

The 13 Atheopagan Principles

- 1. SKEPTICISM: I recognize that the metaphorical is not the literal.
- 2. REVERENCE: I honor the Earth which produced and sustains humanity.
- GRATITUDE: I am grateful.
- 4. HUMILITY: I am humble.
- **5.** PERSPECTIVE: I laugh a lot...including at myself.
- 6. PRAXIS: I enact regular ritual in observance of my religion.
- 7. INCLUSIVENESS: I celebrate diversity and am respectful of difference.
- **8.** LEGACY: I recognize and embrace my responsibility to the young and future generations.
- **9.** RESPONSIBILITY: I acknowledge that freedom is tempered by responsibility.
- **10.** PLEASURE POSITIVE: I celebrate pleasure as inherently good, so long as others are not harmed in its pursuit and the Four Pillars (Life, Love, Beauty and Truth) are respected.
- 11. CURIOSITY: I understand that knowledge is never complete. There is always more to be learned.
- 12. INTEGRITY: I conduct myself with integrity in word and deed.
- 13. KINDNESS AND COMPASSION: I practice kindness and compassion with others and myself, recognizing that they and I will not always meet the standards set by these principles.