12,560

like it would put you in a little bit

1693

01:09:17,510 --> 01:09:14,880

better position when dealing with sort

1694

01:09:18,709 --> 01:09:17,520

of powerful and possibly dangerous

1695

01:09:21,110 --> 01:09:18,719

forces

1696

01:09:24,870 --> 01:09:21,120

well it really does it really does you

1697

01:09:27,110 --> 01:09:24,880

know i offer you too even uh praying to

1698

01:09:29,510 --> 01:09:27,120

uh the sacred spirit that we all call

1699

01:09:31,189 --> 01:09:29,520

god and the thing is we have to remember

1700

01:09:33,669 --> 01:09:31,199

that this sacred spirit that we all call

1701

01:09:35,269 --> 01:09:33,679

god all of these spirits that we are

1702

01:09:36,550 --> 01:09:35,279

talking about they're all a part of god

1703

01:09:39,110 --> 01:09:36,560

too

1704

01:09:41,669 --> 01:09:39,120

they're just the part the part of god

1705

01:09:42,709 --> 01:09:41,679

that say does a certain function a

1706

01:09:45,910 --> 01:09:42,719

certain

1707

01:09:49,749 --> 01:09:47,590

and

1708

01:09:53,110 --> 01:09:49,759

when when we pray

1709

01:09:56,070 --> 01:09:53,120

we've got to also consider what our

1710

01:09:57,590 --> 01:09:56,080

what it is we're really asking

1711

01:10:01,510 --> 01:09:57,600

and if we pray

1712

01:10:03,430 --> 01:10:01,520

with fervor and we can arouse a deity

1713

01:10:06,870 --> 01:10:03,440

through what we call pray and true when

1714

01:10:08,709 --> 01:10:06,880

i grow up then you can wield a force

1715

01:10:11,030 --> 01:10:08,719

through praying praying

1716

01:10:13,350 --> 01:10:11,040

that can be extremely harmful or

1717

01:10:14,790 --> 01:10:13,360

extremely helpful

1718

01:10:17,910 --> 01:10:14,800

oh yes

1719

01:10:19,350 --> 01:10:17,920

so you know i again this is why i like

1720

01:10:22,870 --> 01:10:19,360

magic magic

1721

01:10:24,149 --> 01:10:22,880

forces us to grow moral muscles

1722

01:10:26,630 --> 01:10:24,159

in my view

1723

01:10:27,990 --> 01:10:26,640

it forces us to grow moral muscles

1724

01:10:29,430 --> 01:10:28,000

i like that

1725

01:10:32,870 --> 01:10:29,440

yeah i think we better grow them if

1726

01:10:34,070 --> 01:10:32,880

we're going to be messing around with it

1727

01:10:36,390 --> 01:10:34,080

i think so

1728

01:10:38,310 --> 01:10:36,400

if i could just throw you one more uh

1729

01:10:40,790 --> 01:10:38,320

from the chat room it's it's another one

1730

01:10:43,430 --> 01:10:40,800

from durham he's on a roll tonight

1731

01:10:45,990 --> 01:10:43,440

says i he says i know i'm asking too

1732

01:10:48,950 --> 01:10:46,000

many questions no you're absolutely not

1733

01:10:51,430 --> 01:10:48,960

but does orion have an opinion on the

1734

01:10:53,350 --> 01:10:51,440

native american folklore of the

1735

01:10:57,510 --> 01:10:53,360

skinwalkers

1736

01:10:59,590 --> 01:10:57,520

i've heard about them i don't feel like

1737

01:11:00,950 --> 01:10:59,600

i understand the tradition enough to pay

1738

01:11:01,910 --> 01:11:00,960

it honor

1739

01:11:05,110 --> 01:11:01,920

um

1740

01:11:07,110 --> 01:11:05,120

but uh my understanding is it's it is

1741

01:11:08,470 --> 01:11:07,120

that those aren't those aren't

1742

01:11:10,870 --> 01:11:08,480

see if that

1743

01:11:12,790 --> 01:11:10,880

one one group is who i should say one

1744

01:11:16,390 --> 01:11:12,800

tradition told me that they are

1745

01:11:17,350 --> 01:11:16,400

human people who can shift by taking the

1746

01:11:20,950 --> 01:11:17,360

flesh

1747

01:11:23,030 --> 01:11:20,960

of or the skin of an animal and wear it

1748

01:11:24,390 --> 01:11:23,040

and shift their shapes and then i've

1749

01:11:27,590 --> 01:11:24,400

heard others

1750

01:11:28,550 --> 01:11:27,600

say actually their spirit being yeah

1751

01:11:29,590 --> 01:11:28,560

um

1752

01:11:30,390 --> 01:11:29,600

so

1753

01:11:32,070 --> 01:11:30,400

uh

1754

01:11:33,910 --> 01:11:32,080

i wish i could say more about that i

1755

01:11:35,590 --> 01:11:33,920

just don't feel like that no no that's

1756

01:11:37,669 --> 01:11:35,600

fine i i

1757

01:11:39,430 --> 01:11:37,679

completely understand yeah i think

1758

01:11:40,790 --> 01:11:39,440

that's from the u tribe if i'm not

1759

01:11:43,110 --> 01:11:40,800

mistaken

1760

01:11:45,030 --> 01:11:43,120

and there's a big uh

1761

01:11:48,149 --> 01:11:45,040

you know story about a ranch that's

1762

01:11:50,229 --> 01:11:48,159

located on the path of the skinwalker

1763

01:11:51,750 --> 01:11:50,239

that has had a lot of

1764

01:11:56,709 --> 01:11:51,760

strange

1765

01:11:58,950 --> 01:11:56,719

and all kinds of things like that

1766

01:12:01,270 --> 01:11:58,960

so i think that's how most of us

1767

01:12:03,669 --> 01:12:01,280

know about the skinwalkers

1768

01:12:04,630 --> 01:12:03,679

but it is from a native american

1769

01:12:06,550 --> 01:12:04,640

uh

1770

01:12:09,110 --> 01:12:06,560

legend of course

1771

01:12:10,950 --> 01:12:09,120

but oh my goodness now

1772

01:12:14,630 --> 01:12:10,960

for someone

1773

01:12:17,750 --> 01:12:14,640

that is just entering into

1774

01:12:19,430 --> 01:12:17,760

the study of of those things that you're

1775

01:12:20,870 --> 01:12:19,440

heavily involved in and have been for

1776

01:12:23,669 --> 01:12:20,880

many years

1777

01:12:26,709 --> 01:12:23,679

where do we start i guess you know maybe

1778

01:12:28,070 --> 01:12:26,719

with your books is a good place to start

1779

01:12:30,630 --> 01:12:28,080

but

1780

01:12:31,430 --> 01:12:30,640

are there things that we can do

1781

01:12:35,030 --> 01:12:31,440

uh

1782

01:12:36,550 --> 01:12:35,040

in our daily lives that just

1783

01:12:40,149 --> 01:12:36,560

you know we could

1784

01:12:41,990 --> 01:12:40,159

cleanse ourselves or to uh

1785

01:12:43,430 --> 01:12:42,000

you know affect our lives in a positive

1786

01:12:46,149 --> 01:12:43,440

way

1787

01:12:48,070 --> 01:12:46,159

yeah well there's there's certainly a

1788

01:12:51,030 --> 01:12:48,080

prayer should be a part of what everyone

1789

01:12:52,950 --> 01:12:51,040

does and prayer is not

1790

01:12:55,350 --> 01:12:52,960

connected to any religious tradition no

1791

01:12:58,310 --> 01:12:55,360

religious tradition owns prayer

1792

01:12:59,189 --> 01:12:58,320

prayer is how we dial into what sources

1793

01:13:03,110 --> 01:12:59,199

us

1794

01:13:05,110 --> 01:13:03,120

how we move ourselves into dialogue

1795

01:13:07,990 --> 01:13:05,120

with what sources us

1796

01:13:09,430 --> 01:13:08,000

that if you're not in dialogue with what

1797

01:13:10,310 --> 01:13:09,440

sources you

1798

01:13:11,430 --> 01:13:10,320

um

1799

01:13:14,390 --> 01:13:11,440

then you're

1800

01:13:16,870 --> 01:13:14,400

primarily living your life by default

1801

01:13:19,750 --> 01:13:16,880

meaning you're living your life simply

1802

01:13:21,830 --> 01:13:19,760

responding to what comes up next

1803

01:13:24,790 --> 01:13:21,840

making the decisions that way as opposed

1804

01:13:27,430 --> 01:13:24,800

to being an interactive relationship

1805

01:13:29,430 --> 01:13:27,440

with the force that creates galaxies

1806

01:13:32,550 --> 01:13:29,440

then the other thing is be in a

1807

01:13:34,950 --> 01:13:32,560

relationship with your ancestors now uh

1808

01:13:36,950 --> 01:13:34,960

call out to them in fact i have a i

1809

01:13:39,830 --> 01:13:36,960

would say to those wise and redeemed

1810

01:13:41,669 --> 01:13:39,840

ancestors those holy ancestors who love

1811

01:13:44,070 --> 01:13:41,679

me and who walk with me those known and

1812

01:13:46,550 --> 01:13:44,080

unknown seen and unseen

1813

01:13:48,149 --> 01:13:46,560

named and unnamed i love you i honor you

1814

01:13:50,310 --> 01:13:48,159

i thank you and then i'll ask them for

1815

01:13:52,550 --> 01:13:50,320

questions always know

1816

01:13:53,350 --> 01:13:52,560

that there are spirits that walk with

1817

01:13:55,910 --> 01:13:53,360

you

1818

01:13:58,149 --> 01:13:55,920

no one gets into this life alone

1819

01:14:00,390 --> 01:13:58,159

no one can stay here alone you entered

1820

01:14:02,709 --> 01:14:00,400

here through an ancestral stream

1821

01:14:04,229 --> 01:14:02,719

that you're co-mingled in and that had

1822

01:14:06,390 --> 01:14:04,239

people say i didn't like any of my

1823

01:14:10,709 --> 01:14:06,400

ancestors and i tell them you knew all

1824

01:14:13,270 --> 01:14:10,719

35 000 years of them i don't think so

1825

01:14:14,870 --> 01:14:13,280

you know and if you go get uh i love

1826

01:14:16,070 --> 01:14:14,880

this now that we can get our blood

1827

01:14:18,229 --> 01:14:16,080

tested

1828

01:14:20,070 --> 01:14:18,239

because when we got uh like uh some of

1829

01:14:22,070 --> 01:14:20,080

my students sent for me to have that

1830

01:14:24,709 --> 01:14:22,080

mitochondrial test

1831

01:14:28,790 --> 01:14:24,719

and mine came back and it had

1832

01:14:33,430 --> 01:14:28,800

35 000 years of history

1833

01:14:35,990 --> 01:14:33,440

and all i could think of was that 35 000

1834

01:14:38,070 --> 01:14:36,000

years of wisdom

1835

01:14:39,510 --> 01:14:38,080

of power and of guidance

1836

01:14:41,030 --> 01:14:39,520

walking with me

1837

01:14:43,590 --> 01:14:41,040

the other thing is

1838

01:14:44,709 --> 01:14:43,600

something i call claim your head claim

1839

01:14:46,950 --> 01:14:44,719

your head

1840

01:14:50,149 --> 01:14:46,960

when you get up in the morning there are

1841

01:14:52,709 --> 01:14:50,159

many forces that are more than willing

1842

01:14:54,070 --> 01:14:52,719

to claim uh the direction of your

1843

01:14:56,550 --> 01:14:54,080

attention

1844

01:14:59,110 --> 01:14:56,560

first you claim it

1845

01:15:01,910 --> 01:14:59,120

plug in it's even if it's during coffee

1846

01:15:04,390 --> 01:15:01,920

plug into the sacred enter into dialogue

1847

01:15:07,030 --> 01:15:04,400

with it plug into the spirit world to

1848

01:15:09,350 --> 01:15:07,040

the ancestors and other spirits that

1849

01:15:11,590 --> 01:15:09,360

that you may know about

1850

01:15:12,630 --> 01:15:11,600

and ask them for their help clean your

1851  
01:15:14,470 --> 01:15:12,640  
head

1852  
01:15:16,790 --> 01:15:14,480  
and then spiritual cleansing that's got

1853  
01:15:20,470 --> 01:15:16,800  
to be ongoing

1854  
01:15:23,350 --> 01:15:20,480  
because a weeded an unweeded garden will

1855  
01:15:24,470 --> 01:15:23,360  
eventually get choked out

1856  
01:15:27,510 --> 01:15:24,480  
oh wow

1857  
01:15:29,830 --> 01:15:27,520  
and so that's a great metaphor yeah

1858  
01:15:32,310 --> 01:15:29,840  
thank you and in fact that my books are

1859  
01:15:36,070 --> 01:15:32,320  
conjuring the crossroads one uh

1860  
01:15:39,030 --> 01:15:36,080  
i wrote that because i really wanted

1861  
01:15:41,510 --> 01:15:39,040  
my understanding of the simple but

1862  
01:15:42,870 --> 01:15:41,520  
powerful folk practices

1863  
01:15:45,910 --> 01:15:42,880

of the south

1864

01:15:47,669 --> 01:15:45,920

to be useful and to make sense

1865

01:15:49,030 --> 01:15:47,679

for people who weren't who didn't grow

1866

01:15:50,630 --> 01:15:49,040

up around burning that culture for

1867

01:15:52,310 --> 01:15:50,640

people to have things that were

1868

01:15:54,550 --> 01:15:52,320

accessible that they could do that they

1869

01:15:56,630 --> 01:15:54,560

could claim sovereignty

1870

01:15:59,830 --> 01:15:56,640

over their lives

1871

01:16:01,030 --> 01:15:59,840

uh working these powerful uh magical

1872

01:16:03,510 --> 01:16:01,040

practices

1873

01:16:05,350 --> 01:16:03,520

so i of course you know i'd get dummy to

1874

01:16:07,510 --> 01:16:05,360

say i don't recommend that book right

1875

01:16:10,070 --> 01:16:07,520

this is my book but and i do recommend

1876

01:16:12,310 --> 01:16:10,080

it because i i've had people

1877

01:16:13,270 --> 01:16:12,320

i get i get emails that would make you

1878

01:16:15,750 --> 01:16:13,280

weak

1879

01:16:18,709 --> 01:16:15,760

um i get i've had emails from people

1880

01:16:21,030 --> 01:16:18,719

that said i was giving up on life

1881

01:16:23,669 --> 01:16:21,040

until i read the book and started doing

1882

01:16:28,310 --> 01:16:23,679

these practices and now it's almost as

1883

01:16:33,030 --> 01:16:31,030

yeah and those bring me to tears because

1884

01:16:36,630 --> 01:16:33,040

those are the kinds of folks

1885

01:16:38,310 --> 01:16:36,640

i want this work to reach you know is

1886

01:16:40,149 --> 01:16:38,320

people who are trying

1887

01:16:42,229 --> 01:16:40,159

to live a happy life

1888

01:16:44,229 --> 01:16:42,239

and they feel like a tire that's slowly

1889

01:16:46,790 --> 01:16:44,239

deflating and it's attached that still

1890

01:16:49,430 --> 01:16:46,800

has a slow leak they can't quack it at

1891

01:16:51,270 --> 01:16:49,440

and to take this kind of work and enter

1892

01:16:52,790 --> 01:16:51,280

into an interactive

1893

01:16:53,669 --> 01:16:52,800

choice driven

1894

01:16:54,630 --> 01:16:53,679

uh

1895

01:16:58,709 --> 01:16:54,640

life

1896

01:17:00,950 --> 01:16:58,719

and not let the forces around them claim

1897

01:17:05,189 --> 01:17:02,550

absolutely

1898

01:17:07,669 --> 01:17:05,199

a little preachy there yeah

1899

01:17:09,189 --> 01:17:07,679

amen

1900

01:17:11,430 --> 01:17:09,199

talk about it

1901

01:17:13,910 --> 01:17:11,440

i tell you it's it's really interesting

1902

01:17:16,630 --> 01:17:13,920

and and certainly the the whole

1903

01:17:18,470 --> 01:17:16,640

self-awareness thing uh i i would

1904

01:17:21,189 --> 01:17:18,480

imagine would be key

1905

01:17:22,950 --> 01:17:21,199

as you approach anything like this try

1906

01:17:25,669 --> 01:17:22,960

to be you know

1907

01:17:27,590 --> 01:17:25,679

your authentic self or just be your

1908

01:17:29,430 --> 01:17:27,600

authentic self just

1909

01:17:32,070 --> 01:17:29,440

and if you do that you're not going to

1910

01:17:34,470 --> 01:17:32,080

get into trouble i would think

1911

01:17:36,630 --> 01:17:34,480

absolutely and and you know the flip

1912

01:17:39,590 --> 01:17:36,640

side of that is i've had people come and

1913

01:17:42,149 --> 01:17:39,600

go right i don't know

1914

01:17:44,310 --> 01:17:42,159

what to pray for or to work

1915

01:17:46,390 --> 01:17:44,320

spells for to word magic i don't i don't

1916

01:17:48,229 --> 01:17:46,400

know i don't know

1917

01:17:49,590 --> 01:17:48,239

what i want in life and you'd be

1918

01:17:51,430 --> 01:17:49,600

surprised

1919

01:17:53,350 --> 01:17:51,440

how how many people are in that position

1920

01:17:54,709 --> 01:17:53,360

because they've never really

1921

01:17:56,870 --> 01:17:54,719

really kind of stopped they've always

1922

01:17:58,630 --> 01:17:56,880

maybe lived for others

1923

01:18:00,790 --> 01:17:58,640

uh and uh

1924

01:18:02,950 --> 01:18:00,800

but not lived for themselves

1925

01:18:04,229 --> 01:18:02,960

and this concept of knowing what it what

1926

01:18:05,669 --> 01:18:04,239

they want to be and what they want to do

1927

01:18:07,830 --> 01:18:05,679

with their lives

1928

01:18:09,590 --> 01:18:07,840

is something very new so i always say

1929

01:18:10,630 --> 01:18:09,600

pray to the source in whatever way you

1930

01:18:13,110 --> 01:18:10,640

do

1931

01:18:14,870 --> 01:18:13,120

for the knowing of your needs

1932

01:18:17,350 --> 01:18:14,880

that should be the first thing you pray

1933

01:18:20,870 --> 01:18:17,360

for and do magic for is the knowing of

1934

01:18:25,750 --> 01:18:23,990

is that because

1935

01:18:28,149 --> 01:18:25,760

one sort of has to take care of

1936

01:18:30,310 --> 01:18:28,159

themselves before

1937

01:18:32,709 --> 01:18:30,320

they can help anybody else

1938

01:18:35,030 --> 01:18:32,719

well i mean it is uh

1939

01:18:36,950 --> 01:18:35,040

it's also just to find out what what it

1940

01:18:38,229 --> 01:18:36,960

is that you need in life what will

1941

01:18:41,189 --> 01:18:38,239

fulfill you

1942

01:18:43,430 --> 01:18:41,199

you know quite often the guidance on

1943

01:18:45,830 --> 01:18:43,440

what we want or need in our life

1944

01:18:46,950 --> 01:18:45,840

uh comes from outside

1945

01:18:48,870 --> 01:18:46,960

of us

1946

01:18:50,870 --> 01:18:48,880

in fact we find ourselves shaped by the

1947

01:18:53,990 --> 01:18:50,880

forces outside of us

1948

01:18:55,590 --> 01:18:54,000

instead of by the forces inside of us

1949

01:18:58,390 --> 01:18:55,600

you know we want to be in the driver's

1950

01:19:00,390 --> 01:18:58,400

seat of our lives and magic is a way of

1951

01:19:01,510 --> 01:19:00,400

doing that and all of these practices

1952

01:19:04,310 --> 01:19:01,520

these ways

1953

01:19:06,870 --> 01:19:04,320

are a way of doing that of claiming your

1954

01:19:09,030 --> 01:19:06,880

life you know

1955

01:19:11,510 --> 01:19:09,040

i'm laughing because uh

1956

01:19:15,750 --> 01:19:11,520

in the chat room der is asking someone

1957

01:19:21,030 --> 01:19:18,550

but i'm going to ask it for him anyway

1958

01:19:23,750 --> 01:19:21,040

it says uh

1959

01:19:27,110 --> 01:19:23,760

ask renee to ask orion if there are any

1960

01:19:31,189 --> 01:19:27,120

aromatics punk or burning of natural

1961

01:19:34,709 --> 01:19:33,350

oh yeah i mean cedarwood i know

1962

01:19:38,470 --> 01:19:34,719

cedarwood

1963

01:19:39,990 --> 01:19:38,480

uh

1964

01:19:43,189 --> 01:19:40,000

have you ever worked with something

1965

01:19:45,350 --> 01:19:43,199

called palo santo paulo santo oh i love

1966

01:19:46,550 --> 01:19:45,360

it oh my gosh

1967

01:19:50,390 --> 01:19:46,560

i just

1968

01:19:52,550 --> 01:19:50,400

drives me crazy

1969

01:19:55,750 --> 01:19:52,560

to smell it's so good

1970

01:19:57,270 --> 01:19:55,760

oh it's so clean and pure and powerful

1971

01:19:58,950 --> 01:19:57,280

amazing

1972

01:20:01,110 --> 01:19:58,960

and you know something to say so that's

1973

01:20:03,189 --> 01:20:01,120

just a few things to burn in your house

1974

01:20:05,910 --> 01:20:03,199

but other things people need to remember

1975

01:20:08,070 --> 01:20:05,920

that for cleansing uh when you do

1976

01:20:10,470 --> 01:20:08,080

cleansing and clearing on yourself

1977

01:20:11,830 --> 01:20:10,480

also cleansing clear your house

1978

01:20:13,990 --> 01:20:11,840

because

1979

01:20:14,630 --> 01:20:14,000

spiritual forces get trapped in there

1980

01:20:23,669 --> 01:20:14,640

and

1981

01:20:25,430 --> 01:20:23,679

get on a regular schedule with

1982

01:20:27,669 --> 01:20:25,440

maintaining the

1983

01:20:30,070 --> 01:20:27,679

spiritual dimension of yourself and of

1984

01:20:31,669 --> 01:20:30,080

your your house you will see things

1985

01:20:33,669 --> 01:20:31,679

change in your life so quickly you won't

1986

01:20:36,229 --> 01:20:33,679

believe it

1987

01:20:37,750 --> 01:20:36,239

and are there different ways that you

1988

01:20:40,950 --> 01:20:37,760

can do it like

1989

01:20:43,189 --> 01:20:40,960

and and does it largely depend on

1990

01:20:44,790 --> 01:20:43,199

what it is that you're that you have in

1991

01:20:48,790 --> 01:20:44,800

your intention that you have in your

1992

01:20:51,110 --> 01:20:48,800

mind like i might take a uh you know

1993

01:20:54,470 --> 01:20:51,120

a branch of of cedar

1994

01:20:57,110 --> 01:20:54,480

and go through my house and or go around

1995

01:20:59,430 --> 01:20:57,120

outside on the four corners of the house

1996

01:21:02,950 --> 01:20:59,440

things like that but somebody else might

1997

01:21:03,750 --> 01:21:02,960

use uh you know palo santo or or they

1998

01:21:06,709 --> 01:21:03,760

might

1999

01:21:10,310 --> 01:21:06,719

do some other thing with sea salt or

2000

01:21:12,470 --> 01:21:10,320

is it really more about

2001

01:21:14,709 --> 01:21:12,480

you than it is about

2002

01:21:16,709 --> 01:21:14,719

the sort of specific

2003

01:21:18,149 --> 01:21:16,719

props if you don't mind me using that

2004

01:21:20,390 --> 01:21:18,159

word

2005

01:21:22,790 --> 01:21:20,400

well i would say it's about both like

2006

01:21:25,350 --> 01:21:22,800

for instance the native wisdoms around

2007

01:21:28,950 --> 01:21:25,360

cedar or sage or sweetgrass

2008

01:21:31,270 --> 01:21:28,960

uh the reason that that practice has

2009

01:21:33,189 --> 01:21:31,280

been passed down

2010

01:21:35,990 --> 01:21:33,199

is because it works

2011

01:21:38,950 --> 01:21:36,000

and because it always works

2012

01:21:41,110 --> 01:21:38,960

and one of the things that i've often

2013

01:21:43,669 --> 01:21:41,120

said is that

2014

01:21:47,030 --> 01:21:43,679

sometimes i'm off my game right which

2015

01:21:49,350 --> 01:21:47,040

means um i'm lacking clarity

2016

01:21:51,510 --> 01:21:49,360

uh and uh

2017

01:21:53,030 --> 01:21:51,520

and i'm lacking a feeling of connection

2018

01:21:55,270 --> 01:21:53,040

maybe i'm in the middle of a trauma or a

2019

01:21:57,110 --> 01:21:55,280

crisis time i'm just

2020

01:21:59,030 --> 01:21:57,120

off balance

2021

01:22:00,470 --> 01:21:59,040

but if i have some of the traditional

2022

01:22:03,430 --> 01:22:00,480

lore

2023

01:22:04,950 --> 01:22:03,440

even if i'm off balance the likelihood

2024

01:22:07,430 --> 01:22:04,960

is it's not

2025

01:22:09,270 --> 01:22:07,440

so for instance the sage of the sweet

2026

01:22:11,669 --> 01:22:09,280

grass and these things they're not

2027

01:22:14,470 --> 01:22:11,679

powerful to do what they do

2028

01:22:16,550 --> 01:22:14,480

because we think they're powerful

2029

01:22:19,430 --> 01:22:16,560

they're powerful because the elders

2030

01:22:21,430 --> 01:22:19,440

discovered over centuries of time

2031

01:22:24,229 --> 01:22:21,440

they have that independent power in and

2032

01:22:26,709 --> 01:22:24,239

of themselves

2033

01:22:27,910 --> 01:22:26,719

yeah so i always tell people try to make

2034

01:22:29,750 --> 01:22:27,920

sure

2035

01:22:31,030 --> 01:22:29,760

that you're working you know it's one

2036

01:22:32,950 --> 01:22:31,040

thing to just

2037

01:22:35,750 --> 01:22:32,960

you know grab whatever's kind of nearby

2038

01:22:36,950 --> 01:22:35,760

and that's useful but also try to find

2039

01:22:38,709 --> 01:22:36,960

out what

2040

01:22:40,070 --> 01:22:38,719

older traditions

2041

01:22:41,910 --> 01:22:40,080

teach about

2042

01:22:44,950 --> 01:22:41,920

spiritual cleansing and what they say is

2043

01:22:47,270 --> 01:22:44,960

useful and that they have passed on

2044

01:22:49,189 --> 01:22:47,280

they pass these things on

2045

01:22:50,550 --> 01:22:49,199

because they work

2046

01:22:52,629 --> 01:22:50,560

and no

2047

01:22:53,590 --> 01:22:52,639

exactly so you don't have to figure that

2048

01:22:56,390 --> 01:22:53,600

out

2049

01:22:59,750 --> 01:22:56,400

you can have tools in your toolbox

2050

01:23:03,110 --> 01:22:59,760

uh ready ready to use you know

2051  
01:23:06,629 --> 01:23:03,120  
every that have tried and true effects

2052  
01:23:08,870 --> 01:23:06,639  
right so it is very the ingredients you

2053  
01:23:11,270 --> 01:23:08,880  
know into your ritual are are very

2054  
01:23:12,390 --> 01:23:11,280  
important and it's sort of a partnership

2055  
01:23:14,390 --> 01:23:12,400  
between

2056  
01:23:16,390 --> 01:23:14,400  
those things and you

2057  
01:23:18,870 --> 01:23:16,400  
and your intent now you're talking yeah

2058  
01:23:21,110 --> 01:23:18,880  
now you're talking the old traditional

2059  
01:23:21,750 --> 01:23:21,120  
way the old traditional way

2060  
01:23:31,189 --> 01:23:21,760  
in

2061  
01:23:34,870 --> 01:23:31,199  
that they are

2062  
01:23:37,990 --> 01:23:34,880  
beings they are people their spirit

2063  
01:23:40,310 --> 01:23:38,000

and so these stones these herbs these

2064

01:23:43,350 --> 01:23:40,320

things that we're working with are

2065

01:23:45,189 --> 01:23:43,360

persons and if we come to them because

2066

01:23:46,229 --> 01:23:45,199

we're asking them we're working with

2067

01:23:49,430 --> 01:23:46,239

them

2068

01:23:50,629 --> 01:23:49,440

for help or right because they have a

2069

01:23:52,870 --> 01:23:50,639

power

2070

01:23:55,110 --> 01:23:52,880

that for some reason we feel that we

2071

01:23:58,310 --> 01:23:55,120

don't or we don't have enough of at that

2072

01:24:01,030 --> 01:23:58,320

time so if i burn cedar for instance

2073

01:24:03,110 --> 01:24:01,040

it's because i need cleansing and

2074

01:24:04,070 --> 01:24:03,120

because i feel that that

2075

01:24:07,030 --> 01:24:04,080

herb

2076  
01:24:13,110 --> 01:24:07,040  
has the power to do that more efficiency

2077  
01:24:18,310 --> 01:24:15,830  
yeah absolutely the fact that i'm going

2078  
01:24:19,270 --> 01:24:18,320  
to this powerful spirit being named

2079  
01:24:20,870 --> 01:24:19,280  
cedar

2080  
01:24:23,910 --> 01:24:20,880  
and for that

2081  
01:24:26,070 --> 01:24:23,920  
i'm going to get much more benefit right

2082  
01:24:28,629 --> 01:24:26,080  
when we honor the power of what we're

2083  
01:24:31,189 --> 01:24:28,639  
working with and the personhood of what

2084  
01:24:34,310 --> 01:24:31,199  
we're working with then it opens out its

2085  
01:24:35,669 --> 01:24:34,320  
spirit core to work with us

2086  
01:24:37,510 --> 01:24:35,679  
wow

2087  
01:24:39,750 --> 01:24:37,520  
that is really in it it's very

2088  
01:24:42,629 --> 01:24:39,760

interesting how you said you know

2089

01:24:44,709 --> 01:24:42,639

they're persons you know and i know that

2090

01:24:47,110 --> 01:24:44,719

certainly in

2091

01:24:48,070 --> 01:24:47,120

the native american culture

2092

01:24:50,550 --> 01:24:48,080

uh

2093

01:24:52,310 --> 01:24:50,560

these things that are used like there's

2094

01:24:54,870 --> 01:24:52,320

a tobacco

2095

01:24:55,910 --> 01:24:54,880

that they call the ancient one

2096

01:24:58,390 --> 01:24:55,920

and

2097

01:25:00,950 --> 01:24:58,400

it was grown you know in a primeable

2098

01:25:02,709 --> 01:25:00,960

forest and they kept the

2099

01:25:05,270 --> 01:25:02,719

you know kept it and there's just for

2100

01:25:07,990 --> 01:25:05,280

very little left and they use it very

2101  
01:25:09,830 --> 01:25:08,000  
very rarely and a medicine man said that

2102  
01:25:12,790 --> 01:25:09,840  
you know a medicine man could live his

2103  
01:25:15,669 --> 01:25:12,800  
whole life and never use it because you

2104  
01:25:18,229 --> 01:25:15,679  
only use it in the most dire or the most

2105  
01:25:21,350 --> 01:25:18,239  
important of circumstances

2106  
01:25:23,270 --> 01:25:21,360  
because it's becoming so scarce and

2107  
01:25:26,629 --> 01:25:23,280  
it's so powerful

2108  
01:25:27,750 --> 01:25:26,639  
but they refer to it as the ancient one

2109  
01:25:29,990 --> 01:25:27,760  
wow

2110  
01:25:32,310 --> 01:25:30,000  
and it doesn't sound like a thing it

2111  
01:25:34,790 --> 01:25:32,320  
sounds like a person doesn't it

2112  
01:25:37,270 --> 01:25:34,800  
absolutely well that's how the old uh

2113  
01:25:39,270 --> 01:25:37,280

the old workers across tradition spoke

2114

01:25:41,030 --> 01:25:39,280

to them like when the witch would go out

2115

01:25:44,070 --> 01:25:41,040

into the woods to collect his or her

2116

01:25:45,430 --> 01:25:44,080

herbs they weren't going out to collect

2117

01:25:47,510 --> 01:25:45,440

a symbol

2118

01:25:49,030 --> 01:25:47,520

of anything they were going out

2119

01:25:50,950 --> 01:25:49,040

to ask

2120

01:25:52,830 --> 01:25:50,960

a powerful being

2121

01:25:56,070 --> 01:25:52,840

for the help of its

2122

01:25:58,310 --> 01:25:56,080

power and they were going out in special

2123

01:26:00,870 --> 01:25:58,320

ways whether that's offering making

2124

01:26:04,390 --> 01:26:00,880

offerings special times

2125

01:26:11,189 --> 01:26:08,070

to to gather this tower

2126  
01:26:14,310 --> 01:26:11,199  
you know to help their workings you know

2127  
01:26:15,750 --> 01:26:14,320  
um when we work in those kinds of ways

2128  
01:26:19,030 --> 01:26:15,760  
we find

2129  
01:26:21,030 --> 01:26:19,040  
that then when we go to these these um

2130  
01:26:23,110 --> 01:26:21,040  
these beings the plant the stones

2131  
01:26:25,270 --> 01:26:23,120  
whatever um

2132  
01:26:27,750 --> 01:26:25,280  
that we're coming at them in a different

2133  
01:26:29,350 --> 01:26:27,760  
way they don't see us as well here comes

2134  
01:26:31,590 --> 01:26:29,360  
daddy human always trying to take

2135  
01:26:33,510 --> 01:26:31,600  
something

2136  
01:26:37,590 --> 01:26:33,520  
a family

2137  
01:26:43,350 --> 01:26:39,350  
wow

2138  
01:26:47,110 --> 01:26:44,390

i mean

2139

01:26:50,629 --> 01:26:47,120

it sounds very much like you know maybe

2140

01:26:53,030 --> 01:26:50,639

these things are things that have been

2141

01:26:53,910 --> 01:26:53,040

with us that we knew about

2142

01:26:59,030 --> 01:26:53,920

have

2143

01:27:02,790 --> 01:26:59,040

and sort of uh vilified

2144

01:27:05,510 --> 01:27:02,800

and made to appear negative and evil and

2145

01:27:07,990 --> 01:27:05,520

devilish and satanic and

2146

01:27:08,950 --> 01:27:08,000

and all that um

2147

01:27:11,270 --> 01:27:08,960

and

2148

01:27:13,110 --> 01:27:11,280

it's something that you know

2149

01:27:15,830 --> 01:27:13,120

we should maybe reacquaint ourselves

2150

01:27:17,990 --> 01:27:15,840

with in in it and i think that

2151  
01:27:19,189 --> 01:27:18,000  
you know possibly people are more open

2152  
01:27:21,830 --> 01:27:19,199  
to that

2153  
01:27:24,629 --> 01:27:21,840  
right now because they're more open to

2154  
01:27:26,870 --> 01:27:24,639  
questioning authorities questioning our

2155  
01:27:29,110 --> 01:27:26,880  
programming

2156  
01:27:31,350 --> 01:27:29,120  
i think so i think and i think there's

2157  
01:27:33,990 --> 01:27:31,360  
this thing that gets left out and the

2158  
01:27:37,590 --> 01:27:34,000  
discussions about why magic

2159  
01:27:39,830 --> 01:27:37,600  
has become a folk magic has become

2160  
01:27:41,189 --> 01:27:39,840  
such an interest to people

2161  
01:27:43,590 --> 01:27:41,199  
is there's this other thing that we

2162  
01:27:46,470 --> 01:27:43,600  
leave out it's because the ancestors

2163  
01:27:48,550 --> 01:27:46,480

want us to go back to our roots i have a

2164

01:27:52,390 --> 01:27:48,560

saying you cannot bless

2165

01:27:56,310 --> 01:27:54,310

we're being called back

2166

01:27:59,110 --> 01:27:56,320

by the forces that live at the very

2167

01:28:00,870 --> 01:27:59,120

foundations of life to come back and

2168

01:28:03,390 --> 01:28:00,880

shore up the roots

2169

01:28:05,510 --> 01:28:03,400

of our relationship with life the

2170

01:28:07,990 --> 01:28:05,520

inter-relationships and invisible

2171

01:28:10,070 --> 01:28:08,000

aspects of life

2172

01:28:11,830 --> 01:28:10,080

so that we can get ourselves back on

2173

01:28:13,189 --> 01:28:11,840

track of

2174

01:28:14,629 --> 01:28:13,199

i fear

2175

01:28:17,430 --> 01:28:14,639

if we don't

2176  
01:28:20,070 --> 01:28:17,440  
um we're in danger as a species because

2177  
01:28:22,390 --> 01:28:20,080  
of our ecological choices our ecological

2178  
01:28:24,870 --> 01:28:22,400  
choices are not acknowledging

2179  
01:28:27,510 --> 01:28:24,880  
the sacred uh again that sacred and

2180  
01:28:30,550 --> 01:28:27,520  
visible relationship between this thing

2181  
01:28:32,550 --> 01:28:30,560  
oh my gosh orion i'm sorry the music is

2182  
01:28:34,870 --> 01:28:32,560  
rolling and we got just a couple more

2183  
01:28:35,990 --> 01:28:34,880  
seconds to go thank you so much the time

2184  
01:28:39,350 --> 01:28:36,000  
flew by

2185  
01:28:41,510 --> 01:28:39,360  
orion foxwood go to [orionfoxwood.com](http://orionfoxwood.com)

2186  
01:28:43,270 --> 01:28:41,520  
get his books and see where he's going

2187  
01:28:45,110 --> 01:28:43,280  
to be showing up next

2188  
01:28:47,350 --> 01:28:45,120

thank you so much

2189

01:28:49,189 --> 01:28:47,360

thank you what an honor to be on here oh

2190

01:29:05,350 --> 01:28:49,199

it was wonderful thank you