

# Abitha's

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Well we did it folks!!! After 29 years of being in Nob Hill, Abitha's has made the move to Hoffmantown Square at Wyoming just south of Menaul.

I spent some time speaking with Aunt Marilyn (original owner) about the possibility of moving the shop due to all the changes that Nob Hill has been going through, her words were "I am surprised you haven't moved yet!"

We figured we would have a few months of looking for a new place but, as soon as we put the idea of a move to concrete everything fell into place and within 48 hours we had signed a lease and realized we had 16 days to get everything in order to make the move.

We slowly began packing, things that we did not need daily and such, and clearing away things that were no longer needed. Then on February 25th @ 5pm, we flipped the Close sign one last time and began packing inventory, reader room, and anything else that was not nailed down. With three and a half days of group hurricane in action everything was transferred to the new space.

Wednesday, February 28th, we spent the entire day getting everything set so we could open at 11am on March 1st. With the full moon's energy clearing the way, we opened on time and within minutes had some of our regulars coming in to check out our new home.

We want to take a moment and thank all those who helped with donations, packing, cleaning, hauling and setting up. It was amazing with everything that actually got done in such a short amount of time.

We hope to see you soon at the new space and keep your eye on the website, [abithas.us](http://abithas.us), for upcoming classes and events.

Blessed Be!





Love and romance come naturally with the March 1 full moon. You are not the lackluster partner. No. You are the axle on which the wheel of love turns and depends. On the fourth, the sun conjoins Neptune in Pisces. This could make a romantic fantasy irresistible. Celebrate a bright, bold new you on the March 17 new moon. You may think you're the same, but people will know better and value you more. Appreciate this and live up to it. On the full moon, and blue moon, on the month's last day, be the arbiter or peacemaker for some argumentative people. It will be easy.

The March 1 full moon says to tweak your happy place, be more comfortable, and have better health. Shine from within and be happier than ever. The new moon on the seventeenth could let you begin to fulfill a dream. Dream big. On March 20, the sun enters Aries. This is your time of the year to tackle the biggest challenge. You aren't easily discouraged. Love shines bright with the full moon, a blue moon, on the month's last day. Don't worry about coming on too strong or scaring away someone promising. The right person will be drawn to your flame. Be sincere and sensational.



### Upcoming Classes and Events

Shamanism Workshop  
Every Wednesday, Mar 14 - Jun 27  
@ 7:30pm

Abitha's Grand ReOpening~New  
Location ~ 30th Anniversary ~  
Psychic Faire Saturday 11a-8p

**KEEP YOUR EYE ON OUR  
WEBSITE~ ABITHAS.US ~  
FOR MORE INFORMATION**

### **BELTANE IS COMING**

**Registration opens March 15th**

**<http://www.beltanesouthwest.org>**

A wonderful night out ~  
An outstanding fundraiser



visit <http://www.rmhc-nm.org/events/girls-night-out/>

Full Moon March 1st 5:51pm

Third Quarter March 9th 4:19am

New Moon March 17th 7:11am

First Quarter March 24th 9:35am

Full Moon March 31st 6:36am

## MOON CYCLES

# Ostara

Spring or the Vernal Equinox Arrives Between  
March 20 - 23

Also known as: Lady Day or Alban Eiler (Druidic)

As Spring reaches its midpoint, night and day stand in perfect balance, with light on the increase. The young Sun God now celebrates a hierogamy (sacred marriage) with the young Maiden Goddess, who conceives. In nine months, she will again become the Great Mother. It is a time of great fertility, new growth, and newborn animals.

The next full moon (a time of increased births) is called the Ostara and is sacred to Eostre the Saxon Lunar Goddess of fertility (from whence we get the word estrogen, whose two symbols were the egg and the rabbit).

The Christian religion adopted these emblems for Easter which is celebrated on the first Sunday after the first full moon following the vernal equinox. The theme of the conception of the Goddess was adapted as the Feast of the Annunciation, occurring on the alternative fixed calendar date of March 25 Old Lady Day, the earlier date of the equinox. Lady Day may also refer to other goddesses (such as Venus and Aphrodite), many of whom have festivals celebrated at this time.

Traditional Foods: Leafy green vegetables, Dairy foods, Nuts such as Pumpkin, Sunflower and Pine. Flower Dishes and Sprouts.

Herbs and Flowers: Daffodil, Jonquils, Woodruff, Violet, Gorse, Olive, Peony, Iris, Narcissus and all spring flowers.

Incense: Jasmine, Rose, Strawberry, Floral of any type.

Sacred Gemstone: Jasper

Special Activities: Planting seeds or starting a Magickal Herb Garden. Taking a long walk in nature with no intent other than reflecting on the Magick of nature and our Great Mother and her bounty.