

## By Greek Goddess Temple

# A time of Celebration

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#### Second year of Celebration

The first Greek Goddess Festival 2023 took place at the sacred mountain of Pelion. Celebrating the Lady of Ellas, the Goddess of Greece, Goddess ElAna and Her new Myth of creation.



The flame of Unity ceremony

## Going to the Mountain

A story by Aditi Blomgren Priestess of the Goddess, Priestess of Avalon, Priestess of ElAna.

There we were, all on our way to the sacred mountain. The journey had been planned for a full sun-cycle. Some of us had booked our fares well in advance, paid our fees, spread the announcement far on the great web of connections. We had packed our best robes and sacred objects, sat on many occasions meditating on the new era that was dawning, the return of the Great Mother. For a couple of days clouds had been gathering, softening the intense Mediterranean September sun. There was even a sprinkle of rain making the uneven pavement in the narrow alleyways in the heart of city, slippery to walk on. The light became milder, the breeze was cooling. I even shuddered a bit and pulled my scarf around my shoulders. That same evening my friend and hostess alerted me to the news of cataclysmic rainfall and flooding in the city we would have to pass on our way. Still, after some enquiries it seemed the trip would still be possible. The following morning we gathered outside the beautiful Goddess Temple and took our seats in a large vehicle, expertly maneuvered by our amazon driver. She would eventually and safely bring us to our goal. Alas, what trials we had to endure on our way! It started off easily enough. We sang and joked; the roads were clear. The previous night's horror images felt vaguely unreal. A

few hours passed as the surrounding landscape rolled away, dotted with charred tree skeletons from the recent wildfires. Then the wind gathered strength, the rain became a raging downpour, the skies opened, the cyclone whirled around us like crazy weather witches stirring their cauldron. The air electric, deep thunder and bolts of lightning thrown willynilly from above. We were being welcomed by the old wise one of the mountain but also shook up by reports from the other participants who were stuck on the road. Some responded with anger and fear, emotions that always manage to worm their ways in like thriving parasites, but we searched in our hearts and knew that the best way was forward.

Forward: passing sinkholes, through flooded streets, starting our climb up the mountain, rivers overflowing, old stonewalls collapsed on the roadside together with all the debris the streams had flushed out, everything thoroughly cleansed. Eight of us arrived at our destination which was caught in the gloom of the day without proper light, shutters closed to the pounding rain seeking every little crack it might penetrate. Forward: creating sacred space, transforming a crowded conference hall. Beauty, presence, Goddess of the land, all welcomed, visible and sensed. Before we started the first ceremony two more travellers had made it up the mountain, against all odds, and one more the following morning. Goddess might not have got the festival that was planned, but the one she wanted. We were made aware of our smallness in the face of the forces of nature, Her forces. We could sense the loss and suffering around

us: on a small scale the changes we had to negotiate and the friends we would not meet, on a grander scale the tragedies in so many lives around us; lives lost, livelihoods lost. Balancing on the threshold of bliss and compassion, grief and immense gratitude, we listened and waited, adapted and celebrated. We walked the path of reincarnation, we welcomed Goddess in Her different apparitions around the world, we danced and created ceremonies. We were blessed by Her waters, cleansed and refreshed, just as the land around us. As I write this, I realise that it was only two weeks ago that we shared our closing ceremony back in the temple. Since then, so much has passed. I can sense a change in visibility, and I hope I will be able to trust my initiation and the connection I felt with Goddess, Her world, Her people. There is no separation: one planet, one biosphere, one love, I dare believe that.

Aditi Blomgren, Priestess of the Goddess, Priestess of Avalon, Priestess of ElAna.

## Four Days of Creating Peace

8-9-10-11 of May 2025

in Athens

elcome to the Greek Goddess celebration. Here you can read everything about the Celebration, the program, the facilitators and the theme of our Second Goddess Celebration in Greece.



You can download the pdf file or you can visit the online e-book to read it anytime.

This year our celebration will have the vibe of a cozy "village" gathering. This time the Goddess Celebration will take place in Athens at the Goddess Temple.

We will celebrate and honor the Goddess of Peace. Four days full of ceremonies, workshops, speakings, presentations and much more. It is time to create peace all together. During the celebration we will meet and connect with the Goddesses Athena, Nike, Erini, Hestia and Hecate, the pillars of Peace creation.

## The Program



#### Peace Maker - Day 1

Welcome to the Temple of Peace, here in the Land where Goddess is creating the Peace. Through Her story line we are learning how to create peace. Through Her many faces and colors. The first day of Her celebration is dedicate to the peace makers, Her priestesses and priests who are praying for the peace. How can we bring peace on Earth? What Peace really is? The voices of peace in Her lineage of humans ( women, men & children ). Prayer ceremonies will create a sacred space as we calling Her Wheel power of love and peace, the wheel of Motherhood in Hellas.



#### **Daughter of Peace - Day 2**

Eirini & Nike are the daughters of peace, Her peacemakers who are calling us home.

Who is Goddess Erini and how can we honor Her?

Who is Goddess Nike and how can we learn by Her?

Storytelling ceremony of Peace and the walking path of Nike.

Giving birth to the Peace - midwife ceremony.

Weaving the peace.



#### **Mother of Peace - Day 3**

Goddess Athena is shining upon us her sacred light of harmony and of creation. She is the mother of the ancient art. Art is the most harmonious way to create peace. She who was born by the cosmic light of the great mother, into the peaceful environment of the universe and she brought the golden light to this land, the land of Ellas.

Ellas is the lady of our land, our Motherland, she is the peacemaker of our people. She will come to us and she will talk to us, with her wisdom, about Peace. You will be able to learn herstory and to see her in her many of paintings through the history of our land.

Healing ceremonies to connect our soul with Her Holiness.



#### The Wisdom of Peace - Day 4

Hecate will bring Her most ancient wisdom and she will lead us to our inner rebirth. She who is bringing the sweet death and life, She will cover us with Her violet flames and love and she will whisper to us the secrets of the universe and the magic power of creating peace.

Hestia will light the Peace flame. We will light the Peace flame, all together as we walking the spiral path of the Goddess.





10:00 - 12:00

Presentation of Peace through the timeline story of Greece. Stories- Images - Connection - History's Peacemakers.

A Mother's Story for Peace - Ritual of Story telling.

#### 15:00 - 17:00

Sacred Drama for Peace.

The Goddesses of Peace come through the timelines of Greece and give faith and strength to the new generation to create Peace.

Interactive.

#### 19:00 - 21:00

The Wheel of Peace - The Goddesses of Greece - Our wish for Peace. We share our wisdom for Peace. We are building the Temple of Peace for the whole world. A holy moment full of peace.

## Day 2 Daughter of Peace

10:00 -12:00

Birth ritual. We walk the path of Peace and born again through the womb of the Goddess. Mystery of Delphis – our sisters & brothers from our Mother Irene – Her children.

15:00 - 17:00

The daughter of the Goddess speaks about the abuse of patriarchal religion on women and men. She brings us in contact with the consciousness of Peace. Collective Soul healing.

19:00 - 21:00

Mother Goddess nourishes us with Peace. A sacred event where we will receive the "Mana from heaven" directly from the heart of the Goddess for healing between the inner child and the Mother/Father.



Love & Unity



## DAY 3 MOTHER OF PEACE



10:00 - 12:00

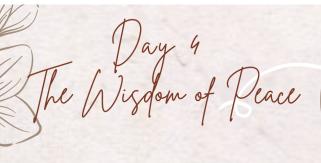
Ritual act of connection with the ancestors and foremothers of Greece. We will walk the path of Peace and we'll light the flame of inner Peace on the altar of the Goddess, creating a Womb of Light.

#### 15:00 - 17:00

The Art of Prayer. We pray with one voice and create the prayer of Peace. The power of faith and the tree of Life.

#### 19:00 - 21:00

Forgiveness creates sacred space within us and brings Peace into our lives. Ritual act of forgiveness. A magical moment that we will remember forever. The Goddess ElAna comes and speaks to us about Peace - embodiment.



#### 10:00 - 12:00

Remembering those who passed the veil of life. Bring a photo of those who have passed the veil of life. We will talk about death and recover the sacred essence.

#### 15:00 - 17:00

The road of death. Offering our own honors for our own deaths that we have passed in this life. An interactive wisdom ritual.

#### 19:00 - 21:00

The three Fates. Cutting the thread of patriarchy, pain and slavery. Ritual event where you will be asked to stand in front of the three Fates and hand over the thread that keeps you tied.



## Why Celebration and not Festival?

As you already realized, we have changed the title from Festival to Celebration. That is so conscious to us as we leave in the land of the Celebrations. Also we wanted to use a word that is closer to the greek word Εορτή or Πανηγύρι.

So we will celebrate the Goddess all together as a small village of people. The essence is closer to our culture and our traditions.

Opaaaa brothers and sisters, it is time to celebrate and create peace.



## Tickets

This year we have 4 different tickets, one for each day. You can buy the ticket that you prefer or you can buy a four day ticket. Keep in mind that the tickets are limited.

Day ticket: 50 euros each day (20 tickets)

All days ticket: 150 euros (20 tickets)

Party ticket: 20 euros (25 tickets) Estiades ticket: 20 euros (9 tickets)

You can buy your ticket on-line by the official website: <a href="www.greekgoddesstemple.com">www.greekgoddesstemple.com</a> or you can visit our temple to buy your ticket in person.

Estiades in ancient times were the priestesses of the Goddess Hestia, she who holds the flame of the Goddess alive. As Estiada you can help us during the Goddess Celebration, you will be able to be part of the preparations, a mini training about your role in the goddess celebration and of course you will participate to all ceremonies, workshops etc.



#### Greek Goddess Celebration

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EΣTIA is the official name of our Greek Goddess Temple and represents everything that we believe and stand for, such as Unity, Love, Peace, Equality, Clarity, Compassion, Truth, Friendship, Humans Rights, Healing, Spirituality, Soul, Spirit and Goddess.

#### Where?

This time we decided to celebrate the Goddess in Athens. And again we were thinking a lot in which area of Athens and what place can hold the space for the Celebration that we want to share with you all. So we prayed to the Goddess and She gave us the answer that we were looking for.

First of all, we would like to provide a cozy celebration, like a small village that we are coming all together around the altar to remember and to express our love for the Lady Goddess.

So, this time we will celebrate into our official Goddess Temple at Peristeri street.



## The Facilitators



## **Pantelis Efthimiou**

Priest of the Goddess, Soul Healer, Writer, creator of the Greek Goddess Temple, organizer of the Greek Goddess Festival

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## **Cristina Craciun**

Priestess of the Goddess and Theologian

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## **Maro Vedava**

Artist and Priestess of the Goddess

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## Nina Papadopoulou

Priestess of the Goddess, Healer, Yoga Teacher

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## Soultana

Sacred Feminize Explorer

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## Vasiliki Kousta

Personal Development Consultant

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### **Athena Kotsou**

Priestess of the Goddess, Goddess temple Melissa

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## **Dimitris Kamillos**

Astrologer

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## **Christina Kottori**

Greek Priestess, Mystical Dancer, storyteller.

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### Aditi

Priestess of the Goddess, Pristess of Avalon and honorary Priestess of ElAna

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There will be more facilitators who will share their projects, their wisdom and love for the world and Goddess.



## EΣTIA

Ο Σύγχρονος Ναός της Θεάς



My child I'm coming for you
I'm coming to bring you Peace
It is time to heal the wound in your soul
It is time to create Peace for every child, woman, man
and human being.
It is time to hold our hands in a circle

### Extra informations

Where to come: Greece - Athens - Peristeri Lykourgou 13 -12132

Where to stay: You can find hotels or rbnb's close to the temple or wherever you want and feel comfortable for you.

Access to the Temple: The access is to easy. Wherever you are you can take the red line of metro for Anthoupoli. One station before the Anthoupoli is the Peristeri, from the metro station you only need 5 minutes to arrive to our temple.

### Book your ticket

Visit the official site <a href="https://www.greekgoddesstemple.com">www.greekgoddesstemple.com</a> and buy your ticket via PayPal. You can by your ticket in person by coming to the Goddess Temple.

#### Support us

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