## CANDLEMAS

- WHAT IS THIS NIGHT?
- 9 IT IS THE NIGHT OF CANDLEMAS.
- WHAT IS THE MEANING OF THIS NIGHT?
- O IT IS THE FESTIVAL OF NEW FIRE.
- WHAT DO WE HONOR ON THIS NIGHT?
- WE HONOR THE HIDDEN HEAT OF LIFE THE UNQUENCHED SPIRIT WITHIN THE FROST
- AFTER THIS FESTIVAL OF NEW FIRE, WHAT WILL WE DO?
- WE WILL REKINDLE OUR LIGHTS, AND LOOK TOWARD A BRIGHTENING FUTURE.
  - HOW DO WE RECOGNIZE OURSELVES ON THIS NIGHT?
- O WE HOLD HIGH THE FIRE. WE FEEL THE STIRRING OF LIFE. WE CALL UPON THE MOTHER WHO BRINGS US THE SPRING.
  - WHO HELPS US?
- 9 OUR GODDESS HELPS US.
- WHAT IS OUR GODDESS?
- SHE IS THE ETERNAL PROMISE, THE FIRE IN THE FLESH, THE UNDTING SPIRIT OF BLOOD AND BREATH, RAIN AND SUNSHING.
- WHO IS OUR GODDESS?
- O SHE IS THE VIRGIN OF LIGHT, THE CRONE OF DARKNESS, THE MOTHER OF TIME.
- WHERE IS OUR GODDESS?
- 9 SHE IS IN OUR HEARTS IN ALL SEASONS OF THE TURNING YEAR.
- WHO IS OUR GODDESS?
- & BEHOLD, SHE IS OURSELVES.