

## **CORDUENE MEDITATION SITE**

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Please respect this religious site and its set of rules even if you don't share the religion or beliefs.

1) You may enter the site only when there is no one else around.

Please only step into the site if the room is completely empty.

2) When inside, and only when inside, you may use the instrument.

3) Please don't report, picture or tell of any of your experiences when you were inside the site.

Don't share any of the thoughts, feelings or the things you heard, saw while inside the site.

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## 2) ENTRY SCREENING AGREEMENT

I, \_\_\_\_\_

DL / ID no \_\_\_\_\_

hereby confirm that

1) I did not commit a homicide in the last 3 (three) years.

2) I did not physically assaulted any person in the last 1 (one) month.

[ Exempt are assaults during a sexual act that were given an explicit consent by the other person prior to the act ]

3) I have not lived, travelled through or visited any territory that had previously been under the governance of the entity that was formally known as the "Western Roman Empire" { see list of countries in appendix }.

I agree to pay a penalty of USD 100 in case of giving a false report of the above clauses.

Signature

PRINT NAME

## 1) SILENCE AGREEMENT

I, \_\_\_\_\_

DL / ID no \_\_\_\_\_

hereby confirm that

1) I will not record/photograph/tape by any electronic or non-electronic tool any of my impressions or experiences inside the Corduene meditation room.

2) I will not use any scribing tool (such as a pen, pencil etc) to record any of my impressions or my experiences inside the Corduene meditation room. I will not write or draw in any way or technique, will not give any verbal report or use any form of communication to report or record the experience.

3) After leaving the room, I will never give any true account of what I saw, heard, smelled or felt at the Corduene meditation room, either directly or by way of implying.

4) I am aware that giving a false account of my experience and of the room is discouraged, but permitted as long as it is not done in a way that will imply any truth [ e.g by way of irony or negation ].

I agree to pay a penalty of USD 200 in case of breaking this agreement.

Signature

PRINT NAME

You are NOT ALLOWED to use this site if:

- 1) You killed another person in the last 3 years;
- 2) You physically wounded another person in the last 1 month;
- 3) You were living or traveling in the area of the Western Roman Empire in the last 6 months.

Please kindly respect this religious site and its set of rules even if you don't share the belief.

## **BACKGROUND**

In 407 A.D, a small group of young men, who were ethnically and religiously Corduene but were residing very far from the community, in Ravenna, then the capital of the Western Roman Empire, came back to the mountainous region where the Corduene lived (modern day Kurdistan). This group of men who were "coming back home" spent the next week slaughtering a whole village of the community. Their motive was unclear and they vanished after the action.

Following this event, in the following years, the Corduene set up multiple sites, in the mountains. The sites were simple in design and were dedicated for cleansing, healing and re-generation.

There were however a number of rules that had to be followed in order to be able to use the sites.

This is a re-creation of those religious sites and a translation of the rules that applied to them.

**ENTRY SCREENING APPENDIX**

**WESTERN ROMAN EMPIRE and contemporary country lines**

Italy

France

Belgium

The Netherlands

Luxembourg

Spain

Portugal

Tunisia

Britain

Switzerland