



Welcome to Gateway Peace Garden

The Gateway Peace Garden began with a sincere prayer to fulfill a higher purpose with our lives. The manifestation of this prayer guided us to Mount Shasta and to the property that became the Peace Garden. Still not knowing what that purpose was, we set out to plant some flowers on the land. A simple Shasta Daisy plant inspired us to place it near a grove of cedar trees, where the vision of the Mother Mary Meditation Garden unfolded. It became very clear that the land would be consecrated and dedicated to Peace. In August of 2002, the Gateway Peace Garden was initiated with the planting of the Mother Mary Meditation Garden.

Inspired by the natural landscape of cedars, oaks, and manzanita along with the majestic views of Mount Shasta and the surrounding mountains, the journey continued with the co-creation of other meditation niches, the labyrinth, and the Peace Pole. The Gateway Peace Garden continues to unfold with the purpose of Peace and the guidance of Nature.

Mission Statement

The message of the Gateway Peace Garden is "World Peace Through Inner Peace". The mission is to steward a Consecrated Garden where one may experience a moment of Peace within the setting of Nature, and then carry that feeling of Peace into their daily lives and into the World. Peace within ourselves is a prerequisite to World Peace.

Together the Garden joins the many Peacemakers whose sincere efforts are bringing humanity towards Oneness and closer to World Peace. The Garden is just one flower that manifests the seeds of Peace that will take root around the World.



Visit To The Garden



The Gateway Peace Garden is open for quiet visitation and meditation everyday from sunrise to sunset. Mount Shasta has a highly seasonal climate ranging from balmy summer days with temperatures in the high 90's, to severe winter storms producing five or more feet of snow at a time. Spring wildflowers and intense Fall colors are abundant here. Often snowfalls of several feet or more will completely bury the Garden in Winter. At these times the Garden is completely inaccessible due to the depth of the snow. The Garden is considered closed at these times when the trails are no longer visible. During mild winters, the Garden can be visited year round.

Directions:

From the Mt. Shasta Visitor's Center, Turn Left onto W. Lake St. and continue on straight into E. Lake St. after the stop lights. Stay on E. Lake St., the road will then merge into Everett Memorial Highway about a half a mile up. Continue on Everitt Memorial Highway past the High School. Ski Village Drive is the first road on the left after the railroad tracks. The Garden is the first address on the left at 834 Ski Village Drive. Park under the oak tree and find the trailhead at the address sign with the Peace Dove.



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