



# Tree of Living & Dying

## A Gathering for Sacred Story

For life and death are one,  
even as the river and the sea are one.

—Khalil Gibran

*Gratitude to FTT Design, of Grants Pass, for the Tree of Life image to the left. These local artists may be found at Farmer's Markets throughout the Rogue Valley. Contact them at [fttdesign@gmail.com](mailto:fttdesign@gmail.com)*

## Sacred Story Ceremony

Saturday evening, May 20, 6:30—9:00 pm

\$10 in advance / \$15 at the door

Register at [ReshFoundation.org](http://ReshFoundation.org)

Space is limited: Register early to ensure a seat!

This is a ceremonial gathering in which we honor ancient patterns of celebrating the cyclical relationship between life, death and re-birth. Stories which honor deaths' many forms—personal identity, environmental dis-ease, decline of cultural values or death of beloveds—are woven into a collective ceremony of embodied story.

All who are contemplating what it means to be born, live a life, and die, or who grieve personal losses, will find a space where story and deep witnessing guide us toward a deepened acceptance of death as part of life.

Held at *Gathering* (formerly *The Haven*) & 1970 Ashland Street, Ashland, OR 97520

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