

# POWER ANIMALS

WORKSHOP WEEKEND in GLASTONBURY with Shamanic  
teacher and practitioner,

**GEORGIEN WYBENGA**

2pm May 26<sup>th</sup>- 5.30pm 28<sup>th</sup> 2017

Power animals or totem animals have been associated with humans for ages. Animals were recognised by shamans, druids and other seers as family, the extended family, our reliable friends.

They came as guides to mirror our deepest self with the ability to give insight in our qualities, talents, knowledge, wisdom and inner power.

This is the kind of power that comes from the idea of unity, as each one of us has parts of all other beings. It is the law of oneness.

Many cultures are famous for their use of animal archetypes, including native American cultures, Australian aborigines, Celtic cultures and more.

Archetypes, which power animals also represent, are one of the levels of foundation blocks of this entire physical universe or planer of existence. They are fundamental timeless definitions that can be found anywhere on Earth, in any culture, on any continent, even before that society has any contact with other cultures.

Every human has some degree of natural connection to one or more animal archetypes. It is up to each of one of us to decide to either acknowledge and use that part of us, or be used by it. Carl Jung (the founder of Jungian Psychology) found various types of archetypes in his clinical work as a psychoanalyst and as a researcher. He was the first psychologist in the Western civilization to identify animal archetypes and found that their influence on people is normally beyond conscious control, thus breaching Psychology and Shamanism.



A totem is an element of nature (which can be a plant or animal), which is perceived by shamans to have some relationships with a person. The totem is not associated with a single member of a species, but with the whole species, the archetype rather than a specific manifestation of that archetype.

We come across the stories and myths of all kind of indigenous people about shapeshifting, co-operating with other animals for problem solving, initiation and healing. Animal guides can bring good medicine, that is undoubtable.

In learning to call on the medicine of any creature of natural force, one must maintain an attitude of reverence and be willing to accept assistance. It will inspire you to think outside the box.

## **What to expect from this workshop?**

You will find and work with the power animals through several techniques from shamanism to druidism.

I will guide you with a shamanic journey and with the use of guided meditation, you will also do some reading. You will develop your intuition and your connection to your heart the answers of your questions through your connection to the animals and to your intuition. Your intuition will be used as a tool for the ability to find, respect and use the power of the animal people.

The program will contain activities undertaken individually, in pairs and as a group.

I use shamanic drumming and rattle for the journeys. We will be outing our experience to work for our inner sight and healing.

On the Saturday evening, we will make a power tool with our power animals.

On Sunday afternoon, we will have a medicine wheel teaching to bring everything together: insight, prayers, songs and traditions.

## **Who is this workshop for?**

- ~ You want to learn about shamanism in an easy way
- ~ You want to build a smooth connection with your power animals so they can support you in your life journey
- ~ You want to find answers to your life situation through spirit
- ~ You want to connect to other people that have the same interests to find answers through nature spirits
- ~ You want to build your own tools to connect to spirit for any life situation.



**Georgien says** "It is my deepest experience through my shamanic practice that working with a totem animal intensifies your healing abilities, enhances self-confidence and provides a better understanding of the world around us.

Working with power animals can open the way to find your personal path. An animal guide can become your teacher, with whom you allow to grow and learn. In a wider aspect, it will radiate on to the benefit of the Earth and of all living creatures."

#### **After the course:**

On a personal level you will gain insight on how working with power-animals can speed up your live-process, create more self-confidence to become who we are: spiritual people. It will also be clear that a power-animal can integrate and be a helping guide in day to day live.

If you are a therapist it is very useful to know the art of working with animal-power, it will deepen your healing capabilities and bring you to a more advance development. You will then be able to recognise animal archetypes and use them therapeutically with your clients.

No previous experience is needed. We welcome everyone who is open and willing to learn. Enjoy and trust the process!

Last but not least; what you learn through this workshop will enable you to use these techniques in your personal life and professional life too. **A certificate of completion will be awarded on successful completion of the workshop.**

Georgien Wybenga has developed this unique and powerful combination of healing methods through 25 years of experience as a shamanic healer in her native Holland and around the world. Over the years, she has studied shamanism and druidry with many teachers from many cultures. She is an internationally recognized teacher and practitioner, especially in the sound-healing techniques she helped to pioneer in Europe in the 1990s.

The paintings used in this leaflet are by Georgien. For more, visit her website at: [georgienwybenga.nl](http://georgienwybenga.nl)

This special power animals workshop weekend will take place in Glastonbury, Somerset, from 2pm on May 26th 2017 and will finish at 5pm on the 28<sup>th</sup> May.

NB. Our venue has no disabled access.

To book for this unique Power Animals Weekend Workshop, contact:

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I would like to book \_\_\_\_\_ workshop place(s) at £150.00 per person. A non-refundable **deposit of £75** is required to secure your place(s) on the course. This may be paid by bank transfer (any other methods of payment please contact me).

The rest of the balance £75 needs to be transferred by the 30th of April 2017

We regret we cannot issue any refunds after this cut-off date.

After the 1<sup>st</sup> of May 2017 the workshop can still be booked for a sole payment of £175.

**Bank Transfer details: Please transfer a deposit of £75 for the securement of your space to the following account stating "Georgien's Workshop".**

**Barclays (Acc. No. 33886239, Sort code 20-52-74). For international transfers please email me.**

Please email [info@holisticunion.com](mailto:info@holisticunion.com) or phone +44 (0) 7742 418219 for more details.

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*Further details will be sent upon receipt of your deposit. It is **essential** that you read through these before coming on the course.*

*Thank you for your booking. Together with Georgien, we look forward to seeing you on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2017. With blessings, Holistic Union.*

