Forest of Dreams

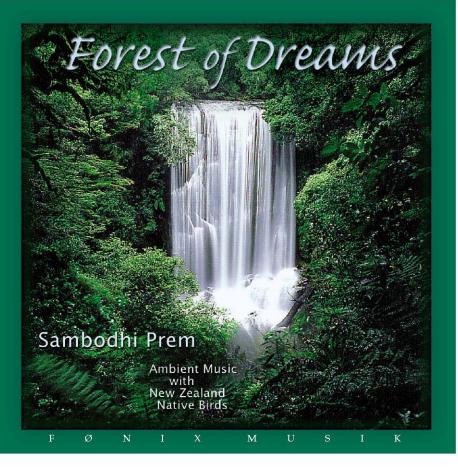
Written, performed and produced by Sambodhi Prem.

Instruments: Synthesizer and e-bow.

Native bird recordings by David Bowater in the Marlborough Sounds, South Island, New Zealand.

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This music is dedicated to my spiritual master, Osho with the deepest gratitude and love.





Music for relaxation has been a part of my life for many years.

When I realize I need to relax, I stop and consider what it is that is making me tense. Sometimes I go in my room, close the door, sit in front of a mirror and pull faces, stick out my tongue, laugh and cry at my reflection, make grimaces with my face etc. Then after a while I put on music, sit in a comfortable position, close my eyes and relax.

Sometimes to relax I exhaust myself on the beach or in the forest, run-

ning. Burning up, sweating out whatever has bothered me or is weighing on my shoulders. Then at home (before taking a shower!) I sit down and listen to sounds.

Sometimes relaxation means being touched by loving hands with soft music to deepen the experience - massage is love made feel-able.

This piece of music, Forest of Dreams, has been created to be used in similar situations. While recording I have allowed sounds to emerge that have a healing quality to me.

Here in New Zealand where I live, the sounds of the native birds are everywhere. They come floating into my room and it seems that whenever I play music the birds join in with me. This CD is a record of that meeting. I hope this music can be a help with relaxation and other activities that are improving the quality of your life.

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