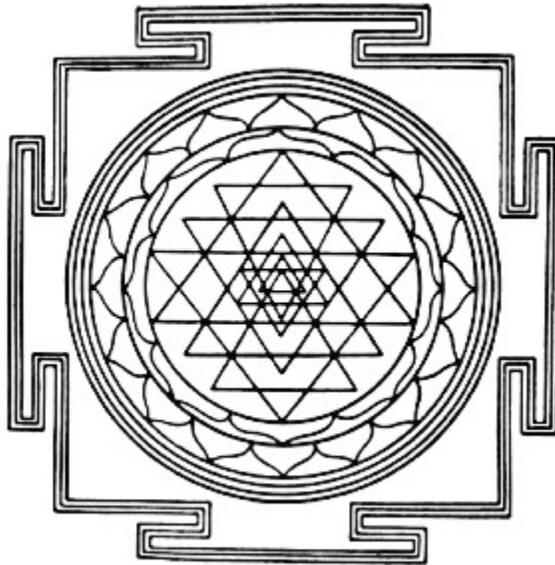


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Traditional astrologers "make predictions." Often they are correct. But right or wrong, "predictions" turn you into a marionette, with the planets holding your strings. And in my opinion, that is not a very inspiring description of the way the cosmos works, nor a very accurate one. You are vastly more powerful than that. You can, to a great extent, shape your own life. That at least is my belief. The future isn't crystallized. It's a wavering, quivering web of possibilities. How will they manifest? Much depends upon how you wield the magical wild card we call your freedom.

So, what's the use of astrology? In a nutshell, it can help you make better choices. The planets never give a definitive answer to the question "What will happen to me?" Instead, they ask the question. But they ask the question in a very specific way: "Given everything you are, all the bridges you've crossed, all the contracts you've signed, there are several possibilities for what you might do next..." In other words, "Here's the menu. What are you having?"

Question mark.

And the question mark is the most important part of the whole inquiry, because that's where the uncertainty -- and your freedom -- lies. But the planets do even more. They offer advice. In a sense, they recommend certain choices over others. They seem biased toward your evolution. They often suggest that you take the less familiar path, the one that moves you into richer fields of your own potentiality. The planets express this rather philosophical bias in a very concrete way. Typically, when you make a less energetic response to a planetary question, the results, while initially comfortable, rapidly turn painful. Sometimes the pain is immediate and dramatic, as in the collapse of an important relationship. Other times, it's more subtle, as in the degeneration of life into deadening boredom and ritual. Either way, sooner or later we know you made a wrong turn somewhere.

In the pages that follow, we will be exploring the coming months of your life from this planetary perspective. There are three parts to the report, and any or all of them may be included here, depending on which have been requested. First, the big questions. In the part of the report called THE INVITATION, we try to get that "mountain-top" perspective that enables us to make sense of the details. In THE MEANS, we turn our attention to some secondary factors that offer suggestions, help, and support in responding to those big questions. And finally, we'll look at the report period month-by-month, day-by-day, to get some ground-level insight into THE DETAILS. Your report may be for three, six, nine, or twelve months and may include any or all three sections just described. For this reason, and because some years in your life are astrologically more active than others, report length can vary quite a bit.

Throughout the following text, I'll be endeavoring to write in plain English, but if you're unfamiliar with the jargon of astrology, you'll encounter a few words that may require definition. A "transiting" planet, for example, refers to the actual, current position of that planet in the sky. Sometimes the transiting planets form critical geometric angles with the "natal" planets in the birthchart, triggering developmental questions in your life. These critical angles

are called "aspects."

The "progressed" planets function in much the same way as the transiting planets, but we approach them a little differently. They're like a script that's been built into your birthchart. Just as we know that an oak tree will emerge from an acorn and bring forth its leaves in season, similarly each person's birthchart contains within it the seeds of certain predictable developmental stages. Progressions spell out those stages.

So sit back, open your mind, and engage your heart. It's time to consider...

The Invitation

Some years loom large in our memories decades down the road; others are blurry, easily forgotten. That universal human reality is reflected in the movements of the planets -- astrologically speaking, one year is often far more significant than another, just as in life. Most of the really important celestial factors move rather slowly; thus, it's not unusual to experience a time in which none of them have gone critical, when we can calmly keep on putting one foot after the other, on "cruise control."

Well, for you this is definitely not that kind of year. Something truly pivotal is occurring...

Tr. Uranus is Square Uranus

In effect: in progress - Jan 4, 2016

Peak date(s): sometime before the report period.

Close your eyes for a minute and hold two concepts in your mind: "pitiful" and "Everyone I know who's about forty." Who's face do you detect? Or faces. Know anybody who's both pitiful and a couple of decades older than you? You probably know some folks that age who are real inspirations, not pitiful at all. But look at the pitiful ones for minute, then deal with a couple of questions.

Question Number One: How did those pitiful people get that way? You know what I mean: bored, tired, petty-minded, always worried, always vaguely depressed or pissed off...never likely to jump out of bed one morning and say, "That's the life for me!" They made mistakes, but the mistakes were easy to make. Life's tricky. One wrong turn, even one made for pretty good reasons, and we spend a long time paying the bills. Question Number Two: Do you want to become one of them? The second question's easy, in principle. But look at all those pitiful faces. Apparently a lot of people don't answer it right. Maybe you can. But one thing is for sure: you've come to a place in your life where every breath you take is going to resonate down the decades of your life, for better or for worse. Astrologically, the event is simple enough: the planet Uranus has come a quarter of the way along its orbit since you were born. Uranus: the planet of freedom and true individuality...and of headstrong idiocy. Take your pick. A little theory, then the bottom line.

There's always a battle between what we really are and what society wants us to be. That's eternal. Uranus represents individuality's side of the argument. You've come to a stage in your

life where it is natural and essential for you to break away fully from that part of yourself which has been dominated by your family and your peer group, and to make some choices about who you are, what you stand for, and what you want to prioritize in your life. The Uranian energies of independence and rebellion are welling up in you, and they're good things...if you don't lose your head. It's time for you to surprise everybody a little, to do the unexpected. Not for its own sake, though. Do it because your heart and your guts tell you to -- and if people don't like it, that's their own business. Just be careful not to get hooked on shocking people. Then you're still their slave.

The bottom line: the gun is now loaded. Any dumb decisions you make now will tend to bind you, and the full price of making them won't be completely clear until you find yourself looking into the mirror on your fortieth birthday thinking...you guessed it: "pitiful." But that can be avoided. Real inspiration is welling up inside you now. Trust it. Follow it. Even in your most liberated moments, you've never been as truly free and truly self-aware as you are today. Be true to yourself. Show us who you are. Engage your heart and your creativity with your life, and let it rip. Some classic traps to avoid: Marrying someone precipitately to "show everybody that you can make your decisions." Acting out your rebellious instincts by getting in trouble with the law, or with money, pregnancy, or drugs.

Your Uranian square affects the entire period of this report, but it peaks sometime before the report period..

What we've considered above is the underpinning of this phase of your life. It's truly elemental material -- the stuff of which milestones are made. There's no guarantee that astrological forces of such magnitude will be activated for everyone all the time. What follows is an analysis of some slightly less portentous dimensions of your astrological picture...less portentous, but still powerful enough to qualify as part of this year's "Invitation."

Try to see what follows in the light of all that's gone before...

Pr. Venus is Conjunct Midheaven

In effect: in progress - Jan 4, 2016

Peak Date(s): sometime before the report period.

"Love." What a word. Eskimos, it is said, distinguish two hundred different kinds of snow, each with its own name. Perhaps we should take a cue from them and cash in our word "love," replacing it with dozens of more specific concepts. It would still baffle us, inspire us, give us sleepless nights -- but at least we might then be able to communicate with each other more clearly. The love an infant feels for his or her mother...the consuming, volatile love of our teen years...the affection between old friends...the quiet affinity between those who have been well-married for decades: why do we put them all under the dominion of the same syllable? They're certainly different human experiences. Love evolves. Our capacity to feel that emotion takes on new resonances as we mature, and it drops old resonances.

Astrologers measure that evolution through the motions of the Progressed Venus. When it comes to a sensitive zone in your birthchart, you are invited to open yourself to new dimensions of human relationships. Typically, the passage of progressed Venus over a critical point coincides with visible alterations in our sphere of intimacy: friendships, business or creative partnerships, romantic bonds...all come to crossroads. Sometimes they come to endings. Other

times they slough off deadening rituals and experience renewal, even renaissance. Many times such Venusian events mark the arrival of new people in our lives, people whose destinies are entwined with our own. Always, though, behind the outward relationship events, there is a deeper layer of meaning in these progressions: you are now asked to deepen the way you love, to love with yet another dimension of your being, to call still another part of your soul into the service of love. And, as always, it's possible to miss the point, squandering the Venusian force in wheel-spinning romances or soap-opera related interpersonal dramas.

Currently Venus is steering a course through your Tenth House. That's the traditional "House of Career," and any planet passing through that part of your natal chart suggests that external developmental pressures are now arising which have the effect of modifying your place in the world. Something is brewing in your profession or vocation, or in your social status -- the way you look to people who don't really know you very well. What is it? We can't say exactly, but to respond optimally to the potentials and challenges built into this event, you'll need to act according to the spirit of Venus, as we just described it. But what's the core issue? What part of your own life is at stake? To answer that, we turn our attention to the Midheaven, which is being invited into development by these professional or social openings.

How is the progressed Venus currently touching you? It is conjunct your natal Midheaven: sometime before the report period.. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-moving events and that the action simply peaks then; it will be in effect throughout the period of this report.

Doctor, lawyer, Indian chief -- we all play some kind of role in our community. Sometimes you're paid for it; sometimes you do it for the principle of the matter. The public "hat" you wear is symbolized by the natal midheaven. Physically, it's the highest point in your birthchart, and it corresponds to the most outward, obvious dimensions of your life: your profession, your status, your social role. When it is stimulated by a transit or a progression, you are advised of some impending evolution or revolution in your style of hat, so to speak. Much depends on the nature of the progressed or transiting planet, but certainly some adjustments must be made in your outward life to reflect more adequately those inner developments which have already taken place.

In what way do those notions connect with your present circumstances? Understand that the Midheaven occupies the Tenth House of your natal chart, an area which refers to issues of career, status, and your public role...concerns which are currently undergoing considerable developmental pressure and change. All positive steps in terms of profession or your place in the community hold one point in common: they move you further and further in the direction of the Midheaven, as we just described it. Any work that will prove enduringly satisfying invokes the considerable energies of the Midheaven in you; any work that does not embody them will turn out to be transitory or deadening.

As we mentioned, the aspect involved in the event we just described is the conjunction, which refers to a precise alignment between the natal planet and the moving trigger. Thus, the process emphasizes fusion, integration, and synthesis. Of all the possible aspects, the

conjunction is the most intense. The explosion rattles your outward circumstances; but it originates inside you, and puts you in the driver's seat. It is appropriate for you to claim some new level of power, of self-expression, and of autonomy. If you don't, no one will do it for you; and the opportunity will evaporate.

Tr. Pluto is Conjunct Uranus

In effect: in progress - Dec 21, 2016

Peak Date(s): Jan 16, 2016; Aug 2, 2016; Nov 17, 2016

The planet Pluto is shading the spirit of your life nowadays, and in a nutshell that means that you are being challenged to heal. Pluto, as you probably know, is the lord of the underworld...or to put it more succinctly, the God of Hell. And it is disquieting, to say the least, to imagine that this deity is currently dining at your table. But take heart! The "hell" inside you needs airing out, and that is essentially what this transit is about. You've been hurt. You've been used, abused, rejected, exploited, lied to...the whole sad litany. And, like the rest of us, you've sometimes had to keep the proverbial stiff upper lip and simply get on with your life. But where does all that hurt go? Down deep into the unconscious mind, where it stays until you're clear enough and strong enough to handle resurrecting it and really going beyond it. Pluto's action is to bring up buried emotions. Its tone is intense. It often feels moody and confrontative. It can destabilize and disrupt the areas of your life that it's touching. The best course is to resolve to go deeper and deeper, truth above kindness and resolution over comfort. It's not easy, but in the end the energizing and empowering of the psyche make the process worthwhile. What is Pluto actually doing? Currently it is conjunct your natal Uranus. Although Pluto is a slow-moving planet and usually unfolds its story over a period of two or three years, during the period of this report the action peaks Jan 16, 2016; Aug 2, 2016; Nov 17, 2016.

Let's start unraveling the symbolism by recognizing that the action and developmental invitation are most evident in that part of your life we call the Eighth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Pluto is currently passing. Typically, such an astrological event suggests a period of moody intensity as old hurt feelings come up for healing and regeneration. It is probable that you have someone in your life now, be it a bed partner or a dear friend, with whom you can speak frankly about difficult emotional topics...and can do so in the spirit of Pluto, as we just described it. Often the person is himself or herself of that same planetary nature, or is at least going through a time in which that kind of force is making itself felt. What is less certain is whether you will cast politeness aside and actually broach the sensitive subjects. But what's the core issue? What part of your own life is being affected by these unconscious biases? To answer that, we turn our attention to Uranus, which is being invited into development as these inner pressures mount.

There's a wild card in everyone, a rebellious, independent, free-spirited force that hates neckties and phony courtesies and all the slick moves that keep corporations and families from splitting apart. Astrologers call it Uranus. Stripped to its essence, this part of your astrological psyche is concerned primarily with the process of individuation, which boils down to whittling away all the parts of yourself which have arisen almost accidentally as side effects of your social background. When stimulated by transits or progressions, Uranus triggers your rebellions. It asks you to shed something unauthentic, unreal, or limiting in your life. Often it brings lightning-quick developments and unexpected circumstances. Almost always, there is a

confrontation between you and some figure of authority, past or present.

Bolstering the energies of Uranus, never a bad idea, is particularly essential now, for Uranus lies in your Eighth House, the traditional "House of Death." Mortality itself is usually not the issue; more accurately, the question here lies with all the fears with which you live and all the hurts and distortions the past has visited upon you. All of us sit on emotional volcanos. You, too. Now the time has come to look more closely at some uncomfortable memories...perhaps to share them with someone you trust implicitly. Take the spirit and attitude of Uranus, as we just described it. That mood will carry you most deeply and efficiently into the unsettling material at hand.

When explosive Uranus collides with unsettling Pluto, secrets long-concealed are brought to light, while unexpected, irresistible forces enter your circumstances. What one might call the "Hand of Fate" makes itself felt, sweeping away, often with frightening speed, situations which have outlived their evolutionary usefulness. The challenge to you here lies in adapting to a radically new perspective on your life.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a conjunction -- the most powerful of the geometric aspects and one that suggests convergence, intensification, and often a new beginning.

Tr. Pluto aligns with the Ninth House cusp

Date: Jan 18, 2016; Jul 30, 2016; Nov 19, 2016 - Continuing

Pluto made an appearance earlier in this report, but now it has another message for you. Always this planet signals the existence of some emotional baggage to be released, some hurtful or humiliating piece of your personal history that needs to be remembered or reconsidered. The alternative is typically to re-enact some old wounding drama. Pluto currently is conjunct your natal Ninth House cusp. The action peaks Jan 18, 2016; Jul 30, 2016; Nov 19, 2016.

Breaking up routines -- that's the heart of the Ninth House process. Traditionally the "House of Long Journeys," it actually points toward any kind of mind-expanding encounter with the foreign, the alien, and the exotic. When stimulated, as it certainly is now through the entry of Pluto into it, you are invited to stretch. This is a time of learning, of renewing your elemental engagement with experience. Boredom and life's deadening predictability are the enemies here -- but to destroy them, you'll need to employ the energy of Pluto like never before.

Opportunities to travel may arise now, for they are very much in the spirit of this house...provided the travel entails some real encounter with another society and not just numb gazing through the windows of the tour bus. In a nutshell, it's not the miles that count; it's the degree of culture-shock. Education is a critical piece of the Ninth House puzzle as well, and that includes anything from a committed involvement with a university program down to solitary courses of reading and learning.

Underlying all this activity is the sense of participating in a quest...but for what? What is the "Holy Grail" you're longing for? Like most truly important ideas, it sounds almost trivial when we reduce it to a word or two. But here the Grail is nothing less than the meaning of life -- that

which you learn by connecting the dots formed during all your travels, all your learning, all your encounters with life's ten thousand faces. For you, if you're on target, that invigorating sense of life's meaning will now take on quite distinctly the flavor of Pluto, as we described it above. During this phase you are undertaking a kind of apprenticeship: discovering, stretching, expanding awareness. The keys to success lie in your sense of adventure, your suspicion of constraint, and your willingness to let your curious, questing instincts be your guide.

Tr. Uranus is Square Neptune

In effect: in progress - Feb 24, 2016

Peak Date(s): Jan 28, 2016

The planet Uranus is presently stirring the pot of your life, and that always promises a tumultuous passage, peppered with unexpected developments and encounters. Outwardly, Uranus is the wild card, bringing unpredictable and unforeseen events into the picture. Inwardly, it signals a time of accelerated individuation...that is, a time in which who you really are and what you truly want are rapidly emerging and defining themselves. A portion of what you imagined to be your identity has, in fact, little to do with you; it is a side-effect of your social training, nothing more. And, like training wheels on a kid's bike, you are now ready to dump it. This has an unsettling effect upon not only yourself, but also those around you. Often during Uranian periods there is a distinct "changing of the guard" in our social circles; old relationships end, new ones appear. Claim your right to be yourself -- that's the essence of the transiting Uranus. Whatever it touches, changes. Trust the changes! Like a hard wind blowing the sand off a buried city, they are revealing who you actually have been all along. That's Uranus in general. Specifically, Uranus is square your natal Neptune: Jan 28, 2016.

Currently Uranus is maneuvering through your Twelfth House, which is the last house of the cycle and often suggests endings and dissolutions. Your key to success here lies in sorting out what parts of your life and circumstances have truly run their course and are therefore ready to be released. That's hard, sometimes, since like the rest of us you're in part a creature of habit and are therefore subject to getting too attached to the familiar. Of what should you be letting go? Part of the answer lies with Uranus, as we just described it: the part of you that's ready to "die and be reborn" is tangled up with that kind of energy and attitude. But we can go further. There is also some ending and releasing going in connection with Neptune, which is being invited into development by these essential and apt conclusions -- some of which, by the way, may be forced upon you by outside events if you're slow to recognize their necessity.

Close your eyes. Don't think of anything at all. Just be aware of all that infinite, dark space. Welcome to Neptune. In your natal chart, it represents the part of you that knows how to enter trance, to meditate, or to "space out." Everybody's got one, and everybody experiences that part of their consciousness from time to time. When triggered by transits or progressions, Neptune asks you to let go, to allow material to enter your mind uncensored and unstructured. It's more akin to feeling than thinking, but neither word captures it perfectly. Dreaming is the closest analogy...a sort of free-associative state in which your own mind works like an unpredictable movie theater. Why bother? Because such an astrological event signals that your unconscious mind or, if you prefer, your soul has an important message and is trying to get in touch with you.

How does all that relate to your present circumstances? Recognize that Neptune occupies

the Ninth House of your natal chart, an area which refers to the human need for adventure, variety, and escape from the ordinary. Periodically in your life it becomes necessary to "throw a monkey wrench" into your daily routines, to flee the scene and thereby gain the kind of "mountain-top" philosophical perspective necessary to keep your biography on a meaningful course. Under this current aspect, you have entered such a period. One final hint: those ventures, vacations, and journeys work best for you if they invoke the tone of Neptune, as we just encountered it.

When Uranus dances with Neptune, prepare for a quantum leap in consciousness. Like the rest of us, you've got a pattern of neuron pathways in your head which you imagine to be the world. It's all based on assumptions and attitudes...but a few of them are completely wrong, and that disconcerting truth is doing its best to become evident to you now. Doubt everything, and go forward naked, alert, and alive.

The aspect connected with the astrological process we're investigating here is the square, as we have seen. The square, traditionally characterized as an unfortunate aspect, describes a geometric angle of 90 degrees between the natal planet and the moving trigger. To call squares "bad" is misleading. More accurately, they are compelling. In the area of your life we're considering, a terrific friction has arisen. It's not comfortable, but it is an extremely effective motivator. The trick in using the energy creatively lies in moving decisively -- determining precisely what you want, claiming it, and letting the rest go. A season of tough choices is upon you. Regarding the process we described in the previous paragraphs, there are costs involved in all the courses available to you...the most costly, for all concerned, being the course of indecision.

Tr. Pluto is Conjunct Neptune

In effect: Jan 30, 2016 - Jul 13, 2016

Peak Date(s): Mar 7, 2016; May 31, 2016

Pluto made an appearance earlier in this report, but now it has another message for you. Always this planet signals the existence of some emotional baggage to be released, some hurtful or humiliating piece of your personal history that needs to be remembered or reconsidered. The alternative is typically to re-enact some old wounding drama. Pluto currently is conjunct your natal Neptune. The action peaks Mar 7, 2016; May 31, 2016.

Let's begin deciphering this configuration by recognizing that the action driving these existential developments is showing up in the part of your life we call the Ninth House, which we encountered earlier in the report, for that is where Pluto is currently making its influence felt. This suggests that events and opportunities involving travel, education, and a general expanding of your horizons are now occurring, and that you could definitely use the breath of fresh air they'll create if you go ahead and, in the spirit of Pluto, take the leap of faith for which they're calling. But what's being triggered inside you? What part of you will benefit most deeply from such exploration and expansion? The answer lies with Neptune, which is being invited into development during this time of questing adventure.

The natal Neptune -- that, as we have seen, symbolizes pure consciousness. It is the mystical planet, the part of your being that receives inspiration and, depending on your

metaphysical tastes, either inner guidance or divine direction.

Your Ninth House engaged us previously in the report. Now we see it turned on again, indicating that your natural adventuresomeness and philosophical curiosity are at the heart of the present situation. Sometimes chances must be taken and leaps of faith made. This is such a time. Learn something new. Take a vacation to somewhere you've never been. In the spirit of Neptune, blow out the cobwebs.

When wide-open Neptune merges with the piercing perspectives of Pluto, you enter a long period of philosophical rumination. That may sound rather pale, but in fact the nature of your belief-system is probably the greatest single determinant of the shape of your life. And yours is up for review. The aim lies in establishing a balance between hard psychological honesty on one hand and the human need for inspiration and faith on the other.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a conjunction -- the most powerful of the geometric aspects and one that suggests convergence, intensification, and often a new beginning.

Pr. Moon enters Libra

Date: Feb 11, 2016 - Continuing

You don't need to be an astrologer to know what the Moon means. Just engage your imagination. Immediately, the mind free-associates. Moon: night...feelings...falling in love...seeing a ghost... And that's pretty much what astrologers throughout history have said: the Moon represents your interior life, your "heart." Like all astrological factors, the Moon progresses, taking a little over a quarter of a century to make one circuit around the chart. It typically spends a couple of years in each sign or house, and eventually forms aspects with all the planets. How do we read it? Simple: at any given moment the progressed Moon tells us where your heart is. Or, to be a little less schmaltzy about it, the Moon says where your attention is. What is concerning you. Where your growth experiences are unfolding -- which is often to say where you're experiencing challenges, upsets, or opportunities to regroup and express yourself in new ways. Being an emotional factor, the progressed Moon always refers to areas of heightened sensitivity. Intuition comes to the forefront. Instincts must be followed. Somehow the unconscious mind has gotten ahead of conscious awareness, and now conscious awareness is catching up, following the trail of intuitive clues and impulses laid down by the wise, dark interior of your spirit.

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It enters the sign Libra: Feb 11, 2016.

Libra represents paradox, and your ability to live gracefully with it. During Libran chapters in your life, you are asked to balance conflicting needs and ideals, to be the architect of compromise between opposing personalities or principles. Typically, the emphasis here is on relationships; your path is tied to the strengths and foibles of others. To succeed, you often must develop considerable empathy and diplomacy, learning to bend (for better or worse) with the

winds of another person's nature. Simultaneously, you are asked to assert your own individuality and not simply become an embodiment of another's requirements. During Libra-dominated phases of our life, we commonly find ourselves stuck at an existential crossroads of some sort. A decision and a commitment must be made. But the choice is not clear. Much hangs in the balance, and yet there are persuasive arguments on each side of the question. Archetypally, these dilemmas are familiar: love versus freedom, home versus career, art versus commerce. The "right" choice may be obscure -- but the wrong one is quite clear: to make no decision at all. The temptation arises to hem and haw...to halt between courses, crippled with irresolution. The heart is full of shades of gray -- yet life demands a hard choice: black or white. But which? I can't tell you the answer, but I can tell you how to determine it. Built into the logic of Libra is the necessity for wise counsel. However independent you may be, seek that counsel during this period. If you've presented yourself authentically, the people with whom you share your life will hold the mirror before you now. Listen to them! Make your choice, commit to it, and don't look back.

Pr. Midheaven is Square Sun

In effect: in progress - Oct 4, 2016

Peak Date(s): sometime before the report period.

Deep-sea voyagers observe that even the largest sailboat becomes extraordinarily small after a week or two at sea. Every quirk in the character of each crew member is magnified, and the way a person scratches his chin can become a motivation for homicide. At that microscopic social distance, personality looms painfully large. Now turn it around and look at the other end of the spectrum. How do people appear at enormous social distances? We no longer are aware of introversion or extroversion, of expression, of feeling or cold, clear reason. At those ranges, we stop seeing who people are. Instead, we think of them in terms of what they do or what they represent.

Astrologically, this dimension of our humanness is symbolized by the Midheaven. What we do for a living is almost always a significant piece of the puzzle here, but it's misleading to limit our understanding of the Midheaven to career concerns. Being known as a liberal or a conservative, a feminist, an environmentalist, a patron of the arts...all are Midheaven roles, even though we don't make any money doing them. (Usually the opposite, in fact.) One's role in the community must evolve as we mature, and that process is linked to the motion of the progressed Midheaven, which has gone critical for you this year. Typically, progressed-Midheaven events mark changes in your social status. More deeply, they suggest a need arising in you for a more multi-dimensional role in the world. You are ready to bear a new kind of fruit in the community; something inside you is ready to be unveiled...and an old role has grown thin and tired.

Currently the Midheaven is navigating your Tenth House. That's the traditional "House of Career," as we've already discovered, and it tells us that something of the nature of the Midheaven is brewing in your profession or vocation, or in your social status. To respond optimally to the potentials and challenges built into this event, you'll need to act according to the spirit of the Midheaven, as we just described it. Being true to yourself is the challenge, as is generally the case in life. But your public life, with all its superficialities and practical pressures, is perhaps the hardest place in which to live up to that ideal. To succeed here, pay

special attention to the Sun, which is being invited into development during this time of professional or public reorientation.

How is the progressed Midheaven currently touching you? It is square your natal Sun: sometime before the report period.. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-moving events and that the action simply peaks then; it will be in effect throughout the period of this report.

The Sun, as astronomers tell us, is the center of the solar system. Everything spins around it. With its enormous gravity, the Sun holds the entire system together. In a parallel way, the astrological Sun represents the gravitational center of your personality. Your ego. Your identity. The part of you that gets up in the morning and, without even a single sip of coffee, knows its name, rank, and serial number. Those same astronomers inform us that without the Sun's radiant energy, life as we understand it would cease to exist. Again, astrological meaning follows astronomical fact: the Sun symbolizes that spark of life inside you, your elemental vitality. Enthusiasm, energy, recuperative powers -- all these are solar themes. Thus, when the natal Sun is triggered in an important way, two critical questions come up for review: who are you, and what really makes you want to get out of bed in the morning?

Maintaining a healthy flow of the energies of the Sun, always good for you, is especially crucial to your closest human relationships: marriage, profound friendship, long-term sexual bonds. Why? Because in Nashville, TN at the moment of your birth the Sun occupied your Seventh House, the traditional "House of Marriage." Two lines of reasoning emerge here. The first is that by bringing the flavor of the Sun into your intimate bonds, you shape love in a lasting, more meaningful way for yourself. The second is that your natural partners are themselves people with the spirit of the Sun. Relating deeply to those whose natures are too far removed from that tone and style is simply not your path. However we look at your situation, intimate connections are clearly a front-burner issue right now.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a square -- traditionally seen as a "bad" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply frictional. Squares generally suggest tough choices, external pressures, and at least some stress.

Tr. Jupiter aligns with the Sixth House cusp

Date: Nov 21, 2016 - Continuing

The planet Jupiter is currently coloring your circumstances. Before we say exactly how, let's attempt to understand the more general significance of any Jupiter event. Essentially, this is a call to recognize an opportunity. Traditional astrologers view it more starkly -- to them, it is simply the planet of luck. And that is often the case: the toast does tend to land butter-side up when Jupiter is crossing sensitive territories. But the real, evolutionary meaning lies deeper. One key is that Jupiter is future-oriented...it is concerned with bright, unexplored possibilities. Stripped to its bones, Jupiter always asks one primary question: how have you been underestimating yourself? Its transits signal a time when new opportunities come into existence, but to seize them you must recognize that you deserve them, that you are capable of rising to them, and that old deals and compromises are finished. Trust yourself, have faith in life, and go for it: that's the spirit of Jupiter. How is it affecting you? Jupiter is conjunct your natal Sixth

House cusp: Nov 21, 2016.

A long talk with yourself -- that's the spirit of the Sixth House. In the past, it bore the name "House of Servants" and was used to predict an increase in your burden of responsibilities. That prophecy is still usually accurate, but far more is at stake here than simply making lists and checking them twice. In esoteric astrology, the Sixth House is associated with discipleship -- meeting your "guru."

For most of us, that's a rather exotic notion; but if we consider it carefully, it's an illuminating one. The guru's task in part is to convince us that we need a guru! When the Sixth House is stimulated, as it is now with the entry of Jupiter into it, something similar happens to everybody...except that the facts of your life are themselves the guru, and their message to you is a confrontational one. The facts of your life seem to be saying, "Look at the mess you've made. Look how out of control things are. Look how tired you are and how little you have to show for it." The aim is not to crush your pride and confidence, although they'll be dented. Think of it instead as a kind of mid-course correction. You're strong enough to handle it.

Of course, there are areas in your life in which you've been lazy and complacent, areas in which you've happily lied to yourself, places where you've made bargains with the devil, so to speak -- that's just another way of saying that you're human. But what occurs under Sixth House stimulation is that you take a long, cold, sober look at that unsavory list, then you roll up your sleeves and begin to improve yourself. It signals hard work, a spirit of humility, and a time of profound healing. Where must these assessments and improvements be made? They're connected with your response to Jupiter, as we considered it above.

Pr. Ascendant aligns with the Second House cusp

Date: Nov 27, 2016 - Continuing

"Style" -- the word, even if you're a very stylish individual, conveys something rather superficial and transitory. Yet none of us can avoid it: all of us, from the chic Parisian model to the most homespun field hippie, radiate style. It's the inevitable outward expression of our inner processes. If we didn't have style, no one would know we were here. Astrologically, your style is symbolized by the Ascendant, which is simply the sign that was rising in the east at the time you were born...or the sign that was "dawning" -- which is a good way to say it, because the Ascendant represents how you "dawn" on people: the first impression you make, the way you initially, spontaneously present yourself. Like every other aspect of your being, your style must evolve for you to avoid becoming stagnant. And that process is represented by your progressed ascendant, which is currently making some delicate transitions.

Often the changes we make under this kind of astrological influence have to do with very simple things: the kinds of clothes we wear, our way of speaking, hairstyle, body posture, our "manners." It's important to get the changes right, even though they are basically superficial adjustments. Why? Picture this: you're spending the evening with an old friend whom you've not seen for many years. Reflexively, unconsciously, you drift back into playing your old role. How do you feel? A little distant from yourself? Vaguely phony? The word "goofy" comes to mind. Now, imagine the evening stretched into weeks, months, years. That is the pitfall you are invited to avoid this year! The changes you've been creating in your deep psyche, all those profound realizations and insights you've been generating, must be translated into the surface of your character...into style. Authenticity is the aim. Succeed, and you'll feel more at ease with

yourself, more spontaneous, and more comfortable in the social situations that occupy so many of the hours of our lives.

What is so critical about your progressed Ascendant? It enters the Second: Nov 27, 2016. Since the Ascendant typically takes decades to progress through a house, this signifies that your entire style is shifting, and that the tone of your self-expression will be reflecting the symbolism of the Second for a long time to come. Let's investigate it.

Traditionally the "House of Money," the Second House actually represents a broader territory: resources. And money is just one example of that category. The friends to whom you turn, the skills upon which you rely...all that enables you to function competently in the world falls in the domain of the Second House. And if your resources are sufficient to meet the demands of your environment, you'll also feel the positive emotional dimension of this house: self-confidence. Of course, the other side of the coin is self-doubt, the sense of "faking it" or being an "imposter."

When the Second House is stimulated, as it certainly is now through the entry of the Ascendant into it, the initial feeling is often rather frightening, not unlike the sensation of suddenly realizing that the ice upon which you are standing is beginning to crack. But don't panic! The sense of insecurity that you're experiencing is not insurmountable. To address it, though, you must first take it seriously. You are, in fact, on thin ice...but you can thicken it. How? By acquiring the actual resources that are objectively required for survival in the environment you've recently created for yourself -- and those resources are of the nature of the Ascendant, as we just described it. In doing so, however, it helps to be wary of two pitfalls. The first is a massive failure of nerve, in which you cash in your chips and attempt somehow to flee back into your own past. Such a retreat is simply unnecessary, an overreaction. You have some practical problems now, but they're solvable. The second pitfall lies in viewing the emotions of self-doubt you are experiencing as a psychological or attitudinal problem. They're not! They are simply your brain's way of registering its objective assessment of a certain vulnerability in your position.

Typically, when the Second House is under developmental stimulation, you are invited to embark upon a period of building, and of solidification and consolidation. You are proving yourself to yourself; and the proof, to be convincing, must be practical and concrete. You'll work hard and harvest the rewards of your effort. In short, you need a victory.

The Means

If you happen to have a cold on the day you win the lottery, will that taint your memory of the big event? Probably not. Ten years later, you will have forgotten your runny nose. Ten minutes later, more likely.

Life and memory work that way. We prioritize certain kinds of events, experiencing them more vividly and remembering them far longer than the trivial and the predictable. The details of a typical Monday morning aren't going to last as long in the memory banks as images of your moment of glory or your darkest hour.

In exactly the same way, not all astrological events have the same impact. What we have considered so far are all first-string milestones in your life. The rest of what we'll be considering is less central -- but that's not to say unimportant. What follows is a set of supplementary transits and progressions, presented chronologically. They're not quite as profound in their implications as what we've seen, but they're not without emotional and existential consequences. If what we have explored in the previous pages can be viewed as an evolutionary invitation, then, to that lofty end, what follows is....

"The Means"

As you'll see, each of these events stands as significant in its own right. But their deepest meanings lie in the way they interact with what we've considered in the pages above, enhancing and sometimes complicating the broader developmental patterns.

Cards on the table: you can skim the next several pages and, I think, learn some things about the coming months that will prove prophetic...and more importantly, helpful. But the real magic lies in putting all the pieces together, synthesizing them in your heart into an emotional whole -- just like you've done with, say, memories of a special summer long ago. No computer can do that for you.

Your own creativity, your own reflections on the material we're covering, your own translations, additions, corrections, amendments, and meditations -- these are what make the difference.

Let's continue.

Pr. Moon is Sextile Mars

In effect: in progress - Jan 2, 2016

Peak Date(s): sometime before the report period.

The progressed Moon figures in our thinking again. As you may recall, the Moon shows what you are feeling. It gives us insight into your mood, concerns, and general attitude...into "where your heart is," in other words.

First, factor in that the action and the developmental invitation are unfolding in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which the Moon is now passing.

Immediately, the focus on Fifth House energies suggests that you are currently entering an existential territory that requires creativity, unabashed self-expression, and experimental audacity. Your "inner child" is a little cranky now, demanding some fun and some self-indulgence, all of which is entirely necessary and appropriate to your journey at the present time. Thus, life's pleasures -- games, vacations, sports, loving interactions -- deserve attention now. Whether you know it or not, you need a boost...and you'll get it in part from the "playmates" and "new toys" of the nature of the Moon that are now passingly, fleetingly available to you. Don't let them get away! But what's the core issue? What part of your own health hinges on this renewal? To answer that, we turn our attention to Mars, which is being invited into development by this period of playful, celebratory creativity.

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It is sextile your natal Mars: sometime before the report period.. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-motion events, and that this event simply peaks then; it will be affecting your mood for a period of two or three months on either side of that date.

Sheer animal vitality -- that's Mars. In your natal chart, it represents your boldness and your pluckiness: what gets your blood flowing. Or boiling. All passions are linked to Mars. Anger and your ability to defend your boundaries are part of the picture. So is your inner fire -- your enthusiasm, your intensity, your sexual desire. When triggered by a passing transit or progression, Mars often signals a "go for it" situation developing in your life, but to make the best of it, you'll need to be brave and assertive. Such transits or progressions can also warn you of upcoming battles, and in general it's wiser to seize the initiative rather than surrender your power to the whimsies of circumstance.

It's helpful, of course, for you to embrace the power of Mars positively in all departments of your life. But ever since you were born, one area has always stood out in that regard -- the Third House, which is where Mars was located when you took your first breath in Nashville, TN. There, in the area of communication, that energy is most critical. What you say, how clearly you express it, and how well you are heard are the issues currently experiencing developmental pressure. Finding your voice and using it are basic spiritual concerns for you; now they are being invited to take a quantum leap.

When the Moon interacts with Mars, the mood of life turns hot. Fiery energies course through the psyche, filling you with passionate intensity. Positively, the linking of these two factors can encourage you to take the initiative, to state your needs forcefully and unambiguously, and to defend what is rightfully yours. Be careful; this astrological linkage may incline you toward extremes of temper, unintentionally destructive exchanges with the people with whom you share your life, and possibly the sort of accidents which are created by unprocessed tension, anger, or anxiety.

The aspect pervading the event we've just considered is, as we observed, a sextile. Technically, that refers to a geometric angle of 60 degrees between the natal planet and the moving one. Sextiles are traditionally viewed as "good" aspects. Certainly, they're exciting. There is a mood of eagerness regarding the process we're exploring here -- and that's glorious, provided you're wary of the excessive impulsiveness that sextiles sometimes breed. In any case, the spinning wheel of circumstances can be counted on to provide some fortuitous, unexpected

opportunities for you during this period. You'll have to be quick to seize them, though. They're real, but they're short-lived.

Tr. Jupiter is Sextile Pluto

In effect: in progress - Aug 12, 2016

Peak Date(s): Jan 5, 2016; Jan 10, 2016; Aug 6, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is sextile your natal Pluto. The action peaks Jan 5, 2016; Jan 10, 2016; Aug 6, 2016.

First, factor in that the action and the developmental invitation are unfolding in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is now passing. Immediately, the focus on Fifth House energies suggests that you are currently entering an existential territory that requires creativity, unabashed self-expression, and experimental audacity. Your "inner child" is a little cranky now, demanding some fun and some self-indulgence, all of which is entirely necessary and appropriate to your journey at the present time. Thus, life's pleasures -- games, vacations, sports, loving interactions -- deserve attention now. Whether you know it or not, you need a boost...and you'll get it in part from the "playmates" and "new toys" of the nature of Jupiter that are now passingly, fleetingly available to you. Don't let them get away! But what's the core issue? What part of your own health hinges on this renewal? To answer that, we turn our attention to Pluto, which is being invited into development by this period of playful, celebratory creativity.

Everyone has fears. Everyone has shames and wounded places. In you and me and everyone else, there are marks left by the times we've been lied to, abandoned, used, or exploited. It's not the world's cheeriest subject, but turning away only empowers those Plutonian hurts, gives them more latitude to influence your life. When your natal Pluto is triggered by a passing transit or progression, dark shadows are stirred within you. It's a signal that forgotten, unprocessed, or repressed elements of your personal history are asking to be investigated. The procedure requires intensity, honesty, and emotional courage. The results are worth the effort. If you work well with these energies, you emerge stronger, clearer, and often with renewed inspiration. If you hesitate, it's not unusual for the old wounding dramas to be re-enacted in your life.

Sustaining steady contact with the energy of Pluto, always good for you, now figures especially prominently in one critical dimension of your life: the Sixth House, which is where Pluto lies in your birthchart. What themes or issues come to the fore here? Responsibilities, duties, and the fulfillment of your commitments. But before we start sounding too much like the Boy Scout Handbook, let's remember that the pivotal issue of the Sixth House lies in recognizing the exact nature of your proper obligations, and not letting yourself be cowed into signing up for boring, self-sacrificial martyrdoms that are none of your business anyway. Clarifying the exact location of the thin line between humility and humiliation is on the front burner for you now. One rule of thumb: when your duties have the flavor of Pluto, you're on the right track.

When Jupiter gets hooked up with Pluto, think big and claim a victory. One is available, if you move decisively and know exactly what you really want. And therein lies the rub. All of us

experience humiliating losses, insults, and defeats in the course of life. As you adapt to living with them, an attitude of disempowerment or futility can creep in. Conquering that mind-set is the real aim here. The truth is that psychologically you need a triumph now -- and synchronistically, the universe is ready to cooperate.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a sextile -- traditionally seen as a "harmonious" or "mutually enhancing" aspect, often full of fast-paced events and emotional stimulation.

Pr. Moon is Trine Ascendant

In effect: in progress - Feb 2, 2016

Peak Date(s): Jan 7, 2016

The progressed Moon figures in our thinking again. As you may recall, the Moon shows what you are feeling. It gives us insight into your mood, concerns, and general attitude...into "where your heart is," in other words.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which the Moon is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with the Ascendant, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It is trine your natal Ascendant: Jan 7, 2016. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-motion events, and that this event simply peaks then; it will be affecting your mood for a period of two or three months on either side of that date.

Like the rest of us, you are a complicated, paradoxical individual, full of contradictions and undercurrents. That's human. But another part of being human is that, like the rest of us, you need to get out of bed in the morning and put on a streamlined, simplified social mask that allows you to function in the social beehive. There's no way that you can have a truly intimate relationship with every face you see in your daily life, nor would you likely want such connections. So we all keep much of what we really are behind our astrological Ascendant, which symbolizes that mask. Physically, it is simply the sign that was dawning in the east at the instant of your birth...and symbolically it represents how you "dawn" on people who don't know you very well. When triggered by a passing transit or progression, the Ascendant signals the need to make some adjustments in the way you present yourself in the social world, so that your outer appearance remains reasonably aligned with who you have become inwardly. The work is superficial; which is not to say unimportant. Often it has to do with changing how you hold your body, the way you speak, and the clothes you wear.

Always, it's advantageous for you to incorporate the force of the Ascendant positively in all parts of your life. But one area has always stood out in that regard -- the First House, which is

where the Ascendant lies in your natal chart. There, in the area of assertiveness and personal power, the right use of that energy is most critical. In many situations you must react, respond, and play the cards you're dealt. But not in the First House. Here, you're in the driver's seat...and there are certain experiences you must claim for yourself, experiences of the nature of the Ascendant, even if the people about whom you care call you selfish for doing so.

As we said, the aspect involved in the event we just described is the trine, which refers to a 120 degree angle between the natal planet and the moving one. Trines are traditionally viewed as positive aspects, and in fact they generally do correlate with opportunities. Additionally, their existence implies that support is available to you, if you are willing to move to claim it. And therein lies the rub with the so-called "good" aspects. They're not very dynamic. Just as pain is a more powerful motivator than contentment, the trick with trines lies in taking advantage of them before the wheel turns and their potential vanishes. With regard to the developments we described in the previous few paragraphs: a door is now open, a red carpet rolled out...but don't count on everything remaining that way forever.

Tr. Saturn is Sextile Saturn

In effect: Jan 9, 2016 - Oct 28, 2016

Peak Date(s): Jan 19, 2016; Jun 3, 2016; Oct 18, 2016

The planet Saturn is currently casting a gray light on your circumstances -- but is it the bleak gray of sorrow or the clear, comforting gray of wisdom and digested experience? That's the choice. Saturn is classically viewed as the "bad" planet, the "Greater Malefic." Don't believe it! Used correctly, its transits can bring dignity and self-respect. Essentially, Saturn is about maturity. The part of your life that's being touched by the Saturnian energies needs to grow up...which, despite the lies we're all told, is not a process one mysteriously completes on one's twenty-first birthday. There is an area of your life where you have simply outgrown yourself, at least inwardly. The task now is to adjust your outward circumstances to reflect the maturity you've already attained psychically and invisibly. It is a material problem, not fundamentally a psychological one. To succeed, there is first a need to face reality squarely, even if it's unsavory. Then to make a hard choice...that is, to reach an emotional bottom line and not be crippled by your awareness of the ambiguities in your situation. And finally, in a spirit of commitment, persistence, and self-discipline, to claim those circumstances in your life which reflect the hard inner work you've been doing over the last few years. That's Saturn in general. Specifically, Saturn is sextile your natal Saturn: Jan 19, 2016; Jun 3, 2016; Oct 18, 2016.

Our initial step is to realize that the action and the developmental invitation are manifesting in the Seventh House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Saturn is currently passing. This informs us that you have come to a turning point in your biography, but one whose successful navigation depends upon your receptivity to counsel, or more simply, your willingness to let another person influence you. "Soulmates" will appear at critical junctions. Recognize them through their resemblance to Saturn, which we just described. But what's the core issue? What part of your own life is at stake? To answer that, we turn our attention to Saturn, which is being invited into development by the advent of these pivotal people.

Getting kicked out of the nest, one way or another, is an elemental part of life. Faced with the stark, unyielding actualities of the "real world," you either die then and there or get on with

the cunning, calculating business of staying alive. To accomplish either of those ends, you activate the energies of your natal Saturn: your self-discipline, your patience, and your practicality...if you choose survival. And if you choose to give up, you withdraw into fear and probably get into a mood of despair and defeat. When Saturn is triggered by passing transits or progressions, it signals a time in which hard work is appropriate, necessary, and the best insurance for happiness. Often it suggests that the circumstances or even people who have been a significant part of your past must now be left behind, making way for a more mature expression of your identity.

Your Tenth House came up earlier; now we see it in the spotlight again, once more informing us that the deepest, most essential factors in the situation we're considering all revolve around your role in the world -- your profession or job, your political (or metapolitical!) activities...in general, the image that strangers have of you. And what do right choices look like here? A large part of the answer lies with Saturn, a planet we described above, whose basic nature and values underlie what we might call your "Cosmic Job Description."

When Saturn interacts with its own natal position, as we observe here, commitment is the highest path, and the one which brings the most joy in the long run. At some level, a vow is called for now...at least a vow to yourself. It will take effort, and the effort will be costly and exhausting. But it will be worth it. We hear so much about "being in touch with the inner child." Good advice, but not now. Saturn is about being in touch with the inner adult, which is to say, being in touch with determination, patience, and your own core moral values.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a sextile -- traditionally seen as a "harmonious" or "mutually enhancing" aspect, often full of fast-paced events and emotional stimulation.

Pr. Moon is Sextile Sun

In effect: Mar 5, 2016 - Apr 26, 2016

Peak Date(s): Mar 31, 2016

The progressed Moon figures in our thinking again. As you may recall, the Moon shows what you are feeling. It gives us insight into your mood, concerns, and general attitude...into "where your heart is," in other words.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which the Moon is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with the Sun, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It is sextile your natal Sun: Mar 31, 2016. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-motion events, and that this event simply peaks then; it will be affecting your mood for a period of two or three months

on either side of that date.

The natal Sun -- that, as we have seen, refers to the very core of your being: your identity.

Your Seventh House occupied our thoughts earlier in these pages; now we see it triggered again, suggesting that at the center of the circumstances we're considering there exists a fundamental inter-dependency: what you must do, you cannot do alone. A pair of ideas figure here: The first is that by emphasizing the spirit of the Sun in your closest relationships, you improve them. The second is that your natural partners are themselves people of the nature of the Sun, and that should help you recognize them.

When the Sun interacts with the Moon, your "head" and your "heart" are experiencing some complications in their relationship. The key to a peaceful resolution of the issue lies in each being heard and each being willing to bend a little. Your lunar need for self-nurture must be balanced with your solar responsibilities and sense of destiny. Your hardheaded reasonableness must be open to the "trans-rational" side of life, where happiness really lies. Compromise and balance are the essence of such an event.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a sextile -- traditionally seen as a "harmonious" or "mutually enhancing" aspect, often full of fast-paced events and emotional stimulation.

Tr. Jupiter is Trine Neptune

In effect: Mar 10, 2016 - Jul 7, 2016

Peak Date(s): Mar 17, 2016; Jun 30, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is trine your natal Neptune. The action peaks Mar 17, 2016; Jun 30, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Neptune, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Neptune -- that, as we have seen, symbolizes pure consciousness. It is the mystical planet, the part of your being that receives inspiration and, depending on your metaphysical tastes, either inner guidance or divine direction.

Your Ninth House engaged us previously in the report. Now we see it turned on again, indicating that your natural adventuresomeness and philosophical curiosity are at the heart of the present situation. Sometimes chances must be taken and leaps of faith made. This is such a time. Learn something new. Take a vacation to somewhere you've never been. In the spirit of

Neptune, blow out the cobwebs.

When Jupiter consorts with Neptune, there's a cliché that should never be too far from your mind: all that glitters is not gold. Don't be tempted by "extraordinary possibilities" now, at least not without a careful look at the fine print, a consultation with a sober friend, and a painstaking effort to consider worst-case scenarios. What is really going on here is that a bright new vision is slowly forming inside you. It's real -- or more accurately, it's going to be real. Don't mistake its glowing emotional aura for something that is actually, physically, available in the present context.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a trine -- traditionally seen as a "good" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply enhancing or supportive. Generally speaking, with trines there is an opportunity...but to seize it, you must supply the initiative.

Tr. Jupiter is Trine Uranus

In effect: Mar 21, 2016 - Jun 27, 2016

Peak Date(s): Mar 30, 2016; Jun 18, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is trine your natal Uranus. The action peaks Mar 30, 2016; Jun 18, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Uranus, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Uranus -- that, as we have seen, represents your natural, uncensored individuality and your ability to claim and defend it.

Your Eighth House engaged us previously in the report. Now we see it provoked again, indicating that your attitude toward the circumstances we're considering reflects a fundamental distortion. It has to do with your own psychological scar-tissue, and it biases your thinking in the direction of Uranus, as we just described it. Follow your moods down into the labyrinths of your psyche; pay attention to your dreams, your fantasies, and your unspoken hungers. And speak nakedly and truly with someone of the nature of Uranus, who will help you clarify your own real needs.

When Jupiter interacts with Uranus, unanticipated opportunities arise. It's as though the Cosmos manifests as Santa Claus; gifts are given to you, often completely "out of the blue." Accept them. The psycho-spiritual theme here lies in loving yourself enough to embrace abundance, and many times the test comes and passes so quickly that success depends more upon reflexive self-confidence than upon any philosophical "position papers" about self-esteem.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a trine -- traditionally seen as a "good" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply enhancing or supportive. Generally speaking, with trines there is an opportunity...but to seize it, you must supply the initiative.

Tr. Neptune is Sextile Venus

In effect: Apr 27, 2016 - Aug 1, 2016

Peak Date(s): sometime after the report period.

The planet Neptune is presently tinting and shading your biography, adding its dreamlike quality to the existential stew. Close your eyes; there's a world in there. That's Neptune, the planet of consciousness itself. Now open your eyes. There's a world out there too, and it's hard to ignore it. In fact, the outer world has become so pressing in its demands that you've partly lost contact with the inner one. But Neptune, transiting through sensitive territories for you now, is fixing that. Your inner world is so full it's brimming over, overflowing its banks into your daily life. If you resist the process, you'll find a host of Neptune problems plaguing you: losing the car keys, forgetting to pay the electric bill, having the attention span of a three-year-old on a sugar jag. But there's an alternative: trust the process. Slow down. Meditate. Let the images come. Mould opinions. Breathe in, breathe out. Why? Because your unconscious mind has a message for you. It has to do with the possibility of happiness for you over the next few years, about how old sources of joy are drying up and -- critically -- about new ones you must learn to recognize. How do you receive the message? You stop resisting. You simply let it in. That's Neptune in the broad sense. How is it effecting you specifically? Neptune is sextile your natal Venus: sometime after the report period..

Currently Neptune is navigating your Eleventh House, suggesting that your own circumstances and possibilities are currently tied into larger developments involving organizations, committees, or your "crowd." This inevitably involves the use of a certain political adroitness on your part and the capacity to forge and nurture coalitions and alliances, even if they're just among three or four people. But behind the group dynamics, there's a deeper layer. What are your priorities? What do you really want? Certainly, those desires are currently evolving and their motion is in the direction of Neptune, as we just described it. In a nutshell: know what you want and choose your allies accordingly. But what's the core issue? What part of your own life is at stake? To answer that, we turn our attention to Venus, which is being invited into development by these strategic alliances.

Venus is the goddess of love, of peace, and of the arts. In each domain, balance is the ideal. Deep in your psyche, there is a place that seeks the comfort of balance and equilibrium, whether through shared fondness with another human being, an hour's peace in the garden, or the rapture that sometimes arises as we immerse our hearts and minds in something beautiful. That inner circuit is your natal Venus. When it is stimulated, we often see experiences arising which prophesy a change in your relationships, in what gives you serenity, or in your aesthetic experiences.

Your Eighth House engaged us previously in the report. Now we see it provoked again, indicating that your attitude toward the circumstances we're considering reflects a fundamental distortion. It has to do with your own psychological scar-tissue, and it biases your thinking in the direction of Venus, as we just described it. Follow your moods down into the labyrinths of

your psyche; pay attention to your dreams, your fantasies, and your unspoken hungers. And speak nakedly and truly with someone of the nature of Venus, who will help you clarify your own real needs.

When Venus mixes with Neptune, a tender, vulnerable time is upon you. You feel heightened sensitivity, and often a need to experience a sense of spiritual connectedness. The peril here is that you might mistake hormones for previous lifetimes together, or unprocessed psychological scars for God's will that you fall in love with X, Y, or Z. At its darkest, this event can mean self-deception and heartbreak; at its best, it might teach you about heights of love you've never before known, or perhaps a lesson or two in sacred sexuality.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a sextile -- traditionally seen as a "harmonious" or "mutually enhancing" aspect, often full of fast-paced events and emotional stimulation.

Tr. Jupiter is Trine Venus

In effect: Apr 27, 2016 - May 20, 2016

Peak Date(s): sometime after the report period.

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is trine your natal Venus. The action peaks sometime after the report period..

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Venus, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Venus -- that, as we have seen, is where you store your romantic and affiliative sensibilities, along with your aesthetic tastes.

Your Eighth House engaged us previously in the report. Now we see it provoked again, indicating that your attitude toward the circumstances we're considering reflects a fundamental distortion. It has to do with your own psychological scar-tissue, and it biases your thinking in the direction of Venus, as we just described it. Follow your moods down into the labyrinths of your psyche; pay attention to your dreams, your fantasies, and your unspoken hungers. And speak nakedly and truly with someone of the nature of Venus, who will help you clarify your own real needs.

When Venusian energies splice together with Jupiterian ones, opportunity (Jupiter) comes to you through other people (Venus). Sometimes what we might call "dumb luck" makes itself felt, but it doesn't hurt to help it along by understanding the planetary "rules of the game." Basically, they boil down to this: you've got to ask for what you want, you've got to know that

you deserve it, and you've got to look that way...which is to say, there's no room for being apologetic, ashamed, or defensive.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a trine -- traditionally seen as a "good" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply enhancing or supportive. Generally speaking, with trines there is an opportunity...but to seize it, you must supply the initiative.

Pr. Mars is Trine Moon

In effect: in progress - Jul 22, 2016

Peak Date(s): sometime before the report period.

Two cats are discussing which cat rules the world. You've seen them...they glare at each other, inches apart, switching their tails. As soon as one of them flinches, the chase is on. The other cat lunges; the flincher flees. The curious thing is that the next day they might easily reverse roles, the pursuer becoming the pursued. Those cats give us an abject lesson in the ways of the planet Mars. Each of us, deep in our mammal-programming, contains a pair of primal behavioral routines: Fight and Flight. Dominance and Submission. Hunter and Prey. When the progressed Mars hits sensitive astrological territory, as it is doing for you currently, you are offered a choice: will you be courageous, or will you get hurt? It's raw and rough, and usually rather black and white.

Psychologically, the archetype that you're working with this year is that of the spiritual warrior. In that archetype, there may be violence, but no love of violence. There is skill with the "sword," but no love for the sword. Those who respond weakly to the challenges of the progressed Mars generally experience some kind of victimization: they are exploited, or abused, or get themselves into some kind of "accident." They often become depressed. But all that is quite optional! The higher road is to claim your courage. Assertiveness is always necessary, as is boundary-setting -- and boundary-defending. In some part of your life, you must learn to say "Enough!" Mars is linked to our ability to desire. When it progresses to a sensitive point, you are invited to claim what you want. But that claiming, however legitimate, calls for considerable intestinal fortitude.

Let's first consider that the action and the developmental pressures are rooted in the Third House, for that's where Mars is currently located in your chart. And what does that mean? That new information is coming your way, and that it may be somewhat shocking, unexpected, or at least fresh. It will modify your plans and make you aware of new possibilities. The news may come to you through any of the media or through a messenger, either of which may possess the tone of Mars, as we just described it. But what's the issue? What part of your own life is scheduled to be impacted most strongly by this new data? To answer that, we turn our attention to the Moon, which is being invited into development by this flood of input.

How is the progressed Mars currently touching you? It is trine your natal Moon: sometime before the report period.. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-moving events and that the action simply peaks then; it will be in effect throughout the period of this report.

The natal Sun -- that, as we have seen, refers to the very core of your being: your identity.

Your Sixth House held our attention for a while earlier in these pages; now we see it making itself felt again. You have an inherent desire to be helpful and competent, and you express it best when you find ways to give people around you "gifts" of the nature of the Moon, as we just described it. That part of your nature is currently in the spotlight, so offer yourself and your gifts to those who need them. You'll grow wiser, and they'll be happier.

When the Moon interacts with Mars, the mood of life turns hot. Fiery energies course through the psyche, filling you with passionate intensity. Positively, the linking of these two factors can encourage you to take the initiative, to state your needs forcefully and unambiguously, and to defend what is rightfully yours. Be careful; this astrological linkage may incline you toward extremes of temper, unintentionally destructive exchanges with the people with whom you share your life, and possibly the sort of accidents which are created by unprocessed tension, anger, or anxiety.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a trine -- traditionally seen as a "good" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply enhancing or supportive. Generally speaking, with trines there is an opportunity...but to seize it, you must supply the initiative.

Tr. Jupiter is Sextile Moon

In effect: Aug 17, 2016 - Aug 26, 2016

Peak Date(s): Aug 22, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is sextile your natal Moon. The action peaks Aug 22, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with the Moon, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Moon -- that, as we have seen, represents your inner life, your emotions, moods, and attitudes.

Your Sixth House held our attention for a while earlier in these pages; now we see it making itself felt again. You have an inherent desire to be helpful and competent, and you express it best when you find ways to give people around you "gifts" of the nature of the Moon, as we just described it. That part of your nature is currently in the spotlight, so offer yourself and your gifts to those who need them. You'll grow wiser, and they'll be happier.

When the Moon interacts with Jupiter, the mood of life generally turns jovial and optimistic. There is an attitude of hopefulness and an alertness to possibility. It is a season of enhanced imagination, especially about your own potential future. In general, the best policy is

to be bold in your dreaming, but cautious about signing on the dotted line. What you envision creatively now is probably quite sound, but it will want some editing in the cold light of dawn.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a sextile -- traditionally seen as a "harmonious" or "mutually enhancing" aspect, often full of fast-paced events and emotional stimulation.

Tr. Jupiter is Sextile Mercury

In effect: Aug 21, 2016 - Aug 31, 2016

Peak Date(s): Aug 26, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is sextile your natal Mercury. The action peaks Aug 26, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Mercury, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

Your quickness, your alertness, your curiosity -- those are the dimensions of your life dominated by the planet Mercury. To say that Mercury represents your intelligence is quite accurate, but it's more connected to the natural style of your intelligence: not so much how smart you are as what interests you, and how your intelligence can be employed most pleasurably and efficiently. Intimately linked to such cerebral concerns is the question of your ability to communicate, since ideally there is some relationship between speech and forethought. Thus Mercury, the traditional Messenger of the Gods, is associated with both thought and conversation. When stimulated by a passing transit or progression, Mercury tends to speed up the flow of data in your life. You learn. You listen. You speak. Often events move at a hasty pace, and there's a feeling of excitement mixed with over-extension.

Your Sixth House held our attention for a while earlier in these pages; now we see it making itself felt again. You have an inherent desire to be helpful and competent, and you express it best when you find ways to give people around you "gifts" of the nature of Mercury, as we just described it. That part of your nature is currently in the spotlight, so offer yourself and your gifts to those who need them. You'll grow wiser, and they'll be happier.

When Mercury hobnobs with Jupiter, an attitude of expansiveness (Jupiter) pervades the mind (Mercury). You are challenged now, like an optimistic Sherlock Holmes, to be alert to possibilities. Think inventively, think positively, and think big: that's the spirit. In some way, you have been underestimating your intelligence, verbal skills, or general competence. Recognize that, and change it.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a sextile -- traditionally seen as a "harmonious" or "mutually enhancing" aspect, often full of fast-paced events and emotional stimulation.

Tr. Jupiter is Sextile Mars

In effect: Aug 23, 2016 - Sep 1, 2016

Peak Date(s): Aug 28, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is sextile your natal Mars. The action peaks Aug 28, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Mars, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Mars -- that, as we have seen, indicates your courage, or at least an area of your life where you'll need it!

Your Third House figured previously in this report. Now we see it being triggered again, which tells us that one vitally important concern for you at present involves simple communication -- and that means listening as well as expressing yourself. Expect messages, perhaps even disconcerting ones, which embody the tone and nature of Mars.

When Jupiter energies interact with Mars energies, opportunity coincides with the need for assertiveness. There is something here for you to claim; but to succeed, you'll have to be brave. A "paper tiger" figures somehow in the situation: something that's not nearly as scary as it may initially appear.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a sextile -- traditionally seen as a "harmonious" or "mutually enhancing" aspect, often full of fast-paced events and emotional stimulation.

Pr. Moon is Conjunct Jupiter

In effect: Aug 26, 2016 - Oct 17, 2016

Peak Date(s): Sep 21, 2016

The progressed Moon figures in our thinking again. As you may recall, the Moon shows what you are feeling. It gives us insight into your mood, concerns, and general attitude...into "where your heart is," in other words.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth

House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which the Moon is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Jupiter, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It is conjunct your natal Jupiter: Sep 21, 2016. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-motion events, and that this event simply peaks then; it will be affecting your mood for a period of two or three months on either side of that date.

Hope and faith are essential to sanity. Without at least a few bright dreams and expansive goals, a person grows flat and dull...becomes a time-server. The same can be said for self-confidence: we need it. And even if such assurance sometimes crosses the line into a sprinkle of arrogance, that's less troubling and limiting than sitting around afraid to take any risks at all. There is a gambler's circuit in your psyche that understands these notions perfectly well. Astrologers call it Jupiter. When stimulated by a passing transit or progression, it encourages you to extend yourself further into your world, to bet on yourself, and to recognize emerging opportunities. Be wary at the same time that you don't settle for glitter when gold may be just around the corner.

Preserving a sound alliance with Jupiter plays a leading role in one key area of your life: the Fifth House, which is where Jupiter lies in your birthchart. And what are the concerns here? Pleasant ones, generally: playfulness, creativity, and self-expression. Life is hard work -- human beings, yourself included, require periodic doses of renewal, peak experience, and simple joy. You can meet those needs in yourself in a variety of ways, but the ones that work best and most efficiently come from experiences connected with Jupiter, as we just portrayed them. And, in your current astrological circumstances, the need for that kind of re-charging is definitely up right now.

When the Moon interacts with Jupiter, the mood of life generally turns jovial and optimistic. There is an attitude of hopefulness and an alertness to possibility. It is a season of enhanced imagination, especially about your own potential future. In general, the best policy is to be bold in your dreaming, but cautious about signing on the dotted line. What you envision creatively now is probably quite sound, but it will want some editing in the cold light of dawn.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a conjunction -- the most powerful of the geometric aspects and one that suggests convergence, intensification, and often a new beginning.

Tr. Jupiter is Trine Ascendant

In effect: Aug 28, 2016 - Sep 7, 2016

Peak Date(s): Sep 2, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the

planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is trine your natal Ascendant. The action peaks Sep 2, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with the Ascendant, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Ascendant -- that, as we have seen, represents your style, how you go about translating your inner worlds into the two-dimensional framework of daily social interactions.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a trine -- traditionally seen as a "good" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply enhancing or supportive. Generally speaking, with trines there is an opportunity...but to seize it, you must supply the initiative.

Pr. Moon is Trine Midheaven

In effect: Aug 29, 2016 - Oct 20, 2016

Peak Date(s): Sep 24, 2016

The progressed Moon figures in our thinking again. As you may recall, the Moon shows what you are feeling. It gives us insight into your mood, concerns, and general attitude...into "where your heart is," in other words.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which the Moon is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with the Midheaven, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It is trine your natal Midheaven: Sep 24, 2016. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-motion events, and that this event simply peaks then; it will be affecting your mood for a period of two or three months on either side of that date.

The natal Midheaven -- that, as we have seen, represents the role you play in your community. It is connected primarily to two territories: your work and your reputation.

Your Tenth House came up earlier; now we see it in the spotlight again, once more informing us that the deepest, most essential factors in the situation we're considering all revolve around your role in the world -- your profession or job, your political (or metapolitical!)

activities...in general, the image that strangers have of you. And what do right choices look like here? A large part of the answer lies with the Midheaven, a planet we described above, whose basic nature and values underlie what we might call your "Cosmic Job Description."

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a trine -- traditionally seen as a "good" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply enhancing or supportive. Generally speaking, with trines there is an opportunity...but to seize it, you must supply the initiative.

Tr. Jupiter is Sextile Sun

In effect: Sep 13, 2016 - Sep 22, 2016

Peak Date(s): Sep 17, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is sextile your natal Sun. The action peaks Sep 17, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with the Sun, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Sun -- that, as we have seen, refers to the very core of your being: your identity.

Your Seventh House occupied our thoughts earlier in these pages; now we see it triggered again, suggesting that at the center of the circumstances we're considering there exists a fundamental inter-dependency: what you must do, you cannot do alone. A pair of ideas figure here: The first is that by emphasizing the spirit of the Sun in your closest relationships, you improve them. The second is that your natural partners are themselves people of the nature of the Sun, and that should help you recognize them.

When the Sun interacts with Jupiter, claim some applause for yourself. Healthy pride and dignity are at stake here, and they're hard to sustain without receiving some appreciation. It may just come to you; but if not, then don't be shy about asking for it...and one of the best ways to do that is to insist upon a victory, the more colorful the better. The good news is that under this kind of astrological configuration, such a victory is in fact quite available to you now.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a sextile -- traditionally seen as a "harmonious" or "mutually enhancing" aspect, often full of fast-paced events and emotional stimulation.

Tr. Jupiter is Conjunct Jupiter

In effect: Oct 14, 2016 - Oct 23, 2016

Peak Date(s): Oct 19, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is conjunct your natal Jupiter. The action peaks Oct 19, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Jupiter, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Jupiter -- that, as we have seen, symbolizes your capacity for positive thinking and abundance. More deeply, Jupiter is about your faith in life and in yourself.

Your Fifth House held our attention for a while earlier in these pages; now we see it making itself felt again. You have an inherent capacity for playful, recreational, or creative self-renewal, and it operates best when those self-renewing activities emphasize the spirit of Jupiter, as we just described it. That part of your psyche is under some pressure now. Take advantage of the energy and enjoy yourself!

When Jupiter interacts with its own natal position, as we see here, speculation and possibility arise. There is something available to you now which was not available before. It comes at least partly as a gift, or as what the world would call "blind luck." In fact, a more subtle law is in operation here: you've crafted a position of opportunity for yourself over the years. Now is the time to harvest it.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a conjunction -- the most powerful of the geometric aspects and one that suggests convergence, intensification, and often a new beginning.

Tr. Jupiter is Trine Midheaven

In effect: Oct 14, 2016 - Oct 24, 2016

Peak Date(s): Oct 19, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is trine your natal Midheaven. The action peaks Oct 19, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with the Midheaven,

which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Midheaven -- that, as we have seen, represents the role you play in your community. It is connected primarily to two territories: your work and your reputation.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a trine -- traditionally seen as a "good" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply enhancing or supportive. Generally speaking, with trines there is an opportunity...but to seize it, you must supply the initiative.

Tr. Jupiter is Square Venus

In effect: Nov 1, 2016 - Nov 12, 2016

Peak Date(s): Nov 6, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is square your natal Venus. The action peaks Nov 6, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Venus, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Venus -- that, as we have seen, is where you store your romantic and affiliative sensibilities, along with your aesthetic tastes.

Your Eighth House engaged us previously in the report. Now we see it provoked again, indicating that your attitude toward the circumstances we're considering reflects a fundamental distortion. It has to do with your own psychological scar-tissue, and it biases your thinking in the direction of Venus, as we just described it. Follow your moods down into the labyrinths of your psyche; pay attention to your dreams, your fantasies, and your unspoken hungers. And speak nakedly and truly with someone of the nature of Venus, who will help you clarify your own real needs.

When Venusian energies splice together with Jupiterian ones, opportunity (Jupiter) comes to you through other people (Venus). Sometimes what we might call "dumb luck" makes itself felt, but it doesn't hurt to help it along by understanding the planetary "rules of the game." Basically, they boil down to this: you've got to ask for what you want, you've got to know that you deserve it, and you've got to look that way...which is to say, there's no room for being apologetic, ashamed, or defensive.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a square -- traditionally seen as a "bad" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply frictional. Squares generally suggest tough choices, external pressures, and at least some stress.

Tr. Jupiter is Trine Saturn

In effect: Nov 5, 2016 - Nov 15, 2016

Peak Date(s): Nov 10, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is trine your natal Saturn. The action peaks Nov 10, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Saturn, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Saturn -- that, as we have seen, symbolizes your capacity for self-discipline and patience. Generally, it marks an area where you will be challenged to achieve excellence...or tempted to give up and sink into sorrow and self-pity.

Your Tenth House came up earlier; now we see it in the spotlight again, once more informing us that the deepest, most essential factors in the situation we're considering all revolve around your role in the world -- your profession or job, your political (or metapolitical!) activities...in general, the image that strangers have of you. And what do right choices look like here? A large part of the answer lies with Saturn, a planet we described above, whose basic nature and values underlie what we might call your "Cosmic Job Description."

When Jupiter interacts with Saturn, you experience an odd confluence of providential fortune (Jupiter) and daunting impediments (Saturn). Essentially, something very good is available to you now, but to attain it you must undertake a herculean effort. More profoundly, that effort itself will crystallize a very specific transformation in you: it will grant you the dignity of your advancing maturity.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a trine -- traditionally seen as a "good" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply enhancing or supportive. Generally speaking, with trines there is an opportunity...but to seize it, you must supply the initiative.

Tr. Jupiter is Square Uranus

In effect: Nov 18, 2016 - Nov 29, 2016

Peak Date(s): Nov 23, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is square your natal Uranus. The action peaks Nov 23, 2016.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth

House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Jupiter is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Uranus, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

The natal Uranus -- that, as we have seen, represents your natural, uncensored individuality and your ability to claim and defend it.

Your Eighth House engaged us previously in the report. Now we see it provoked again, indicating that your attitude toward the circumstances we're considering reflects a fundamental distortion. It has to do with your own psychological scar-tissue, and it biases your thinking in the direction of Uranus, as we just described it. Follow your moods down into the labyrinths of your psyche; pay attention to your dreams, your fantasies, and your unspoken hungers. And speak nakedly and truly with someone of the nature of Uranus, who will help you clarify your own real needs.

When Jupiter interacts with Uranus, unanticipated opportunities arise. It's as though the Cosmos manifests as Santa Claus; gifts are given to you, often completely "out of the blue." Accept them. The psycho-spiritual theme here lies in loving yourself enough to embrace abundance, and many times the test comes and passes so quickly that success depends more upon reflexive self-confidence than upon any philosophical "position papers" about self-esteem.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a square -- traditionally seen as a "bad" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply frictional. Squares generally suggest tough choices, external pressures, and at least some stress.

Tr. Jupiter is Square Neptune

In effect: Nov 26, 2016 - Dec 8, 2016

Peak Date(s): Dec 2, 2016

Jupiter figured earlier in this analysis. Now we meet it again. As you may recall, this is the planet of possibilities and the seizing of opportunities. Jupiter currently is square your natal Neptune. The action peaks Dec 2, 2016.

Our initial step is to realize that the motion and the developmental invitation are manifesting in the Sixth House. We've met that house before, and it figures in our analysis again, for that is the house through which Jupiter is currently passing. Obligations and responsibilities are emphasized now in your life, and the mood they create is the same as that of Jupiter, which we just described. But what are the core questions? What part of you is being called into the service of others? The answer lies with Neptune, which is being triggered during this season of giving, of supporting others, and of plain hard work.

The natal Neptune -- that, as we have seen, symbolizes pure consciousness. It is the mystical planet, the part of your being that receives inspiration and, depending on your

metaphysical tastes, either inner guidance or divine direction.

Your Ninth House engaged us previously in the report. Now we see it turned on again, indicating that your natural adventuresomeness and philosophical curiosity are at the heart of the present situation. Sometimes chances must be taken and leaps of faith made. This is such a time. Learn something new. Take a vacation to somewhere you've never been. In the spirit of Neptune, blow out the cobwebs.

When Jupiter consorts with Neptune, there's a cliché that should never be too far from your mind: all that glitters is not gold. Don't be tempted by "extraordinary possibilities" now, at least not without a careful look at the fine print, a consultation with a sober friend, and a painstaking effort to consider worst-case scenarios. What is really going on here is that a bright new vision is slowly forming inside you. It's real -- or more accurately, it's going to be real. Don't mistake its glowing emotional aura for something that is actually, physically, available in the present context.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a square -- traditionally seen as a "bad" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply frictional. Squares generally suggest tough choices, external pressures, and at least some stress.

Pr. Moon is Square Venus

In effect: Dec 6, 2016 - continuing

Peak Date(s): sometime after the report period.

The progressed Moon figures in our thinking again. As you may recall, the Moon shows what you are feeling. It gives us insight into your mood, concerns, and general attitude...into "where your heart is," in other words.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which the Moon is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-invigorated. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Venus, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It is square your natal Venus: sometime after the report period.. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-motion events, and that this event simply peaks then; it will be affecting your mood for a period of two or three months on either side of that date.

The natal Venus -- that, as we have seen, is where you store your romantic and affiliative sensibilities, along with your aesthetic tastes.

Your Eighth House engaged us previously in the report. Now we see it provoked again, indicating that your attitude toward the circumstances we're considering reflects a fundamental

distortion. It has to do with your own psychological scar-tissue, and it biases your thinking in the direction of Venus, as we just described it. Follow your moods down into the labyrinths of your psyche; pay attention to your dreams, your fantasies, and your unspoken hungers. And speak nakedly and truly with someone of the nature of Venus, who will help you clarify your own real needs.

When the Moon blends with Venus, a mood (Moon) of affection and fondness (Venus) often fills the psyche. Creative or aesthetic concerns come to the fore; social and perhaps romantic activities intensify. The heart hungers for connection, closeness, and the sharing of tender support. Relax a little. Take time with people about whom you care. And don't let this period pass without enjoying a slow, unfolding sunset.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a square -- traditionally seen as a "bad" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply frictional. Squares generally suggest tough choices, external pressures, and at least some stress.

Pr. Moon is Trine Saturn

In effect: Dec 22, 2016 - continuing

Peak Date(s): sometime after the report period.

The progressed Moon figures in our thinking again. As you may recall, the Moon shows what you are feeling. It gives us insight into your mood, concerns, and general attitude...into "where your heart is," in other words.

First, factor in that the movement and the evolutionary invitation are occurring in the Fifth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which the Moon is currently passing. We've met the symbolism of this house before: creativity, unabashed self-expression, and sheer playfulness. You've reached a point in your journey where you need your batteries recharged, your "inner child" re-energized. A general loosening up is required. Life's pleasures -- sports, games, vacations, new friends, loving interactions -- need to figure in your experience now. But what part of your being most requires this rejuvenation? The answer lies with Saturn, which is being invited into development during this playful time of renewal and discovery.

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It is trine your natal Saturn: sometime after the report period.. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-motion events, and that this event simply peaks then; it will be affecting your mood for a period of two or three months on either side of that date.

The natal Saturn -- that, as we have seen, symbolizes your capacity for self-discipline and patience. Generally, it marks an area where you will be challenged to achieve excellence...or tempted to give up and sink into sorrow and self-pity.

Your Tenth House came up earlier; now we see it in the spotlight again, once more informing us that the deepest, most essential factors in the situation we're considering all revolve around your role in the world -- your profession or job, your political (or metapolitical!) activities...in general, the image that strangers have of you. And what do right choices look like here? A large part of the answer lies with Saturn, a planet we described above, whose basic

nature and values underlie what we might call your "Cosmic Job Description."

When the Moon interacts with Saturn, the mood of life turns serious and quiet. Sadness, loneliness, and pessimism can arise, but they are not necessary. Essentially, this is a season of clear seeing in emotional matters. It calls for sober, realistic thinking and a willingness to be strong enough to call a spade a spade...even you'd prefer diamonds or hearts.

The two factors, as we mentioned, are linked by a trine -- traditionally seen as a "good" aspect, but more accurately seen as simply enhancing or supportive. Generally speaking, with trines there is an opportunity...but to seize it, you must supply the initiative.

The Details

In the mood for Mardi Gras? If you live in Chicago, it helps to know that New Orleans lies to the south. Head west or east and you'll never arrive . . .

What we've done in the previous pages is to show you the direction to New Orleans. We've looked at the big astrological themes that are affecting you this year . . .

As a reminder, at the beginning of our analysis of each month's events we'll make reference to any major configurations covered previously which happen to be reaching peaks of intensity then -- and please recall that some of them will have more than a single peak during the report period. There won't be any more analysis; just an allusion to the events so you can go back and review the earlier material, and see the patterns of the month in the light of the year's heavier transits and progressions.

Please remember that the fleeting, often forgettable influences we discuss in the following pages must always draw their real meaning from the far more monumental events we've already described. A "discussion with the boss," for example, is going to take on particular significance during a month when your whole career is up for grabs!

These minor transits unfold quickly. It's a rare week that doesn't contain at least a few. A report that discussed them all in the kind of microscopic detail we've applied to the major events would be several inches thick. In order to cover the daily astrological kaleidoscope within the practical limitations of the space available, we've resorted to producing capsulized one-sentence nuggets that compress a lot of information into a few words. So, slow down, shift gears, and let them wash over you. Think of these images more as daily meditations than as the kind of full-blown explanations to which you've gotten accustomed in the previous sections of SKYLOG.

One brief reminder: remember that many astrological events have not one but several peaks of intensity, so you may find a given "Invitation" or "Means" coming up several times in the pages that follow.

Even minor astrological events commonly have an impact over several days. In the following month-by-month analysis, configurations are listed chronologically according to the days they "peak" -- but don't take that date narrowly. The most colorful events and profoundest realizations might easily occur a day or two later or earlier.

January Invitation Peaks

Jan 16, 2016 - Tr. Pluto Conjunct Uranus

Jan 18, 2016 - Tr. Pluto enters Ninth House

Jan 28, 2016 - Tr. Uranus Square Neptune

January Mean Peaks

Jan 05, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Sextile Pluto

Jan 07, 2016 - Pr. Moon Trine Ascendant

Jan 10, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Sextile Pluto

Jan 19, 2016 - Tr. Saturn Sextile Saturn

January The Details

Jan 03, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Venus

Keywords: emotionally brave nature fuses with your natural spooky human connection.

Jan 05, 2016 at 05:00 AM - Mercury turns Retrograde

Three, maybe four times in the course of a year, the planet Mercury spends three weeks or so going backwards in the sky, a period we call Mercury Retrograde. Practicality sometimes intervenes, but to the extent that you can arrange it, you are better off if you can avoid signing anything important during this period, buying anything mechanical (unless its failure would be of trivial consequence), initiating travel, or attempting significant communications by phone or mail. This, of course, is a lot to ask; and sticking to it too firmly starts to verge on Cosmic Paranoia. Still, there is a heightened tendency for objects, messages, and plans to go awry during this Retrograde time. Sometimes a little patience exercised now will make your life a lot easier in the long run. If steps simply must be taken, it doesn't mean everything is doomed to failure...just keep duplicates, have backups, double-check everything, and be prepared for petty annoyances. The first appearance of a Retrograde Mercury during the period of this report occurs Jan 05, 2016 at 05:00 AM. Those conditions persist until Mercury again goes "Direct" sometime after the report period..

Jan 06, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Jupiter

Keywords: cooperative human connection stimulates your normal self-expressive gambling.

Jan 06, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Uranus

Keywords: emotionally brave identity combines with your characteristic spooky autonomy.

Jan 07, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Neptune

Keywords: exploratory identity fuses with your natural intellectually hungry imagination.

Jan 07, 2016 - Jupiter turns Retrograde (at 23°Vi14' in your 05th House)

Aspects: Sextile Moon, Sextile Mercury, Sextile Mars, Trine Uranus, Trine Neptune, Sextile Pluto, Trine Ascendant.

Jan 09, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Saturn

Keywords: interpersonally sensitive affection stimulates your normal career solitude.

Jan 11, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Mars

Keywords: expansive conversation opposes your inborn open-minded swordsmanship.

Jan 11, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Mercury

Keywords: expansive communication excites your native competent dialog.

Jan 12, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Moon

Keywords: exploratory communication excites your native responsible awareness.

Jan 13, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Pluto

Keywords: adventuresome identity stimulates your normal supportive intensity.

Jan 14, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Pluto

Keywords: adventuresome dialog stimulates your normal competent investigation.

Jan 15, 2016 at 08:42 PM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

The Moon in a month passes through all twelve houses of your chart. In so doing, it correlates with the passing whimsies of mood. One afternoon you're bright and cheery, the following morning you're blue...but energetic again after lunch. It doesn't amount to much, and it's not really very important in practical terms -- with one exception: the passage of the Moon through the Twelfth House. During that time you are going through a kind of emotional moulting, ending one cycle and preparing to begin another. Your attentions and energies are turned inward. Accept that, handle it well, and the period -- usually a couple of days -- is quiet and contemplative. It may even be rather pleasant. But if you try to keep up your normal level of activity, you'll find yourself confused, flat, and prone to dumb accidents. So when the Moon enters your Twelfth House, make sure that you have some unstructured time. Minimize distractions. Put off any significant new beginnings for a couple of days. And take a few unhurried breaths. This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House Jan 15, 2016 at 08:42 PM, and emerges Jan 18, 2016 at 10:53 PM, when a new emotional cycle begins.

Jan 16, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Moon

Keywords: adventuresome personality excites your native competent sensitivity.

Jan 17, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Mercury

Keywords: expansive identity stimulates your normal supportive dialog.

Jan 17, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Mars

Keywords: expansive nature is in tension with your inherent open-minded courage.

Jan 20, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Neptune

Keywords: routine-shattering dialog fuses with your natural exploratory imagination.

Jan 22, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Sun

Keywords: adventuresome personality excites your native caring nature.

Jan 22, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Uranus

Keywords: penetratingly real communication fuses with your natural psychologically deep originality.

Jan 26, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Venus

Keywords: helpful swordsmanship excites your native penetratingly real human connection.

Jan 27, 2016 - Tr. Mars Square Saturn

Keywords: dutiful assertiveness clashes with your instinctive vocational composure.

Jan 28, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Jupiter

Keywords: exploratory identity supports your typical child-like opportunity.

Jan 28, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Midheaven

The transiting Sun is like a huge, dumb battery. Whatever it touches, it electrifies -- but never for very long or very deeply. That's simply because it's a fast-moving factor, never staying anywhere long enough to develop true depth or complexity of meaning. In a year, it circuits the chart once...which leaves it only a few days to spend in each of your chart's many sensitive zones. Whatever it touches, however, is temporarily pushed into action. And sometimes, if more serious astro-psychological energies have been building or brewing in that area of your life, the Sun's transit over that point might just be the trigger that sets big wheels turning. The critical point is that the Sun represents your ego, and when it collides with sensitive territories you need to act accordingly: not "egocentrically," but with an awareness of your rights, your needs, and your desires.

Sun arrives at a conjunction with your Midheaven Jan 28, 2016, and that always suggests a time of public visibility or career-related activity. The Midheaven is the top of the chart and corresponds to the most outward, visible parts of your life. It's an active point, generally not very subtle. To make the most of it, pretend that "all the world's a stage" and that the part you're playing is that of the Sun, as we just described it. Don't be shy. Ham it up a little, and make sure the people dozing in the back row don't miss any nuances.

Jan 28, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Uranus

Keywords: passionate conversation fuses with your natural psychologically deep autonomy.

Jan 30, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Jupiter

Keywords: psychologically deep relating clashes with your instinctive playful opportunity.

Jan 31, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Neptune

Keywords: expansive communication fuses with your natural adventuresome imagination.

February Invitation Peaks

Feb 11, 2016 - Pr. Moon enters Libra

February Mean Peaks

(None this month.)

February The Details

Feb 01, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Uranus

Keywords: competent swordsmanship excites your native probing originality.

Feb 02, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Saturn

Keywords: professional nature combines with your characteristic vocational integrity.

Feb 02, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Venus

Keywords: emotionally brave affection fuses with your natural probing human connection.

Feb 04, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Neptune

Keywords: helpful swordsmanship stimulates your normal adventuresome inspiration.

Feb 05, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Uranus

Keywords: penetratingly real human connection combines with your characteristic passionate autonomy.

Feb 06, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Neptune

Keywords: adventuresome affection fuses with your natural intellectually hungry inspiration.

Feb 07, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Pluto

Keywords: adventuresome communication stimulates your normal dutiful investigation.

Feb 10, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Moon

Keywords: expansive communication stimulates your normal helpful awareness.

Feb 11, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Mercury

Keywords: questing communication excites your native competent conversation.

Feb 11, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Pluto

Keywords: routine-shattering affection stimulates your normal painstaking investigation.

Feb 11, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Mars

Keywords: intellectually hungry dialog opposes your inborn verbal courage.

Feb 12, 2016 at 03:04 AM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Feb 12, 2016 at 03:04 AM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Feb 15, 2016 at 04:15 AM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Feb 12, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Pluto

Keywords: employment-oriented nature clashes with your instinctive dutiful investigation.

Feb 13, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Moon

Keywords: routine-shattering human connection stimulates your normal painstaking sensitivity.

Feb 14, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Mercury

Keywords: expansive affection excites your native painstaking conversation.

Feb 14, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Mars

Keywords: expansive relating opposes your inborn curious courage.

Feb 15, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Sun

Keywords: routine-shattering communication stimulates your normal empathetic personality.

Feb 15, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Moon

Keywords: employment-oriented nature clashes with your instinctive responsible sensitivity.

Feb 16, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Mercury

Keywords: professional personality clashes with your instinctive painstaking dialog.

Feb 18, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunct Pluto

Keywords: painstaking swordsmanship fuses with your natural helpful investigation.

Feb 18, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Sun

Keywords: expansive relating stimulates your normal caring personality.

Feb 20, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Jupiter

Keywords: questing conversation supports your typical imaginative gambling.

Feb 20, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Midheaven

The mythological Mercury is the "Messenger of the Gods." The same is true of the transiting Mercury, which speeds around your chart, prompting conversations, dialogs, and sermons, both outgoing and incoming. It triggers the arrival of letters, faxes, and phone calls, and provokes the weaving of new data into your viewpoint. When it arrives at a sensitive point, your task is to listen, to ask questions, and to share intelligence.

Mercury arrives at a conjunction with your Midheaven Feb 20, 2016, and that always suggests a time of public visibility or career-related activity. The Midheaven is the top of the chart and corresponds to the most outward, visible parts of your life. It's an active point, generally not very subtle. To make the most of it, pretend that "all the world's a stage" and that the part you're playing is that of the Mercury, as we just described it. Don't be shy. Ham it up a

little, and make sure the people dozing in the back row don't miss any nuances.

Feb 20, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Sun

Keywords: professional nature conflicts with your instinctive caring personality.

Feb 23, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunction Saturn

Keywords: career communication combines with your characteristic employment-oriented solitude.

Feb 23, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Jupiter

Keywords: intellectually hungry affection enhances your usual self-expressive exuberance.

Feb 23, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunction Midheaven

Venus: Goddess of Love, Goddess of Peace...in her fast transits around your chart, she offers you counsel and support, sometimes through friendship, sometimes through more romantic kinds of intimacy. Her arrival at a sensitive zone also suggests that a time has come to relax and to receive solace or comfort, or to recharge your inner batteries through the perception of beauty. People come warmly into your space; a chance to "let your hair down" arises; paintings, music, and Technicolor sunsets abound.

The Venus arrives at a conjunction with your Midheaven Feb 23, 2016, and that always suggests a time of public visibility or career-related activity. The Midheaven is the top of the chart and corresponds to the most outward, visible parts of your life. It's an active point, generally not very subtle. To make the most of it, pretend that "all the world's a stage" and that the part you're playing is that of the Venus, as we just described it. Don't be shy. Ham it up a little, and make sure the people dozing in the back row don't miss any nuances.

Feb 25, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunction Moon

Keywords: supportive courage fuses with your natural competent attitude.

Feb 27, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunction Saturn

Keywords: on-the-job affection combines with your characteristic professional integrity.

Feb 27, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunction Mercury

Keywords: helpful swordsmanship fuses with your natural competent conversation.

Feb 28, 2016 - Tr. Mars Trine Mars

Keywords: competent assertiveness enhances your usual curious swordsmanship.

Feb 29, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Pluto

Keywords: employment-oriented conversation conflicts with your instinctive dutiful intensity.

March Invitation Peaks

Mar 07, 2016 - Tr. Pluto Conjunct Neptune

March Mean Peaks

Mar 17, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Trine Neptune

Mar 30, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Trine Uranus

Mar 31, 2016 - Pr. Moon Sextile Sun

March The Details

Mar 02, 2016 - Tr. Mars Opposite Ascendant

Mars, the God of War, is transiting through sensitive territories for you, suggesting some turbulent waters to be navigated. Always the trick with the red planet lies in realizing that the time has come to overcome a fear or a resistance in yourself, and to take what is legitimately yours. Your blood is up, and that's not a bad thing, unless you "chicken out" and misdirect the Martian energy toward some inappropriate target.

The Mars enters your Seventh House Mar 02, 2016. Traditionally the "House of Marriage," the Seventh House is actually a reference to anyone and everyone with whom you are open to intimacy. Whenever this part of the chart is stimulated, it's a signal that someone is coming into your life to adjust your attitude or your course, and that the adjustment is quite necessary and appropriate. Who is this person, and what is the message? We don't know exactly, but here's a clue: he, she, or it looks, feels, and sounds a lot like the Mars. One bottom line: the quality of your deepest human connections profoundly affects the quality of your life, and at least one of these human connections needs some attention during these days.

Mar 02, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Venus

Keywords: long-term personality excites your native spooky relating.

Mar 02, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Moon

Keywords: professional conversation conflicts with your instinctive competent sensitivity.

Mar 03, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Mercury

Keywords: on-the-job communication clashes with your instinctive painstaking dialog.

Mar 05, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Uranus

Keywords: group-dynamical identity stimulates your normal passionate originality.

Mar 06, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Sun

Keywords: professional communication clashes with your instinctive interpersonally sensitive personality.

Mar 06, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Pluto

Keywords: on-the-job affection conflicts with your instinctive responsible investigation.

Mar 06, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Neptune

Keywords: group-dynamical identity excites your native adventuresome contemplation.

Mar 09, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Moon

Keywords: work-oriented relating clashes with your instinctive competent attitude.

Mar 09, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Mercury

Keywords: on-the-job human connection conflicts with your instinctive dutiful dialog.

Mar 10, 2016 at 12:03 PM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Mar 10, 2016 at 12:03 PM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Mar 13, 2016 at 10:47 AM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Mar 11, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunction Sun

Keywords: interpersonally sensitive swordsmanship combines with your characteristic cooperative identity.

Mar 12, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Venus

Keywords: priority-clarifying dialog stimulates your normal emotionally brave human connection.

Mar 13, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Pluto

Keywords: group-dynamical nature supports your typical helpful investigation.

Mar 13, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Sun

Keywords: work-oriented human connection clashes with your instinctive collaborative nature.

Mar 14, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Uranus

Keywords: goal-oriented conversation stimulates your normal emotionally brave autonomy.

Mar 14, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Neptune

Keywords: strategic dialog stimulates your normal routine-shattering imagination.

Mar 16, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Moon

Keywords: visionary personality enhances your usual competent sensitivity.

Mar 17, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Mercury

Keywords: priority-clarifying personality supports your typical competent communication.

Mar 17, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Mars

Keywords: goal-oriented nature enhances your usual open-minded courage.

Mar 18, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Pluto

Keywords: group-dynamical dialog enhances your usual helpful honesty.

Mar 19, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Moon

Keywords: priority-clarifying communication supports your typical painstaking attitude.

Mar 20, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Mercury

Keywords: strategic conversation enhances your usual helpful dialog.

Mar 20, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Mars

Keywords: group-dynamical communication enhances your usual curious swordsmanship.

Mar 21, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Sun

Keywords: priority-clarifying nature supports your typical cooperative identity.

Mar 22, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Venus

Keywords: priority-clarifying affection excites your native penetratingly real human connection.

Mar 22, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Sun

Keywords: goal-oriented communication enhances your usual interpersonally sensitive personality.

Mar 24, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Uranus

Keywords: group-dynamical human connection stimulates your normal passionate individuality.

Mar 25, 2016 - Saturn turns Retrograde (at 16°Sg24' in your 07th House)

Aspects: Sextile Saturn.

Mar 25, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Neptune

Keywords: group-dynamical affection excites your native exploratory imagination.

Mar 25, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Jupiter

Keywords: visionary dialog is in tension with your inherent child-like opportunity.

Mar 27, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Venus

Keywords: group-dynamical communication conflicts with your instinctive passionate human connection.

Mar 28, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Saturn

Keywords: strategic communication excites your native work-oriented solitude.

Mar 28, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Jupiter

Keywords: visionary identity opposes your inborn self-expressive opportunity.

Mar 29, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Uranus

Keywords: quiet conversation conflicts with your instinctive passionate individuality.

Mar 30, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Neptune

Keywords: quiet communication clashes with your instinctive exploratory imagination.

Mar 30, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Pluto

Keywords: priority-clarifying human connection enhances your usual painstaking honesty.

April Invitation Peaks

(None this month.)

April Mean Peaks

(None this month.)

April The Details**Apr 01, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Venus**

Keywords: group-dynamical identity clashes with your instinctive probing human connection.

Apr 02, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Saturn

Keywords: visionary nature stimulates your normal professional integrity.

Apr 02, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Moon

Keywords: group-dynamical human connection supports your typical dutiful attitude.

Apr 03, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Mercury

Keywords: priority-clarifying relating supports your typical supportive conversation.

Apr 03, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Mars

Keywords: strategic human connection supports your typical intelligent assertiveness.

Apr 04, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Mars

Keywords: reclusive conversation clashes with your instinctive curious assertiveness.

Apr 04, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Uranus

Keywords: quiet personality clashes with your instinctive penetratingly real individuality.

Apr 06, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Neptune

Keywords: reclusive personality conflicts with your instinctive expansive contemplation.

Apr 06, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Sun

Keywords: long-term human connection enhances your usual interpersonally sensitive nature.

Apr 06, 2016 at 10:57 PM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Apr 06, 2016 at 10:57 PM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Apr 09, 2016 at 07:47 PM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Apr 09, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Jupiter

Keywords: cooperative assertiveness stimulates your normal creative opportunity.

Apr 12, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Jupiter

Keywords: long-term relating is in tension with your inherent creative opportunity.

Apr 13, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Venus

Keywords: reclusive conversation enhances your usual probing affection.

Apr 13, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Saturn

Keywords: meditative conversation clashes with your instinctive employment-oriented integrity.

Apr 15, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Uranus

Keywords: quiet communication enhances your usual passionate originality.

Apr 15, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Venus

Keywords: long-term human connection clashes with your instinctive passionate relating.

Apr 15, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Saturn

Keywords: visionary human connection excites your native career composure.

Apr 16, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Neptune

Keywords: withdrawn dialog enhances your usual intellectually hungry imagination.

Apr 16, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Mars

Keywords: withdrawn nature conflicts with your instinctive curious assertiveness.

Apr 17, 2016 - Pluto turns Retrograde (at 17° Cp29' in your 09th House)

Aspects: Conjunct Venus, Conjunct Uranus, Conjunct Neptune.

Apr 18, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Uranus

Keywords: spiritually open human connection conflicts with your instinctive emotionally brave autonomy.

Apr 19, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Neptune

Keywords: meditative relating conflicts with your instinctive questing contemplation.

Apr 24, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Jupiter

Keywords: collaborative swordsmanship excites your native playful opportunity.

Apr 25, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Pluto

Keywords: reclusive dialog is in tension with your inherent dutiful honesty.

Apr 27, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Mars

Keywords: spiritually open human connection clashes with your instinctive curious assertiveness.

Apr 28, 2016 at 09:12 AM - Mercury turns Retrograde

Mercury is turning Retrograde again. We described this phenomenon earlier, and you might want to look back and review it. Basically, it's a good time to delay signing contracts, buying mechanical things, or attempting significant communications. Mercury turns Retrograde Apr 28, 2016 at 09:12 AM and remains that way until sometime after the report period..

May Invitation Peaks**May 31, 2016 - Tr. Pluto Conjunct Neptune****May Mean Peaks**

(None this month.)

May The Details**May 01, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Pluto**

Keywords: private conversation opposes your inborn responsible honesty.

May 02, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Venus

Keywords: private identity supports your typical passionate affection.

May 02, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Saturn

Keywords: meditative identity conflicts with your instinctive employment-oriented solitude.

May 04, 2016 at 09:44 AM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again May 04, 2016 at 09:44 AM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins May 07, 2016 at 06:26 AM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

May 05, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Uranus

Keywords: meditative nature supports your typical passionate individuality.

May 06, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Neptune

Keywords: meditative identity supports your typical intellectually hungry imagination.

May 09, 2016 - Jupiter goes Direct (at 13°Vi15' in your 05th House)

Aspects: Trine Venus, Trine Uranus, Trine Neptune.

May 09, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Venus

Keywords: reclusive relating supports your typical penetratingly real human connection.

May 10, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Saturn

Keywords: spiritually open affection clashes with your instinctive on-the-job integrity.

May 12, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Uranus

Keywords: spiritually open relating enhances your usual emotionally brave originality.

May 13, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Pluto

Keywords: meditative identity opposes your inborn dutiful investigation.

May 13, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Neptune

Keywords: private dialog enhances your usual adventuresome imagination.

May 13, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Neptune

Keywords: withdrawn affection enhances your usual exploratory imagination.

May 16, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Uranus

Keywords: withdrawn conversation supports your typical emotionally brave autonomy.

May 16, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Moon

Keywords: meditative nature opposes your inborn competent sensitivity.

May 17, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Mercury

Keywords: reclusive nature is in tension with your inherent painstaking communication.

May 17, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Mars

Keywords: quiet nature excites your native clever assertiveness.

May 18, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Pluto

Keywords: spiritually open relating is in tension with your inherent supportive intensity.

May 18, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Ascendant

The transiting Sun again -- this is the big searchlight that shines on each part of your chart in the course of a year, seeing if there's anything there that's just waiting for a little push...

Sun arrives at a conjunction with your Ascendant May 18, 2016, and that always suggests a colorful, active few days. A new cycle of experience is beginning for you. It's not earth-shaking in its implications, but you'll be happier if you act positively in the spirit of the Sun. The ball is in your court. Decisive action, imprudent action, or inaction on your part now will have long-term effects, just as the experiences of childhood leave their mark on the adult character. Don't be afraid of a little apparent selfishness now. There are seasons of giving and seasons of taking; this one is for taking.

May 20, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Moon

Keywords: meditative human connection opposes your inborn helpful attitude.

May 21, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Mercury

Keywords: private relating is in tension with your inherent helpful conversation.

May 21, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunct Sun

Keywords: cooperative courage combines with your characteristic interpersonally sensitive nature.

May 21, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Mars

Keywords: withdrawn relating stimulates your normal intelligent swordsmanship.

May 22, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Sun

Keywords: decisive identity is in tension with your inherent caring personality.

May 22, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Ascendant

The transiting Venus emerges again, suggesting experiences coming to you centered on other people with whom you are involved, and also encouraging you to relax and release tension now, perhaps with the help of music, art, or natural beauty.

The Venus arrives at a conjunction with your Ascendant May 22, 2016, and that always suggests a colorful, active few days. A new cycle of experience is beginning for you. It's not earth-shaking in its implications, but you'll be happier if you act positively in the spirit of the Venus. The ball is in your court. Decisive action, imprudent action, or inaction on your part now will have long-term effects, just as the experiences of childhood leave their mark on the adult character. Don't be afraid of a little apparent selfishness now. There are seasons of giving and seasons of taking; this one is for taking.

May 25, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Sun

Keywords: commanding relating opposes your inborn collaborative personality.

May 28, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Uranus

Keywords: withdrawn dialog enhances your usual spooky originality.

May 29, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Jupiter

Keywords: authoritative nature supports your typical spontaneous opportunity.

May 30, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Neptune

Keywords: meditative communication supports your typical exploratory contemplation.

May 31, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Jupiter

Keywords: authoritative human connection supports your typical playful exuberance.

May 31, 2016 - Tr. Mars Opposite Ascendant

The transiting Mars strikes again, implying that once more you find yourself in a brief season of assertiveness. Some conflict, inner or outer, requires working out, and now is the time...lest you become tense, argumentative, and difficult.

The Mars enters your Seventh House May 31, 2016. Traditionally the "House of Marriage,"

the Seventh House is actually a reference to anyone and everyone with whom you are open to intimacy. Whenever this part of the chart is stimulated, it's a signal that someone is coming into your life to adjust your attitude or your course, and that the adjustment is quite necessary and appropriate. Who is this person, and what is the message? We don't know exactly, but here's a clue: he, she, or it looks, feels, and sounds a lot like the Mars. One bottom line: the quality of your deepest human connections profoundly affects the quality of your life, and at least one of these human connections needs some attention during these days.

May 31, 2016 at 06:39 PM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again May 31, 2016 at 06:39 PM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Jun 03, 2016 at 04:52 PM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

June Invitation Peaks

(None this month.)

June Mean Peaks

Jun 03, 2016 - Tr. Saturn Sextile Saturn

Jun 18, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Trine Uranus

Jun 30, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Trine Neptune

June The Details

Jun 02, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Saturn

Keywords: assertive nature supports your typical employment-oriented integrity.

Jun 03, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Saturn

Keywords: commanding human connection enhances your usual career integrity.

Jun 03, 2016 - Tr. Mars Trine Mars

Keywords: supportive courage supports your typical curious swordsmanship.

Jun 04, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunct Mercury

Keywords: painstaking swordsmanship fuses with your natural responsible conversation.

Jun 07, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Pluto

Keywords: quiet conversation opposes your inborn supportive intensity.

Jun 07, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunction Moon

Keywords: painstaking assertiveness combines with your characteristic supportive attitude.

Jun 09, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Moon

Keywords: withdrawn communication opposes your inborn responsible awareness.

Jun 10, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Mercury

Keywords: reclusive communication is in tension with your inherent helpful conversation.

Jun 10, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Mars

Keywords: meditative dialog excites your native open-minded courage.

Jun 11, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunction Ascendant

The transiting Mercury surfaces again...this, as you may recall, is the harbinger of messages and new information to which you need to pay attention.

Mercury arrives at a conjunction with your Ascendant Jun 11, 2016, and that always suggests a colorful, active few days. A new cycle of experience is beginning for you. It's not earth-shaking in its implications, but you'll be happier if you act positively in the spirit of the Mercury. The ball is in your court. Decisive action, imprudent action, or inaction on your part now will have long-term effects, just as the experiences of childhood leave their mark on the adult character. Don't be afraid of a little apparent selfishness now. There are seasons of giving and seasons of taking; this one is for taking.

Jun 13, 2016 - Neptune turns Retrograde (at 12°Pi02' in your 11th House)

Aspects: Sextile Venus, Sextile Uranus.

Jun 13, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Sun

Keywords: decisive dialog opposes your inborn interpersonally sensitive identity.

Jun 18, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Jupiter

Keywords: forceful conversation supports your typical spontaneous exuberance.

Jun 20, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Saturn

Keywords: resolute dialog enhances your usual on-the-job integrity.

Jun 24, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Jupiter

Keywords: financially savvy affection conflicts with your instinctive self-expressive opportunity.

Jun 24, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunction Pluto

Keywords: responsible swordsmanship combines with your characteristic helpful investigation.

Jun 27, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Venus

Keywords: dignified human connection opposes your inborn emotionally brave affection.

Jun 28, 2016 at 01:14 AM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Jun 28, 2016 at 01:14 AM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Jul 01, 2016 at 01:31 AM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Jun 29, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Jupiter

Keywords: self-assured nature conflicts with your instinctive child-like exuberance.

Jun 30, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Uranus

Keywords: self-confident human connection opposes your inborn passionate individuality.

July Invitation Peaks**Jul 30, 2016 - Tr. Pluto enters Ninth House****July Mean Peaks**

(None this month.)

July The Details**Jul 01, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Neptune**

Keywords: verbal human connection opposes your inborn questing contemplation.

Jul 03, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Jupiter

Keywords: resourceful conversation clashes with your instinctive spontaneous exuberance.

Jul 03, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Venus

Keywords: self-assured personality opposes your inborn passionate affection.

Jul 04, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunction Pluto

Keywords: helpful courage fuses with your natural painstaking honesty.

Jul 05, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Venus

Keywords: self-assured dialog is in tension with your inherent probing relating.

Jul 06, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Pluto

Keywords: open-minded human connection supports your typical painstaking honesty.

Jul 06, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Uranus

Keywords: resourceful communication opposes your inborn emotionally brave autonomy.

Jul 06, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Uranus

Keywords: self-respecting identity opposes your inborn psychologically deep autonomy.

Jul 07, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Neptune

Keywords: open-minded conversation is in tension with your inherent questing inspiration.

Jul 08, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Neptune

Keywords: intelligent personality opposes your inborn expansive inspiration.

Jul 08, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Moon

Keywords: verbal relating enhances your usual dutiful attitude.

Jul 09, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Mercury

Keywords: open-minded affection enhances your usual painstaking communication.

Jul 09, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Mars

Keywords: open-minded affection fuses with your natural inventive assertiveness.

Jul 10, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Pluto

Keywords: intelligent conversation supports your typical dutiful intensity.

Jul 11, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Moon

Keywords: clever conversation enhances your usual supportive sensitivity.

Jul 12, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Mercury

Keywords: inventive communication supports your typical painstaking dialog.

Jul 12, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Mars

Keywords: verbal dialog fuses with your natural clever courage.

Jul 13, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Sun

Keywords: open-minded human connection supports your typical interpersonally sensitive identity.

Jul 14, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Sun

Keywords: curious conversation supports your typical caring nature.

Jul 14, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Pluto

Keywords: clever nature enhances your usual supportive investigation.

Jul 18, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Jupiter

Keywords: inventive communication excites your native creative opportunity.

Jul 18, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Midheaven

The transiting Mercury surfaces again...this, as you may recall, is the harbinger of messages and new information to which you need to pay attention.

Mercury aligns with your Fourth House cusp, the very bottom of your birthchart, Jul 18, 2016. As you might imagine, this point, being buried, represents inward, psychological

experience, and often puts emphasis on the home or family. Claim renewal for yourself now, and hold quiet counsel with yourself. Don't let the pressure of events drive you faster than is good for you; you don't need rest so much now as active silence. Vision is rising up in you, if you let it. To attune yourself to this new enlivening, get away from society; be alone, or be with people in your own inner circle -- your real "family" -- and do it in the spirit of the Mercury. That will put you in the proper attitude of receptivity.

Jul 18, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Moon

Keywords: intelligent identity enhances your usual supportive attitude.

Jul 18, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Jupiter

Keywords: open-minded relating excites your native spontaneous opportunity.

Jul 18, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Midheaven

The transiting Venus emerges again, suggesting experiences coming to you centered on other people with whom you are involved, and also encouraging you to relax and release tension now, perhaps with the help of music, art, or natural beauty.

The Venus aligns with your Fourth House cusp, the very bottom of your birthchart, Jul 18, 2016. As you might imagine, this point, being buried, represents inward, psychological experience, and often puts emphasis on the home or family. Claim renewal for yourself now, and hold quiet counsel with yourself. Don't let the pressure of events drive you faster than is good for you; you don't need rest so much now as active silence. Vision is rising up in you, if you let it. To attune yourself to this new enlivening, get away from society; be alone, or be with people in your own inner circle -- your real "family" -- and do it in the spirit of the Venus. That will put you in the proper attitude of receptivity.

Jul 19, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Mercury

Keywords: clever nature enhances your usual painstaking conversation.

Jul 19, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Mars

Keywords: clever nature fuses with your natural intelligent assertiveness.

Jul 20, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Saturn

Keywords: self-protective communication opposes your inborn on-the-job composure.

Jul 21, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunct Moon

Keywords: painstaking assertiveness combines with your characteristic supportive attitude.

Jul 22, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Saturn

Keywords: psychologically sophisticated affection opposes your inborn work-oriented integrity.

Jul 24, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Sun

Keywords: inventive personality supports your typical cooperative identity.

Jul 25, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunct Mercury

Keywords: competent courage fuses with your natural supportive dialog.

Jul 25, 2016 at 06:36 AM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Jul 25, 2016 at 06:36 AM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Jul 28, 2016 at 08:00 AM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Jul 26, 2016 - Tr. Mars Trine Mars

Keywords: responsible assertiveness enhances your usual open-minded courage.

Jul 26, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Pluto

Keywords: emotional communication conflicts with your instinctive responsible intensity.

Jul 28, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Moon

Keywords: sensitive conversation clashes with your instinctive helpful sensitivity.

Jul 28, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Mercury

Keywords: watchful dialog clashes with your instinctive supportive communication.

Jul 29, 2016 - Uranus turns Retrograde (at 24°Ar30' in your 12th House)

Aspects: Square Mars, Square Neptune.

Jul 29, 2016 - Tr. Mars Opposite Ascendant

The transiting Mars strikes again, implying that once more you find yourself in a brief season of assertiveness. Some conflict, inner or outer, requires working out, and now is the time...lest you become tense, argumentative, and difficult.

Mars enters your Seventh House Jul 29, 2016. Traditionally the "House of Marriage," the Seventh House is actually a reference to anyone and everyone with whom you are open to intimacy. Whenever this part of the chart is stimulated, it's a signal that someone is coming into your life to adjust your attitude or your course, and that the adjustment is quite necessary and appropriate. Who is this person, and what is the message? We don't know exactly, but here's a clue: he, she, or it looks, feels, and sounds a lot like the Mars. One bottom line: the quality of your deepest human connections profoundly affects the quality of your life, and at least one of these human connections needs some attention during these days.

Jul 30, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Pluto

Keywords: cautious human connection conflicts with your instinctive painstaking honesty.

Jul 31, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Jupiter

Keywords: intelligent nature stimulates your normal playful exuberance.

Jul 31, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Midheaven

The transiting Sun again -- this is the big searchlight that shines on each part of your chart in the course of a year, seeing if there's anything there that's just waiting for a little push...

The Sun aligns with your Fourth House cusp, the very bottom of your birthchart, Jul 31,

2016. As you might imagine, this point, being buried, represents inward, psychological experience, and often puts emphasis on the home or family. Claim renewal for yourself now, and hold quiet counsel with yourself. Don't let the pressure of events drive you faster than is good for you; you don't need rest so much now as active silence. Vision is rising up in you, if you let it. To attune yourself to this new enlivening, get away from society; be alone, or be with people in your own inner circle -- your real "family" -- and do it in the spirit of the Sun. That will put you in the proper attitude of receptivity.

Jul 31, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Sun

Keywords: self-protective conversation clashes with your instinctive caring nature.

August Invitation Peaks

Aug 02, 2016 - Tr. Pluto Conjunct Uranus

August Mean Peaks

Aug 06, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Sextile Pluto

Aug 22, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Sextile Moon

Aug 26, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Sextile Mercury

Aug 28, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Sextile Mars

August The Details

Aug 02, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Moon

Keywords: emotional human connection conflicts with your instinctive supportive attitude.

Aug 03, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Mercury

Keywords: watchful human connection conflicts with your instinctive dutiful dialog.

Aug 04, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Saturn

Keywords: emotional nature opposes your inborn professional solitude.

Aug 06, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Sun

Keywords: cautious relating conflicts with your instinctive empathetic personality.

Aug 07, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunct Sun

Keywords: interpersonally sensitive assertiveness fuses with your natural loving nature.

Aug 08, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Venus

Keywords: creative communication enhances your usual spooky affection.

Aug 10, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Uranus

Keywords: imaginative communication enhances your usual penetratingly real originality.

Aug 12, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Neptune

Keywords: self-expressive dialog enhances your usual intellectually hungry inspiration.

Aug 13, 2016 - Saturn goes Direct (at 09°Sg47' in your 07th House)

Aspects: Conjunct Sun, Sextile Jupiter, Sextile Saturn, Sextile Midheaven.

Aug 15, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Pluto

Keywords: sensitive personality conflicts with your instinctive helpful honesty.

Aug 15, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Venus

Keywords: self-expressive human connection enhances your usual spooky relating.

Aug 18, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Uranus

Keywords: imaginative affection enhances your usual passionate originality.

Aug 18, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Pluto

Keywords: self-expressive conversation excites your native competent honesty.

Aug 18, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Moon

Keywords: cautious personality conflicts with your instinctive competent sensitivity.

Aug 19, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Neptune

Keywords: creative human connection supports your typical intellectually hungry contemplation.

Aug 19, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Mercury

Keywords: emotional nature clashes with your instinctive helpful communication.

Aug 21, 2016 at 12:45 PM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Aug 21, 2016 at 12:45 PM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Aug 24, 2016 at 01:22 PM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Aug 21, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Jupiter

Keywords: caring courage stimulates your normal spontaneous gambling.

Aug 22, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Moon

Keywords: child-like conversation excites your native responsible sensitivity.

Aug 23, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Mercury

Keywords: child-like dialog stimulates your normal responsible communication.

Aug 24, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Mars

Keywords: imaginative communication excites your native intelligent courage.

Aug 24, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Pluto

Keywords: creative relating excites your native dutiful investigation.

Aug 24, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Sun

Keywords: cautious personality conflicts with your instinctive empathetic nature.

Aug 26, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Moon

Keywords: creative human connection excites your native painstaking attitude.

Aug 27, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Mercury

Keywords: playful human connection stimulates your normal competent dialog.

Aug 27, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Mars

Keywords: child-like affection excites your native open-minded courage.

Aug 30, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Saturn

Keywords: empathetic courage excites your native work-oriented integrity.

Aug 30, 2016 at 04:58 AM - Mercury turns Retrograde

Mercury is turning Retrograde again. We described this phenomenon earlier, and you might want to look back and review it. Basically, it's a good time to delay signing contracts, buying mechanical things, or attempting significant communications. Mercury turns Retrograde Aug 30, 2016 at 04:58 AM and remains that way until sometime after the report period..

Aug 31, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Sun

Keywords: creative human connection stimulates your normal interpersonally sensitive nature.

September Invitation Peaks

(None this month.)

September Mean Peaks

Sep 02, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Trine Ascendant

Sep 17, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Sextile Sun

Sep 21, 2016 - Pr. Moon Conjunct Jupiter

Sep 24, 2016 - Pr. Moon Trine Midheaven

September The Details

Sep 04, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Venus

Keywords: spontaneous personality supports your typical emotionally brave relating.

Sep 04, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Mars

Keywords: child-like dialog excites your native open-minded courage.

Sep 05, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Mercury

Keywords: creative dialog stimulates your normal dutiful communication.

Sep 05, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Jupiter

Keywords: self-expressive human connection combines with your characteristic spontaneous gambling.

Sep 06, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Moon

Keywords: spontaneous communication stimulates your normal competent awareness.

Sep 07, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Uranus

Keywords: imaginative nature enhances your usual spooky individuality.

Sep 08, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Venus

Keywords: creative affection conflicts with your instinctive probing human connection.

Sep 08, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Neptune

Keywords: playful nature supports your typical intellectually hungry inspiration.

Sep 09, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Saturn

Keywords: imaginative relating enhances your usual work-oriented composure.

Sep 10, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Pluto

Keywords: self-expressive communication excites your native competent intensity.

Sep 11, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Uranus

Keywords: helpful affection conflicts with your instinctive probing individuality.

Sep 12, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Neptune

Keywords: helpful relating conflicts with your instinctive questing contemplation.

Sep 15, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Pluto

Keywords: imaginative personality stimulates your normal helpful honesty.

Sep 16, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Neptune

Keywords: child-like dialog enhances your usual routine-shattering imagination.

Sep 17, 2016 at 09:08 PM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Sep 17, 2016 at 09:08 PM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Sep 20, 2016 at 07:39 PM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Sep 18, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Moon

Keywords: playful nature stimulates your normal supportive awareness.

Sep 18, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Uranus

Keywords: self-expressive dialog enhances your usual passionate individuality.

Sep 19, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Mercury

Keywords: playful identity stimulates your normal helpful dialog.

Sep 19, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Mars

Keywords: playful nature excites your native intelligent assertiveness.

Sep 21, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Mars

Keywords: helpful human connection clashes with your instinctive inventive assertiveness.

Sep 24, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Sun

Keywords: creative personality excites your native cooperative nature.

Sep 24, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Uranus

Keywords: imaginative conversation supports your typical spooky individuality.

Sep 26, 2016 - Pluto goes Direct (at 14° Cp55' in your 08th House)

Aspects: Conjunct Venus, Square Jupiter, Conjunct Uranus, Conjunct Neptune.

Sep 27, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Neptune

Keywords: creative conversation enhances your usual questing inspiration.

October Invitation Peaks

(None this month.)

October Mean Peaks

Oct 18, 2016 - Tr. Saturn Sextile Saturn

Oct 19, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Conjunct Jupiter

Oct 19, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Trine Midheaven

October The Details**Oct 01, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Jupiter**

Keywords: child-like identity combines with your characteristic imaginative gambling.

Oct 02, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Pluto

Keywords: spontaneous dialog excites your native dutiful investigation.

Oct 03, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Venus

Keywords: competent human connection stimulates your normal probing relating.

Oct 04, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Saturn

Keywords: responsible human connection conflicts with your instinctive work-oriented integrity.

Oct 04, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Moon

Keywords: playful dialog stimulates your normal painstaking awareness.

Oct 04, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Venus

Keywords: playful personality clashes with your instinctive passionate affection.

Oct 05, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Mercury

Keywords: creative conversation excites your native painstaking dialog.

Oct 05, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Mars

Keywords: spontaneous conversation excites your native intelligent swordsmanship.

Oct 05, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Saturn

Keywords: playful personality enhances your usual vocational composure.

Oct 06, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Uranus

Keywords: supportive human connection stimulates your normal probing autonomy.

Oct 07, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Neptune

Keywords: dutiful human connection excites your native adventuresome inspiration.

Oct 08, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Uranus

Keywords: responsible identity clashes with your instinctive psychologically deep autonomy.

Oct 08, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Sun

Keywords: playful dialog stimulates your normal interpersonally sensitive identity.

Oct 09, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Neptune

Keywords: helpful personality clashes with your instinctive intellectually hungry inspiration.

Oct 09, 2016 - Tr. Mars Square Jupiter

Keywords: probing swordsmanship clashes with your instinctive creative opportunity.

Oct 12, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Jupiter

Keywords: child-like communication combines with your characteristic imaginative gambling.

Oct 12, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunction Pluto

Keywords: supportive human connection fuses with your natural dutiful honesty.

Oct 14, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Venus

Keywords: child-like communication conflicts with your instinctive probing human connection.

Oct 14, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Saturn

Keywords: self-expressive conversation supports your typical vocational integrity.

Oct 14, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunction Moon

Keywords: painstaking human connection combines with your characteristic responsible attitude.

Oct 15, 2016 at 07:42 AM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Oct 15, 2016 at 07:42 AM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Oct 18, 2016 at 04:21 AM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Oct 15, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunction Venus

Keywords: penetratingly real assertiveness fuses with your natural spooky affection.

Oct 15, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunction Mercury

Keywords: competent affection fuses with your natural helpful conversation.

Oct 15, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Mars

Keywords: dutiful relating supports your typical verbal courage.

Oct 16, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Uranus

Keywords: painstaking conversation clashes with your instinctive emotionally brave autonomy.

Oct 16, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Ascendant

The transiting Venus emerges again, suggesting experiences coming to you centered on other people with whom you are involved, and also encouraging you to relax and release tension now, perhaps with the help of music, art, or natural beauty.

Venus enters your Seventh House Oct 16, 2016. Traditionally the "House of Marriage," the Seventh House is actually a reference to anyone and everyone with whom you are open to intimacy. Whenever this part of the chart is stimulated, it's a signal that someone is coming into your life to adjust your attitude or your course, and that the adjustment is quite necessary and appropriate. Who is this person, and what is the message? We don't know exactly, but here's a clue: he, she, or it looks, feels, and sounds a lot like the Venus. One bottom line: the quality of your deepest human connections profoundly affects the quality of your life, and at least one of these human connections needs some attention during these days.

Oct 16, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Neptune

Keywords: responsible dialog conflicts with your instinctive exploratory inspiration.

Oct 19, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Sun

Keywords: loving relating fuses with your natural collaborative personality.

Oct 19, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunct Uranus

Keywords: penetratingly real assertiveness fuses with your natural probing originality.

Oct 20, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Mars

Keywords: painstaking identity conflicts with your instinctive inventive swordsmanship.

Oct 21, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunct Neptune

Keywords: expansive courage combines with your characteristic exploratory inspiration.

Oct 23, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Mars

Keywords: painstaking dialog clashes with your instinctive inventive assertiveness.

Oct 25, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Jupiter

Keywords: loving human connection excites your native self-expressive exuberance.

Oct 28, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Saturn

Keywords: collaborative human connection excites your native career composure.

Oct 30, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Pluto

Keywords: routine-shattering swordsmanship excites your native painstaking honesty.

November Invitation Peaks

Nov 17, 2016 - Tr. Pluto Conjunct Uranus

Nov 19, 2016 - Tr. Pluto enters Ninth House

Nov 21, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter enters Sixth House

Nov 27, 2016 - Pr. Ascendant enters Second House

November Mean Peaks

Nov 06, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Square Venus

Nov 10, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Trine Saturn

Nov 23, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Square Uranus

November The Details**Nov 01, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Venus**

Keywords: supportive communication stimulates your normal probing affection.

Nov 01, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Saturn

Keywords: competent dialog clashes with your instinctive work-oriented integrity.

Nov 03, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Uranus

Keywords: helpful communication excites your native penetratingly real autonomy.

Nov 03, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Moon

Keywords: routine-shattering courage stimulates your normal helpful sensitivity.

Nov 03, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Neptune

Keywords: competent dialog excites your native routine-shattering imagination.

Nov 04, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Venus

Keywords: helpful nature stimulates your normal psychologically deep human connection.

Nov 04, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Saturn

Keywords: competent personality conflicts with your instinctive career composure.

Nov 05, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Mercury

Keywords: routine-shattering courage excites your native competent communication.

Nov 05, 2016 - Tr. Mars Opposite Mars

Keywords: routine-shattering assertiveness is in tension with your inherent inventive courage.

Nov 07, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Uranus

Keywords: painstaking personality stimulates your normal psychologically deep autonomy.

Nov 07, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Pluto

Keywords: painstaking conversation combines with your characteristic responsible intensity.

Nov 08, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Neptune

Keywords: competent personality stimulates your normal questing inspiration.

Nov 09, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Moon

Keywords: supportive conversation fuses with your natural dutiful attitude.

Nov 10, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Mercury

Keywords: dutiful communication fuses with your natural supportive conversation.

Nov 10, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Trine Mars

Keywords: supportive communication supports your typical clever swordsmanship.

Nov 11, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Opposite Ascendant

The transiting Mercury surfaces again...this, as you may recall, is the harbinger of messages and new information to which you need to pay attention.

The Mercury enters your Seventh House Nov 11, 2016. Traditionally the "House of Marriage," the Seventh House is actually a reference to anyone and everyone with whom you are open to intimacy. Whenever this part of the chart is stimulated, it's a signal that someone is coming into your life to adjust your attitude or your course, and that the adjustment is quite necessary and appropriate. Who is this person, and what is the message? We don't know exactly, but here's a clue: he, she, or it looks, feels, and sounds a lot like the Mercury. One bottom line: the quality of your deepest human connections profoundly affects the quality of your life, and at least one of these human connections needs some attention during these days.

Nov 11, 2016 - Tr. Mars Sextile Sun

Keywords: routine-shattering courage stimulates your normal interpersonally sensitive identity.

Nov 11, 2016 at 06:49 PM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Nov 11, 2016 at 06:49 PM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Nov 14, 2016 at 03:17 PM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Nov 13, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Sun

Keywords: interpersonally sensitive communication combines with your characteristic caring nature.

Nov 14, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Pluto

Keywords: painstaking personality fuses with your natural helpful honesty.

Nov 17, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Moon

Keywords: dutiful nature fuses with your natural helpful awareness.

Nov 17, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Jupiter

Keywords: interpersonally sensitive dialog stimulates your normal child-like exuberance.

Nov 18, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Mercury

Keywords: dutiful identity fuses with your natural competent conversation.

Nov 19, 2016 - Tr. Sun Trine Mars

Keywords: dutiful personality enhances your usual intelligent swordsmanship.

Nov 19, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Jupiter

Keywords: psychologically deep affection conflicts with your instinctive playful opportunity.

Nov 19, 2016 - Neptune goes Direct (at 09°Pi14' in your 11th House)

Aspects: Square Sun, Sextile Venus.

Nov 20, 2016 - Tr. Sun Opposite Ascendant

The transiting Sun again -- this is the big searchlight that shines on each part of your chart in the course of a year, seeing if there's anything there that's just waiting for a little push...

Sun enters your Seventh House Nov 20, 2016. Traditionally the "House of Marriage," the Seventh House is actually a reference to anyone and everyone with whom you are open to intimacy. Whenever this part of the chart is stimulated, it's a signal that someone is coming into your life to adjust your attitude or your course, and that the adjustment is quite necessary and appropriate. Who is this person, and what is the message? We don't know exactly, but here's a clue: he, she, or it looks, feels, and sounds a lot like the Sun. One bottom line: the quality of your deepest human connections profoundly affects the quality of your life, and at least one of these human connections needs some attention during these days.

Nov 20, 2016 - Tr. Mars Trine Jupiter

Keywords: expansive assertiveness supports your typical imaginative gambling.

Nov 20, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunct Midheaven

The transiting Mars strikes again, implying that once more you find yourself in a brief season of assertiveness. Some conflict, inner or outer, requires working out, and now is the time...lest you become tense, argumentative, and difficult.

The Mars arrives at a conjunction with your Midheaven Nov 20, 2016, and that always suggests a time of public visibility or career-related activity. The Midheaven is the top of the chart and corresponds to the most outward, visible parts of your life. It's an active point, generally not very subtle. To make the most of it, pretend that "all the world's a stage" and that the part you're playing is that of the Mars, as we just described it. Don't be shy. Ham it up a little, and make sure the people dozing in the back row don't miss any nuances.

Nov 20, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Sextile Saturn

Keywords: loving communication stimulates your normal employment-oriented composure.

Nov 22, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Venus

Keywords: emotionally brave affection combines with your characteristic probing human connection.

Nov 23, 2016 - Tr. Sun Conjunct Sun

Keywords: loving identity combines with your characteristic interpersonally sensitive personality.

Nov 24, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Uranus

Keywords: probing relating fuses with your natural passionate autonomy.

Nov 26, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Neptune

Keywords: intellectually hungry human connection combines with your characteristic questing contemplation.

Nov 26, 2016 - Tr. Mars Conjunct Saturn

Keywords: vocational assertiveness fuses with your natural work-oriented solitude.

Nov 30, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Jupiter

Keywords: caring personality stimulates your normal self-expressive gambling.

December Invitation Peaks

(None this month.)

December Mean Peaks

Dec 02, 2016 - Tr. Jupiter Square Neptune

December The Details

Dec 01, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Pluto

Keywords: questing relating stimulates your normal helpful intensity.

Dec 04, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Moon

Keywords: intellectually hungry affection excites your native responsible awareness.

Dec 04, 2016 - Tr. Sun Sextile Saturn

Keywords: loving identity stimulates your normal on-the-job composure.

Dec 04, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Mercury

Keywords: exploratory human connection stimulates your normal responsible dialog.

Dec 05, 2016 - Tr. Venus Opposite Mars

Keywords: adventuresome affection is in tension with your inherent intelligent assertiveness.

Dec 08, 2016 - Tr. Venus Sextile Sun

Keywords: routine-shattering relating stimulates your normal collaborative personality.

Dec 09, 2016 at 04:17 AM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Dec 09, 2016 at 04:17 AM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Dec 12, 2016 at 02:33 AM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Dec 09, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Jupiter

Keywords: emotionally brave conversation clashes with your instinctive self-expressive gambling.

Dec 10, 2016 - Tr. Mars Square Pluto

Keywords: professional assertiveness conflicts with your instinctive responsible intensity.

Dec 13, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Venus

Keywords: passionate communication fuses with your natural emotionally brave affection.

Dec 14, 2016 - Tr. Mars Square Moon

Keywords: career courage clashes with your instinctive supportive sensitivity.

Dec 14, 2016 - Tr. Venus Trine Jupiter

Keywords: routine-shattering affection enhances your usual creative exuberance.

Dec 14, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Midheaven

The transiting Venus emerges again, suggesting experiences coming to you centered on other people with whom you are involved, and also encouraging you to relax and release tension now, perhaps with the help of music, art, or natural beauty.

Venus arrives at a conjunction with your Midheaven Dec 14, 2016, and that always suggests a time of public visibility or career-related activity. The Midheaven is the top of the chart and corresponds to the most outward, visible parts of your life. It's an active point, generally not very subtle. To make the most of it, pretend that "all the world's a stage" and that the part you're playing is that of the Venus, as we just described it. Don't be shy. Ham it up a little, and make sure the people dozing in the back row don't miss any nuances.

Dec 15, 2016 - Tr. Mars Square Mercury

Keywords: vocational swordsmanship conflicts with your instinctive painstaking communication.

Dec 18, 2016 - Tr. Venus Conjunct Saturn

Keywords: employment-oriented human connection combines with your characteristic work-oriented integrity.

Dec 19, 2016 at 02:49 AM - Mercury turns Retrograde

Mercury is turning Retrograde again. We described this phenomenon earlier, and you might want to look back and review it. Basically, it's a good time to delay signing contracts, buying mechanical things, or attempting significant communications. Mercury turns Retrograde Dec 19, 2016 at 02:49 AM and remains that way until sometime after the report period..

Dec 21, 2016 - Tr. Mars Square Sun

Keywords: professional swordsmanship clashes with your instinctive caring identity.

Dec 24, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Conjunct Venus

Keywords: passionate dialog combines with your characteristic emotionally brave human connection.

Dec 27, 2016 - Tr. Mercury Square Jupiter

Keywords: psychologically deep conversation conflicts with your instinctive creative exuberance.

Dec 27, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Pluto

Keywords: career human connection clashes with your instinctive painstaking honesty.

Dec 28, 2016 - Uranus goes Direct (at 20°Ar33' in your 12th House)

Aspects: Square Mars, Square Uranus, Square Neptune.

Dec 29, 2016 - Tr. Sun Square Jupiter

Keywords: emotionally brave nature conflicts with your instinctive self-expressive opportunity.

Dec 30, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Moon

Keywords: vocational relating clashes with your instinctive painstaking attitude.

Dec 31, 2016 - Tr. Venus Square Mercury

Keywords: professional human connection clashes with your instinctive responsible dialog.