

Monthly Astrocast

October 2010



Key Events:

New Moon (14:24 Libra): October 7, 2010

Full Moon (29:33 Aries): October 22, 2010

Retrograde Planets:

Neptune: May 31, 2010 - November 6, 2010

Uranus: July 5, 2010 - December 5, 2010

Jupiter: July 23, 2010 - November 18, 2010

Venus: October 8, 2010 - November 17, 2010

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Lunations and Long Term Aspects

This month's New Moon is on October 7th in Libra, your 2nd House, which includes such things as your finances, possessions, and other things you value, such as your needs, wants and pleasures. However, the presence of stern Saturn and logical Mercury in close enough proximity to the New Moon to be felt is likely to put a bit of a damper on any plans you may have in that area. As an Earth Sign you're reasonably conservative when it comes to money, anyway, unless you have anything in your chart messing that up, so you should be able to handle this with one of your typical shrugs as you deal with a very imperfect world.

Pluto is in your 5th House for the long-haul, a placement which is putting his back-hoe to work on such things as your creative efforts, ego definition, children, romantic interests, speculation and even entertainment. This is not necessarily a bad thing. Renovations are often quite beneficial, once you get past the mess. If you're a work-a-holic, which many Virgos seems to be, maybe it's simply time to bring more balance into your life in this area. Remember that "All work and no play make's Jack (or Jill) a dull boy (or girl)." If your birthday is right around August 26 this should be something that gets your attention this month in one way or another but the ultimate effect should be positive, so don't resist the change.



Upsets and surprises due to philosophical differences with close friends, family members or business partners are likely to continue, particularly for those of your born between September 19 - 22. These are not trivial issues so they are going to

take a while to iron out, most likely sometime around the first part of 2011. While it's always easy to place blame on someone else, be sure to examine your own role as objectively as possible because more often than not it does "take two." Take the time to ponder the true source of your attitude toward the situation and seek to resolve it, then see how it has affected other parts of your life.

The Full Moon on October 22nd is in the tail-end of Aries, about a sneeze away from Taurus, but in Aries, nonetheless. Aries is your 8th house of transformations, sex, death, taxes, and shared resources. This is where you learn or experience something that has a lasting effect on you. The 29th degree of every sign has a bit of a bad reputation and there's quite a bit going on as all the other planets are putting in their two cents worth. A female sibling or neighbor may cause some irritations that relate to responsibility or it may simply be your own thoughts, specifically about money, that cause some friction. This is a favorable time to put together some long-term plans and set them in motion. If you're wondering about your job or health, investigate your concerns carefully and you'll gain the insights you need. A change of course with those problems with someone close to you is prescribed, so don't dig in your heels just yet. Put on your thinking cap and

you'll find a new course of action. And don't forget the New Moon's admonition to do a sanity check on your work/enjoyment balance.

Daily and Short Term Aspects

October 1: Something will highlight an issue today related to your finances or something else you value. Don't take it lightly. If you've been confused about something or not seeing it clearly, try a different approach.

October 2: Unexpected news or some other disruption that relates to an ongoing issue will come your way today.

October 3: Encounters with members of the opposite sex will be intense, regardless of what your relationship with them happens to be. Mercury goes into Libra, your 2nd House of finances, possessions and valuables.

October 4: Rebellious or unfriendly thoughts with regard to someone close to you will be a distraction and could cause problems on the job if you're not careful.

October 5: Find some time to think about those things and people that you enjoy the most. If there's someone you care about who hasn't been getting a fair share of your time, think about changing that. Both of you will benefit if you do.

October 6: A financial annoyance is likely to arise today or possibly an issue with a sibling or neighbor of the female persuasion.

October 7: New Moon today in Libra as described above.

October 8: Venus goes retrograde until November 17 in your 3rd House of thoughts, ideas, siblings and neighbors. During this time your reaction to situations, past and present, in this part of your life may be quite different than your usual response. Information or news related to your finances or material possessions is likely. Someone at work who may not be wrapped too tight may cause an annoyance.

October 9: Inspiration and insights into what's happening in the workplace or with regard to your current project or even your health are out there, so take some time to listen to your intuition.

October 10: An irritation related to your finances or possessions may stir up some old memories which you now see entirely differently than you did then.

October 11: If someone threatens your ego today you're likely to strike back, hard. Be aware of this tendency and make sure you don't do or say something you'll regret.

October 13: Relationship problems, past and present, could have you for lunch today. Do something to relax and reduce your stress.

October 15: You'll be prone to arguments over little annoyances that probably aren't worth the potential for collateral damage. Work out your frustrations in a more suitable way.

October 17: News, information, or considerations relative to your financial situation are before you today. Adjustments or a change of course could involve someone close to you.

October 18: If you're seriously looking at your financial situation, this is a good day to seek inspiration with regard to your current sources of income and how you may be able to develop and expand them further.

October 19: Something unexpected will necessitate a new direction. Keep nurturing those insights and be alert for more.

October 20: Annoyances related to your responsibilities will surface today, possibly trailing memories from the past. Mercury goes into Scorpio, you 3rd House of thoughts, ideas, neighbors and short journeys, facilitating activities and communications in that part of your life.

October 21: Surprises from a close friend, relative or business partner are likely to trigger some interesting thoughts that suggest expanding the relationship to another level. Conversely, you may simply be ruminating on someone from your past with a new attitude than before.

October 22: No matter how hard you try to get things done, time and your efforts will seem to evaporate. Take the hint and pursue some creative problem solving. Full Moon in Aries today as described above.

October 23: The Sun enters Scorpio, bringing emphasis to your thoughts, siblings, neighbors and routine activities.

October 24: Brainstorming with someone you know well can result in some innovative ideas and possible solutions.

October 25: Understanding something or someone from your past and seeing things in a different light than before are possible, though this may occur at a subliminal level.

October 26: Communicating with someone close to you, perhaps a sibling or other relative, is likely to be somewhat intense but could offer a breakthrough in something you've been trying to work out. Unearthing old problems and facing them is favored.

October 27: Responsibilities at work will change in some way today or there may be a change with regard to your boss or the company's structure. You may not be exactly enchanted with the news.

October 28: Mars goes into Sagittarius today, bringing his energy to your home life, past and present. Relationship issues are likely to cause a bit of a stir as well.

October 29: Now is a favorable time to confront something from your past which you've buried and ignored for too long.

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