

SHAMANIC PILGRIMAGE AND TRAINING IN NEPAL

March 21-April 20, 2009

3 weeks of Cultural & Shamanic Immersion
led by Larry Peters PhD., and Sarah Dole

A sacred journey to Nepal for deep immersion into the cultural, spirituality, and healing practices of Tibetan, Tamang, and other tribal shamans.



Shamanism in Nepal is mainstream. It exists alongside medicine as a viable healing system. Shamans are consulted by kings, priests, and laymen alike for healing, divination and as intermediaries with the spirits.

A key feature of this trip is a pilgrimage to Nagarkot, a sacred shrine in the Nepal Himalayas outside Kathmandu, for shamanic initiation and empowerment.



Participants receive teachings, healings, and initiation from Aama Bombo (Mother Shaman), a famous healer who embodies Kali and treats as many as 50 patients a day, often conducting dramatic healing rituals long into the night. The group will have the opportunity to observe and participate in these rituals. They will also meet and learn from other Tibetan and Nepalese shamans, Buddhist lamas, Hindu sadhus, and cultural experts, as well as visit the major residences of the deities (shrines) at the time of the festival.

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