



Call of the Trees

FAQ—Frequently Asked Questions

Do the trees actually talk?

The author, Dorothy Maclean—who received the messages of the trees for over four decades—explains, “Of course, trees and the nature world don’t talk, as we humans understand talk. In my times of contact, I do not hear words, but convey the meaning of my experiences in my own words.”

Where do the messages come from?

These tree messages were received from a higher dimension of consciousness, “beyond mind, beyond time and space, closer to Source where Oneness is reality.”

“Nature is not a blind force. It is conscious and maneuverable. It has inner vehicles just as we have.” In fact, humans have always communicated with nature.

Is this something new?

No. This is old. Really old. Our ancestors always communicated with this inner world of nature. Modern anthropologists may be surprised when indigenous persons explain that, “the plants told us,” but our ancestors would have comprehended this readily.

What happened?

We lost this ability to directly connect with nature when we began to think in abstractions, separating us from nature.

What are the themes of the messages from the Trees?

- The trees speak of love: of Oneness among humans, trees, and all the rest of life.
- Nature is conscious and intelligent, and ready to coöperate with humanity.
- The call is for humans to awaken from their sleep of separation, and to fulfill their destiny of healing the earth.

Why is *Call of the Trees* an important book for me?

On a personal level, Dorothy Maclean's *Call of the Trees* speaks to the spiritual questions we all ponder about the meaning and purpose of life: *Who am I? Why am I here? What can I do?*

Why is *Call of the Trees* an important book for everyone?

The book speaks to the critical role of trees play in the health of the Earth.

Why are trees important?

Trees are the foundations of terrestrial life.

Do we have a future without trees?

No—we do not have a future without trees. As the trees say: “Great forests must flourish—and humanity must see to this—if you wish to live on this planet. The knowledge of this necessity must become part of your consciousness, as much accepted as your need for water. You need trees just as much; the two are linked. We are indeed the skin of the Earth and skin not only covers and protects, but passes through it the forces of life. Nothing could be more vital to life as a whole than trees, trees, and more trees.”

Who is Dorothy Maclean?

Dorothy Maclean is one of the three founders of the Findhorn Community. Dorothy has been traveling the world since the Seventies giving workshops and talks about her own inner practices and attunement to the indwelling presence of God’s divine guidance. In her talks and books, she describes her many communications with the angels of plants and trees, minerals and animals, as well as groups of humans.

Besides *Call of the Trees*, Dorothy is the author of *The Living Silence*, *Wisdoms, To Hear the Angels Sing*, *To Honor the Earth*, and *Choices of Love*.

What is Findhorn?

Findhorn is a spiritual community in Scotland, an ecovillage, and an international centre for holistic education, helping to unfold a new human consciousness and create a positive and sustainable future. <<http://www.findhorn.org/>>

How many messages are in the book?

The book includes messages from 45 different tree species.

How long is the book?

Call of the Trees is a paperback book. It contains 50 chapters over 108 pages. It is illustrated with 46 full-page black-and-white photographs by Jeremy Berg, Alan Watson, and Brian Ziegler. The Forward was written by the late founder of “Men of the Trees,” Richard St. Barbe Baker; the Preface, by the co-founders of Friends of Call of the Trees, Jonathan Corcoran, Bunny Daubner, and Jennifer Vyhnak. The Introduction is by the author.

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