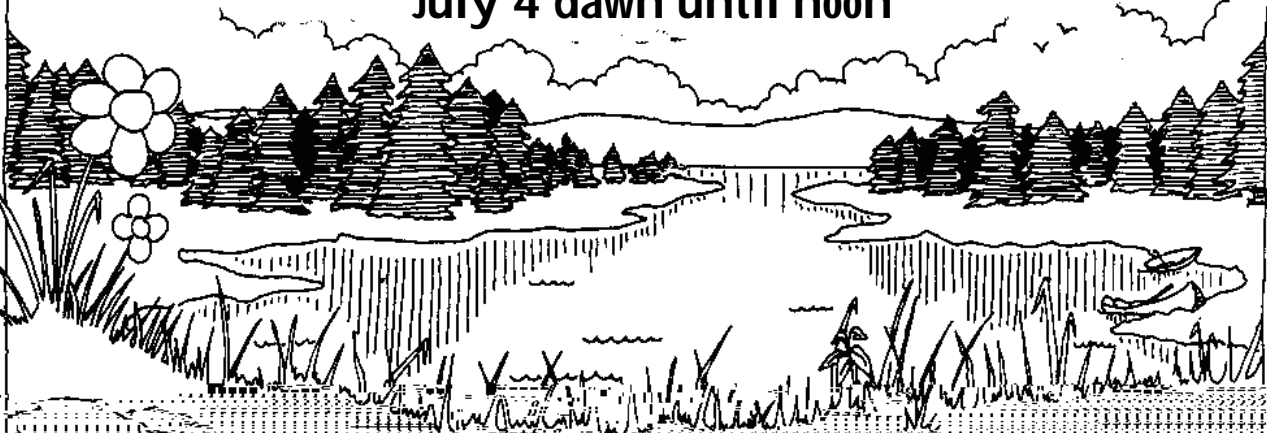


**38th Annual Rainbow Gathering of the Tribes
July 1 to 7, 2009 in New Mexico
Silent Prayer/Meditation for World Peace
July 4 dawn until noon**



One Planet ~ One People ~ One Peace

The site is beautiful; altitude is 8,500 - 9,000 feet. Be prepared for cold nights (low 40's to 50 degrees) Warm days in the mid 80's and sunny. 1/2 hour afternoon thunderstorms most days, which are downpours, bring good rain gear.

Directions from Albuquerque: Take I-25 north to U.S. Highway 550. Go north on U.S. Highway 550 approximately 65 miles to State Highway 126 (Cuba, NM). From Cuba, NM take State Road 126 East for 13 + miles to FS Road 103 on left, go 2 miles to FS Road 69 on left then drive 9 miles to where FS Road 69 meets FS Road 70.

Ignore all rumors of cancellation or organization. Please copy and distribute freely.

Drive safely and legally!

www.welcomehome.org or newmexicogathering.blogspot.com for more information

We, who are sisters and brothers, Children of God, families of life on Earth, friends of nature and of all people, children of Humankind calling ourselves Rainbow Family tribe, humbly invite: all races, peoples, tribes, communes, men, women, children, individuals - out of love; all nations and national leaders - out of respect; all religions and religious leaders - out of faith; all politicians - out of charity; to join with us in gathering together for the purpose of expressing our sincere desire that there shall be peace on Earth, harmony among all people . . . and to hold upon worship, prayer, chanting, or whatever is the want or desire of the people beginning the 1st day of July, but upon the 4th day of July, from dawn until high noon, to ask that there be a meditative contemplative silence wherein we, the invited people of the world, may consider and give honor and respect to anyone or anything that has aided in the positive evolution of humankind and Nature upon this, our most beloved and beautiful world - asking blessing upon we people of this world and hope that we people can effectively proceed to evolve, expand and live in harmony and Peace. Amen.

This is a Spiritual Gathering, absolutely Free & non-commercial, supported by our voluntary cooperation. We are here to express and rejoice in the sacredness of ourselves, nature, the land, and the spirit that connects us all. Tread lightly, with great respect, as you enter the Cathedral of Nature.

RAP 107 - GATHERING CONSCIOUSNESS

Please protect this Beautiful Land Walk softly. Harm no living thing. Harmonize - Blend in. Use only down, dead wood. Do not cut living trees. Preserve the Meadows . . . camp in the Woods. And remember, We are caretakers of this land. Everyone sharing makes a strong Human Tribe!

Please **Protect the Water Sources** by staying out of DELICATE spring areas. Avoid camping, peeing or washing above spring areas. **Keep ALL soap out of streams, springs or the creek!** Use a bucket to take your bath 300 feet away from the water source. To be

certain drinking water is safe: boil it for ten minutes at a rolling boil! **Use the slit trenches or covered latrines** - cover your paper & waste with ashes or lime, wash hands afterwards. Break the fly/illness connection: ***-fly-food-you! **Dig no shitters near water areas or kitchens.** Protect our Health! Use your own cup, bowl & spoon! Wash them after eating and rinse in bleach-water. Go to C.A.L.M. if you feel ill - especially if you have a contagious disease - or are injured.

Camp Together Establish neighborhoods. **Community Fires only!** Keep a 5 gallon bucket of water and shovel nearby for Fire Protection. If you are the last to leave a fire **PUT IT OUT!** Please, **NO fireworks!** Keep you camp secure. Tempt Not Lest Ye Be Lifted From. **Pets are discouraged**, but if you must bring them, keep them fed, on a leash and out of the kitchens, springs & fights. Clean up their poop. Love them. **PACK IT IN - PACK IT OUT !!!** Cleanup begins when you arrive. Please bring only what is necessary. There is no janitor here . . . **YOU are the cleanup crew.** Separate Garbage for recycling. Please **DONT LITTER** - Find a collection point. Compost in pits only. You are the Gathering! Participate and Volunteer! Participate in Shanti Sena (the peace keepers council), work crews, workshops, councils and all activities.

Volunteer wherever and whenever needed: kitchens, welcome home, firewatch, parking lot, shitter digging, supply, front gate, etc. R-E-S-P-E-C-T your Sisters & Brothers energies. Keep the Balance: Earth, Sky, Trees, Water &

People! Alcohol is Discouraged, Guns are Inappropriate, Violence is contrary to the Spirit. Please do not take pictures or videos of people without asking their permission first. Discourage Drug Abuse. Buying and selling endangers our right to be here. The Magic Hat is our Bank, please donate early to fund our needs. The Magic Hat goes around at Dinner Circle and with the Magic Hat Band. Our power together is many times our power separated. **Enjoy the Rainbow with an open heart and you will see the Vision.** Join us

on July 4th for a Silent Contemplation & Prayer for Peace, respect those maintaining silence from dawn. Hold the silence until the arrival of the Children's Parade.

For more information, visit welcomehome.org or therainbowfamilytribe.tribe.net or <http://home.earthlink.net/~scrollinfo/newmexico.html> or google "New Mexico Rainbow Gathering 2009". Find family on Facebook at RAINBOW FAMILY OF FACEBOOK.

