
Interhelp Newsletter, Fall 2009

Dear Interhelpers and Friends,

The beauties of autumn are upon us. What a blessed time of year. This weekend I am alternating putting the garden to bed for the winter with preparations for next month's annual **Interhelp Gathering**.

If you've participated in Gatherings before, come back again and help us cocreate this year's unique community. If you haven't attended before, we invite and welcome your presence.

The Gathering, held at Woolman Hill in Deerfield, MA, begins at suppertime on Friday, November 13 and finishes up after lunch on Sunday. During the day on Saturday we will create a profound and simple ritual known as the Council of All Beings. On Saturday evening we will relax and play together.

Scholarship help is available. For complete information and registration form, please go to www.interhelpnetwork.org.

You are also invited to a Work that Reconnects workshop on October 31 in Brookline, MA called **For the Earth**. Led by Joyce Reeves and Diane Reiner, it will take place at First Parish on Walnut Street from 9:30 until 4:30. For more info, contact Joyce at 2rejoyce@earthlink.net.

Feel free to send me an email message if you have questions about Gathering. Submissions to this newsletter are always welcome. Deadline for the next issue is December 30. I'd love to hear from you!

Blessings to all,

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Here's something to check out: an evolving Handbook of Sustainable Literacy, available online at <http://www.sustainability-literacy.org/multimedia.html>.

As usual, Joanna Macy's latest letter (dated August 24) on her website (www.joannamacy.net) is packed with interesting reading. She describes exercises that evolved during an intensive earlier in the summer in CA. Joanna also includes quotations from **A Year with Rilke**, her latest collaboration with Anita Barrows, release date November 17. Take note, holiday shoppers!
