

## Ayreon

# "Temple Of The Cat"

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"It is the 8th century. I am a Mayan girl heading for the Jaguar Temple in Tikal on the central American continent."

[Jacqueline Govaert]

Shine down on me, Sun of the Underworld  
Set me free, chase away the night  
Proud Jaguar, king of the Mayan Gods  
Shining star, light up the sky

And guide me to the Temple of the Cat

Heart-of-Sky, Maker and Hurricane  
Mighty eye, harvester of life  
We were born solely to speak your name  
Bring the dawn, we'll praise the sky  
Here inside the Temple of the Cat

Upon his throne the High priest addressed the crowd  
Now carved in stone his holy name  
Beads of jade adorn his cotton shroud  
His silvery blade on a golden chain

He lies here in the Temple of the Cat, dead  
He will rise again from the Temple of the Cat

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