READER'S EXPERIENCE

WHEN YOU WISH UPON A STAR

By Sybil Richardson

SYBIL RICHARDSON is a resident of Norway. A professional singer and accredited healer, her programmes on healing through music and breathing therapy have been presented by the Norwegian NHS in hospitals and nursing homes.

Like many healers and mediums, she has experienced visitations and messages from the Beyond since early childhood. The loss of a loved one was the reason she began to take her spiritual path far more seriously.

Sybil is a member of the Norwegian Spiritual Association and The Spiritual Society in Oslo and has attended courses at The Arthur Findlay College in Stansted, Essex. She has worked internationally, and her articles have been published in the UK, the USA and New Zealand.

Her greatest ambition is to contribute to the demystification of healing and help with a better understanding of how a scientific, medical and spiritual approach to life can help humankind.

Here Sybil shares her experience of a very special retreat - with a visit from a surprise guest.

THE long Covid lockdown of 2020 in Norway meant that my healing work was restricted to distant healing and online appointments via Zoom.

I found myself with plenty of time to read more about the world's greatest healers. Harry Edwards was very much to the fore of this list.

I discovered a very personal book about him titled Harry Edwards: The Life story of the Great Healer. The author was his close associate Ramus Branch.

On reaching the very last page of this wonderful book, I felt a strong urge to visit the Harry Edwards Healing Sanctuary in England (pictured below).

I sent out a wish to the stars to make this happen. Alas, a glance at my rather anaemic bank account quickly brought me to my senses.

However, just a few days later I received a totally unexpected monetary gift. It provided me with the exact amount I needed to visit the sanctuary.

Luckily, there was still room at a fiveday retreat I wanted to attend. I booked my place instantly.



A BUST of healer Harry Edwards on display at his sanctuary in Surrey.

I arrived on June 26, 2023, at this extraordinary place, situated near the small picturesque village of Shere in England.

Upon entering the sanctuary I was immediately enfolded by healing energy and the feeling of sheer peace.

I had been given room number one, which was Harry's old room overlooking the rolling Surrey hills.

> A healing session had been arranged and I found myself in the good hands of a wonderful healer called Ray Curtis, who has worked for many years at the sanctuary. When the healing finished

I slowly turned my head, expecting to see the healer. Instead I found myself looking directly at the smiling



SYBIL RICHARDSON is seen with mascot, 91-yearold "Teddy," on her lap at The Norwegian Spiritual Centre in Oslo.

face of Harry Edwards!

The impact of this was tremendous, as if every fibre of my body was in perfect harmony and aglow.

Ray, who was now sitting at the end of a bench, turned to me and asked if I had seen Harry. Still reeling with the surprise visit and honour of the experience, I managed to answer: "Yes. I did."

The rest of the day was quite a blur, and I can't really remember what happened. All I could think about was seeing one of the world's greatest healers appear before me.

The next day I got the chance to talk to Ray on the phone. I wanted to clarify what had happened and was told that "Harry does drop in from time to time."

I can honestly say that the Harry Edwards Healing Sanctuary is the most amazing place I have ever visited. The healers, staff and gardens are wonderful. The tranquillity that surrounds the whole area is beyond words.

This was a "retreat" that was the true meaning of the word, a totally unforgettable experience. Of course, a huge "Thank you" goes to the wonderful Harry Edwards.

According to the song from the 1940 Disney film *Pinocchio*, "When you wish upon a star your dreams come true." They certainly do.

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