Return us to ourselves
Return us to each other
Return us to the earth
Return us to our Land: the land beneath our feet
Return us to This Moment
Return us to our knowing
remembering that we know
Return us to our rhythms
Return us to our drums
Return us to sleep in the middle of the night

Return us to our deepest desires
our shared loves
our clear visions
Return us to our bodies
to our breath
to breathing easily
Return us to knowing
how beautiful we are
Return us to ourselves
Return us to each other

By Kohenet Ilana Joy Streit
commemorating the High Holy Days

Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish new year, is the first of the High Holy Days or Yamim Noraim (Days of Awe). It begins the 10 days of repentance that culminate in Yom Kippur. The new year focuses on themes of judgment, repentance, memory and the divine presence in the world. Rosh Hashanah invites us to celebrate birth and creation on many levels. Ben Greenman, an editor and fiction writer, and Nicola Behrman, a playwright and screenwriter, decided to encourage people to put down in writing whatever thoughts they have for that time period with a project called 10q www.doyou10q.com.

Sign up to have a question a day e-mailed to you during the Days of Awe; Some sample questions:
• What’s a significant experience that has affected you over the past year?
• What is something you would have done differently over the past year?
• What global event most affected you last year, and why?
• Have you had any experiences this past year that changed the way you thought about spirituality?

Students wanting to participate in Kol Nidre on 9/22, 6:30pm at the Israel Congregation of Manchester, please contact Christina Nash for ride or more info. Christina.Nash@greenmtn.edu

In the Chapel:
Sunday - Quaker Meeting 10am (Potluck on first Sunday of month).
Monday – Yoga 6-7pm, dance 7-8pm
Wednesday – Meditation 11:30am
        Bible Study 6pm (open to anyone who would like to learn more about the Bible, or just want to be a part of the circle.)

Dinner Round Table Discussion – Most Tuesdays at 5:30 – Look for me in Withey!

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