

SACRED BRITAIN
Women's Journey to Avalon & Rosslyn Chapel
June 2-14, 2010
Trip Leaders: Madeleine Marentette &
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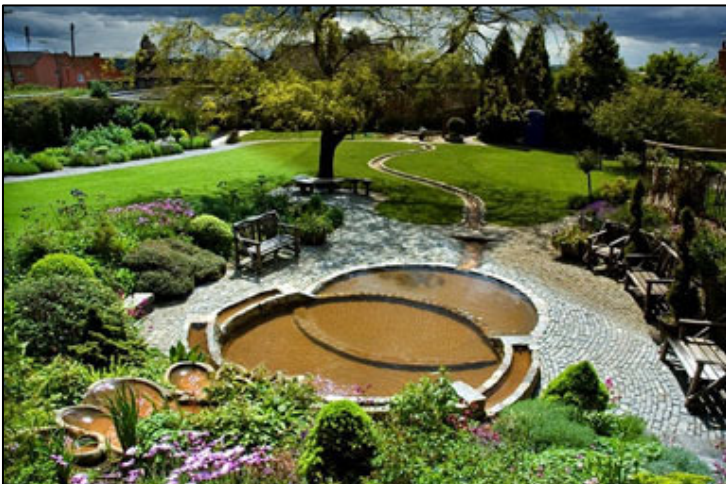
Glastonbury has long been acknowledged as the location of the mystical land of Avalon and the burial site of King Arthur and Queen Guinevere; a place beyond the veil of human sight and one only those who have reached deep inside their soul can see. Ladies, if you've ever felt a connection with Camelot, Tintangel, the healing waters of the Chalice Well, or felt called to walk with the ancients at Stonehenge, this journey will speak to you.



A Quest of the Heart

The quest for Avalon, the Lady of the Lake, Excalibur and the Holy Grail, have long been sought after by seers, magicians, kings and noble knights – it represents the classic story of the eternal journey for peace, restoration and integrity. These stories represent your journey, mine, and all of humanity's to the heart of who we truly are. We invite you to quest with us and cross over the threshold of time as we open the curtain to Avalon.

"I dreamt of you in Glastonbury. You opened a curtain into Avalon, and lifted me in..."
~ from the novel "The Mists of Avalon"



One-of-a-Kind-Experience
This will be a very special one-of-kind tour specially arranged for Madeleine Marentette, founder of Grail Springs Canada, and Dr. Sheri Rosenthal, founder of Journeys of the Spirit®. Joining us along the way are local experts who will share the many secrets of these ancient lands hidden behind the veil of modern society.

Together they will share and guide us into the heart and soul of these sacred places and into the mystery and magic of our personal grail quests.

The Heart of Sacred Britain

We'll have private time at Stonehenge, visit Glastonbury, Chalice Well, Bath, Wells, Avebury, and we'll even have the opportunity to travel to Scotland to see the Temple Round Church in Edinburgh and Rosslyn Chapel!

****As a bonus, there will be a special pre-trip preparation the month before our sacred journey!****

Join us on this woman's quest to illuminate our own integrity, power and glory.



The main part of our journey to Avalon is June 2nd-11th with an extension to Scotland from June 11th-14th.

Itinerary for Women's Journey to Avalon & Rosslyn Chapel

Day 1: Wednesday June 2nd (-/-/D)

This morning we'll arrive into London Heathrow Airport and gather up the group by 11AM. Then we'll drive to **Tintagel** (4 hrs) with a lunch stop halfway at Exeter services. Late afternoon free to sleep and/or explore. In the early evening we'll gather for cocktails just before dinner and get to know each other and set our intent for our journey. Overnight at the [Bossiney House Hotel](#) & [The Avalon](#).

Day 2: Thursday June 3rd (B/-/D)

After a wonderful breakfast, our group will gather together and by noon we'll leave hotel for lunch at Jamaica Inn, made famous by the novel of Daphne du Maurier. After our lunch we'll visit to **the enchanted Dozmary Pool**. Here we come into the presence of the **Lady of the Lake** at her mystical and watery home. It was at this lake that the Lady bequeathed Excalibur and its enchanted scabbard to King Arthur. Understanding the importance of this gift and paying tribute to the Lady will enable us to receive a gift of



our own to accompany us on this pilgrimage. After our beautiful experience we'll return to Tintagel for free time. After dinner this evening we'll have a wonderful presentation by a **local Arthurian expert**. Overnight at the [Bossiney House Hotel](#) & [The Avalon](#).

Day 3: Friday June 4th (B/-/-)

All sites in Tintagel are dominated by everything Arthurian and you'll have the opportunity to re-live the stories of the **Arthurian legend**. Traveling back in time we may discover how these archetypes can help us in our world today. Today we'll learn the stories of the Arthurian legend and about the lives of the fabled Knights of the Round Table. King Arthur's Great Halls were constructed entirely of crystal-studded granite using sacred geometry in its layout. We'll have a leisurely lunchtime to allow time to experience the many gift shops and cafes that Tintagel High Street has to offer. Then we cross the footbridge that is now the only means of access to **Tintagel Castle**, the fabled birthplace of Arthur, which sits in splendid isolation on its rocky promontory. Descending the castle cliffs to the beach below, we'll enter **Merlin's Cave** accessible for a short time at low tide each day. (Order of the day may change according to the tide schedule.) Free evening. Overnight at the [Bossiney House Hotel](#) & [The Avalon](#).

Day 4: Saturday June 5th (B/-/-)

This morning we'll visit the magical wooded **St Nectan's Glen** with its waterfall and kieve. Walking along a quiet lane with fragrant hedgerow flowers we'll then come beside a beautiful and energetic woodland stream and reach the waterfall at its head. St Nectan's former hermitage cell is now a shrine where we're free to meditate, pray or light a candle. After lunch we'll travel to **Bath** for 4 nights. Dinner at the hotel.

Overnight at the [Francis Hotel](#)



Day 5: Sunday June 6th (B/-/-)

After breakfast we'll meet with the group and then have the rest of the day free to discover this lovely city. Bath is built around hot thermal springs which were revered in Pagan times and enclosed by the Romans into their bath-houses and temples. Personally experience the baths at Britain's original and only natural thermal spa, the **Thermae Bath Spa** – included in tour price. For those who wish to book and pay for a private healing treatment there will be time blocked for our group with the spa therapists. Evening free. Overnight at the [Francis Hotel](#).

Day 6: Monday June 7th (B/-/-)

This is a free morning to explore the delights of **Wells**. This splendid medieval city is one of England's best-kept secrets! The open air market will be held in the ancient marketplace as it has been for a thousand years. The magnificent 800-year-old **Wells Cathedral** occupies the central position in this, England's smallest city. You can either attend a service or visit the cathedral between services. Next to the cathedral is the **Bishop's Palace** complete with its moat and drawbridge and the most complete medieval street in Europe, still used to house the young cathedral choristers.

Cheddar Gorge has the highest inland cliffs in the country and we will travel along the road in the bottom of the gorge on our way to Wells. This is where Cheddar cheese was first made. You are free to have lunch at one of Wells many restaurants or cafes before we leave Wells at 2.30 pm to make our way to **Cadbury Castle – the location of Camelot**. There are no remains of any building on the hilltop, which was an Iron Age hillfort, but it's a great place to connect with the energies. Evening free. Overnight at the [Francis Hotel](#).

Day 7: Tuesday June 8th (B/-/-)

Leave for **Glastonbury**. We will spend the whole of this day in Glastonbury, otherwise known as the Isle of Avalon. 10AM Glastonbury Abbey, the birthplace of Christianity in



England and referred to as the "holiest earth in England," was once the largest and most powerful abbey in all of Britain. It is no coincidence that the dual energy currents of England's most famous leyline cross at the site of the high altar. A grave in the center of the Abbey ruins is reputed to have been the resting place of King Arthur and Guinevere.

After lunch we explore Glastonbury which is full of unusual shops selling everything from candles and incense to colorful clogs, books and Goddess statues that you can peruse at your leisure. It's also the perfect time to visit the Magdalene Chapel or the museum.

In the late afternoon we'll see rising dramatically from the flat land of the surrounding Somerset Levels the huge natural mound of **the Tor**. Surmounted by **St. Michael's tower**, the Tor has been a beacon of spirituality since pagan times and still acts as a magnet for people of all beliefs. You'll hear the stories and the legends as well as experience the powerful energy and atmosphere of this sacred site. Plus the views from the top are spectacular!

We'll conclude our day in Glastonbury under the moonlight with **a private visit** to the beautiful and tranquil gardens of **Chalice Well**, one of the true healing places in this land where you are encouraged to drink from the holy well. A local legend states that the Holy Grail is hidden within the wellhead. Arrive back to our hotel in Bath. Overnight at the [Francis Hotel](#).

Day 8: Wednesday June 9th (B/-/-)

This morning we'll drive to the **Avebury** area in Wiltshire for a possible visit into a crop circle. Alternatively we'll visit some of the sacred sites in the area. After checking into our next hotel, we'll lunch at one of the many cafes in town. Then we'll leave for Salisbury for a guided tour of the 800 year old medieval **Salisbury Cathedral**, one of England's most famous Gothic cathedrals, around which



the city itself was built. There will be time to walk around Salisbury to shop and then have an early dinner before our amazing visit to **Stonehenge** this evening where we will have time at this sacred site.

We have arranged for the group to have **private special access** into the stones of the world's most famous sacred site. Touch the huge megaliths which have stood in magnificent isolation on the windswept Salisbury Plain for thousands of years, feel the pulse of powerful earth energy currents coursing beneath your feet, imagine the ceremonies which have been performed by robed priests over eons of time or just sit in quiet meditation. This is a rare opportunity to truly experience a site revered by countless generations. Overnight at [The Ivy House Hotel](#).

Day 9: Thursday June 10th (B/-/D)

This morning, Jude Currivan, our special expert, will share her insights with the group about Avebury. Together we'll enter the **Avebury Landscape Temple**, the heart center of megalithic Britain. The stone circle is just the central feature in a series of colossal earthworks spread over an area twelve miles across. The circle and its stone avenues actually formed a Serpent Temple with Avebury stone circle as the belly. After our visit we'll have lunch at the Red Lion Pub in Avebury with Jude and then have a free afternoon to explore in **Marlborough**. Farewell dinner tonight. Overnight at [The Ivy House Hotel](#).

Day 10: Friday June 11th (B/-/-)

Travel from **Marlborough to the London Airport** for our return flights home OR onward to Scotland if you are joining us for the Knights Templar Tour Extension!

Knights Templar Tour Extension

Day 10: Friday June 11th



After our sad goodbye's to our friends leaving early, we'll have lunch and then enjoy a guided tour of the **Temple Round Church in London**. This unusual round church was built as the headquarters of the charismatic Knights Templar in the late twelfth century and still holds services today. Then in the late afternoon we'll depart London for our flight to **Edinburgh** (1 ½ hr flight), check in to hotel and have the evening

free. Overnight at [The Edinburgh Apex City Hotel](#).

Day 11: Saturday June 12th (B/-/-)

This morning we'll tour **Edinburgh Castle**, the royal palace often fought over by Scotland and England. Afternoon and evening free to explore Edinburgh, the Royal city of Scotland. Overnight at [The Edinburgh Apex City Hotel](#).

Day 12: Sunday June 13th (B/-/D)

Morning visit to **Rosslyn Chapel** with local expert guide Margaretanne. Rosslyn Chapel has strong associations with the **Knight Templars** and is shrouded in mystery. The stone carvings within the chapel are full of meaning and symbolism. From the chapel we will also be able to view Rosslyn Castle. Lunch at Rosslyn Hotel. Possible afternoon visit to Temple – a ruined Templar church and graveyard set in a very tranquil location and/or Gilmerton Cove – mysterious passages carved out of the bedrock underneath the streets of Gilmerton (with local expert guide) Back to Edinburgh. Overnight at [The Edinburgh Apex City Hotel](#).



Day 13: Monday June 14th (B/-/-)

Morning flight back to **London** for our return flights home or stay on in London for some personal time!

Important Information for Women's Journey to Sacred Britain

What's Included:

- All breakfasts are included in this program. All meals are noted next to each day of the above itinerary and are in parentheses like this: (b/l/d).
- 5 dinners are included in England.
- 1 dinner is included in Scotland.
- 9 nights beautiful accommodations in England.
- 3 nights beautiful accommodations in Scotland.
- All spiritual teachings are included from Madeleine & Sheri.
- All tips for the drivers, guides, and bell boys are included.
- All ground transportation is included on this journey – our bus.
- Your internal round-trip flight from London to Edinburgh **IF** you are joining us for the extension.
- Entrance fees to all the ruins are included.
- Private time at Stonehenge!
- All guest presenters.
- Pre-trip preparation support and group teleclass.

What's Not-Included:

- Your international round-trip air flight is not-included in the cost of the journey.
- Lunch and some dinners are not-included and may need to be paid for in cash so plan accordingly.
- Beverages are not-included.
- Other non-included items would include souvenir shopping, personal phone calls, spa services, laundry and tips for your room maid (we recommend \$1.00 USD per day per person).

Sacred Britain & Scotland Trip Costs

For our Sacred Britain Journey to Avalon June 2nd-11th:

With less than 28 lovely women: \$3599.00 USD per person double occ

With more than 29 lovely women: \$3349.00 USD per person double occ

If you desire a single room, the cost is an additional \$365.00 USD per person).

For our extension to Scotland & Rosslyn Chapel June 11th-14th:

With less than 18 lovely women: \$1375.00 USD per person double occ

With more than 19 lovely women: \$1175.00 USD per person double occ

If you desire a single room, the cost is an additional \$205.00 USD per person).

A deposit of \$700.00 USD with your trip registration forms is preferred by: February 1st, 2010. Final payment is due: March 15th, 2010.

Want to join us?

Give us a ring at 727-421-0849 (or register on the website) – we can't wait to hear from you! This is a profound and heartfelt trip – meant to connect you with your inner divine consciousness. Our intention is for you to become the highest expression of Spirit and light that you can be!

