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I favour April to be the perfect month to re-commit my vows on “diviner’s ethics”. It’s Easter Month, resurrection, rebirth, and miracles are what come to my mind when I think of April. And divining has always been at the top of the charts when it comes to miracles. With every rebirth however, we must first consider what we want to be brought forward and what we’re leaving behind. Ethics are valuable enough to be carried along with you to your next life and in the world of divination ethics are complicated. Of course there are the obvious ones such as not demanding an inordinate amount of money from some innocent soul to remove a hex or charm, but what about the more juxtaposition ones like being honest and making sure everyone leaves your reading room feeling good? This is a conundrum for any diviner. There are things in life that just don’t make you feel good, especially when you think they are ahead of you. It’s nice when they are behind but what about ahead? Few clients can imagine the anxiety new readers go through just before turning over that outcome card. You think you’re anxious!

In my practice I have reconfigured this ethic to be about empowerment. The last thing I want to do is take responsibility for anyone else’s life no matter how hard they work to make this so! And some work pretty hard. So I rebirth every year my commitment to ensuring that everyone I read for leaves with some new tool to effectively address the challenges ahead. It might be affirmation charts, journaling, dreamwork, or a snippet of wisdom I catch from the reading itself. To everyone learning to be diviners, I suggest you give this aspect of your new work some very serious consideration. This is the challenge that strikes terror in the hearts of esoteric arts students. As I prepare to teach a whole new group how to read the Tarot, I ponder how they will work through this initial test.

**NEW Introduction and Intermediate Certification Courses in KW**



A few weeks ago I wandered into Holly Oak Bookstore and Gifts on Regina to chat with the staff there and pick up the latest word on New Age in the Waterloo Region. This is one of the very best places in our region to plug into the divination community. Everyone who has had the pleasure of stopping in to visit I'm sure would agree. Well, Holly Oak has a new mother. Sandi Loytomaki is re-making Holly Oak in a fashion like it's never been before. And you really must have a conversation with Sandi to get a sense of how stellar her vision is. Just see if you are the same person after that conversation! Sandi is a world travelled, healing workshop facilitator herself, and shares my passion for teaching healing and spirituality. She is now at the precipice of connecting a new training institute to Holly Oak, called The Opening Way and is very busy clearing the space upstairs for workshops, classes, courses, training in mysteries and healing. Believe me this is only the tip of her vision coming into manifestation.

I will be teaching my Tarot Certification Program at the Opening Way beginning next month.

\$120 - 6 week Introduction to the Tarot Wednesday Evenings 7 – 9 PM May 10<sup>th</sup> – June 21

\$160 - 6 week Intermediate to the Tarot

June 28 – August 2

Information sheets will be made available upon registration and discounts will be offered to registered students on course materials. To Register go to Holly Oak Books 24 Regina St. N. Waterloo – phone 519-725-2681.

A full Certification Program to Professional Tarot Reader will be offered early in 2007 and I'm presently constructing courses on more divination tools such as the pendulum, runes, and scrying (crystal and water gazing for divination).

**Web Site [www.tarotbykathleen.com](http://www.tarotbykathleen.com)**

My web site has gone through an amazing transformation over the past month with the help of a dear man by the name of Sergey Pavlov who can be found at [www.vendorland.ca](http://www.vendorland.ca). He is simply the best. If you need a web site and help with optimization, he's the one. In the next week I will

launching the first in my series of downloadable eBooks in PDF format. The first is *Tarot, Women and Magic* which is a collection of articles I've written on the subject. I already have a section for Tarot Secrets which is a few of the articles I've published over the past few years. In time I plan to make my full courses available on the site so that students can get the course in full text.



My other web site continues to grow in leaps and bounds also thanks to my new technowizard, Sergey. I've launched a new section here called, "True Psychic Tales" which is a collection of true stories of readings I've done over the past few years. Please visit and if you have a great psychic/reading tale – submit it to enter the contest and win a free email reading! We're attracting visitors and clients already from around the world. If you would like a distance reading you'll find me available most days.

### Royal York Tea and Tarot Thursdays



I can still be found at the Royal York's Epic Dining Room on Thursday afternoons for Tea and Tarot. The picture above was taken at an annual tea party for a wonderful group that I always look forward to reading for! If you wish to book a Tea and Tarot celebration on a lovely Spring Thursday afternoon, call the Epic to reserve a place 416-860-6949.

**Tarot Professional Graduate Linda Paulson**



Linda Paulson also began her studies with me at the Learning Annex in Toronto in 2003 and graduated with her Professional Certificate in April 2005. Linda has a background in Jung studies and has been studying divination, synchronicity and alternative healing for many years. She lives in downtown Toronto and is developing a successful reading practice. Recently she joined with 3 other Professional Graduates to form a new group called, Psychic Tarot Readers! They hosted a booth together recently at the Holistic Expo in Toronto in March. Linda can be reached @ [lindapaulson@rogers.com](mailto:lindapaulson@rogers.com) or phone 416-653-7448.

#### Quote

***"In the dark and gloomy room, gazing at the Tarot cards laid out before her, the Tarot reader delivered the bad news;***

***"There is no easy way to tell you this so I'll just be blunt. Prepare yourself to be a widow. Your husband will die a quick, violent and horrible death this year."***

***Visibly shaken, the woman stared at the Tarot cards, the psychic's lined face, then at the single flickering candle, then down at her trembling hands. She took a few deep breaths to try to compose herself. She simply had to know. She met the Tarot reader's gaze, steadied her voice, and asked:***

***"Will I get away with it?"***

Anonymous.

Blessings and all the best of the Spring!

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