

**Four Evenings with Dante and his *Divine Comedy***  
**At the roots of medieval spirituality, symbolism & imagination**  
**A 4-episode Webinar**



Dante Alighieri's ***Divine Comedy***, the best known of all poems written in the Italian language 700 years ago, takes us on a spiritual journey from a ghastly dark forest to the blissful light of a cosmic embrace, from exile to reintegration, from wretchedness to joy.

**This is a FREE EVENT**

In the course of **four Monday evenings**, Prof. Daniela Boccassini will show us why Dante's cosmic perspective is as impelling today as ever:

1. **December 7, 2020**  
*Dante's life and his source of inspiration: Beatrice*
2. **December 14, 2020**  
*The Divine Comedy: Inferno*
3. **December 21, 2020**  
*The Divine Comedy: Purgatorio*
4. **December 28, 2020**  
*The Divine Comedy: Paradiso*

**All episodes will be conducted IN ENGLISH ON ZOOM from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm (PT)**

**No previous knowledge of Dante's poem is required**

Please register at [info@dantesocietybc.ca](mailto:info@dantesocietybc.ca) to receive the Zoom link  
[www.dantesocietybc.ca/cultural-events](http://www.dantesocietybc.ca/cultural-events)

An expert on Dante and the medieval world, **Dr. Daniela Boccassini** teaches in the Italian program at UBC. She is also one of the directors of the *Jung Society* of Vancouver. For more info: [fhis.ubc.ca/people/daniela-boccassini/](http://fhis.ubc.ca/people/daniela-boccassini/)



Registration for this event is free, but please consider making a minimum donation of \$5 when you register. All proceeds will benefit **the Dante Alighieri Society of BC**, a nonprofit organization for the promotion of Italian language and culture. To make a donation, please send an e-transfer to: [info@dantesocietybc.ca](mailto:info@dantesocietybc.ca)