

Review of: "Sacred Plants and Their Miraculous or Healing Properties"

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Although the information in the manuscript is not without interest, I find myself looking for the objectives behind it. The attention is on two plants, but the author spends many pages on other toxic/hallucinogenic ones. The manuscript is too long, and it needs a good revamping of the English. This needs to be addressed, and the author should also first ask what the goals of the manuscript are and should maintain those goals. I agree that the use of some terms would benefit from being defined in the first place. Such is the case with shamanism. So many scholars misuse this term. The manuscript needs a map, especially when one starts the results section with 'geographic distribution', as well as tables. Latin names of plants should be reviewed, and the author is asked to use the most recent nomenclature with the authority, and to mention the plant family.