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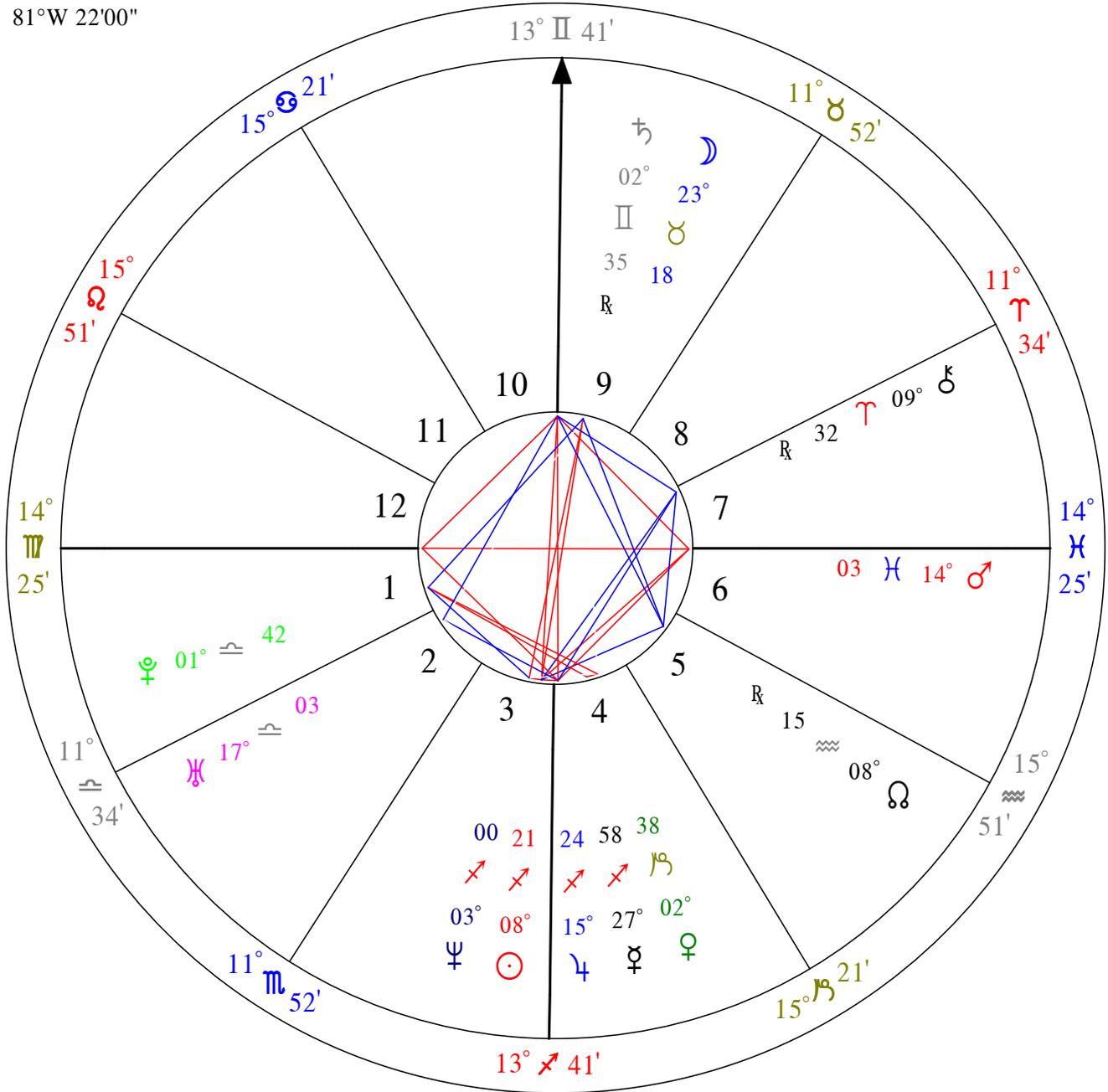
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Symbols of the Planets and Signs				
☉ = Sun	♄ = Saturn	☽ = Midheaven	♈ = Aries	♎ = Libra
☾ = Moon	♃ = Uranus	♁ = Chiron	♉ = Taurus	♏ = Scorpio
☿ = Mercury	♆ = Neptune	♁ = Retrograde	♊ = Gemini	♏ = Sagittarius
♀ = Venus	♇ = Pluto		♋ = Cancer	♐ = Capricorn
♂ = Mars	♁ = N. Node		♌ = Leo	♑ = Aquarius
♃ = Jupiter	♈ = Ascendant		♍ = Virgo	♒ = Pisces

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Planetary Positions



Planet		Sign	Longitude	Declination
☉ Sun	is in	♏ Sagittarius	8° 21' 54"	-21° 42' 13"
☾ Moon	is in	♉ Taurus	23° 18' 16"	+23° 18' 34"
☿ Mercury	is in	♏ Sagittarius	27° 58' 44"	-25° 05' 59"
♀ Venus	is in	♑ Capricorn	2° 38' 21"	-24° 40' 40"
♂ Mars	is in	♓ Pisces	14° 03' 11"	-7° 14' 33"
♃ Jupiter	is in	♏ Sagittarius	15° 24' 59"	-22° 12' 31"
♄ Saturn	is in	♊ Gemini	2° 35' 45"	+18° 34' 42"
♅ Uranus	is in	♎ Libra	17° 03' 28"	-6° 06' 27"
♆ Neptune	is in	♏ Sagittarius	3° 00' 28"	-19° 11' 37"
♇ Pluto	is in	♎ Libra	1° 42' 58"	+13° 57' 06"
♁ N. Node	is in	♒ Aquarius	8° 15' 28"	-18° 12' 13"
♌ _S Ascendant	is in	♍ Virgo	14° 25' 45"	+6° 07' 49"
♍ _C Midheaven	is in	♊ Gemini	13° 41' 26"	+22° 26' 49"
♁ Chiron	is in	♈ Aries	9° 32' 34"	+5° 41' 50"

*Planetary Aspects*

Your Sun	is	Square	Mars	The orb is	5° 41'
Your Sun	is	Conjunct	Jupiter	The orb is	7° 03'
Your Sun	is	Opposite	Saturn	The orb is	5° 46'
Your Sun	is	Conjunct	Neptune	The orb is	5° 21'
Your Sun	is	Sextile	N. Node	The orb is	0° 06'
Your Sun	is	Opposite	Midheaven	The orb is	5° 20'
Your Sun	is	Trine	Chiron	The orb is	1° 11'
Your Moon	is	Semisquare	Chiron	The orb is	1° 14'
Your Mercury	is	Conjunct	Venus	The orb is	4° 40'
Your Mercury	is	Square	Pluto	The orb is	3° 44'
Your Venus	is	Quincunx	Saturn	The orb is	0° 03'
Your Venus	is	Semisextile	Neptune	The orb is	0° 22'
Your Venus	is	Square	Pluto	The orb is	0° 55'
Your Mars	is	Square	Jupiter	The orb is	1° 22'
Your Mars	is	Opposite	Ascendant	The orb is	0° 23'
Your Mars	is	Square	Midheaven	The orb is	0° 22'
Your Jupiter	is	Sextile	Uranus	The orb is	1° 38'
Your Jupiter	is	Square	Ascendant	The orb is	0° 59'
Your Jupiter	is	Opposite	Midheaven	The orb is	1° 44'
Your Jupiter	is	Trine	Chiron	The orb is	5° 52'
Your Saturn	is	Sesquiquadrate	Uranus	The orb is	0° 32'
Your Saturn	is	Opposite	Neptune	The orb is	0° 25'
Your Saturn	is	Trine	Pluto	The orb is	0° 53'
Your Saturn	is	Trine	N. Node	The orb is	5° 40'
Your Uranus	is	Semisquare	Neptune	The orb is	0° 57'
Your Uranus	is	Trine	Midheaven	The orb is	3° 22'
Your Neptune	is	Sextile	Pluto	The orb is	1° 18'
Your N. Node	is	Trine	Midheaven	The orb is	5° 26'
Your N. Node	is	Sextile	Chiron	The orb is	1° 17'
Your Midheaven	is	Square	Ascendant	The orb is	0° 44'
Your Chiron	is	Sextile	Midheaven	The orb is	4° 09'

*Planets in Elements and Modes*

Fire	: ☉ ☿ ♃ ♀ ♂	Total = 5	Weighted Score = 12
Earth	: ♃ ♀ A _s	Total = 3	Weighted Score = 15
Air	: ♃ ♃ ♀ ♃ M _c	Total = 5	Weighted Score = 6
Water	: ♂	Total = 1	Weighted Score = 3
Cardinal	: ♀ ♃ ♀ ♂	Total = 4	Weighted Score = 5
Fixed	: ♃ ♃	Total = 2	Weighted Score = 6
Mutable	: ☉ ☿ ♂ ♃ ♃ ♀ A _s M _c	Total = 8	Weighted Score = 25

Weights Used Above

Sun	= 6	Moon	= 6	Mercury	= 3	Venus	= 3
Mars	= 3	Jupiter	= 2	Saturn	= 2	Uranus	= 1
Neptune	= 1	Pluto	= 1	N. Node	= 0	Ascendant	= 6
Midheaven	= 2	Chiron	= 0				

Introduction

This report presents the raw materials that you have been given for building a life. It outlines how the overall shape of your chart reflects the overall shape of your personality. It shows what your greatest challenges are likely to be, the strengths you have been given to meet these challenges, and the main arenas you are given for playing out your life's drama.

You may notice certain places where the information seems contradictory. This is to be expected, because people are complex. For example, in some situations you may be shy and in others, aggressive. When you see repeated patterns, though, take special note: these are apt to be the dominant themes in your life.

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The Main Emphasis in Your Chart

Before looking at your chart in detail, let's stand back for a moment to see whether there are any overall tendencies that stand out.

Fire signs are especially strong.

With a main emphasis in signs like Aries, Leo and Sagittarius, you are likely to be one of the original self-starters. Passionate and full of strong feelings and ideals, you do not need external stimuli to get you moving in new directions. Drama is your mantra. Perceiving life as a game with high stakes, you are just as passionate when you win as when you lose.

In many ways you act and feel as if the world revolves around you, and sometimes it does. You tend to dominate your sphere, and when you come across other Fire types you instantly like or dislike them with no feelings in-between.

You are devoted to your ideals and beliefs, and will play the game to the end, displaying your boundless enthusiasm no matter what the outcome. You despise static, unchanging and unyielding situations, and will put forth your best efforts to change them. With your courage, energy and dramatic flair, you can be an effective leader, and will be the first in line to explore uncharted regions.

Your tendency to act first and think later, however, may lead others to accuse you of insensitivity. Learn to be more aware of others' feelings. Realize that your actions affect others' lives in ways that you may not have considered. Remember to develop sensitivity and appraise situations intellectually before you act with your heart.

Earth signs are especially strong

Having special emphasis in signs like Taurus, Virgo and Capricorn, you tend to be the soul of practicality and pragmatism. You prefer to deal with things that you can touch, see or hear, and you like to live in a world where things are measurable and there are no abstractions. You also like to work with the present moment, the here and now, especially if it creates a lasting outcome or is connected to a past. You may have to guard against a tendency to be overly conservative, cautious or narrow-minded.

Stability is your special strength. You can be counted on when things get crazy around you, because you generally don't engage in knee-jerk reactions. Instead, you prefer to allow things to happen, and then you react in your own time. You initiate matters only when they aren't proceeding in the direction that you expect. Because you tend to be passive, you need external stimuli to get you going.

Very fertile, you enjoy producing things of substance, from children to business reports. You are not, however, overly nurturing. You generally prepare the ground, plant the seeds and then walk away until harvest time. If the seed needs continual care and attention to grow to its fullest potential, you may or may not intervene. If you do offer assistance, it tends to be for the material, rather than the emotional, needs of whatever you are nurturing.

Water signs are under-represented.

With a marked *lack* of emphasis in Water signs like Cancer, Scorpio and Pisces, you don't carry the baggage of complicated feelings and hypersensitivity to your environment. This allows you to be forthright about your desires. Cool, detached, practical, objective and willful, you have a lack of sentimentality that can be a great asset in times of crisis and emotional stress. Your clearheadedness can lead you to great achievements.



It is easy, however, for you to be out of touch with your own emotional nature. You may feel that an emotional response like crying or moodiness is a sign of weakness that is best avoided. You may find it difficult to deal with those who express themselves from the heart. You end up not knowing how to react, or you may be uncomfortable expressing the appropriate feeling of response. You can also misread situations that call for intuition rather than reason.

Since your coolness and detachment may cause you to neglect the feelings of others, you may need consciously to practice relating to others in a compassionate, sharing and sensitive way. It will round you out to cultivate this nourishing side of yourself. Soften up and bend your beliefs a bit so you can serve those in need, for this is where happiness lies. When you let yourself go and dive into emotional waters, you may find that the humanity that has always been in your heart is drawn out into your personal world of expression.

A strongly Mutable quality.

Your strength in Mutable signs like Gemini, Virgo, Sagittarius and Pisces enables you to be extremely flexible. When the situation demands that you change in order to move forward, you can adapt and transform yourself with ease. You are not necessarily the pioneering type, but if change must happen, it is natural for you to glide along with the flow. At times, though, you feel that you are at the mercy of forces beyond your control, and are constantly being blown from pole to pole. This may make you feel nervous and anxious, but like everything else in your life, this, too, will pass.

Special strength in Sagittarius.

You have an all-consuming desire to understand the way everything relates to everything else, to see the overall patterns that connect things. As such, you have an insatiable appetite for knowledge, particularly in abstract studies like science, philosophy and religion. You demand the freedom to pursue your current interests now, no matter what the cost. Indeed, the worst thing that can happen to you is to feel trapped by a dead-end career, a moribund relationship, or a barren philosophy.



Aspects: Keys to Your Inner Drama

In your birth chart, the Sun, Moon and planets play the central role. They are the actors in the drama, the moving figures on the stage, each with a character of its own. How these characters relate to each other, whether and how they clash or harmonize, whether they bring out each other's best or worst qualities, is shown by the aspects, or angles, between the planets.

Is the ongoing drama between two planets a continuing tension that periodically erupts into crises (conjunctions, oppositions and squares), a harmonious alliance where the two planets aid and abet each other (trines and sextiles), an uneasy truce full of ambiguities (certain other aspects in neither of these families), or simply indifference (no aspect at all)? Below you will see which pairs of planets are in aspect in your chart.

Each of the following sections lists the aspects in order of their general importance, with aspects involving the Sun, Moon and fast-moving planets coming first. You can get a further idea of their importance in your particular chart by going to the aspect table at the beginning of this report and finding the five or so aspects with the smallest number of degrees and minutes in the "The orb is" column.

Your Major Challenges

We start with your conjunctions, oppositions and squares because these tend to point out the challenges that you have been set in life. Most people experience these aspects as problems, at least at first. Armed with awareness, however, you can come to view these so-called "hard" aspects as the blessings that they really are. These are the forces that spur you forward. When you face the challenges that these aspects pose, you grow in strength, confidence, wisdom and maturity.

Sun square Mars

You have an abundance of energy, especially physical energy, but you do not always control it gracefully. You are very competitive and hate to lose. Try to find a worthy outlet for your energy (like sports or work requiring immense physical effort) so that it does not manifest itself in quarrels and bickering. You are so rash and impulsive that it is unlikely that you are always right even though you think you are. Hard though it may be, learn to trust those around you who are calm and practical.

Sun conjunct Jupiter

The grand gesture is your trademark, because you hate to do things in a small way. Stretch limos, five-star restaurants and the latest fashions are where you feel comfortable. Even when reality does not cooperate with your grandiose schemes, your optimistic attitude toward life usually bails you out. Still, putting limits on your extravagance and cultivating a bit of self-control would probably make things go smoother for you.

Sun opposite Saturn

The weight of the world seems to be on your shoulders, and you sometimes resent it. You always seem to be the one who has to do what is correct, proper, responsible and mature, and this does not leave much time for amusement. This seemed worse when you were younger, but it becomes much less of a problem as you age. As an adult, you have the practical part of being in the world so much in hand that you can organize your life to do just about anything you want. You can even organize it to be frivolous.

***Sun conjunct Neptune***

You are extremely impressionable. This allows you to sense feelings that others miss, and to grasp concepts that others who are too literal-minded cannot understand. It also, however, leaves you prey to picking up on negative energy in the environment, which can cause you to become highly uncomfortable and even physically ill. It is therefore very important for you to establish a positive living situation. For you more than most, positive energy tends to fortify your spirits and brighten your outlook on life. Although when stressed you can be evasive and mistrustful, at your best, you can be extremely caring and compassionate.

Sun conjunct Imum Coeli

You are primarily concerned with providing a strong and secure foundation for yourself and for your loved ones. You prefer to work behind the scenes, letting others reap the glory. Your home and your family will be more important to you than the outer trappings of a successful career — indeed you would be happiest working in or near your home. Tradition, roots, and the past of your family, tribe or clan will be very important to you. You will go to great lengths to uphold the honor of whatever you consider near and dear.

Mercury conjunct Venus

You have a seductively soothing way of speaking which makes you pleasant to be around. When you couple your gift for diplomacy with the desire to get things done, you can be extremely persuasive. You have a strong esthetic sense and can communicate your ideas of form and beauty directly and convincingly. If you show any inclination at all to pursue a career in the arts, you should thoroughly investigate it because you should do well.

Mercury square Pluto

There is nothing you enjoy more than a good verbal tussle, especially one that involves ideology, philosophy or religion. You have strong opinions on almost every subject, and you are usually so caught up in propagating your views that you will do anything to dominate your opponents and win the battle. As such, you often meet strong resistance to your strong-arm, manipulative tactics. You may find yourself fighting a lot harder than you should be. Even though you are stimulated by all this excitement, things would probably go more smoothly for you if you showed more tact and integrity.

Venus square Pluto

You desire that emotional involvements be intense and complicated, but sometimes things seem to get way out of hand. When one of you pushes the other too far, the thin line between excitement and danger disappears. The relationship often deteriorates to destructive manipulation of each other, with things being said and done that are very difficult to forgive. Mutual respect and integrity must become part of the scenario if relationships are to be brought to the heights to which you aspire.

Mars square Jupiter

Your boundless energy is served well when you are engaged in something that is highly competitive — sports or running a business being ideal outlets. Your good-natured optimism is at its best when you have something to challenge you. When you are not sufficiently challenged, you tend to get sloppy and hasty. If you take foolish chances, you can be accident-prone. With a little concentration and discipline, this should not prove to be anything but an occasional problem.

***Mars conjunct Descendant***

Your tendency to act first and think later causes more problems than it solves for you. Your strong will would be made even more effective if you could only learn to cooperate with others and combine your efforts with theirs toward a common goal. You need others in order to function properly, even though you might think that you can go it alone. It will be up to you whether you choose to view them as worthy companions deserving of respect or as constant opponents fighting over the same turf. Not everyone is a threat to whatever you hold near and dear. Mutual respect is much better than constant bickering.

Mars square Midheaven

Your competitiveness and abundant energy usually serve you well, but you tend to be easily distracted from your goal by quarrels and disagreements with others. You tend to feel that you have been personally insulted should anyone challenge you and you feel that you have to defend yourself. Try not to be such an egotist. Learn to respect the opinions of others, even if they are contrary to your own — find some constructive way to prove that you are right.

Jupiter square Ascendant.

You generally exude a cheerful optimism that brightens the mood of all around you. You feel good about yourself, and it shows. However, at times your grand opinion of yourself can degenerate into arrogance or selfishness, with you believing that you deserve to receive more than you give. It is best not to believe all your press clippings, and to learn a bit of humility.

Jupiter conjunct Imum Coeli

Your heritage and your ties to the past will be important in determining the direction of your life. Your family and culture provide you with support and encouragement for whatever you decide to do. In turn, you go out of your way to preserve, support and nourish those who helped to make you what you are. You may become an active member of religious organizations, clubs or other social institutions because you realize how valuable they are in forming the moral character of your community.

Saturn opposite Neptune

On the one hand, you try to be mature, responsible and practical; yet on the other, your inner vision shows you an ideal world that does not conform to the world of consensus reality, and which indeed may be a better place. This creates a continuing tension in your life. Your attempts to reconcile these opposites often leave you depressed and anxious. You are afraid to follow your innermost dreams, yet you feel that the everyday world may fail to support and nourish you. To overcome this, you must exert the uttermost inner discipline, striving to see the nobility of your everyday life while seeking the practical solutions that will make your ideals real.



Your Sustaining Strengths

Trines and sextiles tend to work with a natural harmony that calls for little effort on your part. They show the things that you just seem naturally good at. Usually they point to the more positive parts of your nature, and act as support that you can call on in difficult times.

Because these aspects are so comfortable, they are not likely to push you to expand your limits or cause you to change. It is actually helpful to have a balance of hard aspects (like oppositions and squares) to stimulate you to grow, and soft aspects (trines and sextiles) to ease your passage and provide places to rest.

If you are blessed with a predominance of trines and sextiles, your life may tend to be placid and your nature serene. If so, remember that the world around you is probably sorely in need of these qualities that are yours to bestow.

Sun sextile North Node

You delight in the society of your peers, especially if they are decision-makers like you. As such, you're probably a bit of a joiner. Clubs, civic organizations, charitable groups and politics may occupy much of your time and energy. You find that you can make a very real contribution to any of these endeavors because you set realistic goals for yourself and the group. You're a good judge of character and can motivate others to do your (and the group's) will. Be careful, though, not to spend all of your time on civic projects. You could neglect your family and loved ones, and they might resent your activities.

Sun trine Chiron

A born leader, you are highly driven and are capable of achieving everything you want in life. A touch of humility, however, may be in order before success is yours. At times, being in charge is frightening because you know that you can easily abuse power. Instead of cowering from the responsibility, take advantage of your impact on others by working and fighting for your ideals. It is your ability to command the loyalty of others enables you to achieve all that you desire.

Jupiter sextile Uranus

You have a positive, upbeat and slightly zany attitude toward life. You are quite creative, optimistically suggesting new and innovative ways of doing things no matter what the cost — let others worry about that. You are unafraid to do things your own way, and lucky breaks seem to happen to you more often than to others of your acquaintance.

Jupiter trine Chiron

You have amazing ideas, but do not always have the means to see them through. Naturally undisciplined, you may spend a good part of your life learning to organize your time and finish what you begin. Sometimes you become so frustrated by the challenges of your work that you may satiate yourself with sensual pleasures. If you successfully divide your time between your professional and personal life, you will have more to offer in both areas.

***Saturn trine Pluto***

Your staying power is prodigious. You have a tenacity that inspires the respect and admiration of others. You have the uncanny ability to take on a difficult project or situation and, eventually, make it come out in a positive way. Your respect for both the old traditional ways of doing things and also for the relevance of the new changes that are occurring allow you to make the necessary compromises that cause controlled growth and evolution. Your ability to make painful but important decisions sometimes gives you the reputation for being heartless and cold.

Saturn trine North Node

You seem to function best in social situations in which you can chum around with just a small group of friends and acquaintances. You appreciate more sedate and mature individuals and, once your friendship has been given, you'll be loyal for life. Although you're not interested in broadening your social sphere, you have the ability to make a major contribution to your neighborhood or community if it's in your best interest to do so. You won't put out any extra energy for extremely idealistic causes, but practical solutions to tangible problems will goad you to immediate and effective community action.

Uranus trine Midheaven

Your ability quickly to perceive unusual and inventive approaches to traditional problems earns you respect and admiration from others. The fields of science, advanced technology, electronics, communications and perhaps even astrology will appeal to you because of their complexity and because of the possibility of your being a force for innovation and change. You demand, however, to do things your own way. This suggests that you would be happier being self-employed rather than trying to fit into a structure designed by others.

Neptune sextile Pluto

You, and society as a whole, are witnessing a gradual spiritual transformation that affects everything that you encounter. A solid foundation for protecting the rights of individuals (and especially the underprivileged) was being laid in the era when you were born, so that those in the future will have an equal opportunity to grow, evolve and gain greater understanding.

North Node trine Midheaven

Your advancement in life is due to the quality of the people and groups with whom you associate. Your community spirit is high — you enjoy working with others for common goals. Your enthusiasm and sincerity and true caring allow you to quickly rise to the top and assume leadership roles in the many volunteer projects you take on. You're a true humanitarian, caring little for personal gain. At some point your peers will probably honor you for your good works.

Chiron sextile North Node

Empathizing and identifying with those who are less fortunate, you have a natural gift for being a compassionate teacher, counselor, therapist or healer. At times, you are so involved in the problems of others that you do not take enough time to solve your own. Pay more attention to your own shortcomings, and it will be easier to divide your time equally between your personal and professional life.

Chiron sextile Midheaven

Being recognized by your peers for professional achievements is one of the driving forces of your life. To your credit, you learned the right formula for balancing your private activities with your career. You are flexible and may try different employment situations before finally finding the one that appeals to you. It may take some time to find the most suitable path, but once you do, you will forge ahead and make your mark on the world.



Rounding Out the Picture

Two other families of so-called “minor” aspects add yet more information about the way the planets relate to each other in your chart. Semisquares and sesquares (also known as sesquiquadrates) share the dynamic, crisis-prone nature of the square but need to be quite exact in order to be felt.

Semisextiles and quincunxes connect signs that are totally unrelated to each other. They can have an odd, unsettling quality, indicating problems or issues that it's hard to get a grip on. They are like interesting puzzles that call for a creative solution.

Moon semisquare Chiron

Sensitive and artistic, you are vulnerable to daily stress. When you lack emotional nourishment, you may seek comfort in food, alcohol, drugs or sex. You often attract those who need attention and care. A need to help others may be a way of overcompensating for low self-esteem or an inability to find a professional outlet. Your compassion lends itself to fields like medicine, social work and physical therapy. In addition, you have a fascination with subjects like history, architecture and anthropology.

Venus quincunx Saturn

There is a continuing tension in your life that is all too apparent to you. You desperately crave love and affection, but you are so tied to rigid ideas about propriety, duty and respect that you can only rarely allow yourself to be put in the position where you wish to share yourself with another. This angers, frustrates and embitters you because you feel that there is nothing that you can do about it. Learn to regard the dicta of society at large much less seriously. Only a very few people really deal with life as harshly as you think you should. Try to find relationships with those you admire and who admire you, even if the level of emotional involvement is much lower than your peers want to convince you that it should be, and you will be much more comfortable with yourself.

Venus semisextile Neptune

On the one hand, you want the love and affection that everyone deserves and you are willing to give it to others as well as receive it. But, on the other hand, you also have the feeling that love should be raised above the level of the mundane, that it should be based on the noble principle of selfless service. Thus, you often get involved in situations where you project unrealistic expectations on your beloved — high ideals that are impossible to live up to. Or, you blindly serve someone who takes advantage of you. The problem is that you see it all happening and it frustrates you greatly because you cannot seem to control it or break out of the pattern. Difficult though it will be, you must learn to lower your expectations if you would not be continually disappointed.

Saturn sesquare Uranus

Most of the time, you have the gift to be able to be productive and effective in the midst of stressful situations. But, because you seem to thrive on this, you may be attracted to jobs that are dangerous or filled with tension. There are other times, however, when it all gets to be just too much to bear. This causes you to be irritable and temperamental, usually with good cause.

*Uranus semisquare Neptune*

You, and your peer group, are very interested in the propagation of new ways of looking at the humanitarian concerns of your times. You will propose unique and original solutions to age-old problems, but you may be faced with a certain amount of resistance by traditional authority figures, simply because they are afraid of change per se. Carry on, though — you can be a force for positive change.



Houses: Bringing the Planets Down to Earth

The positions of the planets in the zodiac, and the aspects between the planets, are nearly the same for everyone born on a given day. But the houses reflect how the planets were arranged around you and you alone, at a given hour and minute, and at a given place on Earth. Houses therefore personalize the planets, showing how they relate to your own particular life.

The meanings of the twelve houses echo those of the twelve zodiacal signs, but are more specific and concrete. For example, the second sign, Taurus, is much concerned with the material world, whereas the second house deals with your actual possessions: how you feel about them, and how you acquire them.

The house delineations that follow show how the affairs of each house are flavored by the sign that lies on its cusp. Since houses are sometimes larger than signs, a house may also have one or more signs completely enclosed or “intercepted” within it, in which case you will find additional material about the intercepted signs in a house. Most important, you will learn below in what areas of life the planets — the main actors in your drama — are disposed to be most active, and how the way each planet operates is influenced by both its house and its sign.

Your Interface with the World

The first house focuses on the basic equipment that you have been given for interacting with the world: your body and your physical constitution, your face, your appearance, your personality, mannerisms and the way you present yourself. It may not be how you see yourself, but it is how others tend to perceive you, and you should be aware that it has an important effect on how you are accepted in social situations. Planets in the first house tend to be strong and “out-front,” especially when they are close to (that is, conjunct) your Ascendant.

Virgo on the First

You tend to be shy and not very self-assertive, possibly because you are supercritical about how you appear to others. Even though you may think you are uninteresting and dull, you are actually soft-spoken, orderly, neat and very likable. You have a crisp, no-nonsense approach to dealing with others. A perfectionist with high standards, you may, however, run the danger of being tactless in pointing out their faults. Very practical, efficient and purposeful, your appearance and bearing reflect your need to appear graceful, sensible and reserved. Never lazy or self-indulgent, you tend to be dedicated to work.

Pluto in the First

You have a personality that is known for its intensity — you tend to take life very seriously. When you have focused on a goal (or an object or a person), you pursue it with such total commitment and all-encompassing dedication that you make others who are less committed than you uneasy (and even fearful). You love to push things to their limit — you are happy when living at the cutting edge of life. You are a powerful and charismatic person and you may have to be careful not to abuse the power that you do have.

Pluto in Libra

Your entire generation was born at a time of radical changes in society's attitude toward marriage and interpersonal relationships. Because of a general fear and awe at the power inherent in making emotional or contractual commitments, such bonds are not made lightly. The result in the twentieth century was a decline in the prevalence of marriage, an increase in informal living arrangements, and an intense focus on revitalizing relationships.



What You Own and Value

The second house goes a step outward from your own person and has to do with resources that you possess, including money. It shows your attitude toward what you own or would like to own: what you crave and covet, what you most value, how you go about getting it, how you take care of it, and whether or not you hang on to it. By extension, it can also indicate your sense of values: not just material things but also the attitudes and ideas that you hold dear.

Libra on the Second

You have refined tastes and will like to surround yourself with elegant, comfortable and attractive furnishings. You want to dress in the latest styles — you appreciate high fashion and always want to look your best. You have rather expensive tastes and you love to receive gifts from others. You attract others who enjoy providing for you. But be careful not to become too complacent and dependent or you will become vain and lazy. You are also usually very fair-minded and objective. Your high standards allow you to be the arbiter of disputes and an effective role model as well.

Uranus in the Second

You dislike the responsibility that comes with owning property or having possessions. Your demand that you live a free and unencumbered lifestyle just does not allow you the luxury of settling in anywhere and acquiring things. The possessions that you do have and cherish will probably be quite offbeat and unusual. Money always seems to be an issue with you — when you have it, you tend to spend it impulsively, and when you do not have it, you don't have the self-discipline required to dig in and let it accumulate. A traditional nine-to-five working situation will not appeal to you — you need to earn your money in some sort of unique, bohemian fashion.

Uranus in Libra

You, as well as your entire peer group, have a very free, unstable and unconventional approach to relationships and emotional commitments. You will be attracted to experiments in marriage and shared lifestyles. Personal freedom is more important to you than entangling emotional bonds. In the realm of art and aesthetics, you are attracted to the bizarre, shocking and unusual.

Your Immediate Surroundings

Going a step further out from your own body and possessions, the third house has to do with your immediate surroundings and how you interact with them. The first “social” house, it describes brothers and sisters, neighbors and anyone who just happens to be near you on a daily basis. It also describes daily communication and transportation: letters, phone calls and emails, and routine journeys such as commuting to shopping, school or work. The first “mental” house, it governs early education and basic skills training, paving the way for higher education in the ninth house which is directly opposite it in the chart.

Scorpio on the Third

When your mind latches onto a subject for study, you tend to pursue it with total and complete devotion. Indeed, your intense obsession with your dedication to the matter at hand often surprises those who observe you. You are not satisfied with gaining superficial or casual knowledge — you want to become an expert and to truly understand your subject from the ground up. You tend to become so emotionally attached to the knowledge that you have gained that, should anyone challenge your authority or your opinions, you react as if you had been personally attacked. The vitriolic manner of your response to a challenge, however, does not do honor to the depth of your knowledge. You prefer living a daily life of quiet and sometimes secretive seclusion, fearing the emotional hassles that interaction with others often demands.

***Sun in the Third***

Your daily habit patterns, the everyday routines that you develop — from what side of the bed you sleep on, to where you keep your toothpaste in the medicine cabinet, to which clothes you wear for which purposes — are extremely important to you. Your neighbors and close relatives occupy a great deal of your time and energy. You enjoy being busy, bustling here and there, going from one task to another. You enjoy your daily rituals, but you cannot stand it when things get dull and boring. You need and crave mental stimulation and would be comfortable as the eternal student who is constantly taking classes in a wide variety of subjects.

Sun in Sagittarius

You are known for being idealistic, generous, sociable, cheerful and very positive. Full of spirit, you have a huge reservoir of energy within you that demands to be released. Exercise, either physical or mental, is thus a necessity. Gregarious, you enjoy being with other people, although you tend to avoid emotionally restrictive or overly intimate relationships. You are constantly curious about the broader issues of life, but can be careless and sloppy about details, and may leap to conclusions before all the facts are in. You are probably an avid reader and gatherer of knowledge, and once a subject catches your interest, your enthusiasm for learning all about it is boundless.

Neptune in the Third

Your rich and vivid imagination can be used creatively in writing or speaking if you are so inclined. You are so trusting in the power of your inner visions that at times you confuse the truth with what you want to believe. Be careful not to embroider or distort the truth to fit your own needs. You are so idealistic, and you accept so many things on faith, especially if the ideas are packaged in such a way that they appeal to your imagination, that you are often easily conned by others who are less scrupulous than you are. So be careful when taking advice from others — always get a second or third opinion before taking any action.

Neptune in Sagittarius

You, and your entire generation, are heavily involved in investigating and idealizing foreign and exotic intellectual systems and religious philosophies. The most extreme ideals will be pursued with gusto. You will be at the forefront of humanitarian attempts to improve the lot of those who are in need of assistance. You will be comfortable with the concept of the “global village.”

Where You Come From

Being at the very bottom of the wheel, the fourth house is both where you originate and where you come to rest. As such, it describes your parents and ancestral background, and later the home or protected space into which you retreat each day for nourishment and sleep. A deeply personal house, the fourth is concerned with security and peace of mind, the safety of loved ones, and how you care for others and yourself. The place of your roots and the earth beneath your feet, the fourth house rules the house or apartment where you live and also real estate in general. In your trajectory through life, the fourth house shows your origins and where you are coming from, just as the tenth house and Midheaven describe your career and where you aim to go.

Sagittarius on the Fourth

You are not very sentimentally attached to your home and family. As a matter of fact, you are quite uncomfortable should any family members try to exert any pressure on you to perform familial duties. You are quite restless by nature and will kick over any traces as soon as possible, enjoying the freedom of an independent existence. You do enjoy having a quiet place of your own, though, where you can go to sort out the large and important questions that concern you. Your interest in such wide-ranging subjects as law, religion, philosophy and metaphysics is best nourished when you feel at peace with yourself.

***Mercury in the Fourth***

You love to be surrounded by books that help you to develop your mind. Your interest in history stems from your deep need to understand the roots and origins of your family, region, country and culture. Extremely subjective and introspective, you are fascinated with your own mind and how it works. You want to understand how you think and feel and how others think and feel, too. At times, you get so wrapped up in yourself that you find it hard to honor another person's point of view.

Mercury in Sagittarius

You are known for being blunt, but also for being honest and truthful. Your mind is very curious and inquisitive, always seeking information on a wide variety of topics. The broader the subject (philosophy, science, religion, metaphysics), the more it appeals to you. The small but important details can elude you, but you have a wonderful way of making connections between disparate subjects and coming up with all-embracing theories.

Venus in the Fourth

Your home is a special concern of yours. You insist that it be comfortable, pleasant, elegant and gracious — filling it with objets d'art and soft, plush furnishings. Ugliness, dirt and coarseness are not tolerated. Your parents were most likely very warm and loving and you are repeating their pattern. You have a tendency to idealize, glamorize and sentimentalize the pleasant memories from your past.

Venus in Capricorn

You tend to keep your feelings under control, releasing your emotions only in serious or important situations. Also, you distrust others who behave in an excessive or immoderate way. You prefer to relate to people older than you or whose position is such that respect and duty are more important for both of you than passion or emotional response. To avoid being lonely, be careful to form relationships that are based on something more than practicality or utility.

Jupiter in the Fourth

A very positive, tolerant and unprejudiced childhood environment assists to make you quite self-confident and self-assured. Your balanced and reasonable attitude toward life allows you to be outgoing and generous. You prefer large, comfortable and elegant surroundings and your home demonstrates this to the extent that your budget can afford. You are known for your hospitality and you delight in showing off all the things that you love to collect.

Jupiter in Sagittarius

You have a very strong sense of ethics and morality. You are widely read and may also be widely traveled because you are sincerely interested in expanding your knowledge of the world about you. At times, you have an annoying tendency to be self-righteous and preachy about your belief system. You are usually quite idealistic and you demand the right to be able to explore the entire world of experiences yourself. Remember to grant others the similar right — be tolerant, not dogmatic.



Playtime

After being nurtured and restored in the fourth house, you are refreshed and full of energy for play and creative pursuits. Replenished by dreams, you have creative ideas. Nurtured by your parents, you are ready to have your own children. Fresh from the security of home, you are ready to trust the universe and take risks. For all these reasons, the fifth house traditionally rules the child in you and the children around you, your own personal creativity and self-expression, plays and amusements of all sorts, gambling and speculation, and courtship, love affairs and romance. This is an outgoing house, but it is still beneath the horizon, in the territory of your heart's desires.

Capricorn on the Fifth

You have an earthy, direct sense of humor. You also have a straightforward, practical approach to fun and games. You are not fond of grand gestures or unnecessary romanticizing in your lovemaking — you prefer to get down to the ultimate point of the matter as soon as possible. Because relationships that are based on convenience or necessity are more attractive to you and easier to deal with than affairs of the heart, you always know what is expected and can then concentrate on other, more important matters. Your taste in art and aesthetics leans toward those things that have a direct appeal and usefulness rather than to anything abstract. You would rather admire a well-made wooden bowl than an expressionist painting any day.

North Node in the Fifth

If you're fortunate enough to have children, they will occupy a good deal of your time and energy, even after they've grown up and left home. There will be much visiting and communicating. You're so close to them — more like a good friend than a parent — and much of your time will be spent with them. Also, you may be very creative and enjoy sharing ideas and discoveries within your area of expertise with other like-minded individuals. This may involve attending classes and workshops, or giving them yourself. You're probably quite fun-loving and will enjoy going to or giving parties where you can relax and enjoy the company of your friends and neighbors.

North Node in Aquarius

As long as someone else (or a group or organization) appeals to your intellectual sensibilities, you'll try to ally yourself with them in some way. You may find that you always seem to get involved with many wide-ranging groups — so much so that you find it difficult to fit them all into your busy schedule. Your many friends and acquaintances provide you with needed stimulation. Loyal and fair-minded, you try to spend time equally with all your friends, never concentrating on just one or two for any length of time. Although probably quite conservative yourself, you're attracted to those who are a bit offbeat or eccentric, because you enjoy watching their minds work.

Taking Care of Business

After the candle-lit dinner comes the credit-card bill. Courtship is followed by the nitty-gritty of married life: babies, diapers and saving up for college. After your creative impulse comes the need to learn the technique of actually making something. And if you overexpend your energy, you get health problems. The sixth house rules taking care of business on an everyday level. This includes your job, paying bills and keeping the house clean. It also includes maintaining your body with medical checkups and a daily regimen of nutrition and exercise. In the old books it ruled servants, and it can by extension rule the way you offer service to others. It also ruled useful animals, particularly small ones like cats, dogs, chickens and pigs. Today this usually means small pets, which exist in the personal, intimate part of your life that is signified by houses that lie below the horizon.



Aquarius on the Sixth

You have an intellectual and detached attitude about your job and work habits — you do not get emotionally involved in your work. This allows you to leave the stresses and tensions of the job behind you at the end of the day. The negative side of this is that you rarely show enthusiasm about what you do. You perform your tasks perfunctorily and efficiently. You work well as a member of a team, as long as the group's goals agree with your own. Due to your objectivity, you have the ability to apply unique and original solutions to work related problems. Your ideas about health and nutrition are formed after carefully considering all the alternatives, but, once formed, you tend to become a zealous crusader and proselytizer.

Mars in the Sixth

When motivated, you are a very hard worker. But you are not always willing to cooperate. Your ego is too strong for that, and you would be much more comfortable being the boss than being an employee. You can be very disciplined, and you have very high standards of workmanship. If you do not respect your superiors, however, there will be numerous ego conflicts. You have the ability to work skillfully at metal work or with cutting instruments. Try not to repress any feelings of anger or they will tend to surface as illnesses.

Mars in Pisces

Sensitive and vulnerable, you find it difficult to assert yourself. At times, you feel quite tired and you will require a lot of sleep in order to maintain your health and strength. You are at your best when you act without your ego being important. You can be very unselfish and considerate of the needs of others. You get the most satisfaction in giving to others when you expect nothing in return. Beware of a tendency to want always to work behind the scenes or to work in a covert manner behind others' backs.

Relating One-to-One

If you courted in the fifth house and woke up in the sixth yoked to another in a daily routine, the seventh house gives you a chance to hammer out a relationship of true equals. The goal is wedded bliss and a true sense of relatedness, but along the way there may be fights as you each define your individuality and establish your own territory. Not only is the seventh the traditional house of marriage, it is also the house of open enemies, your sparring partners in life. In general, since the first house is you yourself, the seventh house, directly opposite, is the other person in a variety of situations. Besides signifying a marriage or sparring partner, the seventh house rules business partners, or those on the other side of a desk, such as consultants, lawyers, therapists or astrologers.

Pisces on the Seventh

You are so fussy and choosy and supercritical about yourself and about those with whom you decide to associate that often you will prefer to stay alone rather than risk aligning yourself with anyone who might have a few flaws. You seek perfection and, once found, you tend to idolize, worship and serve the beloved. Often you are attracted to those who actually do have significant flaws, but you think that you can ease their burdens and help them attain the high goals you think they should be shooting for. This often leads to relationships based on profound inequalities, which is perfectly all right as long as you have consciously chosen to get so involved. It becomes quite another matter, however, when deception is at its base and one of you is merely taking the other for a ride.



Chiron in the Seventh

Separation or alienation from a parent may have created a sense of betrayal early in life. An inability to trust prevents you from committing yourself to a lasting relationship and expressing unconditional love. Learning independence and self-reliance will help you achieve your goals and will enable you to weather any storm. Nothing means more to you than having a loving relationship in which you and your mate learn and grow together. As soon as you have self-esteem, everyone you meet will recognize your compassion, loyalty and love.

Chiron in Aries

Obsessively independent and intent on enjoying life to the fullest, you may inadvertently neglect those you love. Pay attention to those who mean the most to you, or you may wind up being alone. You clearly want to be a trailblazer in your field. At times, opposition to your ideas leaves you feeling that it is you against the world. An iron will and a pioneering spirit will help you overcome all obstacles and reach your goals.

Merging into Something Larger

Having achieved a relationship of equals in the seventh house, you are ready to give up your separateness in the eighth, merging in sexual union and becoming one on a deep emotional level. If the second house was about grasping and possessing, the eighth is about sharing and letting go. While the second rules your own money, the eighth rules how you deal with other people's money and how you pool resources. On a mundane level the eighth rules taxes, but on a fundamental level it can rule giving up anything you value, including your ego and even your body. In relaxing your grasp on what you find most dear, you may find that you are really not as dependent on it as you thought. In relinquishing, you achieve a new level of freedom, and feel lighter, renewed and more alive. Related to all this, the eighth signifies mysteries such as death and resurrection, magic and the occult, and the deep parts of the psyche that are beyond our conscious grasp.

Aries on the Eighth

Very competitive when it comes to sexual matters, you enjoy being the aggressor and are very proud of your conquests. You love a challenge and are not afraid to confront your partner and push him or her into exploring the more dangerous and mysterious and highly personal areas of his or her psyche. This type of activity can lead to many crises in relationships, but you do not mind, because you are willing to take risks even if it might mean the end of the relationship. You also have the take-charge ability to be able to handle the property of others. Your fearless approach to investing usually keeps you ahead financially — you will always take advantage of any opening that you come across.

No planets in the Eighth

The eighth house of your horoscope contains no planets. This definitely does not mean that you will not enjoy a rewarding sex life or that you will never have any resources to invest or to share in common with another. What it does mean is that these issues will not be as paramount in your life as they are for others. You will experience a certain amount of disequilibrium and/or joy about these matters, but no more than the average person experiences.

Expanding Your Conscious Awareness

Approaching the highest point in the sky, the ninth house wafts you up and out of your rut, giving you a broad and lofty view of the terrain beneath. Whereas the third ruled basic schooling and short trips, the ninth rules higher education and long-distance travel. It removes you from your everyday routine so you can see the overall pattern, the overlooked connections between things. It rules all-embracing concepts (such as your philosophy of life) and institutions (like religion and law) that stand over society and keep it bound together. It can also signify your teachers and mentors, your library, and all else that broadens your outlook.

***Taurus on the Ninth***

You have a cautious and conservative philosophy of life. Very likely you were influenced by the views and philosophies of your parents, family and peer group as a youth — you took on their positions and have stuck with them loyally throughout your life. While you may have a tendency toward very dogmatic or orthodox stances, you can be counted on to give support and assistance to those who agree with you. Be careful of becoming too intolerant of those whose views differ radically from your own. You are motivated mainly by self-interest — your interest in abstractions such as metaphysics or philosophy extends only to the reinforcement of ideas that you already hold strongly. You are interested in travel only for material gain or pleasure, not for enlightenment or curiosity.

Moon in the Ninth

Extremely restless and curious, you are always on the lookout for new and stimulating experiences. You are easily bored when you are forced into doing routine, repetitive tasks. You love to travel and will go out of your way to seek out new and different points of view. For an idea to have a strong impact on you, however, it must first appeal to your emotions. Try not to let attitudes that you learned early in life close your mind to the exciting opinions that you will encounter.

Moon in Taurus

Warmth, comfort, security and familiar surroundings are necessary for you to feel at ease. Very loving and affectionate, you prefer a steady, patterned way of life. Patient, calm and steadfast, you are not easily upset. Others look to you for support. You tend to be a slow starter and a slow mover — others may try to rush you, but they will never succeed. Emotionally, you are quite stubborn — your attitudes about people and things were firmly set in your youth and will change very little as an adult. You are also very cautious and conservative about spending money. It is not that you are selfish, you just need to feel secure. Beware of a tendency to become overly complacent and too self-satisfied.

Saturn in the Ninth

Your life's philosophy is one of caution and conservatism. You delight in being able to carefully and thoroughly work out your life plan well in advance. Everything you do is part of a highly detailed timetable, and you are delighted when your development occurs right on schedule. Very systematic, you work hard and diligently for your goals. Because your opinions tend to change slowly, you may be prone to episodes of dogmatic, narrow-minded thinking.

Saturn in Gemini

You are such a clear thinker and speaker, with a logical orderly mind, that you are repulsed by abstract, intangible or unorganized thoughts or ideas. But you tend to get uptight about speaking in public because you are afraid to be wrong. Remember that the best way to learn is by making mistakes. Also, you will be so carefully prepared that you probably will not make many mistakes anyway. To be interesting to you, ideas have to be practical and useful.

Your Public Self

If the fourth house showed your roots and where you came from, the tenth shows what you are ultimately aiming at in life. Whereas the sixth shows your daily job and how you make a living, the tenth signifies your career, your personal contribution, your reputation and what you become known for. Some astrologers also believe that the fourth house signifies one parent, and the tenth signifies the other. The tenth-house parent is most likely the one who prepares you for the world. The closer a planet is to the Midheaven, the more likely that planet is to be the major signifier of your life's direction.

***Gemini on the Tenth***

Because you are interested in doing so many different things in life, you find it extremely difficult to settle down and pursue just one career. You have the ability to be involved simultaneously in many different careers, or to have many, quite different jobs one after another. You have a very short attention span and must be constantly challenged by new goals and new intellectual stimuli. At times, you put out only superficial energies, just barely skimming the surface of what you are supposed to be doing. You are a quick study, but you must learn to scatter your energies less if you would be effective at what you do.

No planets in the Tenth

You have no planets in the tenth house of your horoscope. This definitely does not mean that you will not have an illustrious or satisfying career — or that you will never be properly motivated to be a success in life. Far from it, it means that these issues are not as important for you as they are for many others. It may indicate that your career goals will be driven by influences from outside of you, so pay close attention to positive opportunities that are presented to you. Look to the house and aspects of Saturn to get further information on where you are more likely to be disciplined and organized in your life.

Your Circle of Acquaintances

The eleventh is the last house of relationships: not brothers, sisters and neighbors who just happen to be around you, not one-to-one partners, but the circle of friends and associates whom you actively choose. It shows the way you make and keep friendships, the organizations you join, the networking you do, and the general way you interact with groups. After you have established yourself as an individual and learned to form personal relationships with others, you are ready to think about the common good. This is why the eleventh often signifies groups dedicated to social or other sorts of collective improvement.

Cancer on the Eleventh

You must have a strong emotional attachment to friends or groups or associates before you will become active on their behalf. But, should those ties be established, you then become a willing and loyal participant in group activities, even preferring to become a leader in trying to effect group goals. You are loyal and devoted to friends, always being at their disposal when needed. Indeed, at times you go too far and are “there” too often and too conspicuously, becoming overly involved in your friend’s affairs to the extent that they find it difficult to do anything for themselves on their own. Learn to back off a bit when you notice that those you care about begin avoiding you — let loose the apron strings a bit.

No planets in the Eleventh

The eleventh house of your horoscope contains no planets. This does not mean that you will never have friends or associates or that you will never be active in groups that express your philosophy of life. It simply indicates that these are not paramount issues for you. From time to time, influences from outside you may cause you to become more active in these areas, but this will be temporary rather than life-long.



The Hidden You

The twelfth house is where planets go just after they have risen. Here planets are still wet behind the ears, blinking in the sunlight and unsteady on their feet. Feeling completely vulnerable, planets in the twelfth tend to hide. Their energies can become repressed and secretive, and sometimes they lurk as complexes in the subconscious. This is why the twelfth is associated with self-sabotage, with hidden enemies, and with prison and whatever else makes you feel confined. The traditional association with hospitals and prisons suggest that constructive ways of dealing with twelfth-house problems include helping others who are similarly repressed or confined. Also, some with a strong twelfth-house emphasis become successful as undercover workers or as the power behind the throne.

Leo on the Twelfth

Although you seem to be unassuming and somewhat of a wallflower by nature, deep inside you have a pride in self-achievement that you find difficult to deal with. You crave to be noticed by others for your accomplishments, but you do not know how to articulate this desire. You are ashamed and confused by your own hidden egocentricity and try desperately to suppress it. Learn to allow yourself the luxury of taking credit for the good that you do. Because you know that most of your better efforts have been oriented toward a higher purpose, don't feel guilty when you are praised or appreciated.;

No planets in the Twelfth

Your twelfth house is not activated by planetary activity. This does not mean that you will never have to deal with energies in your life that are difficult to understand, although most people would consider this a blessing. It merely means that these will not be paramount concerns for you. Occasionally, due to influences that come from outside of yourself, you will find yourself in situations that prove to be temporarily uncomfortable or even mysterious, but these incidents should not dominate your life as they do for some others.

A Mirror of Your Uniqueness

As you've seen, this report has been based on the position of the Sun, Moon and planets at the moment of your birth, as viewed from the place on Earth where you were born. This relationship of planets, stars and Earth is unique and never will be repeated. Like the genes that determine your body and temperament, your astrological chart is made up of the same basic parts that other humans have. However, as with your genes, the arrangement of these parts applies only to you.

Like the unique patterning of your DNA, your birth chart symbolizes the raw materials you've been given from which to fashion your life -- in other words, the deck you've been dealt. Now that you're more conscious of what you have to work with, the way you play your cards is up to you.

Nobody is perfect. As well as being given our special strengths and beauties, everyone born is presented with special problems to solve and special lessons to learn. Knowing what you have to work with, you will be better able fill in (or at least understand and accept) what you lack. Then you can appreciate and develop your special gifts, and grow in the life directions that are right for you and you alone.

Astrology's special message is that there is no universal norm for everyone. Life is not about measuring up to some one-size-fits-all standard. What it is about is growing more fully into the unique person you were meant to be. Hopefully, this report has given you some clues about who that person is. Hopefully, it will help you better to fill the role that you have been given in this lifetime, and to enrich the world with the gifts that only you can bestow.



Your birth moment is a precious seed that contains the potential for how you will unfold. Nurture it lovingly, observe how it develops, then supply the light, moisture and nutrients that its special nature calls for -- and it will burst into flower and bear nourishing fruit that you and the world can enjoy.