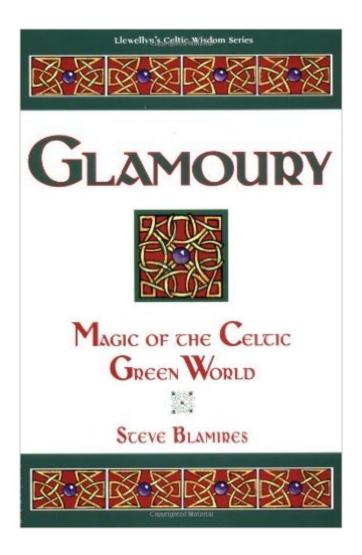
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Glamoury: Magic Of The Celtic Green World (Llewellyn's Celtic Wisdom)





Synopsis

Discover the life-affirming, magical system of the "Green World" of the ancient Celts, when you read Glamoury by Steve Blamires. The author is one of the foremost Celtic scholars in the world. He is the founder of the Celtic Research and Folklore Society and editor of their journal, Seanchas. Blamires represented the interests of the indigenous Celtic peoples during the 1993 Council for a Parliament of the World's Religions. Now he brings his expertise to this clear and fascinating collection of facts and lore. Glamoury brings together concepts from the Irish Celtic spiritual tradition, practical techniques, and extensive research into Celtic history, literature, and myth. Here you will read about: The origins of the Celts The ancient concept of time Visualization and imagination Magical techniques and attitudes The five invasions of Ireland The four cycles of Irish mythology Experiencing life as a Celtic warrior Celtic Gods and Goddesses Creating an Otherworld working area The ancient festivals (Samhain, Imbolg, etc.), including rituals for each A How to choose and dedicate your magical weapons According to the author, Glamoury "is a reference, providing a basic grounding in the subject, to give you the information you need . . . " The myths described here will reach deep into your subconscious to plant the seeds for personal transformation. The practical exercises that accompany them will activate these psychic "seeds" to expand your spiritual potential into areas previously closed to you. Glamoury will help you to take self-enriching journeys to the mystical Otherworld, attune to nature through seasonal rituals, channel magical forces, and more. Glamoury describes a system that is deeply connected to natural cyclesâ •the "Green World of the ancient Celts. It will guide you back into harmony with the Green World that our ancestors knew so well. It will give you the tools you need to live up to your true spiritual potential. That's why you need to get Glamoury.

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Customer Reviews

"Glamoury: Magic of the Celtic Green World" by Steve Blamires is one of the best resources in print when you're beginning Irish Celtic magick, but only if you are truly serious about this. This isn't a "fluff" book. It's a thorough summary of Irish Celtic magickal traditions in the context of real, documented history. This is something that sets Irish Celtic (and pre-Celtic) traditions apart from the others: Ireland was not conquered by the Romans, so its oral and written history remain intact and undiluted. The Tuatha De Danann aren't fanciful mythology but real, documented beings--"gods and not gods"--who are still a rich (and active) part of Irish traditions. Fluff and fantasy are fine. In fact, I often recommend choosing the fun path to faerie and Celtic magick because it is so beautiful and inspiring. However, when you want to roll your sleeves up and get into what we know has been real in Irish magickal traditions for thousands of years, there is no better starting point than "Glamoury: Magic of the Celtic Green World."Mr. Blamires' researching is impressive, and he guotes many important Irish historical sources. Few neo-Celtic authors have Mr. Blamires' academic background, which is why--in my opinion--this book is head-and-shoulders above most lighter treatments of this subject."Glamoury: Magic of the Celtic Green World" provides a complete array of other resources, too, including maps, biographies, pronunciation guides. Mr. Blamires offers insightful discussions about the contexts of these stories, as well as the points that are disputed or open to personal interpretation. In "Glamoury: Magic of the Celtic Green World," Mr.

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