



Genealogy of Brighid

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The genealogy of the holy goddess Brighid,
Radiant flame of gold, noble mother of Ruadan,
Brighid the daughter of an Daghda the Good God,

Brighid daughter of Boann, shining white,
Every day and every night

That I say the genealogy of Brighid,
I shall not be killed, I shall not be harried,
I shall not be jailed, I shall not be wounded,
Nor shall my gods leave me.

No fire, no sun, no moon shall burn me,
No lake, no water, nor sea shall drown me,
No arrow of fairy nor dart of Fay shall wound me,
And I under the protection of the Gods of life,
And my gentle foster-mother is my beloved Brighid.

