

## A Quest Into the 77th Novel

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"Reap from the illumated sky  
...and become visible to thy eye!"  
"I beseech thee; I entreat me"  
"O circle of storms, my shield is cracked!"

We stand here to cultivate  
And summon smoke from the meadow  
A sweep of an athame  
(The widdershin), willunlock the deep portals

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"Ye overseer of the watchtowers below all clouds; we thank  
you for framing the Rite of Hagiel. Bygone and beyond, we  
must always and without ease, be explused.

The season or solstice is complete when the shepherd of  
Wolves lie upon vanishing hill's way. We shall lure thy  
lost flock from shadows onto day.

Aloneness is our space of winged sleep and sight; therefore,  
watchtowers burn before the lift of the twilight"