

HOW “LIGHT COLUMNS” CAME ABOUT

By Jill Raiguel

I still remember feeling a powerful energy course between us as my friend, Deborah, and I stood in the New Jersey swamps putting in a light column. That was 25 years ago. During our advanced Reiki training, we were taught to install permanent healing columns of light in the Earth, and we were following my Reiki master's instructions. Then, in 1986, before the bicentennial celebration for the Statue of Liberty, I was told to put in eight light columns around New York City. I didn't know what was possible, but I trusted spirit had a larger vision than I could see or imagine. After hiking all over the city, I went into meditation and saw spirit connect the columns in a web. That bicentennial weekend when millions of people poured into the city, there were no muggings, no robberies, no murders, no violence of any kind. The local news even reported this unusual phenomenon for New York. To me, that was a very clear confirmation that our light work had made a concrete difference.

Fast forward, all during 2006 my spiritual team was tapping me on the shoulder saying, “Start putting in light columns again.” But the global job was too big for me alone, and I didn't know how to install columns long distance or teach others. One evening my prayer was answered: while in meditation I received a spontaneous initiation of light. I was deeply grateful. I immediately began asking how was I to teach or transfer this light to others, and during the next several months my team gave me instructions. I first taught a colleague of mine who is an outstanding clairvoyant and who is also trained in Egyptian healing techniques. After she watched me put in light several times, she confirmed my suspicion that the initiation I had received was indeed Egyptian and she confirmed that indeed I was building light columns and putting them in long distance. That's very good news, because that means we can install light columns in the polar ice caps, the oceans, major cities, and polluted rivers anywhere in the world. Then I trained a small group, and that is how the light workshop was born. Now I have conducted seven workshops in California and Oregon, so “Light Columnists” have installed 6500 light columns around the world. I will be teaching the light work at the Shaman Society Conference in Taos, New Mexico, May 2008.

Although we can't possibly know for sure what the results of installing light columns are, we have seen some indications of column work. We installed a field of light columns in the Gulf of Mexico before Hurricane Dean; when Dean hit the coast as a Hurricane 5, it died remarkably quickly. We've installed light columns in and around the Dafur region and in refugee camps; the LA Times reported that Doctors without Borders will need to close a hospital because the number patients who suffered wounds from violence has decreased dramatically. Although a violent hurricane season was predicted in the US, no hurricane has done the vast damage that Katrina or Rita did. We installed columns along the China coast and in the China Sea before the huge typhoon; although the storm hit, it did not do the massive damage to life and property that was predicted. We've installed columns in rapidly melting glaciers and the polar ice caps. One news report claimed that some glaciers have unexplainably slowed their melting. There are 50 light columns in Antarctica; the LA Times reported October 20, 2007, that the ozone hole over the area has reduced by 16%. The Southeastern US is in a serious drought; a field of light columns has been placed throughout the region. The Weather Channel reported October 22, 2007, those 2 to 5 inches of rain has fallen over Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama and some of Georgia. The weather Channel reported on December 31, 2007, that the South recorded over 4 inches of rain fell in December 2007 with a one inch surplus. California has been in a severe drought for 2 years and Los Angeles only had 3.2 inches of rain last year; this year LA has had 13.25 inches. On January 31, 2008, the Weather Channel reported that 58% of California had been in severe drought; at the end of January on 14% was. California's rain totals are now 175% above average. Are these results from light columns? We cannot be sure, but spirit tells me that the light work, “Helps anchor and in some cases resets the Earth's etheric pattern so the Earth can heal itself.”

The Hopi, Maya, traditional Peruvians, and Polynesians have long predicted that between 1989 and 2012, during these years right now, at this time right now, human kind is making a great leap in

consciousness. This is also a critical time to heal our planet; however, the window to clean up our pollution is getting smaller. My spiritual team tells me that this work assists both of these efforts. One Earth Guardian spirit told me, "Where there are light columns the Earth can sing again." Although I am careful not to make any claims, this same spirit told me, "Weather can be calmed, great sadness and angers in the Earth can be healed." The columns anchor the Earth's energetic pattern. Although the Light Column work is just one of many Earth Healing techniques, it takes only two to three minutes. To put in columns requires no prior initiation into Reiki, shamanism, or any other system. It has become part of my daily spiritual practice. With great joy I am honored to share this work with any open-hearted person. If it calls to you, I hope it will be a part of yours. **(Email jraiguel@veizon.net for more information.)**