

Archaic Renaissance

This is the theme of this, our latest, Issue (8).

AR may be defined as a *renaissance/emergence of the embodied wisdom of the deep past*.

This deep past stretches back literally tens of thousands of years, far beyond ancient, to a time when we were grounded with earth religions, with inclusive systems of governance and thinking so that thinking and doing were not separated into their present day 'either or's'.

Clearly this is not some feteshised paleo.

Technology has brought many improvements yet socially as a race we seem not to have learnt the lessons of our past. Over and over again we have had opportunity to redress the imbalances our development has caused with Gaia. We have developed social technologies of inclusion and innovation yet see them sidelined as we fetishise the technology of war, surveillance and economic rationalism.

Enough is enough, and that is HERE and NOW!!

We have to start somewhere different we have to 'go to another mountain' as Martin Luther King intimated and look down differently on our world and then remake it in a re-newed way. Here in our eighth CRAFT (which is in fact named after this re-newed way) we explore many of the dimensions of such a move. Indeed each issue is an exploration of an important aspect of this re-newal or re-linking a religio that is CRAFT.

I hope you enjoy the Issue and can apply some of what you come across.

Please let us know how you go.....

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