

On-line Resources

1986 CE, Rune-Gild UK, headed by author and Troth Elder Freya Aswynn, is founded.

1987 CE, The Ásatrú Free Assembly disbands.

1987 CE, Edred Thorsson and James Chisholm found the Troth, an organization dedicated to the promotion of the Germanic religion and culture.

1988 CE, The Ásatrú Alliance, a small group of loosely organized member kindreds, was founded.

1989 CE, A Book of Troth by Edred Thorsson, the first book on Ásatrú published by a major American book publisher is printed by Llewellyn Publications.

1993 CE, The disbanded Rune-Gild UK becomes the Ring of Troth UK now the Ring of Troth Europe, an independent organization affiliated with the Troth.

1996 CE, Ásatrú is mentioned in the December 16th Time magazine article, "Can Thor Make a Comeback?" about religion in cyberspace.

Today, Heathenism of all varieties is thriving.

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American Vinland Association

A Heathen, Non-Profit Religious Organization

<http://www.freyasfolk.org/main.htm>

Angelseaxisce Ealdriht

Anglo-Saxon Heathery

<http://www.ealdriht.org/>

Ásatrú Alliance

A family oriented association of independent kindreds

<http://alliance.eagleut.com/>

Ásatrú Folk Assembly

Building tribes & walking the spiritual path of our ancestors

<http://www.runestone.org/>

Ásatrúarfélagið (Ásatrú Fellowship)

The fastest growing religious group of Iceland

<http://www.asatru.is/english/index.htm>

Heiðni

A reconstructionist Norse Heathen site

<http://www.goldenfuture.net/heathenry/>

Hrafnar Kindred

A garth of the Troth with many useful articles

<http://www.hrafnar.org>

Irminsul Ættir

Church organization & voluntary Ásatrúar association

<http://www.irminsul.org/>

Jordsvin's Norse Heathen Page

Information on Norse Religion and Magic

<http://members.aol.com/jordsvin/kindred/kindred.htm>

The Troth

A networking organization and recognized church

<http://www.thetroth.org>

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ÁSATRÚ

The Northern Way

"Every speaker of English is an inheritor of a culture shaped by a Germanic world-view."

- KveldúlfR Gundarsson.

"We have older beliefs in Iceland. Why should we not bring them back to life?"

- Sveinbjörn Beinteinsson



"Ásatrú is the spiritual path of our ancestors, and as such it deserves respect just like the religion of the Indian peoples, the African nations, or any other group on Earth."

- Stephen McNallen

The spiritual way of the North is known by many names and traditions. Ásatrú, Heathenry, Vor Siður, The Elder Troth, Northern Way, Forn Sed, Theodism, and many others.