

Recommended Books for Initiates and Members
of
Circulos Tenebris Matrem Arcanas
Circle of the Dark and Mysterious Mother



Books for Study – highlighted

Chakras

- Sevenfold Journey: Reclaiming Mind, Body, & Spirit Through the Chakras; Anodea Judith & Selene Vega
- **Wheels of Life; Anodea Judith**

Divine Feminine

- **Aztec Virgin: The Secret Mystical Tradition of Our Lady of Guadalupe; John Mini**
- Goddesses & Heroines; Patricia Monaghan
- Great Cosmic Mother: Rediscovering the Religion of the Earth; Monica Sjoo and Barbara Mor
- **Hebrew Goddess; Raphael Patai**
- When God Was A Woman; Merlin Stone
- Woman with The Alabaster Jar: Mary Magdalen and the Holy Grail; Margaret Starbird

Gnosticism

- Gnostic Bible; Willis Barnstone and Marvin Meyer
- Gnostic Gospels; Elaine Pagels
- **Gnosticism New Light on the Ancient Tradition of Inner Knowing; Stephen A. Hoeller**
- Gospel of Mary Magdalene; Jean-Yves Leloup
- Gospel of Philip; Jean-Yves Leloup
- Gospel of Thomas; Jean-Yves Leloup
- Nag Hammadi Scriptures; Marvin W. Meyer and James M. Robinson
- Pistis Sophia; Dr. J.J. Hurtak

Hinduism

- **Bhagavad Gita; various**
- Mahabharata; various
- Upanishads; various

Kabbalah

- Book of Letters: A Mystical Hebrew Alphabet; Rabbi Lawrence Kushner
- Essential Kabbalah; Daniel C. Matt
- Gnosis of the Cosmic Christ; Tau Malachi

- Kabbalah and Magic of Angels; Migene Gonzalez-Wippler
- Kabbalah and Tarot of the Spirit; Pamela Eakins Ph.D.
- Lekuti Mahoran; Breslov Research Institute
- Meditation and Kabbalah; Aryeh Kaplan
- Qabalah, Qliphoth and Goetic Magic; Thomas Karisson & Timo Ketola
- Secret Doctrine of the Kabbalah; Leonora Leet Ph.D.
- Sefer Yetzirah: The Book of Creation in Theory and Practice; Aryeh Kaplan
- Tree of Life; Donald Wilder Menzi and Zwe Padeh
- Wisdom in the Hebrew Alphabet; Michael L. Munk
- Witches Qabala: The Pagan Path on the Tree of Life; Ellen Cannon Reed
- Zohar: Pritzker Edition; Daniel C. Matt

Lilith

- Embracing Lilith; Mark H. Williams
- Glam Witch; Michael Herkes
- Lilith: Keepers of the Flame; Mary Blue

Meditation

- Meditation: The Complete Guide; Patricia Monaghan and Eleanor G. Viereck
- Mind Illuminated: Culadasa John Yates PhD, Matthew Immergut PhD, and Jeremy Graves

Paganism

- Buckland's Complete Book of Witchcraft; Raymond Buckland
- Book of the Holy Strega; Raven Grimassi
- Chalice and the Blade; Riane Eisler
- Drawing Down the Moon; Margot Adler
- Isis Magic; M. Isidora Forrest
- Queen of the Night; Sharynne MacLeod Nicmhacha
- Seasons of the Witch; Patricia Monaghan
- Spiral Dance; Starhawk
- Witchcraft for Tomorrow; Doreen Valiente

Primal Craft

- Queen of Hell; Mark Alan Smith

- Red King; Mark Alan Smith
- Scorpion God; Mark Alan Smith

Quimbonda

- Maria de Padilla: Queen of the Souls; Humberto Maggi & Veronica Rivas
- Pompa Gira and the Quimbonda of Mbumba Nzila; Nicholaj De Mattos Frisvold & Enoque Zedro
- Quimbonda: The cult of the Red and Black Flame; Danilo Coppini

St. Cyprian

- The Book of St. Cyprian: The Great Book of True Magic by Humberto Maggi
- The Testament of Cyprian the Mage by Jake Stratton-Kent

Tarot

- Complete Illustrated Guide to Tarot; Rachel Pollack
- Kabbalah and Tarot of the Spirit; Pamela Eakins Ph.D.
- Tarot; Paul Foster Case
- Tarot Through the Witch's eye; Suzanne McAnna

Other

- Buddhist Sutras; various
- Geosophia; Jake Stratton-Kent
- Holy Blood, Holy Grail; Michael Pagent, Richard Leigh, & Henry Lincoln
- In Search of the Indo-Europeans; J. P. Mallory
- Modern New Testament from the Aramaic; Dr. George M. Lamsa
- Tao Te Ching; various