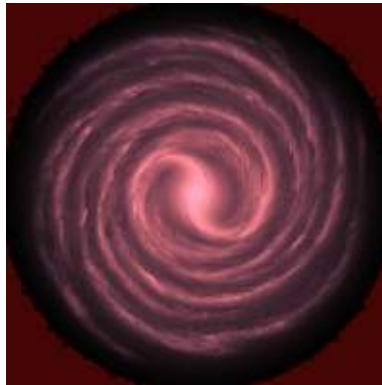


# THE ASTRO-KEY BOOK

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## --- INTRODUCTION ---

### Components of Existential Astrology

*"To exist is to experience  
and to expand is to find meaning in the experience."*

Existential astrology analyses the relevant personal and universal energy cycles and charts the individual's process of expanding consciousness through personal experience. Consequently, the individual becomes aware of the qualities and potentialities that constitute their character and the apotheosis (the highest level of development) to which they can aspire. Through this understanding, the individual can develop maximum consciousness, which translates to the maximum freedom of will, operating in the collective reality.

Existential astrology centres on the language of personal experience and the individual's creation of personal reality. These concepts are contained within the components of the individual's personality/character, perception, and expression as represented by elements, signs, planets, houses, and aspects.

The following material briefly overviews the various interacting components and their meanings as applied to Existential Astrological analysis.

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### Basic Components

The basic components of Esoteric Existential Astrology include:

<b>Elements</b>	The elements symbolize the energy substance of experience.
<b>Planets</b>	The planets symbolize psychological functions and life principles. They describe the regulation of energy flow, and they represent the dimensions of experience.
<b>Signs</b>	The signs symbolize psychological types, basic attitudes, and ways of expression. The signs are the primary energy patterns and indicate specific qualities of experience.
<b>Houses</b>	The houses symbolize everyday experiential life-on-earth activities. The houses represent the fields of experience wherein specific energies will be most easily expressed and most directly encountered.
<b>Aspects</b>	The aspects symbolize the dynamism and intensity of experience, as well as how the symbolized energies within the individual interact.
<b>Charts</b>	The individual is graphically represented by various astrological charts: Natal Chart - The individual's character and personality profile Solar Return - Chart - The yearly update Progressed Chart - The unfolding of the individual's life path Transit Chart - The current view of the individual's influences Decumbiture Chart - The individual's health analysis Synastry Chart - The comparing of two individuals for compatibility Horary Chart - Using the 'now' to answer specific questions

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## Chart Examples

### The Natal, Solar, and Horary Chart



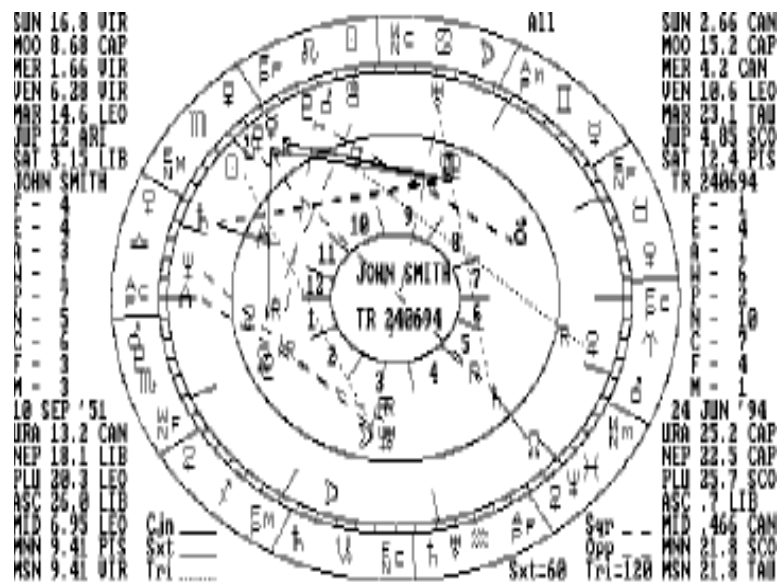
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### The Progressed Chart



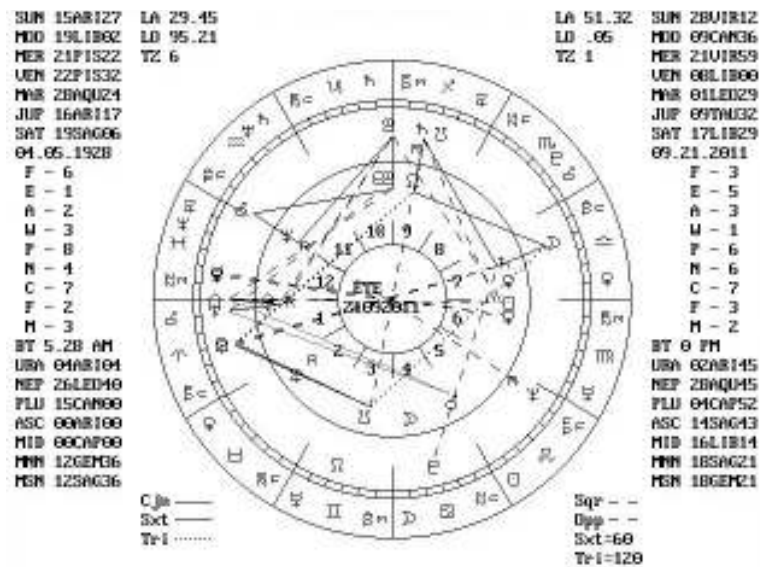
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## The Transit and Synastry Chart



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## The Decumbiture Chart



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## General Abbreviations

The following Abbreviations are used throughout this material:

### Sign Abbreviations

Ari - Aries (Ram)  
 Tau - Taurus (Bull)  
 Gem - Gemini (Twins)  
 Can - Cancer (Crab)  
 Leo - Leo (Lion)  
 Vir - Virgo (Virgin)  
 Lib - Libra (Scales)  
 Sco - Scorpio (Scorpion)  
 Sag - Sagittarius (Archer)  
 Cap - Capricorn (Goat)  
 Aqu - Aquarius (Water Bearer)  
 Pis - Pisces (Fishes)

### Planet Abbreviations

Sun - Sun  
 Moo - Moon  
 Mer - Mercury  
 Ven - Venus  
 Mar - Mars  
 Jup - Jupiter  
 Sat - Saturn  
 Ura - Uranus  
 Nep - Neptune  
 Plu - Pluto  
 Mnn - Moon's North Node  
 Msn - Moon's South Node

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## Traditional Overview of The Zodiac

No	+/-	Name	Trip	Quad	Season			
1	+	Ari	Cardinal	Fire	Spring	Primordial	Subjective	
2	-	Tau	Fixed	Earth				
3	+	Gem	Mutable	Air				
4	-	Can	Cardinal	Water	Summer	Individual	Objective	
5	+	Leo	Fixed	Fire				
6	-	Vir	Mutable	Earth				
7	+	Lib	Cardinal	Air	Autumn	Universal	Objective	
8	-	Sco	Fixed	Water				
9	+	Sag	Mutable	Fire				
10	-	Cap	Cardinal	Earth	Winter	Universal	Objective	
11	+	Aqu	Fixed	Air				
12	-	Pis	Mutable	Water				

## Summary

Name	+/-	Quad	Trip	Season		
1 Ari	Pos	Fire	Cardinal	Spring	Primordial	Subjective

2	Tau	Neg	Earth	Fixed	Spring	Primordial	Subjective
3	Gem	Pos	Air	Mutable	Spring	Primordial	Subjective
4	Can	Neg	Water	Cardinal	Summer	Primordial	Subjective
5	Leo	Pos	Fire	Fixed	Summer	Individual	Subjective
6	Vir	Neg	Earth	Mutable	Summer	Individual	Subjective
7	Lib	Pos	Air	Cardinal	Autumn	Individual	Objective
8	Sco	Neg	Water	Fixed	Autumn	Individual	Objective
9	Sag	Pos	Fire	Mutable	Autumn	Universal	Objective
10	Cap	Neg	Earth	Cardinal	Winter	Universal	Objective
11	Aqu	Pos	Air	Fixed	Winter	Universal	Objective
12	Pis	Neg	Water	Mutable	Winter	Universal	Objective

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## --- THE ELEMENTS ---

### Positive and Negative

The polarities of positive and negative symbolise the expression of extroversion and introversion:

Pos/Neg	Expression
Pos (Ari, Gem, Leo, Lib, Sag, Aqu)	Self-expressive, spontaneous, extroverted
Neg (Tau, Can, Vir, Sco, Cap, Pis)	Self-repressive, passive, introverted

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### Triplicities (Elements)

The Triplicities are the expression of the universal elements of Earth, Water, Fire, and Air - these symbolise the energy reality (physical, emotional, mental, and spirit) of experience:

Element	Expression
Earth (Tau, Vir, Cap)	Practical, restrained, down to earth, cautious, and reliable
Water (Can, Sco, Pis)	Emotional, intuitive, compassion, feelings of love, feelings of hate, and sensitivity
Fire (Ari, Leo, Sag)	Energetic, assertive, volatile, enthusiastic, adventurous, and leaders
Air (Gem, Lib, Aqu)	Communicative, mentally active, and consciousness

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### Element Combinations

Element combinations produce the following results:

Combination	Expression
Fire/Air	Explosive, and full of energy
Fire/Earth	Immense power
Fire/Water	Powerful and volatile
Air/Earth	Difficult combination, but gives thoughts a practical form
Air/Water	Abstract, creative, and poetic
Earth/Water	Dull but fertile

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### Quadruplicities (Qualities)

The qualities of fixed, cardinal, and mutable, symbolise how the elements (earth, water, fire, and air) are expressed:

Quality	Expression
Fixed (Tau, Leo, Sco, Aqu)	Intense and steadfast
Cardinal (Ari, Can, Lib, Cap)	Enterprising and entrepreneurial

Mutable (Gem, Vir, Sag, Pis)

Adaptable, mouldable, and variable

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## --- THE PLANETS ---

The planets symbolize psychological functions and life principles. The planets describe the regulation of energy flow, and they represent the dimensions of experience.

### Planet Astronomical Information

Planet	Orbit Duration	Axis Rotation	Distance from Sun (Millions of Miles)
Moon	27.3 Days	27.3 Days	n/a
Mercury	88 Days	88 Days	36.0
Venus	225 Days	243 Days	67.3
Earth	365.25 Days	24 Hours	93.0
Mars	687 Days	24.5 Hours	141.7
Jupiter	12 Years	10 Hours	483.9
Saturn	29 Years	10 Hours	887.1
Uranus	84 Years	10 Hours	1784.0
Neptune	165 Years	15 Hours	2795.5
Pluto	248 Years	Unknown	3675.3

Planet	Orbit Duration	Axis Rotation	Distance from Sun (Millions of Kilometres)
Sun	n/a	26.8 Days	n/a
Moo	27.3 Days	27.3d 0h 0m	n/a
Mer	87.97 Days	58d 15h 30m	57.9 mkm
Ven	224.7 Days	243d 0h 26m	108.2 mkm
Ear	365.256 Days	23h 56m	149.6 mkm
Mar	686.98 Days	1d 0h 37m	227.9 mkm
Jup	11.86 Years	9h 50m	778 mkm
Sat	29.46 Years	10h 13m	1,427 mkm
Ura	84.07 Years	17h 14m	2,871 mkm
Nep	164.82 Years`	16h 6m	4,497 mkm
Plu	248.6 Years	6d 9h 17m	5,913 mkm

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### Planet Transits

The following information can be used to determine the approximate period of influence that a transiting object will exert. Locate the object below and note how long it takes to move through three degrees (Transiting Influence).

**Asc** - Personality Cycle is 1 day

Transits a deg in 4 minutes

Transits a sign in 2 hours

Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 12 minutes

Moves 360 deg per day

**Mid** - Ego Cycle is 1 day

Transits a deg in 4 minutes

Transits a sign in 2 hours

Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 12 minutes

Moves 360 deg per day

**Node** - Association Cycle is 19 years  
Transits a deg in 1928 days  
Transits a sign in 158 years  
Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 5783 days (19 months)

**Sun** - Character (Spirit) Cycle is 1 year  
Transits a deg in 2365 hours  
Transits a sign in 304 days  
Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 296 days  
Moves 101 deg per day

**Moo** - Disposition (Soul) Cycle is 295 days  
Transits a deg in 194 hours  
Transits a sign in 242 days  
Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 582 hours  
Moves 1237 deg per day

**Mer** - Mentality (Mind) Cycle is 88 days  
Transits a deg in 587 hours  
Transits a sign in 733 days  
Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 176 hours  
Moves 409 deg per day

**Ven** - Affections (Harmony) Cycle is 225 days  
Transits a deg in 15 hours  
Transits a sign in 1875 days  
Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 188 days  
Moves 16 deg per day

**Mar** - Drive (Conflict) Cycle is 188 years  
Transits a deg in 191 days  
Transits a sign in 573 days  
Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 573 days  
Moves 052 deg per day

**Jup** - Expansion Cycle is 12 years  
Transits a deg in 1218 days  
Transits a sign in 3654 days  
Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 3654 days (12 months)

**Sat** - Restriction (Contraction) Cycle is 295 years  
Transits a deg in 2993 days  
Transits a sign in 246 years  
Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 8979 days (295 months)

**Ura** - Change (Cycles) Cycle is 84 years  
Transits a deg in 8523 days  
Transits a sign in 7 years  
Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 25569 days (84 months)

**Nep** - Sensitivity (Spirituality) Cycle is 165 years  
Transits a deg in 16741 days  
Transits a sign in 1375 years  
Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 138 years

**Plu** - Transformation (Regeneration) Cycle is 270 years  
Transits a deg in 27394 days  
Transits a sign in 225 years

Transiting influence (3 deg Orb) is 225 years

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### Traditional Dignity and Detriment, Exaltation and Fall

Traditional Astrology believes that each of the planets is strong or weak when placed in certain signs. However, existential Astrology does not use this concept and the following information is for interest only.

In **Dignity** and **Exaltation** the planets are strong and express themselves well. While in **Detriment** and **Fall** they are weak and have difficulties in express themselves.

Planets are in **Dignity** in those signs which they rule, and are in **Detriment** in the opposing signs.

Only the seven traditional planets are included in the **Exaltations**. In each case, they have both a sign of **Exaltation** and a single degree within that sign in which the **Exaltation** is strongest.

Planets are in **Fall** when in the opposing positions to their **Exaltation**. At the general level of psychological interpretation these considerations are already taken into account and need not be considered separately. However, their importance grows as the need for precision increases.

### Summary

Planet	Ruling Dignities	Debility
Moo	Can	Cap

Planet	Positive	Negative
Ura	Gem/Lib/Aqu	Sag/Ari/Leo
Nep	Can/Sco/Pis	Cap/Tau/Vir

Planet	Exulted	Fall
Sat	Lib	Ari
Jup	Can	Cap
Mar	Cap	Can
Ven	Pis	Vir
Mer	Aqu	Leo
Sun	Ari	Lib
Moo	Tau	Sco

Planet	Friendly To
Jup	Moo
Mar	Sat
Ven	Jup
Mer	Sat
Sun	Mar
Moo	Ven

Planet	Opposed To
Sat	Sun, Moo
Jup	Mer
Mar	Ven
Ven	Mar
Mer	Jup
Sun	Sat
Moo	Sat

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### Planet Benefics and Malefics

The Sun, Venus, and Jupiter are traditionally called "**benefics**"; with Mars and Saturn called "**malefics**".

However, the "malefic" category is usually extended to include Uranus and Pluto.

Neptune is a somewhat doubtful "benefic", and the Moon and Mercury are neutral.

Traditionalists consider that the effects attributed to Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune, and Pluto will not be strongly evidenced unless these planets are angular (in Houses bearing a correspondence to the Cardinal Signs - Ari, Can, Lib, Cap), or if they are closely configured with one or more of the faster moving bodies, or unless one of them rules the ascendant sign.

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### Planet Principles

The Planets symbolize the regulation of energy flow and represent the dimensions of experience:

Planet	Dimension of Experience
Sun	Principle of self-integration
Moo	Principle of rhythms through instinctive response, assimilation, reflection
Mer	Communicative principle through mental and nervous coordination, transmission
Ven	Uniting principle through sympathy, evaluation, feeling
Mar	Principle of activity through enterprise, self-assertion, energetic expression
Jup	Principle of expansion through growth, materially and by understanding
Sat	Formative principle through restriction, discipline, rigidity
URA	Principle of deviation through invention, independence, drastic change
Nep	Refining principle through dissolution, subtlety, immateriality, sensitivity
Plu	Transforming principle through elimination, death, renewal

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### Planets In Signs

Sign	Expression
In Ari	Planets are assertive and powerful
In Tau	Planets are stable and practical

In Gem	Planets are unsettled, restless, and intellectual
In Can	Planets are emotional and cautious
In Leo	Planets are bolder and more expressive
In Vir	Planets are practical and analytical
In Lib	Planets are concerned with harmony, relationships, and appearances
In Sco	Planets are perceptive, determined, and emotional
In Sag	Planets are venturesome, unstable, and concerned with freedom
In Cap	Planets are practical and cautious
In Aqu	Planets are detached, erratic, progressive, and in need of freedom
In Pis	Planets are sensitive and mysterious

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### **Planet Keywords**

Sun	(Self, Character, and the Spirit) - the nature and substance of self-integration and the wholeness of being through life-energy
Moo	(Disposition, Emotion, and the Soul) - the nature and substance of emotional rhythms through instinctive response, assimilation, projection, and reflection
Mer	(Mentality, Communication, and the Mind) - the nature and substance of communication through mental and nervous co-ordination, and transmission
Ven	(Affections, Harmony, and Unity) - the nature and substance of unity through feeling, sympathy, evaluation, and relationships
Mar	(Action, Drive, and Conflict) - the nature and substance of activity, through energetic expression, self-assertion, and enterprise
Jup	(Development, Growth, and Expansion) - the nature and substance of expansion and growth through materially and understanding
Sat	(Restriction, Discipline, and Contraction) - the developmental nature and substance of restriction, discipline, and rigidity
Ura	(Change, Deviation, and Cycles) - the nature and substance of deviation, through uniqueness, invention, independence, and drastic change
Nep	(Refining, Immateriality, and Sensitivity) - the nature and substance of refinement, through dissolution, subtlety, immateriality, sensitivity, and esoteric means
Plu	(Transformation, Rebirth, and Regeneration) - the nature and substance of regeneration through elimination, death, and renewal

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### **Planet Basic Characteristics**

The planets symbolize psychological functions and life principles. They describe the regulation of energy flow, and they represent the dimensions of experience:

#### **Planet                      Characteristics**

Sun	The will, source of life, and activity, and basic temperament according to sun-sign
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Moo	Superficial nature, emotional nature, moods, changeable, adaptive, and mother
Mer	Communication, intellect, reasoning power, curiosity, and short travels/journeys
Ven	Love, delight, evaluation, art, beauty, and possessions
Mar	Energy, power, initiative, exertion, war, conflict, anger, destruction, and impulse
Jup	Good, generous, expansive, fruitfulness, opportunities, generosity, freedom, and protection
Sat	Contraction, restriction, structure, delay, hard work, privation, servant, bondage, and lasting rewards after a long struggle
Ura	Deviation, trends, fashions and vogues, rebellion, revolution, sudden changes, electricity, modern science and technology
Nep	Psychism, immateriality, refinement, sensationalism, mass emotion, devastation, and delusion
Plu	Transformation, transcendence, creation and destruction, revolution, lust/drive for power, and strong obsessions

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### **Planets and People**

People are represented by the Planets as follows:

<b>Planet</b>	<b>Representation</b>
Sun	Paternal elements (father), male family, and leaders
Moo	Maternal elements (mother), female family, and emotional people
Mer	Siblings, friends, teachers, associates, thinkers, and communicators
Ven	Creative people, lovers, romantics, partners, artists, sculptors, musicians, writers, performers, and beautiful people
Mar	Dynamic people, builders, fighters, engineers, and business people
Jup	Philosophers, vocationalists, psychologists, healers, and life consultants
Sat	Structured and disciplined people, surgeons, military personnel, industrialists, and exploiting business people
Ura	Original people, inventors, rebels, eccentrics, and unusual people
Nep	Sensitives, psychics, dreamers, utopians, esoterics, and refined people
Plu	Revolutionaries, public figures, dictators, politicians, frauds, illusionists, and deceivers
Node	Associations, groups, clubs, political parties, and unions
Asc	Personality and persona (the personality as displayed to others)
Mid	The individual, and the expression of their ego-self

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### **Retrograde Planets**

A retrograde planet indicates a point of tension, even unfinished business, and can open a connection to the past as follows:

<b>Planet</b>	<b>Expression</b>
Sun	The Sun cannot go retrograde. The space-time-continuum flows forward, and cannot be altered in real time. Even God cannot change the past



Moo	The Moon cannot go retrograde. Emotions flow forward in synchronisation with the space-time-continuum
Mer-r	Learning and the use of the mind. Bringing knowledge, communication, and illumination from the past. Unfinished educational or learning activity from the past
Ven-r	Affections, relationships, and love. Past relationship activity. Unfinished association, or love relationship(s) from the past
Mar-r	The use of drive, initiative, and energy. Past use of drive and energy. Unfinished drive and energy cycles from the past
Jup-r	Expansion, growth, and the spiritual path. Spiritual understanding from the past. Unfinished expansion, or unfinished spiritual growth from the past
Sat-r	Restriction, discipline, and responsibility. Restriction or discipline from the past being resolved in the present
Ura-r	Revolt, rebellion, deviation, and change. Unfinished revolt, rebellion, deviation, and change from the past being resolved in the present
Nep-r	Refining, ideas, and psychic gifts. Psychic gifts and knowledge from the past. Unfinished psychic business from the past being resolved in the present
Plu-r	The unfolding use of transformation, regeneration, and revolution. Unfinished use of revolution, transformation, and regeneration in the past being resolved in the present

**Note:**

Retrograde planets in the natal chart can indicate a tension connection to a past life experience that the individual has elected to review and re-synchronise or resolve

**Note:**

Retrograde planets that are transiting can indicate a tension connection to a previous time that can be viewed by mankind from the collective consciousness or equivalent

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## --- THE SIGNS ---

The signs symbolize psychological types, basic attitudes, and ways of expression. The signs are the primary energy patterns and indicate specific qualities of experience.

### The Signs

Name	Symbol
Ari	Ram
Tau	Bull
Gem	Twins
Can	Crab
Leo	Lion
Vir	Virgin
Lib	Scales
Sco	Scorpion or Eagle
Sag	Archer
Cap	Goat
Aqu	Water bearer
Pis	Fishes

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### Sign Constitutions

Type	Sign
Male Signs	Aries, Gemini, Leo, Libra, Sagittarius, Aquarius
Female Signs	Taurus, Cancer, Virgo, Scorpio, Capricorn, Pisces
Positive Signs	Aries, Gemini, Leo, Libra, Sagittarius, Aquarius
Negative Signs	Taurus, Cancer, Virgo, Scorpio, Capricorn, Pisces
Human Signs	Gemini, Virgo, Sagittarius (1st Half), Aquarius
Humane Signs	Libra
Bestial Signs	Aries, Taurus, Leo, Sagittarius (2nd Half), Capricorn
Violent Signs	Aries, Gemini, Scorpio, Capricorn
Double or Bi-corporeal Signs	Gemini, Sagittarius, Pisces
Cardinal Signs	Aries, Cancer, Libra, Capricorn
Angular Signs	Aries and Libra mark the Equinoxes, Cancer and Capricorn mark the Solstices
Fruitful Signs	Taurus, Cancer, Scorpio, Sagittarius, Pisces
Sterile Signs	Aries, Gemini, Leo, Virgo
Indifferent to Fruitful and Sterile	Libra, Capricorn, Aquarius
Mute Signs	Cancer, Scorpio, Pisces
Signs of Voice	Gemini, Libra, Aquarius

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### Sign Rulers

Name	Ruler	Co-Ruler
Ari	Mars	n/a
Tau	Venus	n/a

Gem	Mercury	n/a
Can	Moon	n/a
Leo	Sun	n/a
Vir	Mercury	n/a
Lib	Venus	n/a
Sco	Mars	Pluto
Sag	Jupiter	n/a
Cap	Saturn	n/a
Aqu	Saturn	Uranus
Pis	Jupiter	Neptune

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### Sign Primary Energy

The Signs symbolize the primary energy patterns and indicate specific qualities of experience.

The potential of a planet will function through the signs as follows:

Sign	Function Expression
Ari	Active, objective, unfolding energy, self-assertion, and urgent
Tau	Productive, strong, fertile, enduring, and the physical world
Gem	Adaptive, variable, diversity, dualistic, instinctive mind, and communication
Can	Defensive, maternal, fertile, creative, family, feeling, emotional, and protective
Leo	Impressive, powerful, charismatic, self-expression, extraversion, and pleasure
Vir	Analytical, orderly, logical, critical, perfection, discrimination, and health
Lib	Related, balance, adjustment, partnership, harmony, justice, marriage, and persuasion
Sco	Penetrating, powerful, subjugate, intense passion, death, regeneration, and endurance
Sag	Extensive, freedom, realisation, religion and philosophy, and higher-mind
Cap	Rational, conventional, prudent, preservation, organised, structured, and patience
Aqu	Detached, cold, unconventional, humanitarian, altruism, and progressive
Pis	Nebulous, impressionable, sensitive, esoteric, dreams, and psychic

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### Sign Basic Characteristics

The twelve signs symbolize psychological types, basic attitudes, and ways of expression. The signs are the primary energy patterns and indicate specific qualities of experience:

Sign	Characteristics
Ari	Self, courage, initiative, pioneer instinct, (brash, rudeness, selfish, impetuosity)
Tau	Materiality, security, endurance, loyalty, wealth, (obstinacy, gluttony)
Gem	Mind, versatility, (capriciousness, unreliable)
Can	Family, sympathy, homing instinct, (clannishness, childishness)
Leo	Charisma, children, love, authority, integrity, (egotism, force)

Vir	Service, logic, purity, industry, analysis, (fault-finding, cynicism)
Lib	Marriage, harmony, balance, justice, (vacillation, superficiality)
Sco	Sex, drive, survival, regeneration, (vengeance, discord)
Sag	Travel, freedom, optimism, higher learning, (lawlessness)
Cap	Career, depth, (narrowness, gloom)
Aqu	Friends, human fellowship, genius, (perverse, unpredictability)
Pis	Dreams, spiritual love, universality, (diffusion, escapism)

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### Opposite Signs

It is often said that in "real astrology" there are only six signs, with each consisting of a pair of opposites. This concept is a useful way to consider the signs and to evaluate further possibilities of interpretation.

Each pair of opposites should be carefully examined to establish what they have in common, and how their manifestations vary:

Ari	Emphasises personal interests
Lib	Emphasises shared interests
Tau	Focuses on physical stability
Sco	Focuses on emotional stability
Gem	Emphasises the search for knowledge
Sag	Emphasises the search for wisdom
Can	Structures the emotions
Cap	Structures the physical world
Leo	Promotes personal values
Aqu	Promotes collective values
Vir	Practises physical self-sacrifice
Pis	Practises emotional self-sacrifice

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### Sign Physiological Correspondences

Sign	Correspondence
Ari	Head as a whole
Tau	Throat, neck
Gem	Lungs, chest
Can	Breasts, stomach
Leo	Heart
Vir	Abdomen, intestines
Lib	Kidneys, lumbar
Sco	Genitals, bladder, colon, rectum
Sag	Hips, thighs
Cap	Knees
Aqu	Calves, ankles
Pis	Feet

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### Sign Exterior and Interior Correspondences

Sign	Exterior	Interior	Function
Ari	Head	Brain	Ideation
Tau	Neck	Throat	Perpetuation
Gem	Shoulders Upper Arms	Lungs	Correlation
Can	Chest Elbows	Breasts Stomach	Assimilation
Leo	Upper Back Forearms Wrists	Spine Heart	Individualization
Vir	Abdomen Hands	Intestines Digestion	Ramification
Lib	Lower Back	Kidneys	Harmonization
Sco	Pelvis	Reproductive System	Elimination
Sag	Hips Thighs	Sacral Region	Inspiration
Cap	Knees	Bones	Perfection
Aqu	Lower Legs Ankles	Circulation	Distribution
Pis	Feet	Liver Lymphatics	Dissolution

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### Signs and Detailed Physiology

Ari (1st) (Mar)	Head, skull, face (eruptions), eyes, cerebrum, brain tissue, cerebral nervous system, consciousness, aggression, and arousal (Reflexes to Lib (7th) (Ven))
Tau (2nd) (Ven)	Upper respiratory, cerebellum, lower jaw, throat, tonsils, voice (pharynx and vocal cords), ears (Eustachian tubes and middle ear), thyroid (heart through the thyroid centre), and neck (Reflexes to Sco (8th) (Mar/Plu))
Gem (3rd) (Mer)	Middle respiratory, breathing, bronchial tubes, lungs, all body tubes, nerves (nervous disorders), chest, shoulders, arms, hands, fingers. Fibres and filaments. Thymus gland? and Capillaries? (Reflexes to Sag (9th) (Jup))
Can (4th) (Moo)	Lower respiratory, pleura, all mucous and serous membranes, saliva and chyme (the semifluid mass of partly digested food expelled by the stomach)

into the duodenum), digestive organs, stomach (digestive juices), breasts (breast milk). Glycogen storage in the liver? (Davidson also suggests eyeballs, bone marrow (red blood cell problems), cheeks, ovaries, and posterior pituitary gland and its hormones)?  
(Reflexes to Cap (10th) (Sat))

Leo (5th) (Sun)	Heart, large blood vessels, circulatory system (blood pressure), back, spine, immune system, eyes (retina). (Reflexes to Aqu (11th) (Sat/Ura))
Vir (6th) (Mer)	Sympathetic nervous system (nervous disorders), solar plexus, diaphragm (breathing), liver (filtering function of the liver), digestive enzymes, spleen, gall-bladder, pancreas, duodenum, and intestines (small) (Reflexes to Pis (12th) (Jup/Nep))
Lib (7th) (Ven)	Kidneys (maintenance of electrolyte balance through kidney filtration), regulates body temperature (and other homeostatic mechanisms), and lumbar region. Balance of body fluids (Reflexes to Ari (1st) (Mar))
Sco (8th) (Mar/Plu)	Colon (and all eliminative body channels, including nose, sweat glands, and defecation), uterus, genitals (procreative system arousal, fertilisation, to birth), the urinary system from the kidney pelvis to the urethra, including the ureters and the bladder), prostate, groins, rectum, excretory organs, endocrines (adrenal glands, ovaries, testicles), and lower back (Reflexes to Tau (2nd) (Ven))
Sag (9th) (Jup)	Hips, thighs, blood vessels, locomotion and the lower spinal cord, lumbar region, muscles, muscular system, peritoneum, bladder muscle, ability of the eye to focus, and left cerebral hemisphere (Reflexes to Gem (3rd) (Mer))
Cap (10th) (Sat)	Knees, joints, bones (the dense structures of the body), skin, mucous membranes, cell tissues, anterior pituitary gland (regulatory functions), gall-bladder, calcium metabolism, and anti-peristaltic movement (Reflexes to Can (4th) (Moo))
Aqu (11th) (Sat/Ura)	Calves, shins, ankles, blood circulation, corticospinal tract (a collection of axons that travel between the cerebral cortex of the brain and the spinal cord), and cellular oxidation (cellular respiration) (Reflexes to Leo (5th) (Sun))
Pis (12th) (Ju/Ne)	Feet (reflex zone therapy), calcaneus (heel bone), toes, fibres, tendons, lymph and lymphatics, production of mucus and phlegm, synovia (joint fluid). Hospitals and institutions. Auto immune system? And Allergies? (Reflexes to Vir (6th) (Mer))

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### Signs and Traditional Careers

Sign	Traditional Career
Ari	Engineering, politics, the armed forces, and work requiring enterprise and initiative
Tau	Farming, building, architecture, finance, banking, music; and occupations involving set routine
Gem	Transport, communications, journalism, agencies, teaching, publishing, printing, advertising, secretarial or clerical work; and occupations involving travel and familiarity with a number of different environments

Can	Commerce, catering, shop keeping, hotel business, cookery, plumbing, laundry work, nursing, market gardening; and occupations connected with the sea, liquids, with catering for public tastes or supplying domestic needs
Leo	Public entertainment, performing art, stockbroking, company promoting, jewellery or cosmetics; and occupations giving scope for creative work organizing ability or self-exploitation
Vir	Clerical or secretarial work, editing, teaching, chemistry, photography, nursing, medicine, physical culture, horticulture, grocery, food supplies, public hygiene, tailoring, haberdashery; and occupations demanding technical or analytical skill or affording opportunities for service or patient application to detail, often in a subordinate capacity
Lib	Art, politics, the Law, salesmanship, brokers, agents, fancy goods; and occupations involving partnership and the adjusting of human relationships
Sco	The armed forces, police, surgery, banking, mining, undertaking, the meat trade, refrigeration, scientific research, brewing, work underground or connected with the sea, liquids or sanitation; and work demanding determined effort and intense concentration
Sag	Publicity, communications, the Law, the Church, lecturing, philosophy, travel and exploring, importing, foreign agencies; and work where foresight and willingness to take a chance are assets
Cap	Public administration, government service, politics; and work calling for organising ability, integrity and perseverance
Aqu	Work in public corporations, civil service, electricity, lecturing, water distribution; and occupations allowing scope for inventiveness and the detached application of special rules and formulae.
Pis	Nursing, medicine, work in hospitals, prisons, asylums, or connected with large animals, movies, footwear, alcohol, the sea cloth and woollen goods, oil

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### Sign Reference

#### Aries - The Ram

<b>Aspiration</b>	Leadership, an objective attitude that expresses urgency, associated with a need to project actively into life
<b>Awareness</b>	Individuality (egotism), independence (rebelliousness)
<b>Endowment</b>	Crusading, ability to grasp essentials
<b>Attributes</b>	Inspirational, spontaneous, impulsive (reckless), assertive (aggressive), straightforward (naive), sporting, extravert, self-expressive, energetic, enterprising
<b>Shortcoming</b>	Moderation, tolerance, patience, forethought, humility

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#### Taurus - The Bull

<b>Aspiration</b>	Security, a productive enduring attitude, associated with a need for organic relatedness, and security on all levels of existence
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<b>Awareness</b>	Values (Possessiveness)
<b>Endowment</b>	Ability to build, establish, stabilize, sustain, endure
<b>Attributes</b>	Conservative (reactionary), determined (obstinate), patient (stolid), placid (lethargic), deliberate (unimaginative), restrained (self-repressed) passive and intense, practical, steadfast (introverted)
<b>Shortcoming</b>	Enterprise, adaptability, vision

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### **Gemini - The Twins**

<b>Aspiration</b>	Establishment of relationships, an adaptive attitude expressing variableness, associated with a need to adjust to the environment and to communicate with others
<b>Awareness</b>	Awareness
<b>Endowment</b>	Communication, imitative, improvisation, inventive, able to reason and to learn
<b>Attributes</b>	Adaptable (unstable), variable, alert (impatient), mentally active, experimental (restless), inquisitive (suggestible), gay (superficial), inconsistent, diffuse, self-expressive, spontaneous
<b>Shortcoming</b>	Concentration, power to listen, relax, and organize, sympathy

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### **Cancer - The Crab**

<b>Aspiration</b>	Emotional unfolding, a defensive attitude expressing sensitivity, associated with a need to protect and to nourish
<b>Awareness</b>	Attachment (clannish, romanticize past)
<b>Endowment</b>	Nurturing, protective, receptive, impressionable, economizing, publicizes
<b>Attributes</b>	Cautious (timid), emotional (moody, self-pitying), gregarious, parental (exacting), shrewd (niggling), tenacious, sensitive (touchy), intuitive, passive, self-repressive (introverted)
<b>Shortcoming</b>	Logic, emotional stability, healthy imagination

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### **Leo - The Lion**

<b>Aspiration</b>	Creative self-expression, a powerful attitude expressing impressiveness, associated with a need for authority
<b>Awareness</b>	Dignity (vain, imperious [overbearing])
<b>Endowment</b>	Dramatizes, radiates, enjoys, inspire faith, vivifies [enlivens], organizes



**Attributes** Ardent [eager] (exuberant), energetic, assertive, intenseness, steadfastness, magnanimous (demanding), pleasure-loving (indolent), hospitable, flamboyant (theatrical), (predatory), spontaneous, self-expression

**Shortcoming** Humility, thrift, altruism [unselfishness], attention to detail

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### **Virgo - The Virgin**

**Aspiration** Perfection, self-dedication, an analytical attitude expressing criticalness, associated with a need for efficiency and perfection

**Awareness** Service, craftsmanship, discrimination

**Endowment** Analyse, criticize, assimilate, discriminate, sublimate passions, adapt

**Attributes** Practical, modest (self-conscious, puritanical), sceptical, systematic, impartial (unenthusiastic), conscientious (finicky), analytical, self-repressive, passive, restrained, adaptable and variable (introverted)

**Shortcoming** Breadth of vision, tolerance, imagination, optimism

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### **Libra - The Scales**

**Aspiration** Harmony, an attitude of relatedness expressing harmony, associated with a need for unity with all things

**Awareness** Beauty, justice, idealism

**Endowment** Negotiate, ability to compare and adjust

**Attributes** Diplomatic (insincere), helpful (interfering), friendly (dependent), self-expressive, communicative, susceptible (wavering, easily influenced), (lazy, procrastination), mental activity, enterprising, spontaneous, extroverted

**Shortcoming** Firmness, decisiveness, consistency

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### **Scorpio - The Eagle/Scorpion**

**Aspiration** Power, a penetrating attitude expressing intenseness, associated with a need to identify with the source of all being

**Awareness** Self-control (repression)

**Endowment** Probe, eliminate, destroy, re-generate

**Attributes** Incisive (ruthless), intense (fanatical), steadfastness, strong willed, reserved (secretive, suspicious, resentful), self-repressive, thorough, passionate (sensual), possessive (jealous), courageous, emotional, intuitive, introverted

**Shortcoming** Forgiveness, right direction of aspiration and energy, domination

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### **Sagittarius - The Centaur with a Bow and Arrow**

<b>Aspiration</b>	Wisdom, freedom, an extensive attitude expressing freedom, associated with a need to explore beyond the known environment
<b>Awareness</b>	Perspective
<b>Endowment</b>	Explore, propagate, react quickly, prophesy, establish connections, converse
<b>Attributes</b>	Honest (blunt, transparent), spontaneous, impulsive (flighty), self-expressive, extroverted, energetic, speculative (careless), optimistic (improvident, over-confident), assertive, adaptable, jovial (boisterous), versatile (dabbling), alert (superficial)
<b>Shortcoming</b>	Restraint, sincerity, fixity of purpose, thought for others

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### **Capricorn - The Goat**

<b>Aspiration</b>	Integrity, government, a rational attitude expressing prudence, associated with a need to conform to disciplined behaviour
<b>Awareness</b>	Reverence, duty
<b>Endowment</b>	Utilize, conserve, crystallize, persevere, concentrate, climb, organize
<b>Attributes</b>	Fatherly (austere, severe), just (scrupulous), cautious (suspicious), practical, restrained, self-repressive (introverted), economical (mean, miserly), enterprising, ambitious (snobbish, time-serving), dependable, self-absorbed (morbid), passive, practical (uninspired)
<b>Shortcoming</b>	Sociability, buoyancy, effective self-expression

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### **Aquarius - The Water-Carrier**

<b>Aspiration</b>	Truth, knowledge, a detached attitude expressing unconventionality, associated with the need to identify with the progressive aims of existence
<b>Awareness</b>	First principles, altruism [unselfishness]
<b>Endowment</b>	Investigative, able to coordinate, synthesize, plan, reform
<b>Attributes</b>	Intellectual (doctrinaire), detached (remote), self-expressive, communicative, scientific (agnostic), mental activity, humanitarian, unconventional (perverse, incalculable), individualistic (anarchical), spontaneous, intensity, extroverted, steadfastness, expectant
<b>Shortcoming</b>	Warmth, human touch, practical ability

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## **Pisces - The Fishes**

<b>Aspiration</b>	Understanding, a nebulous attitude expressing impressionableness, associated with the need to transcend the material
<b>Awareness</b>	Sympathy
<b>Endowment</b>	Believe, ability to permeate and renounce, sacrifice self, receive impressions
<b>Attributes</b>	Easy going (lazy), self-repressive, passive, plastic (unstable), imaginative, poetic (unworldly, chaotic), intuitive, emotional, suggestible (hypochondriac), variable, emotional (self-pitying, introverted), adaptable
<b>Shortcoming</b>	Determination, concentration, avoidance of stimulants

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## --- THE HOUSES ---

### House Rulers

House	Ruler	Co-Ruler
1st	Mars	n/a
2nd	Venus	n/a
3rd	Mercury	n/a
4th	Moon	n/a
5th	Sun	n/a
6th	Mercury	n/a
7th	Venus	n/a
8th	Mars	Pluto
9th	Jupiter	n/a
10th	Saturn	n/a
11th	Saturn	Uranus
12th	Jupiter	Neptune

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### House Expression (Angular, Succedent, and Cadent)

Focus	Expression
<b>Angular</b> (1, 4, 7, and 10)	These houses bring the initiation of new ideas, plans and projects. Planets are <b>assertive</b> in these houses
<b>Succedent</b> (2, 5, 8, and 11)	These houses bring the stability necessary for the implementation of the angular seedbed. Planets are <b>stable</b> in these houses
<b>Cadent</b> (3, 6, 9, and 12)	These houses bring the completion of processes, and are ready for a new beginning. Planets are <b>unstable</b> in these houses

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### House Overview

1st (I am)	Personality
2nd (I gain)	Money, possession, and business
3rd (I communicate)	Mind, lower education, and short travel
4th (I settle)	Family, home, and property
5th (I love and create)	Pleasure, love, luck and speculation
6th (I serve)	Service, and health
7th (I marry)	Partnership, and marriage
8th (I transform)	Life cycle, death, occult, and legacy
9th (I travel)	Distant travel, law, church, high education, and publishing
10th (I succeed)	Ambition, career, status, recognition, and honour

11th (I integrate)            Group identification, friends, and politics

12th (I dream and project)      Spirit, trouble, and ill health

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### **The Houses**

The Houses symbolize the fields of experience wherein specific energies will be most easily expressed and most directly encountered:

#### **House            General Expression**

- 1st      Self-centred Interests
- 2nd      Possessions and Personal Security
- 3rd      Relationship of Self to the Environment
- 4th      Self, Possessions, and Intimate Relatives as Basis For New Growth
- 5th      Re-creation and Exposition of Self
- 6th      Conformity and Service to the Community, Conditioned By Health and Efficiency
- 7th      Identification and Unity of Self with Others at Personal Level
- 8th      Self-sacrifice and Shared Resources with Others
- 9th      Projection of Self to New Horizons
- 10th     Social Status, In Terms of Material Responsibilities and Necessity
- 11th     Identification of Self with Group-objectives
- 12th     Self-abnegation in Service, or Self-disintegration, Esoteric, Escapism, Confinement

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#### **House            Personal Expression**

- 1st      I Am - Personality
- 2nd      I Gain - Money, Possession, and Business
- 3rd      I Communicate - Mind, Lower Education, and Short Travel
- 4th      I Settle - Family, Home, and Property
- 5th      I Love and Create - Pleasure, Love, Luck, and Speculation
- 6th      I Serve - Service, and Health
- 7th      I Marry - Partnership, and Marriage
- 8th      I Transform - Life Cycle, Death, Occult, and Legacy
- 9th      I Travel - Distant Travel, Law, Church, High Education, and Publishing
- 10th     I Succeed - Ambition, Career, Status, Recognition, and Honour
- 11th     I Integrate - Group Identification, Friends, and Politics
- 12th     I Dream and Project - Spirit, Trouble, Ill-Health

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### **House Reference**

#### **1st House (ari - mar - ang)**

(I am - personality house)

1st personality and personal interests

7th sharing of interests, and learning from others

Self-centred interests and matters, personality, individuality, self-assertion, body appearance, one's personal outlook on life

People - self

Body - head as a whole

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## **2nd House (Tau - Ven - Suc)**

(I gain - money, possession, and business house)

2nd holding on and building stability

8th letting go, taking risks, and allowing change

Possessions, and personal security, money, finance, and wealth, personal uniqueness, power, and resourcefulness, acquisition and business (as in the creating of money etc.), values, the individual's self worth

People - financial people

Body - throat and neck

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## **3rd House (Gem - Mer - Cad)**

(I communicate - mind, lower education, and short travel house)

3rd acquisition of facts and information

9th the wisdom to properly use acquired information

Reveals the nature of the mind, the style and manner of communication, the lower levels of education, school and basic education, all types, and instruments of communication, letter writing, and other correspondence, transport, short journeys, the immediate environment

People - near relatives, siblings (brothers and sisters) casual acquaintances, and neighbours

Body - chest, lungs, nerves, shoulders, hands, and fingers

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## **4th House (Can - Moo - Ang)**

(i settle - home, and property house)

4th building of personal foundations

10th building of public foundations

Home and family background, security, property (owned or rented), establishing a home, roots, and a positive identity, establishing a "secure home" (a place to contain and protect that which belongs to one's self), reveals the needs which domestic life is called upon to satisfy, and the conditioning which caused them

People - the family, parents (especially father) and ancestors

Body - chest breasts, digestion, and stomach

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## **5th House (Leo - Sun - Suc)**

(I love and create - pleasure, love, and speculation house)

5th personal creativity

11th public cooperation and awareness

The desire to create, the manifestation of creativity, displaying power, and prowess, the need to leave a mark on the world, art, leisure, and pleasure, love, love making, and romance, new attempts, sports, speculation, risky ventures, and gambling, all forms of entertainment

People - children

Body - heart, back, and spine

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#### **6th House (Vir - Mer - Cad)**

(I serve - service, and health house)

6th practical service and self-sacrifice

12th spiritual service and self-sacrifice

The need to conform to, function within, and give service to the community, formulation of a disciplined pattern of "wholesomeness" for one's personal life, health, work, and efficiency, indications of general health, service to others (community), conformity to the community (group think norm)

People - other people (community) medical personnel, co-workers and employees

Body - abdomen, intestines, and digestion

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#### **7th House (Lib - Ven - Ang)**

(I marry - partnership, and marriage house)

7th sharing of interests, and learning from others

1st personality and personal interests

The desire for partnership, and balance through partnership, marriage, cohabitation, and close emotional partnerships, close working partnerships (business etc.), and can also indicate a suitable partner type

People - relationships and partners

Body - kidneys and lumbar

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#### **8th House (Sco - Mar/Plu - Suc)**

(I transform - life cycle, death, occult, and legacy house)

8th letting go, taking risks, and allowing change

2nd holding on and building stability

The process from birth to death, the process of sex, conception and birth, death, transformation, profound (often spiritual) changes in life, reborn Christians, reincarnation and rebirth, the occult, true spiritual conversion (however, not to any orthodox faith), shared possessions, other people's money (legacies, investments, business affairs, etc.), power struggles

People - babies, midwives, and "spiritual" persons

Body - colon, sex organs, lower back, bladder, and rectum

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#### **9th House (Sag - Jup - Cad)**

(I travel - law, church, high education, and publishing house)

9th the wisdom to properly use acquired information

3rd acquisition of facts and information

Projection of self to new horizons, the law, and legalities, the church, religion, dogma, and beliefs, philosophy, higher education, and intellectual affairs, the mind (deep and extensive mental studies), wisdom, publishing, long distance travel (mind, body, and spirit), the distant environment, foreign countries, and foreign travel

People - in laws (persons not of one's own blood stock), legal and foreign persons

Body - hips, and thighs

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### **10th House (Cap - Sat - Ang)**

(i succeed - ambition, career, status, and honour house)

10th building of public foundations

4th building of personal foundations

Ego, ambition, success, reputation, and career, achieving an identity in the community, the achieving of public status, and social standing, establishing one's self usefully (especially in the community), success through a career or vocation

People - parents (especially mother) and employer

Body - skin, bones, and knees

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### **11th House (Aqu - Sat/Ura - Suc)**

(i integrate - group id, friends, and politics house)

11th public cooperation and awareness

5th personal creativity

Identification of self with group (e.g., community etc.) objectives, acquaintances, and friendships without the need for personal ties, group, community, and social life, personal hopes and wishes, political activity, interests in clubs and societies, communal cooperative and creative interests, human fellowship

People - friends, acquaintances, and politicians

Body - circulation, legs, calves, and ankles

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### **12th House (Pis - Jup/Nep - Cad)**

(i dream and project - spirit, trouble, ill health house)

12th spiritual service and self-sacrifice

6th practical service and self-sacrifice

Spiritual service to others, self-abnegation in service, profound service to mankind, self-disintegration, escapism, isolation, and confinement, dreams, and the unconscious mind, the need for privacy, and seclusion (prisons, hospitals, and monasteries), hidden or secret affairs, hidden or secret problems, hidden or secret opponents, hidden or secret enemies (including disease), troubles, chronic illness, and loss, cycle endings, prior to re birth in the 1st house, embodies all the lessons of the other houses, good and bad

People - secret relationships, opponents, and enemies

Body - feet

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### **House Transits**

**Manifestation**

**House**



Accidents	5th, 8th, 6th
Black magic	9th
Business	10th, 2nd
Career	10th, 2nd
Communication	3rd
Conflict	8th, 12th
Death	8th
Education primary	3rd
Education secondary	3rd
Education tertiary	9th
Esoteric	12th
Family	4th
Finance	2nd, 10th
Friends	4th
Groups	11th
Health	6th
Love	5th
Luck	5th
Marriage	7th, 5th
Mind	3rd
Money	2nd, 5th, 10th
Partnerships	7th, 10th
Possessions	2nd
Psychism	12th, 9th
Romance	5th, 7th
Self	1st
Speculation	5th
Transformation	8th
Travel (foreign)	9th
Travel (local)	3rd
Troubles	12th
Witchcraft	9th

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### **Houses and Life Time Astrology**

#### **Gestation (9th to 12 Houses)**

9th	Conception to 7wk	240-270	Mother's self-realization
10th	7wk to 12wk	270-300	Recognition of conception
11th	12wk to 22wk	300-330	Idealism and planning
12th	22wk to Birth	330-360	Isolation and sacrifice

#### **Childhood (1st to 4th Houses)**

1st	Birth to 7mth	0-30	Personality and self-assertion
2nd	7mth to 1yr 8mth	30-60	Physical sensory reality
3rd	1yr 8mth to 3yr 6mth	60-90	Mobility and communication
4th	3yr 6mth to 7yr	90-120	Home and family emotional system

#### **Maturity (5th to 8th Houses)**

5th	7yr to 13yr	120-150	Self-consciousness and education
6th	13yr to 23yr 5mth	150-180	Discrimination and health
7th	23yr 5mth to 42yr	180-210	Partnership and world affairs

8th	42yr to Death	210-240	Separation, Metaphysics, Death
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## -- THE ASPECTS --

### Orb Definition

The aspects symbolize the dynamism and intensity of experience, as well as how the symbolized energies within the individual interact.

Orb                      An allowance of so many degrees either side of an exact aspect.

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### Aspect Lines

Asp	Name	Line
Cjn	Conjunction	None
Ssx	Semi-Sextile	Dotted Black
Ssq	Semi-Square	Dotted Black
Sxt	Sextile	Solid Red
Sqr	Square	Solid Black
Tri	Trine	Solid Red
Ses	Sesquiquadrate	Dotted Black
Inc	Quincunx	Dotted Black
Opp	Opposition	Solid Black

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### Natal Aspects

Asp	Deg	Range	Name	Orb	Strength
Cjn	0	0-8	Conjunction	8	Neutral/Powerful
Ssx	30	28-32	Semi-Sextile	2	Harmon/Slight
Ssq	45	43-47	Semi-Square	2	Tense/Slight
Sxt	60	56-64	Sextile	4	Harmon/Moderate
Sqr	90	82-98	Square	8	Tense/Powerful
Tri	120	112-128	Trine	8	Harmon/Powerful
Ses	135	133-137	Sesquiquadrate	2	Tense/Slight
Inc	150	148-152	Quincunx	2	Tense/Slight
Opp	180	172-188	Opposition	8	Tense/Powerful

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### Synastry/Transit Aspects

Asp	Deg	Range	Name	Orb	Strength
Cjn	0	0-8	Conjunction	3	Neutral/Powerful
Ssx	30	28-32	Semi-Sextile	3	Harmon/Slight
Ssq	45	43-47	Semi-Square	3	Tense/Slight
Sxt	60	56-64	Sextile	3	Harmon/Moderate
Sqr	90	82-98	Square	3	Tense/Powerful
Tri	120	112-128	Trine	3	Harmon/Powerful

Ses	135	133-137	Sesquiquadrate	3	Tense/Slight
Inc	150	148-152	Quincunx	3	Tense/Slight
Opp	180	172-188	Opposition	3	Tense/Powerful

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#### Other Orbs (generally not used)

Ssx	Semi-Sextile	(30 Deg)
Biq	Bi-Quintile	(36 Deg)
Ssq	Semi-Square	(45 Deg)
Sep	Septile	(51.5 Deg)
Qui	Quintile	(72 Deg)
Ses	Sesquiquadrate	(135 Deg)
Qnx	Quincunx	(150 Deg)
Inc	Inconjunction	(150 Deg)

Note: "Quincunx" and "Inconjunction" are synonymous.

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#### Aspect Definitions

<b>Conjunction</b>	A powerful focal point, giving strong emphasis to the characteristics of the planets and signs involved
<b>Opposition</b>	Indicative of tension and places the planets in conflict with each other, producing difficulties, but increasing the range of possibilities open to the individual
<b>Trine</b>	Indicative of inner harmony and ease of expression if the positive characteristics of both planets and signs are equally developed and exercised
<b>Sextile</b>	A harmonious aspect, but less powerful than the trine
<b>Square</b>	Indicative of frustration, disruption, inner conflict; but a source of energy for someone determined to overcome. Less powerful than opposition, and creates friction between planets

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#### Special Aspect Patterns

**"T" square** Two planets in opposition are both in square to a third planet. This brings tension and sharp, pressing problems, the result of which may be great energy, and consequently a better than average chance of success throughout life.

When interpreting a "T" square all the factors involved planets, signs and houses must be taken separately and then built up into a picture of the choices, difficulties and solutions which each planet suggests.

When the "T" square is in:

Cardinal signs                      there is exceptional dynamism and energy.

Fixed signs                          people may be excessively stubborn, fighting personal battles to the bitter end.

Mutable signs	they may try to solve, or even avoid, the problems associated with the "T" square by being flexible and adaptable.
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**Grand cross** The grand cross consists of four planets connected by four Squares and two oppositions. In effect this consists of four "T" squares and, although the process of interpretation is essentially the same as that for a "T" square, the complexity and possibilities are considerably more varied. This pattern is not necessarily more dynamic than the "T" square.

When the grand cross is in:

Cardinal signs	problems and difficulties are more likely to result in energetic and assertive behaviour
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Fixed signs	people may hang on to their problems and be exceptionally stubborn and resistant to change
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Mutable signs	they may be very adaptable but may also exacerbate their problems by evading them
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**Grand trine** Three planets are connected by three trines to form a triangle, the grand trine, around which the planetary influences circulate with ease. This brings a wealth of natural talent Indicated by the signs and houses containing the planets, but may require tense aspects to provide the motivation for its expression.

When the grand trine is in:

Fire signs	talents lie in enthusiasm, and the search for new possibilities
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Earth signs	talents lie in practical work and experience
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Air signs	talents lie in intellectual work and the communication of ideas
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Water signs	talents are rooted in sympathy, compassion and Intuition
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**Yod/finger of fate** Also known as the Finger of God, Yod is the name given to two planets in opposition connected to two other planets, one by semi-sextiles and the other by quincunxes. Its interpretation is dependent upon the planets and positions involved.

**Mystic rectangle** The mystic rectangle consists of four planets connected in a rectangle of two squares and two trines, together with two oppositions connecting the opposite planets. Despite the name there is nothing mystical about this pattern. The combination of tense and harmonious aspects produces the best possible potential for the constructive use of natural talents.

**Kite** The person with a kite pattern may be a "high flyer". All Three planets in a grand trine are connected to a fourth Planet, one by an opposition and the other two by sextiles. This is a useful combination of tense and harmonious aspects In which the two planets connected by trines and sextiles provide outlets for the tension of the opposition.

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### Unaspected Planets

Unaspected planets have the following interpretation:

Sun Unaspected	These individuals may have at poor sense of self-identity, but may appear to be very egotistical
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Moo Unaspected	These individuals may feel out of touch with their home, family, emotions and roots, but make strenuous efforts to overcome the problem
Mer Unaspected	These individuals may find it difficult to express their thoughts, may be quiet, but strive actively to develop intellectual skills
Ven Unaspected	These individuals may find it difficult to form close relationships, but may make great efforts to be sociable
Mar Unaspected	These individuals may find it difficult to motivate themselves but may have uncontrollable energy
Jup Unaspected	These individuals may have difficulty in creating opportunities, but spend a lot of energy looking for them
Sat Unaspected	These individuals may find it difficult to recognize limitations and cope with difficulties, but may develop strong self-discipline
Ura Unaspected	These individuals may have difficulty in expressing their personality, either neglecting or exaggerating it
Nep Unaspected	These individuals may have difficulty in giving expression to their imagination and mystical aspirations, but become very dedicated to artistic work or religious activity
Plu Unaspected	These individuals may find it difficult to harness emotional energy, and may seek emotional commitment and confrontation

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### **Aspect Interpretation Key Words**

#### **Sun Aspects**

Sun-Asc	(Self/Personality) - personal growth, and identity to personality
Sun-Mid	(Self/Ego) - personal growth and identity to ego
Sun-Sun	(Self/Self) - dynamic personal growth
Sun-Moo	(Self/Disposition) - emotional and instinctive personal growth
Sun-Mer	(Self/Mentality) - communication, mental, and nervous personal growth
Sun-Ven	(Self/Affection) - feeling, relational, and creative personal growth
Sun-Mar	(Self/Action) - drive, passion, and assertive personal growth
Sun-Jup	(Self/Expansion) - expansive, generous, and self-expressive personal growth
Sun-Sat	(Self/Restriction) - restricted, and self-disciplined personal growth
Sun-Ura	(Self/Change) - drastic change, deviation from the norm personal growth
Sun-Nep	(Self/Refining) - sensitive, psychic, refining, and subtle personal growth
Sun-Plu(	(Self/Transformation) - death, and regenerative personal growth

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### **Moo Aspects**

Moo-Asc	(Disposition/Personality) - emotional and sensitive personality reactions
Moo-Mid	(Disposition/Ego) - emotional and sensitive ego reactions
Moo-Moo	(Disposition/Disposition) - sensitive and emotional reactions
Moo-Mer	(Disposition/Mentality) - emotional sensitive, communication, mental, and nervous reactions
Moo-Ven	(Disposition/Affection) - emotional feeling, relationship, and creative reactions
Moo-Mar	(Disposition/Action) - emotional energy, drive, and passionate reactions
Moo-Jup	(Disposition/Expansion) - expansive, emotional reactions
Moo-Sat	(Disposition/Restriction) - disciplined, and inhibited emotional reactions
Moo-Ura	(Disposition/Change) - originality, change, restless, and deviant emotional reactions
Moo-Nep	(Disposition/Refining) - subtle, psychic, and sensitive emotional reactions
Moo-Plu	(Disposition/Transformation) - emotional change, and upheaval reactions

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### **Mercury Aspects**

Mer-Asc	(Mentality/Personality) - communication, mental, nervous personality reactions
Mer-Mid	(Mentality/Ego) - communication, mental, nervous ego reactions
Mer-Mer	(Mentality/Mentality) - mental, nervous, and communication reactions
Mer-Ven	(Mentality/Affection) - feeling, relationship, creative, communication, mental, and nervous reactions
Mer-Mar	(Mentality/Action) - mental and nervous reactions, stimulated by emotion and passion communication
Mer-Jup	(Mentality/Expansion) - expansive communication, mental, and nervous reactions
Mer-Sat(	(Mentality/Restriction) - disciplined communication, mental, and nervous reactions
Mer-Ura	(Mentality/Change) - original and disruptive communication, mental, and nervous reactions
Mer-Nep	(Mentality/Refining) - subtlety and refining of communication, mental, and nervous aspects
Mer-Plu	(Mentality/Transformation) - change, upheaval, explosive communication, mental and nervous reactions

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Ven-Asc	(Affection/Personality) - affectionate, friendly, artistic, personality nature
Ven-Mid	(Affection/Ego) - affectionate, friendly, artistic ego nature

Ven-Ven	(Affection/Affection) - feeling reactions
Ven-Mar	(Affection/Action) - active, impulsive, passionate, sensual feeling reactions
Ven-Jup	(Affection/Expansion) - generous, ardent affections, expansive feeling reactions
Ven-Sat	(Affection/Restriction) - limited or disciplined feelings, cool affection reactions
Ven-Ura	(Affection/Change) - abnormal, deviant, unusual, unconventional, very excitable feeling reactions
Ven-Nep	(Affection/Refining) - refined, delicate, self-deceptive, idealistic feeling reactions
Ven-Plu(	(Affection/Transformation) - disturbing, obsessional, neurotic feeling reactions

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### **Mars Aspects**

Mar-Asc	(Action/Personality) - active, passionate, energetic personality drive
Mar-Mid	(Action/Ego) - active, passionate, energetic, ego drive
Mar-Mar	(Action/Action) - active drive reactions
Mar-Jup	(Action/Expansion) - expansive, active drive reactions
Mar-Sat(	(Action/Restriction) - disciplined, limited drive reactions
Mar-Ura	(Action/Change) - rebellious, enterprising drive, deviating from the norm reactions
Mar-Nep	(Action/Refining) - energetic, sensitive, refining drive reactions
Mar-Plu(	(Action/Transformation) - transformative, constructive drive reactions

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### **Jupiter Aspects**

Jup-Asc	(Expansion/Personality) - generous, personality attitude
Jup-Mid(	(Expansion/Ego) - generous, ego attitude
Jup-Jup(	(Expansion/Expansion) - expansion and growth reactions
Jup-Sat	(Expansion/Restriction) - expansion through restriction, conforming, disciplined behaviour reactions
Jup-Ura	(Expansion/Change) - expansion through deviation from the norm, in thought and idea reactions
Jup-Nep	(Expansion/Refining) - expansion through refined, creative, intuitive perceptive reactions
Jup-Plu	(Expansion/Transformation) - expansion through new beginnings from existing "worn out" condition reactions

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### **Saturn Aspects**

Sat-Asc	(Restriction/Personality) - restriction developing a limited, cautious, practical personality attitude
Sat-Mid (	(Restriction/Ego) - restriction developing a limited, cautious, practical ego attitude
Sat-Sat (	(Restricted and disciplined reactions
Sat-Ura	(Restriction/Change) - restriction develops ambition, determines self-will, and develops practical change reactions
Sat-Nep	(Restriction/Refining) - restriction develops idealism, refines creative impulses, giving form and practical purpose
Sat-Plu	(Restriction/Transformation) - restriction, with resultant eruptive or violent behaviour reactions

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### **Uranus Aspects**

Ura-Asc	(Change/Personality) - deviance develops original, unusual, independent personality attitude
Ura-Mid(	(Change/Ego) - deviance develops original, unusual, independent ego attitude
Ura-Ura(	(Change/Change) - drastic change reactions
Ura-Nep	(Change/Refining) - deviance in imaginative, creative, subtle, intuitive faculties
Ura-Plu	(Change/Transformation) - deviance in dynamic creativeness, or violent destructiveness

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### **Neptune Aspects**

Nep-Asc	(Refining/Personality) - artistic, out of the ordinary personality attitude
Nep-Mid	(Refining/Ego) - artistic, out of the ordinary ego attitude
Nep-Nep	(Refining/Refining) - drastic refining reactions
Nep-Plu	(Refining/Transformation) - development of new spiritual, subtle, awareness, and evolution

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### **Pluto Aspects**

Plu-Asc (	(Transformation/Personality) - period of transformation and personality upheaval
Plu-Mid (	(Transformation/Ego) - period of transformation and ego upheaval
Plu-Plu (	(Transformation/Transformation) - drastic transformation influences and reactions

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## Aspect Detailed Reference

### Sun Aspects

Sun-Sun	Emphasises the characteristics of the sign that the planet occupies
Sun-Asc	Emphasises the characteristics of the Ascendant sign
Sun-Mid	Emphasises the characteristics of the Midheaven sign
Sun-Moo	Drive, assurance, vitality (low vitality), popularity (unpopular), absence of inner conflict, success (one-sided, self-centred, opinionated, disjointed, lacks perspective), (nervy, irresolute, lacks inner control), successful (inharmonious) marriage. Note The Moon in its first quarter suggests instinctive activity, in its second, a struggle towards fulfilment in its third, the beginning of a period of assimilation, in its last quarter, problems arising from efforts at realignment
Sun-Mer	(Never be more than 28 degrees apart) Intelligent (unreceptive), ingenious (lacks flexibility, complacent), studious, clear thinking (dogmatic), practical
Sun-Ven	(Never more than 49 degrees apart) Affectionate, sociable, popularity-seeking (affected, parasitic), artistic, refined (effeminate, lacking taste), pleasure-loving (over-indulgent), usually marries (amorous)
Sun-Mar	Power of command (over-assertive), enterprising, energetic (aggressive), courageous (reckless), blunt (quarrelsome), enthusiastic (impulsive, impatient, exaggerating, indignant), crusading (defiant, rebellious), much vitality (fever, accident, inflammation, overstrain), (few children), (trouble to father, husband), nearly always weds
Sun-Jup	Generous (over-expansive), benevolent, optimistic (over-hopeful, superstitious), frank, positive (complacent, conceited), responsible, good judgement (careless), love of luxury (parasitic), rise in life (hinders advancement), financial gain (loss), great vitality (sluggish circulation, need to be abstemious)
Sun-Sat	Sound, serious (pessimistic), reliable, conscientious, self-controlled, self-critical, honourable, patient, persistent (obstinate), methodical (unpractical), limited, conservative (over-cautious), self-conscious (shrinking, buries talent), ambitious (selfish, miserly, can amass wealth), (many hindrances, restrictions), older husband (women - delay in marriage, death of partner) few children, staying power (chills, poor recuperation)
Sun-Ura	Strong-willed, dynamic (highly-strung, uncontrollable), independent, progressive (revolutionary), original, inventive, inspirational, unconventional (novelty-seeking), resourceful, decisive, autocratic (tactless, cynical), dramatic sense (self-glorifying), sudden gains (losses), (trouble to father), lengthens life (accidents, nervous ailments), women - romantic attachments (separation, divorce)
Sun-Nep	Contemplative, intuitive, visionary, imaginative (vague worries), artistic, sensuous (self-indulgent), sensitive (excessive emotion), subtle (secretive, intriguing), humane, idealistic (utopian, irresponsible, unpractical, suggestible, gullible, unstable), speculative gains (tantalizing disappointments), (worry through father), (avoid drugs, alcohol)
Sun-Plu	Determined (dogmatic), daring (rash, violent), vigorous (quarrelsome), self-confident (boastful, presumptuous), pioneering, reformatory (inner struggles), liberty-loving, strong vitality (blood diseases), (father dies young)

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### **Moon Aspects**

Moo-Moo	Emphasises the characteristics of the sign that the planet occupies
Moo-Asc	Emphasises the characteristics of the Ascendant sign
Moo-Mid	Emphasises the characteristics of the Midheaven sign
Moo-Mer	Vivifies feelings. Intelligent, perceptive, good (poor) memory lively imagination (excitable), adaptable (wavering, irregular, changeable (restless), imitative, adroit (careless), easily educated, (danger of slander), clever (restless) wife, (worry affects health)
Moo-Ven	Harmonizes feelings. Gentle (pliable), kind, affectionate (amorous), cheerful, friendly (flirtatious), calm, talented (vain), elegant (slovenly), pleasure-loving (self-indulgent, prodigal), popular, help from (loss through) women, man - happy marriage (slovenly wife)
Moo-Mar	Energises feelings. Courageous (rash, impulsive), resolute (head-strong), energetic (precipitate), constructive (destructive), ardent (Passionate, jealous, vindictive), extravagant, assertive (contentious, resents opposition), robust (accidents, fevers), (accidents to mother, wilful wife)
Moo-Jup	Expands feelings. Sincere (hypocritical, self-deceived), generous (careless, extravagant), dignified (arrogant), just, joyous (exuberant, self-indulgent), successful, financial gain (loss), healthy (gout, liver, stomach, blood disorders)
Moo-Sat	Deepens feelings. Serious (hypercritical, sceptical), hypersensitive (feels unappreciated, inadequate), reserved (inhibited, apprehensive, discontented), practical (stupid), industrious, orthodox, careful (mean), patient, self-denying (negative, unresponsive), help from elders (hampers progress), (mother unsympathetic, dies young), older (slovenly) wife, (may deny marriage), few children, (indigestion, poor health)
Moo-Ura	Stimulates feelings. Highly imaginative, impressionable, intuitive, original (eccentric), magnetic, determined (wilful, touchy, abrupt, intolerant, rebellious, extremist), versatile, unusual interests, women flirtatious, domestic changes, unconventional attachments (unfaithful wife), (nerve strain, accidents)
Moo-Nep	Inflates feelings. Highly sensitive (retiring, moody), intuitive (negative), imaginative (superstitious), idealistic (dissatisfied, pining), illogical, sympathetic, devotional, altruistic, dreamy, artistic, poetical, musical, luxury-loving (sensuous, parasitic, perverted tastes), persuasive (tricky), easy going (lax), restless (vague, unreliable), strange experiences, inclines to travel, acting talent, (man - unstable marriage, invalid wife), (delicate health, hypochondriac)
Moo-Plu	Intensifies feelings. Imperturbable (deceptive), humorous irresponsible), imitative, freedom-loving, adventurous (extremist), perceptive, sentimental, (irritable), (inordinate desires), inclines to travel, (early death of mother, wife), (deep-seated functional disorders)

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### **Mercury Aspects**

Mer-Mer	Emphasises the characteristics of the sign that the planet occupies
Mer-Asc	Emphasises the characteristics of the Ascendant sign
Mer-Mid	Emphasises the characteristics of the Midheaven sign

Mer-Ven	(never more than 76 degrees apart) Harmonious intellect. Musical, artistic, appreciative, humorous, diplomatic, amiable (easy-going, pleasure-loving), often childless, helpful relatives, healthy nerves
Mer-Mar	Energetic intellect. Practical (materialistic), shrewd, resourceful, constructive, quick-witted (restless, hasty, irritable, excitable), forthright (inconsiderate, sarcastic), confident (exaggerating), argumentative (quarrelsome, vindictive), dexterous (careless), often childless, (troublesome relatives), (mental strain)
Mer-Jup	Expansive intellect. Philosophical, judicial (prejudiced), conventional, fertile mind (opinionated, exaggerating), hopeful (bluffing, thoughtless), easily educated, favours travel, helpful relatives, (legal troubles)
Mer-Sat	Deepens intellect. Sound, methodical, conscientious, cautious (suspicious), patient, persistent, painstaking (stodgy), sober (pessimistic), studious, logical, conservative (limited), reflective (peevish), organizing, (retiring), (sarcastic), (limited education), (difficult journeys), (handicapped children)
Mer-Ura	Stimulates intellect. Progressive (utopian), original, inventive, improvising (erratic, inconstant), alert (opportunistic), intuitive, witty (conceited, sarcastic), highly-strung (impatient), unconventional (eccentric, opinionated, wrong-headed, perverse), inclines to travel, (disputes)
Mer-Nep	Sensitizes intellect. Imaginative (dreamy), fine memory (absent-minded), versatile, subtle (cunning), artistic (unpractical), (morbid, exaltation and depression alternate), perceptive, metaphysical, restless (changeable), travel likely, (slander), (nervous exhaustion)
Mer-Plu	Intensifies intellect. Sharp (crafty), quick (opportunist), outspoken (bluffing, insolent), zealous (fanatical), critical (sceptical, quarrelsome), nimble, travel likely, (asthma, hay fever, nervous breakdown)

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### **Venus Aspects**

Ven-Ven	Emphasises the characteristics of the sign that the planet occupies
Ven-Asc	Emphasises the characteristics of the Ascendant sign
Ven-Mid	Emphasises the characteristics of the Midheaven sign
Ven-Mar	Stimulates affections. Loving (flirtatious), demonstrative, susceptible (inconstant), passionate, artistic, gay, pleasure-loving (dissipated), early marriage (unhappy affairs, separation, death of partner), affectionate (disappointing) children, (unhappy childhood)
Ven-Jup	Expands affections. Kindly, tolerant, generous (extravagant), virtuous (vain), well-balanced (excess of feeling), optimistic, pleasure-loving (self-indulgent, tasteless), financial gain, successful marriage, good health
Ven-Sat	Steadies affections. Loyal, sincere (limited affection), (easily rebuffed), modest, chaste (perverted), sound, tactful, economical, (self-seeking), steady gains (money scarce), late marriage or elderly partner (disappointing romances, separation, bereavement), (throat troubles)
Ven-Ura	Galvanizes affections. Gifted, intuitive, artistic, inspirational, hates routine (erratic), highly romantic (flirtatious, inconstant, jealous, perverted) early romance, hasty

marriage (irregular attachments, separation, divorce), many friends (estrangements), sudden gains (loss through women), (scandal)

Ven-Nep Refines affections. Inspirational, devoted, dreamy (lives in illusions, unattainable ideals), aesthetic appreciation, artistic talent, susceptible (over-sensitive, sensual, weak, self-indulgent), indolent, over-fastidious (insincere), easy money (fraud), much romance (faithless partner), (delicate constitution, little vitality)

Ven-Plu Intensifies affections. Impulsive, artistic, love of beauty (erotic), full emotional life (hypersensitive, infatuated), karmic marriage (amorous intrigues, death of partner)

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### **Mars Aspects**

Mar-Mar Emphasises the characteristics of the sign that the planet occupies

Mar-Asc Emphasises the characteristics of the Ascendant sign

Mar-Mid Emphasises the characteristics of the Midheaven sign

Mar-Jup Expands energies. Enterprising (reckless), enthusiastic (extravagant), quick-tempered (excitable), optimistic (prodigal), inspiring, evangelistic (sceptical), fair, straightforward (insincere), confident (insolent), resourceful (slapdash), active, money comes, goes easily, physical strength (excesses, excitability deplete powers)

Mar-Sat Regulates energies. Self-reliant, courageous (reckless), persistent (fitful), assured (aggressive), hard-working, materialistic (dishonest), unsympathetic (intolerant, vindictive), executive ability (destructive), (many struggles), (unsympathetic father), strong physique (accident prone)

Mar-Ura Stimulates energies. Fearless (headstrong), strong-willed ungovernable, unbalanced), forceful (pugnacious, violent, ruthless), reforming (revolutionary, anarchistic), quick, alert, constructive (destructive), inventive, inspirational (scatter-brained), (forceful enemies), (women - danger of seduction), muscular strength (danger of accidents)

Mar-Nep Relaxes energies. Perceptive (obsessed), penetrating (short-sighted), enthusiastic (intemperate, fanatical), emotional (morbid, neurotic), sensuous (coarse), artistic, conceited (self-glorifying), (restless, sensation-seeking), practical charity, (treacherous), (disreputable associates), (women - peculiar attitude to men), (illness through worry, poisons)

Mar-Plu Intensifies energies. Combative (hot-tempered, berserk), adventurous (impulsive, foolhardy, criminal), self-confident, strict, unbending (despotic, brutal), relentless (unscrupulous, fanatical, jealous), (ruthless enemies), (accident, illness through poisoning)

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### **NOTE**

**The following aspects between the slower-moving planets, Jup - Plu, will be within orbs while thousands of births are taking place. Consequently, they should not be allowed much weight unless either planet is close to an angle, rules the ascendant or is aspected with the planets, Mercury, Venus or Mars**

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### **Jupiter Aspects**

Jup-Jup	Emphasises the characteristics of the sign that the planet occupies
Jup-Asc	Emphasises the characteristics of the Ascendant sign
Jup-Mid	Emphasises the characteristics of the Midheaven sign
Jup-Sat	Tempers enthusiasm. Profound (buried talent), wise, just (severe, cold), religious (narrow, indifferent, materialistic), trustworthy (dishonest), far-seeing, (despondent), steady (restricted) success, profitable (unprofitable) investments
Jup-Ura	Vivifies enthusiasm. Freedom-loving (undisciplined, autocratic), humanitarian, original (tricky), magnetic, inspiring, intuitive (un-business-like), resourceful (discontinuous), metaphysical (novelty-seeking), many changes, rapid gains (speculative upsets)
Jup-Nep	Refines enthusiasm. Idealistic (unsound), devotional, contemplative, sensitive, inspirational, mystical (dreaming, superstitious), emotional (hysterical), over-generous, self-indulgent (weak), conceited, financial ability (loss through fraud)
Jup-Plu	Intensifies enthusiasm. Exuberant (unfulfilled desires), enjoys life (prodigal), dignified (arrogant), freedom-loving (rebellious), inspiring, mature (bigoted), pious (blasphemous), prophetic, robust health

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### **Saturn Aspects**

Sat-Sat	Emphasises the characteristics of the sign that the planet occupies
Sat-Asc	Emphasises the characteristics of the Ascendant sign
Sat-Mid	Emphasises the characteristics of the Midheaven sign
Sat-Ura	Stimulates concentration. Serious, pursues truth (fatalistic), studious, ambitious (frustrated), determined (stubborn), authoritative (always "right"), practical (persistently wrong-headed), systematic, upright (unscrupulous), prolongs life (chronic illness)
Sat-Nep	Refines concentration. Practical (unpractical) ideals, shrewd (calculating), subtle (retiring), honourable (treacherous), opportunist (selfish, egotistical, resentful, discontented), musical, (peculiar tastes), (happiness elusive), (scandal, discredit)
Sat-Plu	Deepens concentration. Ambitious (egotistical), tenacious (avaricious), persistent, enduring, self-disciplined (harsh), self-denying, taciturn (suspicious), deliberating, defiant (foolhardy, brutal), (unusual diseases)

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### **Uranus Aspects**

Ura-Ura	Emphasises the characteristics of the sign that the planet occupies
Ura-Asc	Emphasises the characteristics of the Ascendant sign
Ura-Mid	Emphasises the characteristics of the Midheaven sign
Ura-Nep	Sensitizes will. Deep feelings (emotional intensity), inspirational (deluded), inner assurance (self-critical, obsessed), practical vision (perverse), artistic, seeks excitement (restless, taut), unusual experiences (scandal, disfavour)

Ura-Plu	Strengthens will. Highly independent (self-willed), determined (fanatical), authoritative, inventive (eccentric, perverted), can read character, spiritual energy (precipitate, explosive, blind zeal), physical strength, endurance (nervous disorders, paralysis, accidents)
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### Neptune Aspects

Nep-Nep	Emphasises the characteristics of the sign that the planet occupies
Nep-Asc	Emphasises the characteristics of the Ascendant sign
Nep-Mid	Emphasises the characteristics of the Midheaven sign
Nep-Plu	Intensifies sensitivity. Mystical, fantasy-loving (dream-intoxicated), seeking fulfilment (utopian), penetrative, prophetic, inspirational, dissimulating, craving for adventure (irresponsible, exposed to temptation, base desires)

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### Pluto Aspects

Plu-Plu	Emphasises the characteristics of the sign that the planet occupies
Plu-Asc	Emphasises the characteristics of the Ascendant sign
Plu-Mid	Emphasises the characteristics of the Midheaven sign

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## --- PROCESS OF CHART INTERPRETATION ---

### Introduction

The key to Chart interpretation lies in the understanding of the following Astrological definitions:

- The **Elements** (Earth, Water, Fire, Air) are the energy substance of experience.
- The **Signs** (Aries to Pisces) are the primary energy patterns and indicate specific qualities of experience.
- The **Planets** (Sun to Pluto) regulate energy flow and represent the dimensions of experience.
- The **Houses** (1 to 12) represent the fields of experience wherein specific energies will be most easily expressed and most directly encountered.
- The **Aspects** reveal the dynamism and intensity of experience as well as how the energies within the individual interact.

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### Process of Interpretation

The first stage of the interpretation is **analysis**, where the major factors are taken in order of priority and a foundation is established whereupon everything else can be integrated and combined.

The second stage is **integration**, where the different themes and areas of life are considered and are gathered together under common headings.

The third stage is **synthesis**, where all the different groupings of the second stage are incorporated into a complete interpretation.

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### Chart Interpretation Definitions

The effective interpretation of a chart lies in the following definitions:

<b>The Elements</b>	These (Earth, Water, Fire, and Air) symbolize the energy substance of experience
<b>The Signs</b>	These (Aries to Pisces) symbolize the primary energy patterns and indicate specific qualities of experience
<b>The Planets</b>	These (Sun to Pluto) symbolise psychological functions and life principles; however, they also symbolize the regulation of energy flow and represent the dimensions of experience
<b>The Houses</b>	These (1 to 12) symbolize the fields of experience wherein specific energies will be most easily expressed and most directly encountered
<b>The Aspects</b>	These symbolize the dynamism and intensity of experience, as well as how the energies within the individual interact
<b>Sun Sign</b>	This symbolises the self - individual's character attributes
<b>Ascendant</b>	This symbolises the individual's personality attributes
<b>Angular Signs</b>	Ari and Lib mark the spring and autumn equinoxes respectively. Can and Cap mark the summer and winter solstices respectively.
<b>Charts</b>	The individual is graphically represented by various astrological charts:



Natal Chart	- The individual's character and personality profile
Solar Return	- Chart - The yearly update
Progressed Chart	- The unfolding of the individual's life path
Transit Chart	- The current view of the individual's influences
Decumbiture Chart	- The individual's health analysis
Synastry Chart	- The comparing of two individuals for compatibility
Horary Chart	- Using the 'now' to answer questions

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### **Natal, Solar Return, Horary, and Progressed Charts**

<b>Area of Focus</b>	<b>Planet(s)</b>
Personality (Personality)	Asc, 1st House Planets, and Asc Aspects
Character (Self, Spirit)	Sun-Sign, and Sun Aspects
Disposition (Emotion, Soul)	Moo-Sign, Moo Aspects
Association (Others)	Node-Sign, Node Aspects
Mentality (Communication)	Mer-Sign, and Mer Aspects
Affections (Harmony, Unity)	Ven-Sign, and Ven Aspects
Action (Drives, Conflict)	Mar-Sign, and Mar Aspects
Expansion (Growth)	Jup-Sign, and Jup Aspects
Restriction (Discipline)	Sat-Sign, and Sat Aspects
Change (Deviation)	Ura-Sign, and Ura Aspects
Refining (Immateriality)	Nep-Sign, and Nep Aspects
Transformation (Death, Regeneration)	Plu-Sign, and Plu Aspects
Career (Career)	Sun-Sign, Asc, and Mid (Ego) (Life time astrology), Planets In 6th

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### **Transit Charts**

<b>Area of Focus</b>	<b>House</b>
Accidents	5th, 8th, 6th.
Black Magic	9th.
Business	10th, 2nd.
Career	10th, 2nd
Communication	3rd
Conflict	8th, 12th
Death	8th
Education Primary	3rd
Education Secondary	3rd
Education Tertiary	9th
Etheric	12th
Family	4th

Finance	2nd, 10th
Friends	4th
Groups	11th
Health	6th
Love	5th
Luck	5th
Marriage	7th, 5th
Mind	3rd
Money	2nd, 5th, 10th
Partnerships	7th, 10th
Possessions	2nd
Psychism	12th, 9th
Romance	5th, 7th
Self	1st
Speculation	5th
Transformation	8th
Travel Foreign	9th
Travel Local	3rd
Troubles	12th
Witchcraft	9th

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### **The Individual's Profile**

Personality (Personality)	Asc, 1st House Planets, and Asc Aspects
Character (Self, Spirit)	Sun-Sign, and Sun Aspects
Disposition (Emotion, Soul)	Moo-Sign, Moo Aspects
Association (Others)	Node-Sign, Node Aspects
Mentality (Communication)	Mer-Sign, and Mer Aspects
Affections (Harmony, Unity)	Ven-Sign, and Ven Aspects
Action (Drives, Conflict)	Mar-Sign, and Mar Aspects
Expansion (Growth)	Jup-Sign, and Jup Aspects
Restriction (Discipline)	Sat-Sign, and Sat Aspects
Change (Deviation)	Ura-Sign, and Ura Aspects
Refining (Immateriality)	Nep-Sign, and Nep Aspects
Transformation (Death, Regeneration)	Plu-Sign, and Plu Aspects
Career (Career)	Sun-Sign, Asc, and Mid (Ego), Planets In 6th

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### **The Ascendant**

The Ascendant relates to the individual's personality, and Sun Sign analysis may be applied to the ascendant, provided that the following distinctions are made:

- 1) The sun's characteristics apply to the individual's deep inner motives.
- 2) The ascendant's characteristics relates to the individual's outward and visible way of expressing the "qualities" of the sun's characteristics.

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## Putting it all together

When analysing the chart, the major factors should be taken into consideration in the following order:

1. Factors indicating major tendencies:

- a) Balance of elements - is there an emphasis of one or more of the elements (Earth, Water, Fire, and Air)?
- b) Balance of qualities (Cardinal, Fixed, and Mutable) - is there an emphasis on one or more of these?
- c) Strong aspect patterns - is there a "T" Square, Grand Cross, Grand Trine, or other significant aspect patterns?

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2. The Ascendant and the Rising sign - analyse the Ascendant by sign, house, the house of the Ascendant ruler (the planet ruling the Rising sign), and aspects made by the Ascendant and the Ascendant ruler. This is the personality of the individual.

The Ascendant ruler is also known as the "chart ruler" or "ruling planet".

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3. The Sun sign, its house, and the aspects made by the Sun. This is the character of the individual.

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4. The Sun ruler (the planet ruling the sign containing the Sun) its sign, its house, and its aspects.

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5. The Moon sign, its house, and the aspects made by the Moon. This is the disposition of the individual.

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6. The remaining planets in order from Mercury to Pluto, their houses, their signs, and their aspects.

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7. The moon's nodes and any other factors to be considered (existential analysis does not place too much importance relative to the moon's nodes. This is the individual's associations.

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## Houses

When looking at each house consider the following:

- a) Planets in the house.
- b) The sign on the cusp.
- c) The house ruler (the planet ruling the sign on the cusp).

Consideration of the house ruler should be left to the last. Although it provides additional information it can be confusing.

Interpretation of the house ruler becomes significant when there are no planets in a house.

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## **Subheadings**

The following subheadings are useful as a guide for areas of interpretation. These may be combined or added to as desired. For example, emotions and relationships may be considered either together, or separately.

1. General Character
2. Family, Parents, and Children
3. Emotions
4. Relationships, Love and Marriage, Friends and Enemies
5. Mind, Mental, Intellect and Education
6. Artistic and Creative Ability
7. Career
8. Money
9. Travel
10. Health
11. Death

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### **1. General Character**

The Ascendant; planets in the first house; the Sun and Moon; major patterns and outstanding features such as element emphasis; Ascendant ruler; and any other general features.

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### **2. Family, Parents, and Children**

#### **Family**

Planets in the fourth house; fourth house ruler (planet ruling the sign on the cusp of the fourth house); fifth house (children); third house (brothers and sisters); tenth house and the tenth house ruler, if relevant; Moon (mother); and fourth house with Sun and Saturn (father) if relevant.

#### **Parents**

The general factors of the father are the Sun and Saturn, of the mother, the Moon and Venus. If these bodies are much afflicted it may denote trouble involving the parents, or they may be unsympathetic towards the individual. Favourable aspects between the Sun and Moon usually show a harmonious relationship between the parents.

The parents are also ruled by the fourth and tenth houses. The sign on the cusp of either house, planets therein and the condition of the house ruler indicate the individual's attitude towards his parents. An attitude usually conditioned by their own circumstances and character, so that it is possible, to a degree, to suggest their natures and activities from the natal chart of their offspring.

There fixed rule as to whether the fourth or the tenth house rules the father. Sometimes the sign on the cusp appears to represent one parent, the planet occupying the house the other parent. The parent most responsible for establishing the domestic atmosphere is probably shown by the fourth house, and the parent who does most to foster the individual's ambitions by the tenth house.

#### **Children**

It is not advisable to consider whether the individual will become a parent solely on the analysis of their own horoscope. As relationships evolve, one horoscope may blend with another to increase the probability of fruitfulness.

The condition of the Moon is very important. The fifth house, as the creative index of the horoscope, must also be considered. See whether the Moon, planets in the fifth, and the planet ruling the fifth are in fruitful signs. Water signs are the most fruitful (Cancer, Scorpio, and Pisces); Conversely, Aries, Leo, and Capricorn are the least fruitful. Gemini and Sagittarius may produce twins, but they are otherwise not particularly fruitful. The other signs (Taurus, Virgo, Libra, and Aquarius) are moderately fruitful.

Fruitfulness and fertility is increased by aspects from Venus and Jupiter; and is diminished by the Sun, Mars, and Saturn. Malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) in the fifth house may not deny children, but they can cause children to be troublesome or difficult to rear. In a female horoscope the applications of the Moon before leaving the sign it is in will show possible offspring. If it makes no application, the possibility of offspring is lessened. The Sun in a barren sign and afflicted by Saturn is an indication of childlessness in a female horoscope. In a male horoscope, a prominent Saturn afflicting the Moon and Venus may denote sterility.

Judgement of the sex of children may be a somewhat tricky matter. In general, a majority of indications in masculine signs (Aries, Gemini, Leo, Libra, Sagittarius, and Aquarius) shows male offspring; and in feminine signs, (Taurus, Cancer, Virgo, Scorpio, Capricorn, and Pisces) it denotes female offspring. However, complications arise when feminine planets are in masculine signs. Consequently, an analysis of the individual's hands will assist in the confirmation of possible offspring.

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### **3. Emotions**

The Moon, Venus, and any planets in water signs (Cancer, Scorpio, and Pisces).

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### **4. Relationships, Love and Marriage, Friends and Enemies**

#### **Relationships**

The Descendant; planets in the seventh house and the seventh house ruler (close partnerships and marriage); planets in the fifth house and the fifth house ruler (romance); planets in the eleventh house and the eleventh house ruler (groups, acquaintances); planets in Libra (partner ships); Mars (social energy); Moon, Venus, and planets in water signs (Cancer, Scorpio, Pisces) if relevant.

#### **Love and Marriage**

The condition of Venus by sign and aspect shows the extent to which the individual is able to live in harmony with a partner.

The seventh house is the house of partnership and marriage and the sign on the cusp, its ruler, or any planet therein may describe the nature of the partner.

Symbolically, a man comes to terms with the female side of life through his wife. The Moon and Venus are general factors of women, hence strong afflictions to these bodies can either deny marriage (especially if Saturn is involved) delay marriage, or cause troubles in a marriage relationship.

The Sun and Mars represent the male principle and it is to the analysis of these bodies that indications of marriage in a female horoscope are confirmed. When these bodies or the seventh cusp are much afflicted, marriage may be denied, or certainly difficult to bring about.

When Saturn contacts do not bring delay they are apt to show marriage to an older partner. Uranus aspects are often disruptive, causing sudden attractions or repulsions to arise with disconcerting and unpredictable effects upon relationships. Venus afflicted by Uranus, but well aspected by Saturn, can show separation without the marriage being dissolved.

Those with Venus in aspect to Mars usually marry. An aspect between the Sun and Moon is also likely to show marriage. As the majority of such people marry, it is advisable to anticipate that the individual will do so unless there are strong indications to the contrary.

Women are likely to marry if they are born with the Sun aspecting Mars; men, with the Moon aspecting Venus. A good aspect between the rulers of the Ascendant and seventh house is a good sign for marriage. Aspects to the "Part of Marriage" show whether the partnership is likely to be a happy one. The formula for calculating the "Part of Marriage" is: Longitude of Ascendant + Longitude of Descendant - Longitude of Venus.

Love affairs are ruled by the fifth house; and planets in the fifth house and the ruler of the fifth house show how love affairs are likely to prosper. Good aspects between planets in the fifth and seventh houses, or between the rulers of these houses, greatly assist the individual's love life - the reverse is true when there are bad aspects.

Factors of marriage in multiple signs may denote several marriages. When Mars and Saturn are together noted in the indications, marriage may be to a widow or widower.

Venus retrograde in a man's horoscope may cause him to avoid women; similarly, a woman with Mars retrograde may seek to avoid men. The first application of the Moon in a male nativity and of the Sun in a female nativity on the days after birth to a planet within orbs of an aspect at birth show the circumstances of the marriage and sometimes indicate the type of partner. Application to a retrograde planet may denote difficulties, or may show an attachment that is broken. When the appropriate luminary (Sun or Moon) makes no application to a planet before leaving the sign it is in, marriage may be denied.

## **Friends and Enemies**

Generally speaking, planets well placed by sign and favourably aspecting the Sun or Moon or the ruler of the Ascendant represent friends; those planets badly placed and afflicting the Sun or Moon or the ruler of the Ascendant may represent potential enemies. Afflictions from Neptune are likely to indicate treachery and deceit, while a situation of Uranus and Mars in affliction usually indicates an uncompromising opponent. An afflicted Mars (Ruler of Aries and co-ruler of Scorpio) may denote difficulties with individuals of Aries and Scorpio, and so on. Similarly well-aspected planets indicate the possibility of beneficial relationships with individuals of the sign ruled by those planets.

Those dates during the year when the Sun is in good aspect with a well-placed planet in the horoscope show the birth dates of possible friends; days when the Sun is in adverse aspect to planets badly placed in the natal chart show the birthdays of those who may be antagonistic. A satellitium (three or more planets in a sign) in a sign may bring frequent contacts with the individuals of that sign.

A well aspected eleventh house shows the ability to make and keep friends. Afflictions involving the eleventh house indicate either separations from friends, unfortunate friends, or an inability to choose friends wisely. Good aspects from a planet in or ruling the eleventh house to a planet in or ruling the tenth house may show help from friends in the career. The same applies to contacts involving the other houses. Malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) in the seventh house may show an unfortunate approach to others that defeats the formation of settled friendships and occasionally arouses antagonism.

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## **5. Mind, Mental, Intellect and Education**

### **Mind**

Mercury; planets in the third house and the third house ruler (ability to communicate, school education, general interests and mental skills); Jupiter; planets in the ninth house and the ninth house ruler (higher education, philosophical outlook); eighth and twelfth houses (indications of intuitive skills); Neptune (imagination); planets in Gemini and Virgo, if relevant.

### **Mental Characteristics**

It is not possible to confirm from the horoscope the amount of intelligence possessed by the individual, only the type of mentality and the general approach to intellectual activities (use hand analysis for a more in-depth analysis of the individual's intelligence potential). This is shown by Mercury, according to its sign and house position and the aspects it receives. The planet throwing the closest aspect to Mercury is the most important, because Mercury is extensively coloured by its contacts with other planets and by the sign it is in.

The Moon rules the brain, and any aspect between the Moon and Mercury is good for mental expression, especially the square or opposition, although these aspects make for difficulty in concentration. The Moon and Mercury in strong, close aspect to many planets give much versatility to the individual.

Many bodies in mutable and air signs and cadent houses are likely to engender a quick, intelligent mind. The inventive Uranus has a great effect on intellect and if this planet is prominent and well aspected there may be good mental capabilities - even if Mercury is not prominent or well aspected. Sextile aspects seem to enhance considerably the individual's ability to express themselves. A good Saturn or several planets in earth usually shows a good measure of common sense, while a prominent well-aspected Jupiter gives good judgement and sometimes wisdom.

Equally important is the condition of the third and ninth houses, the sign on the cusp of the third, planets in the third and ninth houses, the aspects they receive, and the condition of the ruler of the third house. Severe afflictions to planets in the third or to the third house cusp can denote mental instability and, in extreme cases, insanity. A much-afflicted Moon is nearly always present in such cases.

The rising sign and planets in the first house, governing the final expression of everything contained in the horoscope, also colour the mental outlook. Strong close aspects to the Ascendant affect the brain and severe afflictions can cause damage to this region.

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### **6. Artistic and Creative Ability**

Planets in the fifth house and the fifth house ruler; Mercury, Venus, Mars, and Neptune, and if relevant, consider planets in earth signs (practical skill - Taurus, Virgo, and Capricorn).

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### **7. Career**

Midheaven; planets in the tenth house and the tenth house ruler (career); planets in the sixth house and the sixth house ruler (working conditions, nature of job); Mars (practical energy); Saturn (self-organization and discipline).

The nature of the individual's employment is usually shown by the sign on the cusp of the tenth house, planets in the tenth house or by the ruler of the tenth house. Planets in strong close aspect to the Midheaven degree or any planet in a dominant position may have significant effect upon the individual's career choice. The Sun, which is closely connected with what an individual does, may show the individual's occupation by its sign or house position.

The planet in closest aspect with the Sun sometimes indicates the vocation.

Here is a traditional guide to the occupations denoted by the signs (and corresponding houses) when they are connected with the tenth house:

Ari - Engineering, politics, the armed forces, work requiring enterprise and initiative

Tau - Farming, building, architecture, finance, banking, music, occupations involving set routine

Gem - Transport, communications, journalism, agencies, teaching, publishing, printing, advertising, secretarial or clerical work, occupations involving travel and familiarity with a number of different environments

Can - Commerce, catering, shop keeping, hotel business, cookery, plumbing, laundry work, nursing, market gardening, occupations connected with the sea, liquids, with catering for public tastes or supplying domestic needs

Leo - Public entertainment, stockbroking, company promoting, jewellery or cosmetics, occupations giving scope for creative work organizing ability or self-exploitation

Vir - Clerical or secretarial work, editing, teaching, chemistry, photography, nursing, medicine, physical culture, horticulture, grocery, food supplies, public hygiene, tailoring, haberdashery, occupations demanding technical or analytical skill or affording opportunities for service or patient application to detail, often in a subordinate capacity

Lib - Art, politics, the Law, salesmanship, brokers, agents, fancy goods, occupations involving partnership and the adjusting of human relationships

Sco - The armed forces, police, surgery, banking, mining, undertaking, the meat trade, refrigeration, scientific research, brewing, work underground or connected with the sea, liquids or sanitation, work demanding determined effort and intense concentration

Sag - Publicity, communications, the Law, the Church, lecturing, philosophy, travel, exploring, importing, foreign agencies, work where foresight and willingness to take a chance are assets

Cap - Public administration, government service, politics, work calling for organising ability, integrity and perseverance

Aqu - Work in public corporations, civil service, electricity, lecturing, water distribution, occupations allowing scope for inventiveness and the detached application of special rules and formulae

Pis - Nursing, medicine, work in hospitals, prisons, asylums, or connected with large animals, films, footwear, alcohol, the sea cloth and woollen goods, oil

## General

Signs and houses often act through their polar opposite, so that actors sometimes have Aquarius strongly tenanted (not Leo), and a strong eleventh (not fifth) house. A double sign on the Midheaven may mean two simultaneous occupations or a number of changes of occupation. The second house (income) and the sixth house (duty) also have some effect upon the choice of career.

The individual's occupation is likely to have a connection with those things denoted by planets in the tenth house or closely aspecting the Midheaven. The ruler of the Ascendant well aspected in the tenth denotes a "rise in life".

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## 8. Money



Planets in the second house and the second house ruler; and planets in the eighth house and the eighth house ruler.

Money is governed primarily by the second house, planets therein and the aspects to them, the sign on the cusp, aspects to the cusp and to the ruler of the second house. A good aspect to a planet in the second house or to the ruler of the second house from a planet in the fifth house shows the possibility of gain through speculation. A bad aspect from the ninth house may show the possibility of losses abroad, and so on.

A healthy financial situation is shown by the benefics well placed by sign, angular and well aspected, especially if the Moon is involved; by favourable aspects to Jupiter from the heavier planets, and by a good aspect between the Sun and Moon. A good aspect from Saturn to a prominent Jupiter may show permanent wealth.

A bad aspect from Saturn to the Moon, especially when either body is angular (in cardinal sign/house) or Saturn or another afflicting malefic (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) is elevated above the Moon, can cause great difficulty in obtaining sufficient money. Many planets in the second house show gains or losses from various sources. Mercury there well aspected by the benefics shows the earning of money through good abilities. Cardinal signs on the second house cusp suggest an ambitious attitude towards financial matters; fixed signs the opportunity of a fixed income (often through investments), and mutable signs a fluctuating income, sometimes from more than one source. Speculation is ruled by the fifth house and inheritance is ruled by the eighth house.

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## 9. Travel

Planets in the third house (short journeys); planets in the ninth house (long journeys).

Although theoretically the third house represents short and the ninth house represents long journeys, in practice it will be found that there is little difference. Those with the Moon in aspect to Mercury are most likely to travel, for their basic restlessness will keep them on the move. This tendency is much diminished when these bodies are in fixed signs. Much travel is likely when Mercury and the Moon are configured with Uranus, Neptune, or Pluto, or when they are in a "T"-square with Jupiter, and many planets are in mutable or watery signs. Uranus, Neptune or Pluto in the fourth house sometimes denotes one who is constantly on the move. Saturn in the fourth shows that the individual prefers to stay put. Afflicted planets in the travel houses may show dangers while travelling. If there are malefic planets (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) on the angles (the cusps of the right angles created by a horizon and meridian axes are called the angles) of the horoscope, a change of residence may be desirable. A congenial locality should be that which brings the benefics on to the angles (the cusps of the right angles created by a horizon and meridian axes are called the angles) of the horoscope when it is recalculated for the latitude and longitude of the new residence. A comparison of the birth horoscope with the horoscope of a place will often indicate whether that place will benefit the individual. If the condition of the ninth house is very much better than that of the fourth, residence abroad might be advisable.

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## 10. Health

Planets in the sixth house and the sixth house ruler; and general indications from other factors.

Should any other information be required: a) turn to the relevant house in the horoscope and examine the planets it contains, b) examine the sign on its cusp, c) examine the planet ruling the cusp sign, and d) examine the general planetary ruler. For example, for the law, turn first to the ninth house (which rules the law) the planets it contains and the planet which rules its cusp, and then to Jupiter, the general ruler of the law. For leisure activities examine Venus, the fifth house and general factors such as the Sun sign.

The sixth and eighth houses have much to do with health and the signs on these cusps usually indicate vulnerable areas of the body. Generally speaking, the parts of the body ruled by the signs are also ruled by the corresponding houses.

The greatest threat to health is from an angular malefic (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) that afflicts both the Sun and the Moon. Afflictions tend to work out by polarity. Any cardinal afflictions may affect the head, stomach, kidneys, and bones; fixed afflictions may affect the throat, heart, trunk, genitals, and circulation; mutable afflictions may affect the nerves, lungs, limbs and, bowels.

Afflictions to the Sun show constitutional and hereditary weaknesses; to the Moon, functional disorders arising after birth. Moon afflictions are critical in childhood. Aspects from the benefics to the Ascendant and the Sun and Moon are a great help in overcoming afflictions from the malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto), though much will depend on the relative strength of each. Rising malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) afflicting the Sun or Moon, or the ruler of the Ascendant afflicted in the sixth, eighth, or twelfth houses may bring prolonged ill health.

Mars by affliction brings fevers, cuts, burns, scalds, wounds, and over-activity; Saturn brings falls, chills, sluggish activity, sprains, dislocations, and bruising; Uranus brings excessive vitality, nervous tension, cramps, strictures, paroxysms, and paralysis; Neptune brings hypersensitivity, wasting, coma, and hypochondriac tendencies; Pluto, eliminative disorders, and deep-seated toxic conditions.

Good health results from a Moon that is free from affliction, well aspected by Jupiter and Venus, when the Ascendant is not tenanted or afflicted by the malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto).

Although it may be possible to estimate the potentialities of an individual in relation to health and disease, it should be born in mind that medical astrology is a complex subject, requiring specialised medical knowledge if the best results are to be obtained.

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## 11. Death

### Important

**Great care and sensitivity must be exercised when considering and possibly predicting death**

The cause of death is usually shown by the eighth house and the circumstances in the closing years of life by the fourth house. An afflicted eighth house is likely to indicate death through illness or accident, whereas an afflicted fourth may denote difficult domestic conditions in old age. If the individual dies young it is a moot point whether the fourth house indications apply.

### The Kind of Death

Death is of two kinds:

- 1) Natural - arising from disease or old age
- 2) Accidental - arising from a variety of "un-natural" causes

A Natural death may be judged to ensue when there are no signs in the horoscope to the contrary.

A violent or Accidental death occurs when the Sun and Moon are afflicted by a malefic (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) and when no assistance is given by Jupiter or Venus.

Again, when the Sun is afflicted by one malefic (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) and the Moon by another (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) or when the Moon alone is afflicted by more than one malefic (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and

Pluto) or the Sun alone by more than one malefic (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) providing always that no assistance is given by Jupiter or Venus, then a violent death is indicated.

The afflicting planets being in the violent signs (Aries, Scorpio, and Capricorn) is an additional sign of violence. Also if the Sun or Moon is in these signs (Aries, Scorpio, and Capricorn).

The following aspects occurring in a horoscope, give warning of a violent death:

- 1) Mars afflicting Sun and Moon by conjunction or angle, or afflicting one of the luminaries (Sun or Moon) only, and elevated above it.
- 2) The Sun or Moon afflicted by the malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) in the first, sixth, eighth, tenth, or fourth house.
- 3) A malefic (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) in the first or eighth, or on the cusp of the seventh, if at the same time afflicting the luminaries (Sun or Moon) or one of them.
- 4) Malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) opposing one another from angles (the cusps of the right angles created by a horizon and meridian axes are called the angles), particularly from violent signs (Aries, Scorpio, Capricorn) or cardinal signs (Aries, Capricorn, Libra, and Cancer).
- 5) Both the Sun and Moon afflicted by one or more of the malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) if one of the luminaries (Sun or Moon) and one of the afflicting planets are in a violent sign (Aries, Gemini, Scorpio, and Capricorn).
- 6) Both luminaries (Sun or Moon) afflicted by a malefic (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) one of the luminaries (Sun or Moon) being oriental.
- 7) Two malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) attacking the same luminary (Sun or Moon).
- 8) Pluto and Neptune must both be considered as malefic planets if they are afflicted by adverse aspects, especially of the Sun, Moon, Mars, or Saturn. If Pluto is in the eighth house this will give an indication of death occurring through involvement in some public catastrophe connected with the work that is being carried out - such as an explosion, building collapse, or if in one of the Military Services, through such objects as mines, torpedoes, submarine, or aircraft crash, and other violent ends. If in private life, through such catastrophes as mine disasters, underground railway, railway, or car crashes. Neptune in the eighth brings a danger of drowning, or poisoning, or of death through wrong drugs being taken or administered, or of overdoses of an anaesthetic.

If, with these indications, you find Jupiter or Venus in trine or Sextile to the afflicted luminary (Sun or Moon) then danger is averted by strange interventions, or hair-breadth escapes will be made.

When the afflicting planets are in human signs (Gemini, Virgo, Sagittarius, and Aquarius) then the death will be by human means.

The eighth and fourth houses have chief signification in this matter, and the planets in them, together with their aspects, will indicate the nature of the death. Violent planets, such as Uranus and Mars, or Saturn and Neptune, when in violent signs (Aries, Gemini, Scorpio, and Capricorn) are testimonies of an untimely end.

When Neptune is the afflicting planet, he causes deaths by ambush and treachery. And also death by drowning, and by strange spiritual causes. There is danger of trance or simulated death, which must be carefully watched.

With Uranus as the cause of evil, death results in some extraordinary and remarkable manner. It can incline to suicide, especially if Mercury is found to be weak and badly afflicted, or Venus afflicted by Saturn or Uranus, and the luminaries (Sun or Moon) also afflicted.

Saturn causes deaths by crushes, fractures, falls, and drowning etc., according to its sign and house.

Mars causes death by burns, cuts, loss of blood, scalds, ruptures, frenzy, and in violent and military conflict circumstances. The exact nature is usually judged by the sign occupied by Mars, but the houses occupied by Saturn and Uranus must also be considered, in addition to the signs that they are in.

Mars has special indication of the cause of death according to the sign it occupies, whether human, animal, airy, fiery, earthy, etc. Observe always whether the malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) afflicting the Sun or Moon are elevated above the luminary (Sun or Moon) or the reverse; for when you find the malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) so afflicting, and in elevation above the luminary (Sun or Moon) it is a sure sign of a violent end.

The lord of the eighth house being afflicted by malefic planets (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) is an additional sign of a violent death.

Do conclude a violent death will happen, unless the positions are very striking and unmistakable.

When death is judged to ensue from natural causes, the sixth and eighth houses are taken into consideration, together with the signs in which the malefics (Mars, Saturn, and to a lesser degree Uranus and Pluto) are placed.

Fixed signs show death by blood (Aquarius), disorders of the throat (Taurus), heart affections (Leo), and generative system (Scorpio).

Common signs show colds and affections of the lungs (Gemini), bowels (Virgo), and nervous system (Sagittarius and Pisces).

Cardinal signs denote death by affections of the head, brain fever, etc. (Aries), stomach (Cancer), the kidneys and liver (Libra), also erysipelas and disorders of the skin (Capricorn).

If Saturn is in the eighth house, the death will be slow and tedious. If Mars is in the eighth house, death will be quick and painful. If Uranus is in the eighth house, death will be sudden and unexpected. If Jupiter is in the eighth house, death will be in comfort and order. If Venus is in the eighth house, death will be peaceful and without pang or throe (violent pangs) of pain. The Moon and Mercury are passive, and act according to the nature of the planet in nearest aspect, but the Moon has a signification of death in the public streets, or in the presence of strangers, in public hospitals, and other places of a public nature, when other testimonies point that way. Neptune in the eighth house operates to produce trance, coma, and simulated death, ending in syncope (loss of blood-pressure).

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