

Women's Vision Quest

July 22-29, 2023

Primitive Camp
Pine Barrens, NJ



The Women's Vision Quest

There is a beauty and wisdom in the energy and power that women carry. At this time, all across Mother Earth, women are joining together and strengthening this Medicine to bring it more fully into the world. Gathering together, gaining clarity, purpose, and depth to our Earthwalk as women.

The Vision Quest is a powerful experience, bringing us to the center of who we are and the unique gifts we can bring to the world. It is a time-honored ceremony connecting us deeply to the Creator and the Earth. Coming together while undertaking the Vision Quest is a very synergistic and impactful way to make a difference in our lives and in the world at a time when change, and women of Vision, are very needed.

The Quest is four days and four nights alone in nature, leaving behind all distractions so we can focus deeply on our journey. This Vision Quest is set up in the tradition passed down by Grandfather Stalking Wolf. It will be preceded by preparation and guidance, and followed by a time of reintegration and reflection. You do not need previous experience with the Vision Quest to participate, just a longing of your heart to embark on this remarkable journey.

Come join us in the beautiful and powerful primitive camp of the Pine Barrens in New Jersey where so many Visions have been born. Both an instant and an eternity, it can touch your heart deeply and change your life forever.

Why Quest?

Vision Questing is a time-honored tradition. Why? Because it works. It helps you to clarify who you are and what your purpose is on this Earthwalk. Connecting deeply with yourself, the Creator, and Mother Earth, your vision clears and there is a deeper strength and confidence in each step you take. It is a time of letting go of the distractions and demands of your life so you may become clearer and more empowered on all levels of your being. Quiet, listen, and transform. Live more authentically. Live a visionary life.

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Elizabeth Moes felt an intense spiritual call to protect Vision Quests and attended the first rigorous Vision Quest Protector Training Course in 1993, learning to set up a Quest as Grandfather Stalking Wolf himself would for early questers. Since 1994, Elizabeth has guided and protected numerous people on Vision Quests; trained others how to protect a quest; and has deep experience with the Vision Quest itself, having personally undertaken numerous traditional four day quests.

Over the last thirty years, Elizabeth has studied extensively with Tom Brown, Jr., and is one of Tom's Elders at the Tracker School. Elizabeth holds a breadth of knowledge, a depth of experience, and a driving passion for the Vision Quest itself. She will be assisted by several women who have been trained as protectors.



## Logistics and Registration

“I feel privileged to have shared my most personal challenge with people who made me feel so accepted, protected and fully informed during my four day gift from the Creator.”

–Laurie MacLean, *quester*

The Vision Quest provides all the answers to life, to spirit.

–Grandfather Stalking Wolf



“My Vision Quest with Elizabeth was one of the most remarkable, empowering, and growthful experiences of my life. The gentle and insightful approach skillfully held a safe and expansive space for us and the expert guidance facilitated my having the most powerful experience available to me.”

–Romana Cretnik, *quester*

“For anyone thinking about going on this journey, don’t hesitate. Do it. Trust the protectors. Trust the process. Trust yourself.”

–Kristin Armstrong, *quester*

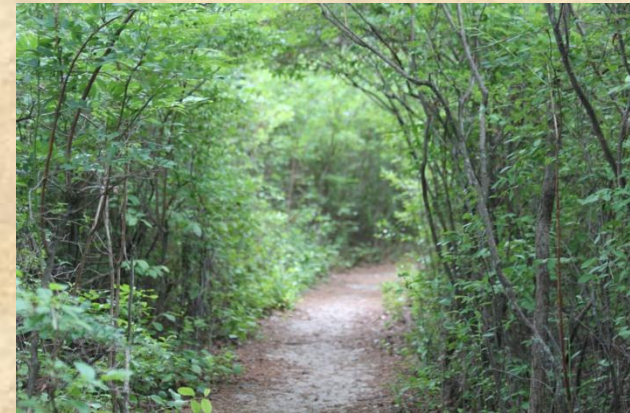
Countless ceremonies and hundreds of Vision Quests have been undertaken in the beautiful Pine Barrens of New Jersey. There is great momentum and power in questing in this place where numerous Visions have been born, and a deep connection to the Creator and the Earth has been wrought. The power of this place is vibrant with spirit, Vision, and profound transformation.

The program will be held July 22-29, 2023. The format is a traditional four-day Vision Quest. It will be preceded by preparation and guidance, and followed by a time of reflecting and integrating your Vision into your life.

The suggested donation is not a payment for the Vision Quest or any ceremony. It reflects the small group format and the many expenses involved including land rental, supplies, insurance, travel expenses, etc. Furthermore, it reflects your commitment and respect for your protectors’ efforts in providing this opportunity. Suggested donation: \$675-\$775 in U.S. funds. There may also be some partial sponsorship and trade opportunities. There is no prerequisite for the VQ. Registration deadline: July 19.

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When I dare to be powerful  
to use my strength in the  
Service of my VISION,  
then it becomes less  
and less important  
whether I am  
afraid.                   –Audre Lorde

“I have been on several Vision Quests and the best for me personally is that run by Elizabeth. A small group of women makes the camaraderie close and personal and the loving guidance from Elizabeth and the other protectors is amazing. This is the Vision Quest I will be attending annually. The power of it cannot be overstated.”

–Janice Christie, *quester*

“The Women’s Vision Quest with Elizabeth Moes turned out to be one of the most powerful and defining experiences of my life.... I cannot recommend this event too highly.”

–Ginta Zvilius, *quester*