

In June of 2018 Jo, John and Dylan made a journey with the goal of connecting our Henge, Koreon Aralia, to the inner temple in the megalithic city of Nan Madol, in Pohnpei, Micronesia.

On Thursday, July 12, 2018 Jo Carson described the surprising results of this pilgrimage on The Hermetic Hour, with host Poke Runyon. You can [listen to the show](#) .

These photos illuminate her tale of magic and adventure.

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Few people have heard of Pohnpei, a Micronesian island less than 40 miles across, with about 34,000 residents. Poke Runyon of the Order of the Temple of Astarte described going there back in the early 90s, and his tales about exploring the lost city of Nan Madol were the inspiration for our trip.

and several amphibians, too, took precedence, too strong, the snakes, lizards or birds.



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The original name of this place was 'Nah-Magow'. The place felt dark and mysterious, with a sense of history and magic. The stone wall and the large tree trunk were the first signs of the ancient civilization.

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section of the trail, last night. This was just before the slide on the side of the



There are huge, bat-filled cave overhangs at Pahntakai Falls- the small, sloping trail is on the



This two foot stack of leaves and ferns is for the god Luhk, or luck - we added ours.



Kilmer then guided me and the others to the site. Wagon left, Kilaad explained to the owners that we

Falls was a beautiful view, a steep, rocky hillside, a view of the hillsides. Getting to the base of the



Feeling blessed at Pahntakai Falls - Jo



Is this the Sleeping Lady?

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