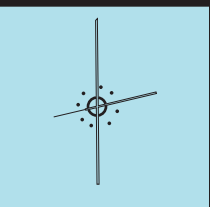


A fixed point on earth with exceptional energy linking the earthly with the celestial. The site is protected from misuse by structures that limit access to the uninitiated.

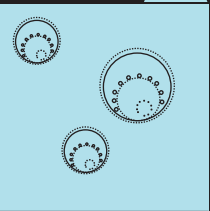


Omphalos

36°26'41.73"N
99°20'8.01"W

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A constructed mound of stones often made from scavenged materials. Cairns are used as markers for navigation, astronomical observations, or as portals to the Otherworld.

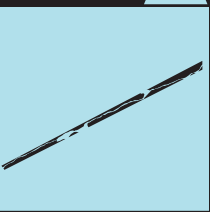


Cairns

44°17'32.04"N
96°7'11.07"W

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Gates of Hell are sites where natural gas emissions burn within or through the earth's surface and are thought to be entrances to the netherworld.

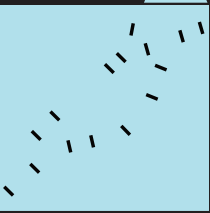


Gates of Hell

33°31'14.90"N
99°18'22.33"W

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Megaliths are stone structures used to delineate processional ways, mark territories, and portals. The monuments offer places of gathering and a connection between earth and sky.

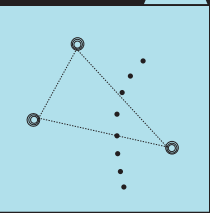


Megaliths

35°2'28.46"N
85°23'21.52"W

4

Holy mountains are sources of power that can inspire personal insight and transformation. Mountain power is often viewed as dangerous and access to them is a restricted center point of the world.



Holy Mountains

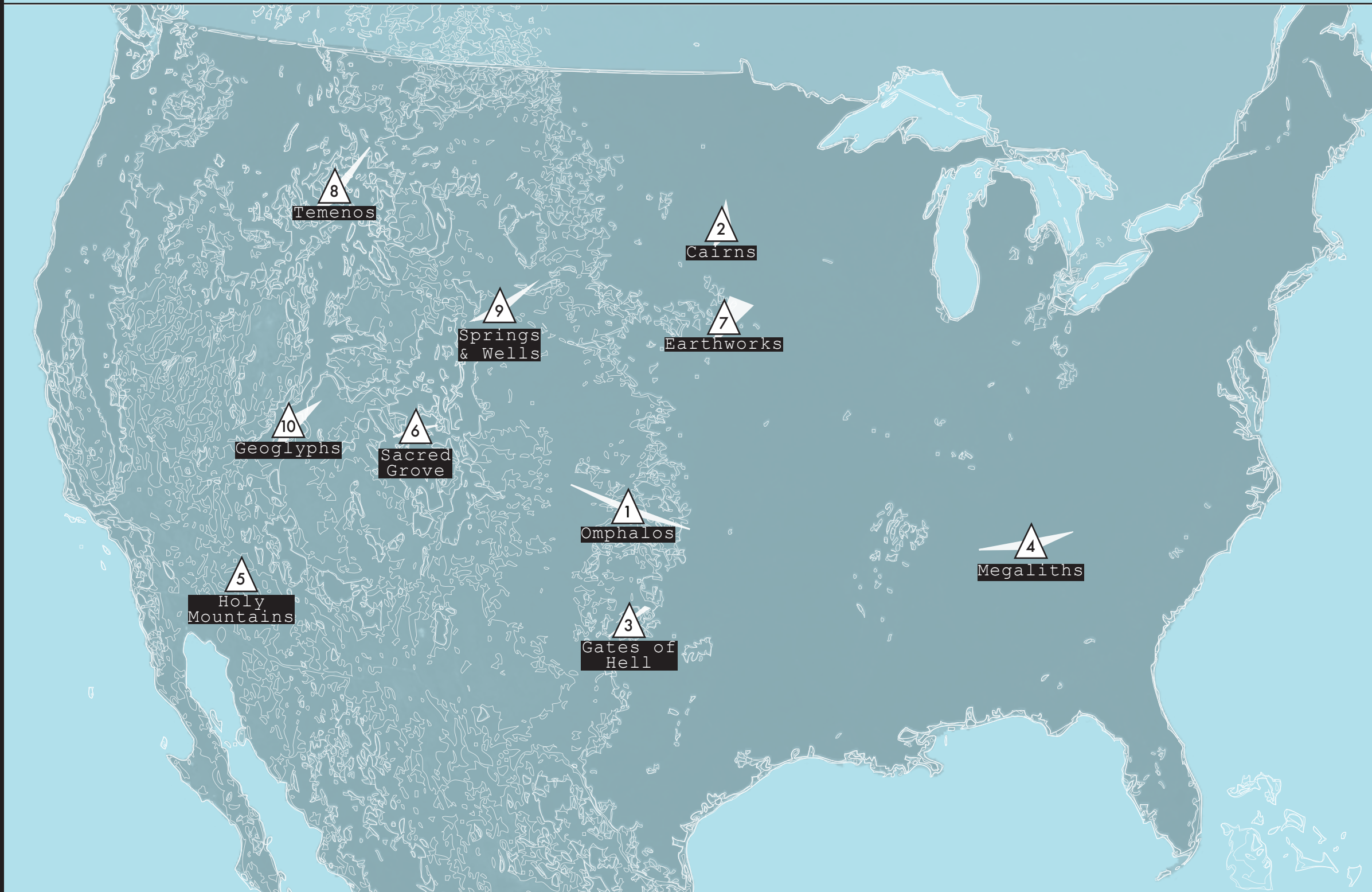
33°26'33.82"N
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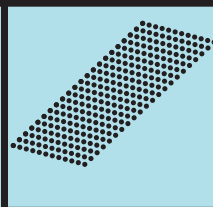
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SACRED STATES OF AMERICA

Pilgrimage Tour

This map plots the pilgrimage route between ten geomantically identified future sacred sites. Route sequence is determined by the order the sites were divined.



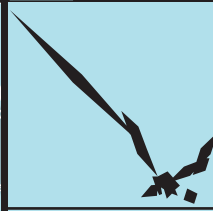


Sacred groves serve as living temples for meetings, refuge, and final resting places where the soul finds eternal peace. Sometimes trees are an index showing connections between the living and nonliving.

Sacred Grove

38°16'23.68"N
107°14'13.10"W

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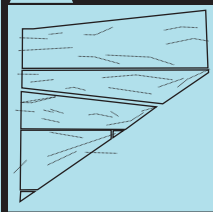


Earthworks are built for ceremonies, burials, protection, or remain as remnant farming technologies. Serve as links between human awareness and the natural forms of the earth's surface.

Earthworks

41°46'46.05"N
95°51'9.53"W

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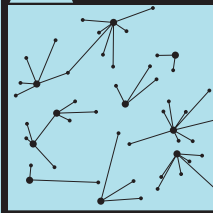


A temenos is a place marked off from general use and dedicated to a greater power. Areas reserved for the worship of gods. The idea symbolizes territories or areas for deities.

Temenos

44°48'51.68"N
111°49'11.78"W

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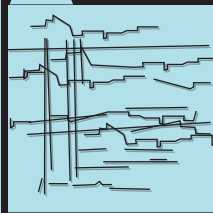


Sacred water sources include pools, natural springs, seeps, and underground springs. These sites have healing powers attributed to the presence of a guardian spirit.

Springs & Wells

41°50'47.87"N
104°31'4.77"W

9













Geoglyphs are large scale images carved into the earth, best viewed from above. The images are made by stripping, covering, or trenching to reveal a contrast with the surroundings.

Geoglyphs

37°58'28.47"N
111°48'22.21"W

10

Disclaimer: Sacredness is created through visitor interactions at these sites. Access to the sites might be restricted-double check before trespassing and be respectful.

<div>1 Omphalos</div> <div>Intersection of two fence lines in a field north of the North Canadian River.</div> <div>  </div> <div>Enhance the exceptional energy of the omphalos by excavating the center of the site. Protective concrete structures will surround and cover the site.</div>	<div>2 Cairns</div> <div>Farm fields north of Tyler, Minnesota along Route 8.</div> <div>  </div> <div>Survey the center points of the cairns and mark the radii with evenly spaced objects. Bring hard materials to develop the constructions.</div>	<div>3 Gates of Hell</div> <div>Scrubland southwest of Seymour, Texas and west of the Brazos River.</div> <div>  </div> <div>Oil and gas exploration in the area triggers increased seismic activity. A rift opens and the buried natural gas reserves catch fire.</div>	<div>4 Megaliths</div> <div>Transmission towers running east to west on Raccoon Mountain.</div> <div>  </div> <div>The locations of the megaliths correspond with specific towers in the transmission line. Identify towers and begin creating the stone foundations.</div>	<div>5 Holy Mountains</div> <div>Volcanic chimneys southwest of Tonopah, Arizona.</div> <div>  </div> <div>The points of power are located on and marked with pillars. Ditches connect the sacred points between the three mountains.</div>
<div>6 Sacred Grove</div> <div>Valley north of the Gates of the Caldera.</div> <div>  </div> <div>Trees are arranged through the site on a 30' isogrid. Establish the grid so that trees can be planted by visitors.</div>	<div>7 Earthworks</div> <div>Loess hills northeast of the Missouri River.</div> <div>  </div> <div>Convert more land to farm production by leveling topography. Pile excess dirt in valleys and sculpt into forms that commemorate the area's agricultural history.</div>	<div>8 Temenos</div> <div>Copse of trees on a flat mountain plain sloping to the west.</div> <div>  </div> <div>Trees mark the center of the temenos. Delineate the surrounding territory with walls, fences, and ditches to limit access.</div>	<div>9 Springs & Wells</div> <div>Area surrounding the bluff line north of Chugwater Creek.</div> <div>  </div> <div>Water prospectors bore holes through the area in search of groundwater. Sites with water are marked with stone piles.</div>	<div>10 Geoglyphs</div> <div>Plateau top in the Dixie National Forest.</div> <div>  </div> <div>Site development begins with surveying the geoglyph. Trenching and mounding delineates the pattern across the plateau.</div>