

Winter Solstice Spiral Walk



CELEBRATE THE RETURN OF LIGHTER AND LONGER DAYS
WITH THIS TRADITIONALLY PAGAN ACTIVITY

What is a Spiral Walk?

A spiral walk is a tradition celebrating the darkest day of the year - the winter solstice - and the return of light.

It is about finding light in the darkness, both in the environment and within yourself, and is a great way to bring a positive outlook to the cold winter days.

Make Your own Spiral Walk

- 1. First, find a good open space outdoors to locate and create your spiral
- 2. Gather your materials. You will need: candles, natural objects such as logs, tree branches and rocks.
- 3. Position the natural objects you gathered in a spiral shape. It can be as big or as small as you want. Making it bigger means a longer walk!
- 4. Place a lit candle in the middle of the spiral
- 5. Walk down the spiral path you built with your own candle, using the flame in the centre of the walk to light your own when you finish

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