



DANCING THE SACRED, MOVING THE WORLD...

The **Sacred Dance Guild** has been dedicated to sharing and celebrating dance as a Sacred art since **1958**.

***One People, One Planet and One Heart in the Dance of Life.***

- ❖ We embrace dance as a universal language of the soul.
- ❖ We embrace a network of people creating a world of peace, harmony, and justice through movement.
- ❖ We embrace people sharing dance anywhere in the world, moving to connect heart, mind, body, and spirit to the divine, alone or in community.
- ❖ We honor and celebrate the sacred in dance and movement across all cultures, faiths, and beliefs.
- ❖ We envision a world community committed to living life with compassion, creativity and in service of a greater good.

Our members range from those dancing in their living rooms to those performing on stage including:

- ❖ Ethnic, cultural, folk dancers, sacred circle dancers, etc.
- ❖ Educators who teach across all sectors of dance and the arts
- ❖ Professional dance artists
- ❖ Dance therapists, holistic healers, shamans
- ❖ People dancing for personal prayer/meditation
- ❖ Spiritual leaders - dance ministers, clergy, theologians and sacred ritual facilitators
- ❖ Dancers in worship environments - Christian liturgical dance, Hindu temple dance, Jewish sacred dance, Japanese Shinto, African ritual dances, Tantric Buddhist dances, Sufi whirling, Native American ceremonies, Hawaiian Hula Kahiko, and others
- ❖ Those who practice movement forms - Tai Chi, Yoga, Authentic Movement, NIA, Pilates, ecstatic dance, conscious dance, Interplay, labyrinth walking, etc.
- ❖ Community engagement and social justice advocates

The Sacred Dance Guild connects passionate people globally, from Zanzibar to Arizona, from Canada to Australia, bringing together a vast and diverse community. This inclusive and rich kaleidoscope nurtures the synergy of dynamic exchange through:

- ❖ Leading, inspiring, supporting, and sponsoring sacred dance events including festivals, workshops, community events, performances, retreats, and facilitator training.
- ❖ Managing a website, social media, an online journal, sacred dance blogs, and a sacred dance video series.

The Sacred Dance Guild is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization in the United States with an administrative management company in Maryland and a volunteer Board of Directors from all over the world.

***Come Dance the Sacred and Move the World...***

***Join us now at***

**[www.sacreddanceguild.org](http://www.sacreddanceguild.org)**