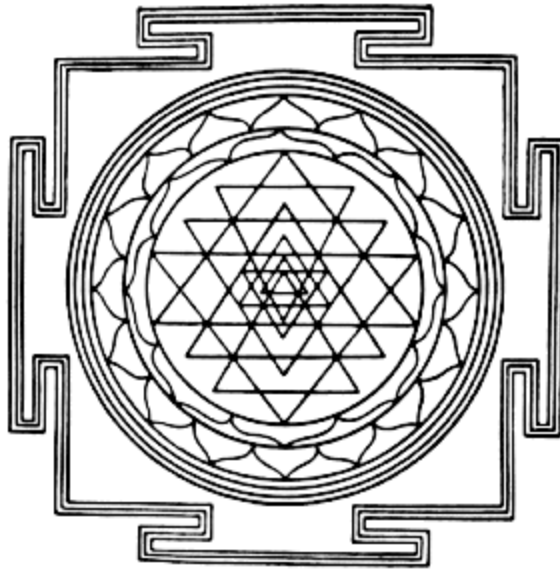


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Astrological Report for
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Your Chart Data

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Planet	Sign	Position	House	House
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Venus	Aries	13°Ar04'	01st	04 19°Ge50'
Mars	Leo	00°Le09'	05th	05 11°Ca33'
Jupiter	Aquarius	06°Aq34'	11th	06 08°Le02'
Saturn	Capricorn	29°Cp51'	11th	07 11°Vi57'
Uranus	Leo	21°Le41'	06th	08 20°Li15'
Neptune	Scorpio	09°Sc48'	08th	09 23°Sc43'
Pluto	Virgo	05°Vi34'	06th	10 19°Sg50'
Midheaven	Sagittarius	19°Sg50'		11 11°Cp33'
Ascendant	Pisces	11°Pi57'		12 08°Aq02'

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

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

Question mark.

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

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

just described. For this reason, and because some years in your life are astrologically more active than others, report length can vary quite a bit.

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

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

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

The Invitation

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

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

Tr. Uranus is Sextile Sun

In effect: Mar 3, 2007 - Apr 8, 2007

Peak Date(s): Mar 20, 2007

The planet Uranus is presently stirring the pot of your life, and that always promises a tumultuous passage, peppered with unexpected developments and encounters. Outwardly, Uranus is the wild card, bringing unpredictable and unforeseen events into the picture. Inwardly, it signals a time of accelerated individuation...that is, a time in which who you really are and what you truly want are rapidly emerging and defining themselves. A portion of what you imagined to be your identity has, in fact, little to do with you; it is a side-effect of your social training, nothing more. And, like training wheels on a kid's bike, you are now ready to dump it. This has an unsettling effect upon not only yourself,

but also those around you. Often during Uranian periods there is a distinct "changing of the guard" in our social circles; old relationships end, new ones appear. Claim your right to be yourself -- that's the essence of the transiting Uranus. Whatever it touches, changes. Trust the changes! Like a hard wind blowing the sand off a buried city, they are revealing who you actually have been all along. That's Uranus in general. Specifically, Uranus is sextile your natal Sun: Mar 20, 2007.

Let's first understand that the action is in the First House, for that's where Uranus is currently located in your chart. And what does that tell you? That the circumstances driving your development, at least in terms of this particular configuration, have to do with the choices you make and how you present yourself. Be assertive; take responsibility. You have considerable power in this situation. To use it well, act in the spirit of Uranus, as we just described it. But what's the issue? What part of your own life is at stake? To answer that question, we turn our attention to the Sun, which is being invited into development during this new beginning in your life.

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

Good things in general come your way when you make a positive response to the Sun. But one area has always been prominent in that regard -- the Second House, where the Sun lies in your birthchart. There, in the area of providing yourself with a real basis for self-confidence, the optimal use of that energy is most critical. Sometimes it comes down to seeing to it that you have enough money. Other times, provisions, proper tools, or even skills are the focus. Always the key here is to recognize the intimate link between personal resources and personal assurance.

The aspect pervading the event we've just considered is, as we observed, a sextile. Technically, that refers to a geometric angle of 60 degrees between the natal planet and the moving one. Sextiles are traditionally viewed as "good" aspects. Certainly, they're exciting. There is a mood of eagerness regarding the process we're exploring here -- and that's glorious, provided you're wary of the excessive impulsiveness that sextiles

sometimes breed. In any case, the spinning wheel of circumstances can be counted on to provide some fortuitous, unexpected opportunities for you during this period. You'll have to be quick to seize them, though. They're real, but they're short-lived.

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

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

Tr. Saturn is Square Mercury

In effect: in progress - Mar 7, 2007

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

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

Our first step is to realize that the action and the developmental invitation are manifesting in the Sixth House, for that's the region of your birthchart through which Saturn is now passing. This tells us that duties and responsibilities are currently being emphasized in your life, and that their mood is the same as that of Saturn, which we just described. The effect of these external, often somewhat self-sacrificial requirements is to pull your attention away from yourself and place it on the needs of others. But what's the

core issue? What part of your own life is being stimulated into development by these services you're offering others? To answer that, we turn our attention to Mercury, which is being triggered by this period of hard work, giving, and supporting.

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

Your Second House came up earlier; now we see it stimulated again, once more suggesting that the deepest, most essential factors in the situation we're considering all hinge upon your personal resources and the resultant feelings of self-confidence and legitimacy that they engender. And what are the natures of the resources most pivotal to this self-esteem building process? A large part of the answer lies with Mercury, a planet whose basic skills, tools, and connections always figure critically in your efforts to improve yourself or your position.

When Mercury mingles with Saturn, a thoughtful, reflective perspective enters the mind. This is a season of earnest study, of necessary but often rather plodding kinds of work. A precise, careful, conservative approach generally produces the best results. And, present cultural mythology aside, the cultivation of a degree of calculated pessimism often helps one evade costly blunders as these two planets interact.

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

Tr. Neptune is Opposite Uranus

In effect: Mar 12, 2007 - continuing

Peak Date(s): Apr 18, 2007

The planet Neptune is presently tinting and shading your biography, adding its dreamlike quality to the existential stew. Close your eyes; there's a world in there. That's Neptune, the planet of consciousness itself. Now open your eyes. There's a world out there too, and it's hard to ignore it. In fact, the outer world has become so pressing in its demands that you've partly lost contact with the inner one. But Neptune, transiting through sensitive territories for you now, is fixing that. Your inner world is so full it's brimming over, overflowing its banks into your daily life. If you resist the process, you'll find a host of Neptune problems plaguing you: losing the car keys, forgetting to pay the electric bill, having the attention span of a three-year-old on a sugar jag. But there's an alternative: trust the process. Slow down. Meditate. Let the images come. Moulting opinions. Breathe in, breathe out. Why? Because your unconscious mind has a message for you. It has to do with the possibility of happiness for you over the next few years, about how old sources of joy are drying up and -- critically -- about new ones you must learn to recognize. How do you receive the message? You stop resisting. You simply let it in. That's Neptune in the broad sense. How is it effecting you specifically? Neptune is opposite your natal Uranus: Apr 18, 2007.

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

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

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

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

The geometric angle or "aspect" involved in the process we are studying is, as we said, the opposition. Not surprisingly, this suggests that the natal planet and the moving one are 180 degrees apart. Tension is thus woven into the spirit of this period of your life. The two forces we described are polarized, which often translates emotionally into a feeling of being damned if you do, and damned if you don't. How can you break the logjam? Recognize that any impossibilities you are experiencing in this area probably arise from an incomplete or biased perspective. The opposition aspect always calls for a leap into a new, more accepting level of consciousness. Something is missing in your view of the problem -- and that missing link (here's the corker...) lies in the wisdom embodied by those people or situations that are now antagonizing you. It's not that they're right and you're wrong; only that the truth that can carry you beyond this impasse lies somewhere between the two positions.

Tr. Neptune is Square Mercury

In effect: in progress - Apr 22, 2007

Peak Date(s): Mar 14, 2007

Neptune played a part earlier in this report, but it has another trick or two up its sleeve. You may remember that this planet refers to letting down barriers and allowing the creative unconscious to speak. When handled well, it triggers a "seed time" in which new inspirations arise. If handled poorly, one tends to go off half-cocked while enamored of unrealistic ideas. So sit tight, enter trance, pay attention to your dreams and, if you're so inclined, pray or meditate. Neptune currently is square your natal Mercury. The inner

opening process peaks Mar 14, 2007.

Currently Neptune is maneuvering through your Twelfth House. As we said earlier in the report, this is the final house of the cycle and often suggests endings and dissolutions. A meditative, accepting attitude is best now, letting go lightly of the things that are taken from you, knowing that despite appearances what is lost now has no place in the journey to come. What is to be released? A hint lies with Neptune, as we just described it -- that part of you has completed a major phase of its work and must now "graduate" to a new level. But we can go further. There is also a need for some release in connection with Mercury, which is being invited into development by these vital resolutions and these necessary deaths -- some of which, by the way, may be forced upon you by circumstance if you're overdue in appreciating their necessity.

The natal Mercury -- that, as we have seen, symbolizes your intelligence, your capacity to communicate, and your fundamental curiosity.

Your Second House came up earlier; now we see it stimulated again, once more suggesting that the deepest, most essential factors in the situation we're considering all hinge upon your personal resources and the resultant feelings of self-confidence and legitimacy that they engender. And what are the natures of the resources most pivotal to this self-esteem building process? A large part of the answer lies with Mercury, a planet whose basic skills, tools, and connections always figure critically in your efforts to improve yourself or your position.

When quick-witted Mercury merges with spacey Neptune, the mind is often a bit befuddled. And there is definitely a heightened tendency to carefully file the bananas in the socks-drawer. Such embarrassments aside, the combination is actually a very fertile one for the creative imagination. The mind naturally turns now to the mystical, the metaphorical, and the symbolic, where the Neptunian energies are always at home.

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

Pr. Moon enters Libra

Date: May 29, 2007 - Continuing

You don't need to be an astrologer to know what the Moon means. Just engage your imagination. Immediately, the mind free-associates. Moon: night...feelings...falling in

love...seeing a ghost... And that's pretty much what astrologers throughout history have said: the Moon represents your interior life, your "heart." Like all astrological factors, the Moon progresses, taking a little over a quarter of a century to make one circuit around the chart. It typically spends a couple of years in each sign or house, and eventually forms aspects with all the planets. How do we read it? Simple: at any given moment the progressed Moon tells us where your heart is. Or, to be a little less schmaltzy about it, the Moon says where your attention is. What is concerning you. Where your growth experiences are unfolding -- which is often to say where you're experiencing challenges, upsets, or opportunities to regroup and express yourself in new ways. Being an emotional factor, the progressed Moon always refers to areas of heightened sensitivity. Intuition comes to the forefront. Instincts must be followed. Somehow the unconscious mind has gotten ahead of conscious awareness, and now conscious awareness is catching up, following the trail of intuitive clues and impulses laid down by the wise, dark interior of your spirit.

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It enters the sign Libra: May 29, 2007.

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

The Means

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

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

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

"The Means"

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

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

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

Let's continue.

Tr. Saturn is Trine Midheaven

In effect: in progress - Mar 22, 2007

Peak Date(s): Mar 5, 2007

Saturn played a role earlier in this account. Now it emerges again, in a new way. To refresh your memory, Saturn is ultimately the planet of maturity. It always places a strong emphasis upon hard work, decisive choices, and persistence. Saturn currently is trine your natal Midheaven. The energies crest Mar 5, 2007.

Our initial step is to realize that the motion and the developmental invitation are manifesting in the Sixth House. We've met that house before, and it figures in our analysis again, for that is the house through which Saturn is currently passing.

Obligations and responsibilities are emphasized now in your life, and the mood they create is the same as that of Saturn, which we just described. But what are the core questions? What part of you is being called into the service of others? The answer lies with the Midheaven, which is being triggered during this season of giving, of supporting others, and of plain hard work.

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

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

Tr. Jupiter is Conjunct Midheaven

In effect: Mar 11, 2007 - Apr 30, 2007

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

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

of Jupiter. How is it affecting you? Jupiter is conjunct your natal Midheaven: sometime after the report period..

Let's begin deciphering this configuration with the understanding that the action driving these existential developments is showing up in the part of your life we call the Ninth House. That's where Jupiter is currently making its influence felt, thus bringing events to bear upon you. Typically, when the "House of Long Journeys" is stimulated, life is eventful and expansive in tone. You are challenged to stretch out toward new experiential horizons through travel and educational efforts -- to toss hand grenades into the well-oiled machinery of your life. Why? Because deep down inside, you are starting to get bored with yourself! The key question with which you must wrestle is this: which adventure is the right one? Astrology cannot answer precisely, but here's one helpful hint -- to travel the right new road and thus refresh your spirit, you will need every ounce of the energy of Jupiter that you can muster. It's that kind of adventure, that kind of stretching, that is appropriate for you now. But what's the core issue? What part of your own life is at stake? To answer that, we turn our attention to the Midheaven, which is being invited into development by the invigorating, exhilarating impact of these new perceptions.

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

As we mentioned, the aspect involved in the event we just described is the conjunction, which refers to a precise alignment between the natal planet and the moving trigger. Thus, the process emphasizes fusion, integration, and synthesis. Of all the possible aspects, the conjunction is the most intense. The explosion rattles your outward circumstances; but it originates inside you, and puts you in the driver's seat. It is appropriate for you to claim some new level of power, of self-expression, and of autonomy. If you don't, no one will do it for you; and the opportunity will evaporate.

Tr. Neptune is Sextile Midheaven

In effect: in progress - Mar 17, 2007

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

Neptune played a part earlier in this report, but it has another trick or two up its sleeve. You may remember that this planet refers to letting down barriers and allowing the creative unconscious to speak. When handled well, it triggers a "seed time" in which new inspirations arise. If handled poorly, one tends to go off half-cocked while enamored of unrealistic ideas. So sit tight, enter trance, pay attention to your dreams and, if you're so inclined, pray or meditate. Neptune currently is sextile your natal Midheaven. The inner opening process peaks sometime before the report period..

Currently Neptune is maneuvering through your Twelfth House. As we said earlier in the report, this is the final house of the cycle and often suggests endings and dissolutions. A meditative, accepting attitude is best now, letting go lightly of the things that are taken from you, knowing that despite appearances what is lost now has no place in the journey to come. What is to be released? A hint lies with Neptune, as we just described it -- that part of you has completed a major phase of its work and must now "graduate" to a new level. But we can go further. There is also a need for some release in connection with the Midheaven, which is being invited into development by these vital resolutions and these necessary deaths -- some of which, by the way, may be forced upon you by circumstance if you're overdue in appreciating their necessity.

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

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

Pr. Moon is Trine Moon

In effect: in progress - Apr 29, 2007

Peak Date(s): Mar 29, 2007

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

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

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It is trine your natal Moon: Mar 29, 2007. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-motion events,

and that this event simply peaks then; it will be affecting your mood for a period of two or three months on either side of that date.

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

While the energies of the Moon that we just described are obviously positive qualities for everyone, they play an especially personal part in your own well-being, looming larger and larger in your life as you mature. That's because the Moon lies in your natal Eleventh House, which pertains to your future, to your healthiest priorities, and to your most sustainable long-term strategies, all of which are well-described by that planet. Under the current stimulation of the Moon, an evolution in your goals is occurring, rendering some old dreams obsolete or complete as new, sometimes unexpected desires and values begin to make themselves felt. It is a season of re-orientation.

When the Moon interacts with its own natal position, as is the case here, emotional energies are turned on. There is a general heightening of mood-swings, and often a heightening of dream activity. What's happening is that the unconscious mind is attempting to adjust the trajectory of your outer life. It has a slightly different perspective on your current prospects than does your everyday awareness, and it is communicating that notion to you in the form of a mood.

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

Pr. Moon is Trine Saturn

In effect: Apr 25, 2007 - continuing

Peak Date(s): May 25, 2007

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

Our first step is to recognize that the events and the deeper developmental invitation are manifesting in your Seventh House -- a familiar territory, since it figured earlier in our analysis. Again the "House of Marriage" comes up, for the Moon is currently passing through it. Receptivity to other people is the centerpiece here. But to whom exactly?

Recognize your "soulmates" through their resemblance to the Moon, which we just described. But what is being triggered most deeply inside you? What part of you is being called into the service of love? The answer lies with Saturn, which is being stimulated during this season of connection, encounters, and partnerships.

How is the progressed Moon currently impacting on you? It is trine your natal Saturn: May 25, 2007. In thinking about this, remember that progressions are slow-motion events, and that this event simply peaks then; it will be affecting your mood for a period of two or three months on either side of that date.

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

Your Eleventh House played a role earlier in the report; now we see it in the limelight again, once more telling us that your skill in forming necessary alliances and coalitions lies at the heart of the situation we're considering. Two reflections emerge. The first is that to succeed here you need to use all your social and political deftness...you can't do it alone, and the people upon whom you must rely are, to put it charitably, "human." The second is that to set appropriate priorities you must think deeply about what you want...which is to say, you need to know exactly what is worth fighting for and what you are willing to sacrifice. One hint: for you, the right answers nearly always have the tone of Saturn, a planet we described above.

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

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

initiative.

Pr. Moon is Sextile Mars

In effect: May 4, 2007 - continuing

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

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

Our first step is to recognize that the events and the deeper developmental invitation are manifesting in your Seventh House -- a familiar territory, since it figured earlier in our analysis. Again the "House of Marriage" comes up, for the Moon is currently passing through it. Receptivity to other people is the centerpiece here. But to whom exactly? Recognize your "soulmates" through their resemblance to the Moon, which we just described. But what is being triggered most deeply inside you? What part of you is being called into the service of love? The answer lies with Mars, which is being stimulated during this season of connection, encounters, and partnerships.

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

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

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

need for that kind of re-charging is definitely up right now.

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

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

The Details

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

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

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

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

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

more as daily meditations than as the kind of full-blown explanations to which you've gotten accustomed in the previous sections of SKYLOG.

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

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

March Invitation Peaks

Mar 14, 2007 - Tr. Neptune squares Mercury

March Mean Peaks

Mar 05, 2007 - Tr. Saturn trines Midheaven

Mar 20, 2007 - Tr. Uranus sextiles Sun

Mar 29, 2007 - Pr. Moon trines Moon

March The Details

Mar 02, 2007 - Tr. Sun conjuncts Ascendant

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

The Sun arrives at a conjunction with your Ascendant Mar 02, 2007, and that always suggests a colorful, active few days. A new cycle of experience is beginning for you. It's not earth-shaking in its implications, but you'll be happier if you act positively in the spirit of the Sun. The ball is in your court. Decisive action, imprudent action, or inaction on your part now will have long-term effects, just as the experiences of childhood leave their mark on the adult character. Don't be afraid of a little apparent selfishness now. There are seasons of giving and seasons of taking; this one is for taking.

Mar 03, 2007 - Tr. Venus conjuncts Venus

Keywords: commanding affection combines with your characteristic authoritative human connection.

Mar 06, 2007 - Tr. Sun sextiles Sun

Keywords: resolute personality stimulates your normal dignified nature.

Mar 06, 2007 - Tr. Mars conjuncts Jupiter

Keywords: goal-oriented courage combines with your characteristic strategic gambling.

Mar 10, 2007 - Tr. Mars squares Neptune

Keywords: quiet swordsmanship conflicts with your instinctive passionate inspiration.

Mar 10, 2007 - Tr. Venus trines Uranus

Keywords: self-respecting affection supports your typical painstaking originality.

Mar 11, 2007 - Tr. Sun sextiles Mercury

Keywords: commanding identity stimulates your normal resourceful conversation.

Mar 14, 2007 - Tr. Mars sextiles Venus

Keywords: private swordsmanship stimulates your normal forceful human connection.

Mar 15, 2007 at 08:46 AM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

The Moon in a month passes through all twelve houses of your chart. In so doing, it correlates with the passing whimsies of mood. One afternoon you're bright and cheery, the following morning you're blue...but energetic again after lunch. It doesn't amount to much, and it's not really very important in practical terms -- with one exception: the passage of the Moon through the Twelfth House. During that time you are going through a kind of emotional moulting, ending one cycle and preparing to begin another. Your attentions and energies are turned inward. Accept that, handle it well, and the period -- usually a couple of days -- is quiet and contemplative. It may even be rather pleasant. But if you try to keep up your normal level of activity, you'll find yourself confused, flat, and prone to dumb accidents. So when the Moon enters your Twelfth House, make sure that you have some unstructured time. Minimize distractions. Put off any significant new beginnings for a couple of days. And take a few unhurried breaths. This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House Mar 15, 2007 at 08:46 AM, and emerges Mar 17, 2007 at 04:55 PM, when a new emotional cycle begins.

Mar 15, 2007 - Tr. Venus squares Moon

Keywords: financially savvy human connection clashes with your instinctive priority-clarifying attitude.

Mar 17, 2007 - Tr. Venus squares Saturn

Keywords: self-confident human connection clashes with your instinctive long-term composure.

Mar 17, 2007 - Tr. Venus squares Mars

Keywords: dignified affection clashes with your instinctive child-like courage.

Mar 18, 2007 - Tr. Mars squares Sun

Keywords: spiritually open assertiveness clashes with your instinctive self-assured personality.

Mar 18, 2007 - Tr. Sun sextiles Moon

Keywords: authoritative nature excites your native strategic awareness.

Mar 20, 2007 - Tr. Sun sextiles Saturn

Keywords: resolute nature excites your native group-dynamical solitude.

Mar 20, 2007 - Tr. Sun trines Mars

Keywords: decisive personality enhances your usual spontaneous assertiveness.

Mar 22, 2007 - Tr. Venus trines Pluto

Keywords: dignified affection supports your typical supportive investigation.

Mar 23, 2007 - Tr. Venus squares Jupiter

Keywords: self-assured affection clashes with your instinctive visionary opportunity.

Mar 23, 2007 - Tr. Mercury opposes Pluto

Keywords: private dialog opposes your inborn responsible honesty.

Mar 24, 2007 - Tr. Mars squares Mercury

Keywords: spiritually open swordsmanship clashes with your instinctive self-assured communication.

Mar 25, 2007 - Tr. Venus opposes Neptune

Keywords: resourceful affection opposes your inborn probing inspiration.

Mar 26, 2007 - Tr. Mars opposes Uranus

Keywords: withdrawn assertiveness opposes your inborn competent originality.

Mar 27, 2007 - Tr. Sun sextiles Jupiter

Keywords: authoritative nature stimulates your normal priority-clarifying opportunity.

Mar 27, 2007 - Tr. Mercury trines Neptune

Keywords: spiritually open communication supports your typical spooky contemplation.

Mar 29, 2007 - Tr. Mercury conjuncts Ascendant

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

Mercury arrives at a conjunction with your Ascendant Mar 29, 2007, and that always suggests a colorful, active few days. A new cycle of experience is beginning for you. It's

not earth-shaking in its implications, but you'll be happier if you act positively in the spirit of the Mercury. The ball is in your court. Decisive action, imprudent action, or inaction on your part now will have long-term effects, just as the experiences of childhood leave their mark on the adult character. Don't be afraid of a little apparent selfishness now. There are seasons of giving and seasons of taking; this one is for taking.

Mar 30, 2007 - Tr. Venus conjuncts Sun

Keywords: self-respecting human connection combines with your characteristic financially savvy nature.

Mar 31, 2007 - Pluto turns Retrograde (at 28°Sg58' in your 10th House)

Aspects: Trine Uranus, Trine Pluto.

Mar 31, 2007 - Tr. Mercury sextiles Sun

Keywords: decisive communication stimulates your normal financially savvy nature.

April Invitation Peaks

Apr 18, 2007 - Tr. Neptune opposes Uranus

April Mean Peaks

(None this month.)

April The Details

Apr 02, 2007 - Tr. Sun conjuncts Venus

Keywords: resolute nature combines with your characteristic assertive human connection.

Apr 03, 2007 - Tr. Venus conjuncts Mercury

Keywords: resourceful human connection combines with your characteristic self-assured dialog.

Apr 04, 2007 - Tr. Mercury sextiles Mercury

Keywords: commanding conversation excites your native resourceful dialog.

Apr 04, 2007 - Tr. Venus squares Uranus

Keywords: dignified human connection conflicts with your instinctive dutiful autonomy.

Apr 05, 2007 - Jupiter turns Retrograde (at 19°Sg47' in your 09th House)

Aspects: Trine Venus, Trine Uranus, Conjunct Midheaven, Square Ascendant.

Apr 09, 2007 - Tr. Mercury sextiles Moon

Keywords: assertive conversation excites your native visionary attitude.

Apr 10, 2007 - Tr. Venus trines Moon

Keywords: curious affection supports your typical priority-clarifying sensitivity.

Apr 10, 2007 - Tr. Mercury sextiles Saturn

Keywords: commanding dialog stimulates your normal priority-clarifying integrity.

Apr 10, 2007 - Tr. Mercury trines Mars

Keywords: resolute conversation enhances your usual imaginative assertiveness.

Apr 11, 2007 - Tr. Venus trines Saturn

Keywords: inventive relating supports your typical visionary solitude.

Apr 11, 2007 - Tr. Sun trines Uranus

Keywords: self-assured identity enhances your usual helpful autonomy.

Apr 11, 2007 at 05:45 PM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again Apr 11, 2007 at 05:45 PM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins Apr 14, 2007 at 03:33 AM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

Apr 11, 2007 - Tr. Venus sextiles Mars

Keywords: verbal affection excites your native imaginative courage.

Apr 13, 2007 - Tr. Mars opposes Pluto

Keywords: reclusive courage is in tension with your inherent supportive intensity.

Apr 14, 2007 - Tr. Mercury sextiles Jupiter

Keywords: decisive dialog excites your native long-term exuberance.

Apr 16, 2007 - Tr. Venus squares Pluto

Keywords: verbal affection clashes with your instinctive supportive honesty.

Apr 17, 2007 - Tr. Venus trines Jupiter

Keywords: verbal affection enhances your usual long-term opportunity.

Apr 18, 2007 - Tr. Sun squares Moon

Keywords: dignified nature clashes with your instinctive goal-oriented sensitivity.

Apr 18, 2007 - Tr. Mercury conjuncts Venus

Keywords: resolute conversation combines with your characteristic authoritative relating.

Apr 18, 2007 - Tr. Mars trines Neptune

Keywords: meditative assertiveness enhances your usual penetratingly real contemplation.

Apr 19, 2007 - Saturn goes Direct (at 18°Le09' in your 06th House)

Aspects: Square Sun, Square Mercury, Trine Venus, Conjunct Uranus, Trine Midheaven.

Apr 19, 2007 - Tr. Sun squares Saturn

Keywords: self-confident personality conflicts with your instinctive goal-oriented integrity.

Apr 20, 2007 - Tr. Sun squares Mars

Keywords: self-respecting personality conflicts with your instinctive imaginative swordsmanship.

Apr 21, 2007 - Tr. Mars conjuncts Ascendant

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

Mars arrives at a conjunction with your Ascendant Apr 21, 2007, and that always suggests a colorful, active few days. A new cycle of experience is beginning for you. It's not earth-shaking in its implications, but you'll be happier if you act positively in the spirit of the Mars. The ball is in your court. Decisive action, imprudent action, or inaction on your part now will have long-term effects, just as the experiences of childhood leave their mark on the adult character. Don't be afraid of a little apparent selfishness now. There are seasons of giving and seasons of taking; this one is for taking.

Apr 22, 2007 - Tr. Mercury trines Uranus

Keywords: self-assured communication supports your typical painstaking originality.

Apr 23, 2007 - Tr. Venus sextiles Venus

Keywords: inventive human connection stimulates your normal assertive affection.

Apr 25, 2007 - Tr. Sun trines Pluto

Keywords: self-confident nature supports your typical helpful honesty.

Apr 25, 2007 - Tr. Mercury squares Moon

Keywords: financially savvy conversation clashes with your instinctive priority-clarifying sensitivity.

Apr 26, 2007 - Tr. Mars sextiles Sun

Keywords: authoritative courage stimulates your normal self-assured nature.

Apr 26, 2007 - Tr. Sun squares Jupiter

Keywords: resourceful nature clashes with your instinctive group-dynamical exuberance.

Apr 26, 2007 - Tr. Mercury squares Saturn

Keywords: self-respecting dialog conflicts with your instinctive visionary solitude.

Apr 27, 2007 - Tr. Mercury squares Mars

Keywords: dignified conversation conflicts with your instinctive creative swordsmanship.

Apr 28, 2007 - Tr. Venus opposes Midheaven

Venus: Goddess of Love, Goddess of Peace...in her fast transits around your chart,

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

The Venus aligns with your Fourth House cusp, the very bottom of your birthchart, Apr 28, 2007. As you might imagine, this point, being buried, represents inward, psychological experience, and often puts emphasis on the home or family. Claim renewal for yourself now, and hold quiet counsel with yourself. Don't let the pressure of events drive you faster than is good for you; you don't need rest so much now as active silence. Vision is rising up in you, if you let it. To attune yourself to this new enlivening, get away from society; be alone, or be with people in your own inner circle -- your real "family" -- and do it in the spirit of the Venus. That will put you in the proper attitude of receptivity.

Apr 29, 2007 - Tr. Mercury trines Pluto

Keywords: dignified communication enhances your usual competent intensity.

Apr 30, 2007 - Tr. Mercury squares Jupiter

Keywords: financially savvy conversation conflicts with your instinctive goal-oriented exuberance.

Apr 30, 2007 - Tr. Sun opposes Neptune

Keywords: resourceful identity is in tension with your inherent emotionally brave contemplation.

Apr 30, 2007 - Tr. Venus sextiles Uranus

Keywords: cautious human connection excites your native dutiful individuality.

May Invitation Peaks

May 29, 2007 - Pr. Moon enters Libra

May Mean Peaks

May 25, 2007 - Pr. Moon trines Saturn

May The Details

May 01, 2007 - Tr. Mercury opposes Neptune

Keywords: resourceful dialog is in tension with your inherent penetratingly real imagination.

May 03, 2007 - Tr. Mars sextiles Mercury

Keywords: assertive courage stimulates your normal dignified communication.

May 04, 2007 - Tr. Mercury conjuncts Sun

Keywords: self-respecting conversation fuses with your natural self-confident identity.

May 06, 2007 - Tr. Sun conjuncts Sun

Keywords: self-assured personality combines with your characteristic self-confident identity.

May 06, 2007 - Tr. Mercury conjuncts Mercury

Keywords: self-confident dialog fuses with your natural self-respecting communication.

May 07, 2007 - Tr. Mercury squares Uranus

Keywords: resourceful dialog clashes with your instinctive supportive individuality.

May 09, 2007 at 00:29 AM - Tr. Moon enters Twelfth House

This month, the transiting Moon crosses into your natal Twelfth House again May 09, 2007 at 00:29 AM. It emerges and a new emotional cycle begins May 11, 2007 at 12:07 PM. As we discussed earlier, this represents a brief period in which you serve your own ultimate interests best by relaxing a bit, taking some extra precautions against physical mishaps, and most importantly, delaying any major new starts, insofar as that's possible.

May 10, 2007 - Tr. Mercury trines Moon

Keywords: verbal conversation enhances your usual visionary attitude.

May 10, 2007 - Tr. Mercury trines Saturn

Keywords: clever dialog supports your typical strategic integrity.

May 11, 2007 - Tr. Mercury sextiles Mars

Keywords: curious communication excites your native creative courage.

May 11, 2007 - Tr. Sun conjuncts Mercury

Keywords: self-confident nature combines with your characteristic financially savvy communication.

May 12, 2007 - Tr. Sun squares Uranus

Keywords: self-assured personality conflicts with your instinctive helpful autonomy.

May 12, 2007 - Tr. Mars sextiles Moon

Keywords: decisive assertiveness stimulates your normal goal-oriented attitude.

May 13, 2007 - Tr. Venus sextiles Pluto

Keywords: watchful affection excites your native responsible honesty.

May 13, 2007 - Tr. Mercury squares Pluto

Keywords: open-minded conversation conflicts with your instinctive dutiful honesty.

May 14, 2007 - Tr. Mercury trines Jupiter

Keywords: intelligent conversation enhances your usual visionary gambling.

May 15, 2007 - Tr. Mars sextiles Saturn

Keywords: authoritative courage excites your native goal-oriented integrity.

May 15, 2007 - Tr. Mars trines Mars

Keywords: forceful courage enhances your usual playful swordsmanship.

May 16, 2007 - Tr. Venus trines Neptune

Keywords: psychologically sophisticated affection supports your typical psychologically deep inspiration.

May 17, 2007 - Tr. Mercury sextiles Venus

Keywords: clever communication excites your native assertive human connection.

May 18, 2007 - Tr. Sun trines Moon

Keywords: open-minded personality enhances your usual strategic attitude.

May 19, 2007 - Tr. Venus squares Venus

Keywords: playful relating conflicts with your instinctive authoritative human connection.

May 20, 2007 - Tr. Sun trines Saturn

Keywords: clever personality enhances your usual group-dynamical integrity.

May 21, 2007 - Tr. Sun sextiles Mars

Keywords: inventive identity stimulates your normal child-like swordsmanship.

May 21, 2007 - Tr. Mercury opposes Midheaven

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

Mercury aligns with your Fourth House cusp, the very bottom of your birthchart, May 21, 2007. As you might imagine, this point, being buried, represents inward, psychological experience, and often puts emphasis on the home or family. Claim renewal for yourself now, and hold quiet counsel with yourself. Don't let the pressure of events drive you faster than is good for you; you don't need rest so much now as active silence. Vision is rising up in you, if you let it. To attune yourself to this new enlivening, get away from society; be alone, or be with people in your own inner circle -- your real "family" -- and do it in the spirit of the Mercury. That will put you in the proper attitude of receptivity.

May 22, 2007 - Tr. Venus sextiles Sun

Keywords: spontaneous relating excites your native self-respecting nature.

May 22, 2007 - Tr. Mercury sextiles Uranus

Keywords: emotional dialog stimulates your normal helpful originality.

May 23, 2007 - Tr. Mars sextiles Jupiter

Keywords: decisive swordsmanship stimulates your normal visionary exuberance.

May 24, 2007 - Neptune turns Retrograde (at 22° Aq02' in your 12th House)

Aspects: Square Sun, Square Mercury, Opposite Uranus, Sextile Midheaven.

May 26, 2007 - Tr. Sun squares Pluto

Keywords: curious personality conflicts with your instinctive helpful intensity.

May 27, 2007 - Tr. Venus sextiles Mercury

Keywords: self-expressive relating excites your native self-assured dialog.

May 27, 2007 - Tr. Sun trines Jupiter

Keywords: intelligent identity supports your typical strategic gambling.