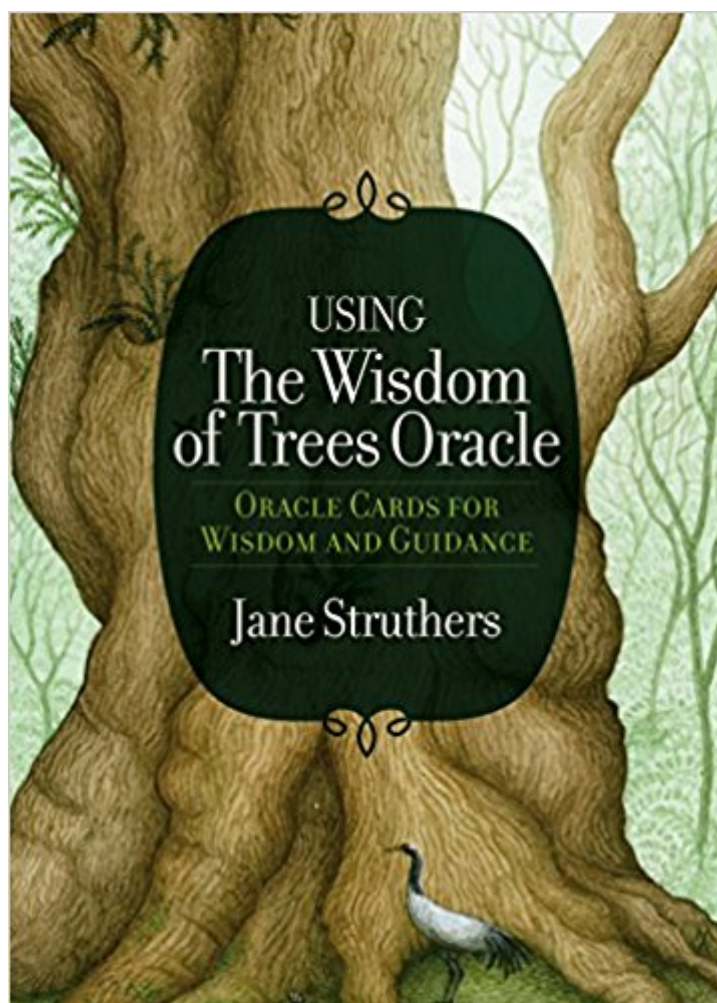


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The Wisdom Of Trees Oracle: Oracle Cards For Wisdom And Guidance



Synopsis

They have been here long before we arrived on this planet, and will be here long after we are gone. The power and wisdom of trees have been noted by many cultures throughout history, from the image of the World Tree to the symbolism of the Tree of Life. Even today, trees are regularly used as focal points of worship all over the world. Inspired by the serene and majestic beauty of nature and rich with insights from spiritual traditions from around the globe, this superbly illustrated deck and accompanying guide will help you gain new and profound levels of awareness about yourself, your relationships and where you are headed, from the wisdom of trees. Describing the mythology, symbolism and power of 40 of the world's trees, from the homely apple to the magnificent giant redwood, *The Wisdom of Trees Oracle* also introduces you to the deva, or nature spirit, that works in conjunction with each tree to give you its true message.

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Customer Reviews

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Palmistry Bible and The Psychic's Bible are both huge bestsellers, making Jane one of the most successful Mind Body Spirit authors in the UK.

This is an awesome deck and guidebook.

Beautiful cards!

This is a beautiful 40 card deck with a beautiful box package to contain them and the 80 page hardback book that comes with the deck. Inside the book, there's a short introduction that has a couple to a few paragraphs each on: Tuning in to Trees, Getting to know trees, Different characters, Devas and Nature Spirits, How to use this Oracle, Using the cards in conjunction with the book, Working with the deck. Spreads and readings, includes three spreads with sample readings for each. The deck is divided into four suits: Roots--Being, Trunk--Healing, Leaf--Wisdom, Flower, Fruit and Seed--Power. Trees covered are from all over the world including trees that are commonplace and trees that have long been considered sacred. Each tree gets one page containing: -Common Name and the Latin name (I assume it's the botanical name, but I have not looked that up yet.) -One keyword per tree, and of course the categorization of the tree into the suit. -A Deva Message of one short paragraph giving what seems to me a broad theme for the tree's spirit written in the first person. -A paragraph about the substance and history of the tree in the material world. -And finally two interpretations, one right way up, the other inverse. After the trees themselves comes three pages on Nature Sanctuaries worldwide. One page of Bibliography and Further Reading. One page with a few Useful Websites and finally a short Index consisting of mostly Common Name and Latin name with little else and then an Acknowledgements paragraph. The cards are very nicely done. The artwork on the cards is superb. They are nice and heavy with a nice gloss finish. At 3.5" x 4.75" x 0.75", they are a tiny bit wide for my particular hand, but that's anatomy-dependent and your anatomy might differ. The suits are marked by different borders. The backs are gold with light gold, brown and orange colored line drawings of leaves. For me, there is one glaring issue: First a disclaimer, I am not an expert cartomancer, nor a collector of decks (yet.) This is a new Path for me. But I am an herbalist and homeopath, widely read and experienced in esoteric, medical and spiritual disciplines, some of which I believe transfers to cartomancy in general and much of which transfers to the analysis of any botanical substance including symbolic aspects. I have no issue with the information given on each tree, but I would really have liked to see a bit more about the source(s) of that information. Here I am talking about the Deva's Message and the Interpretations. I would have

no issue with the author saying "I channeled this information by visiting trees and being given messages by the Devas themselves," or "I read everything I could find on each tree, meditated on the symbolic aspects and came up with the information," or whatever. I would just like to know a bit more about the sources of the information. This is a large enough deficiency for me, that I am detracting one star from what would otherwise have been a 5 star rating. When I get some time to work deeper with the cards, I will look up the Herbal Materia Medica, the Flower Essence Materia Medica and the Homeopathic Materia Medica information in order to flesh out the brief information given in the book. I suspect that will add much to the themes of each tree for a reading. I purchased this deck at a local New Age store for around \$25. I am glad I did, I like to support my local resources and I believe it's necessary to do so in order to maintain their presence for the future. I felt that even at that price it was a good value, at today's price of \$17.95 it's an even greater value. If you like trees, and don't mind doing a bit of research either experientially with the trees or academically with books and internet, I can highly recommend these cards.

This is one of my newest decks and I truly love it. The art work is just divine and the book is very well informed and written. I know that this will be a favourite deck of mine for years to come, and I am so happy that we connected the moment I found it tucked away on the shelf. I came back a month after buying this deck and using this deck most days to state, not will it become a favourite deck, it has become a favourite deck. My readings have been accurate reflections of the moment and the cards are a pure treat to work with.

I bought my mom these cards for her birthday because she loved them when she was looking through them at a local store. At the store, they were over \$20, so has a great price! We both have a spiritual connection with trees so anyone who feels connected to nature or would like to would love these cards. They have lovely artwork and uplifting messages. The guide book is hardcover, which is nice because many of my oracle decks have the flimsy paperback ones. Another plus is that this book also includes a reverse reading (when the card comes out upside down) I would recommend this deck. Great price.

It was not exactly what I expected. The deck is beautiful but uses the same "wisdom" that has been interpreted by other decks. I thought this deck would to into the deeper of trees themselves. In the years to come we will change and new decks will be created that goes into another level of healing, I thought this deck would be a forerunner but it is not. I have not as yet, connected with it but will

when it calls to me. I wish that the back of the card did not let me know if it is reversed or right side up, but the art goes only one way so without turning over the card I know if I have reversed card, just do not know which card it is. The same interpretation generally is in all decks now. Perhaps we are not ready yet for a going beyond what has been taught up to now. I hope we will soon.

As a Druid, this deck sung to me of the mysteries of the trees. Highly recommend this deck. I read many modalities, this is one of the best ever!

I love this deck! I seriously do. The art is beautiful and the book is thoughtful and deep. Great for nature lovers or those looking to connect more closely to trees.

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