

AQUARIUS

January 21 – February 18

Monthly Astrocast

November 2008

Key Events:
Full Moon : November 13, 2008
New Moon: November 27, 2008
Retrograde Planets:
Neptune until November 2, 2008
Uranus until November 27, 2008

This month there are a couple of things worth noting involving the outer planets which are likely to have a long-term influence on your life. These slow-movers are the ones that are typically up to something when a significant life change occurs. First of all, Pluto moves into your 12th House of inspiration, dreams, spirituality and hidden enemies on November 27th. If this sounds familiar, you're right, since this happened in the end of January. Retrograde motion, however, drove him back to Sagittarius for a spell, but this time he's in Capricorn to stay. Over the next several years you'll be experiencing deep introspection, mostly on the subconscious level, regarding this part of your life. If you've been neglecting it in any way, Pluto will get your attention and provide various considerations to drive you in that direction, somewhat like hitting you over the head. Thus, if you've never been so inclined and wonder what's going on, you can blame Pluto. If it's been a major part of your life, expect to do a thorough evaluation of the *why's and wherefore's* of it all. You'll have plenty of time to think about it, because Pluto will be there until 2024, at which time he'll stick his toe into Aquarian water. That's when things will really start to get interesting, but obviously you don't need to worry about that for a while. Leave that to the Virgos.

Another significant planetary configuration this month will be an opposition between Saturn and Uranus. The last time these two did anything similar, which was in fact a conjunction, was in 1988. With retrograde action and so forth, this exact encounter occurred in February, June, and October of that year in Sagittarius, your 11th House of groups, friends, hopes and wishes. This is home ground for Water Bearers being as Aquarius rules the zodiacal 11th House. Your friends and group activities are an

important part of your life and you have a continued interest in the activities of those around you. You may be a private person as far as your own life is concerned, but you are aware of what's going on around you and have some pretty strong opinions regarding whether or not you agree. You also have a strong ability to remain detached and unemotional about things that make others, particularly Water Signs, crazy. So think back to 1988 regarding what happened that had a particular influence on this part of your life. Changes and surprises were evident and your sense of responsibility and ambition was affected as well. With Sagittarius involved, it's likely that it had a cultural spin. It happened in the natural course of your life, such as graduating from college and starting your first job or getting involved with friends or an organization that has had a strong affect on you.

At any rate, on November 4th Saturn will oppose Uranus. This time the flavor will be slightly different, one because it's an opposition rather than a conjunction and two, it occurring in different Houses. This time the action will be in your 2nd House of possessions, finances and pleasures and your 8th House of transformations and shared resources. You're probably thinking that with the economy the way it is these days that this is hardly rocket science. This is true, but you're going to be involved at a deeper level. This pair is going to be gliding back and forth and connecting again in February and September 2009 as well, so expect to see some interesting happenings during this coming year. If it's time for some major, even transformational, changes in your finances, investments, or even your view of life, you'll be seeing them over the next several months as the faster moving inner planets connect with them and spur those day to day actions that have a cumulative effect over time.

During the first few days of November, Venus will be right-smack between Saturn and Uranus, forming what is known as a T-square. Venus is in Sagittarius at that time, your 11th House as noted earlier. Venus can be about those you care about and she can also be about your wallet. In your 11th House, however, especially for Aquarians, this probably has something to do with your friends and associates. Perhaps an opportunity will come along in the financial area, but your friends are either against it or you are torn about leaving. As a Fixed Sign, changing your daily routine is often less than comfortable. This will all be brought about by news or information that was previously hidden that's related to something such as higher education, legal matters, a trip or move far away, or even your core beliefs that brings an opportunity your way. It's likely that things will be hopping in the career area for most of the month, with your drive and energy in this area in high gear. Just be wary of an over-active imagination that could deceive you or prevent you from seeing all the facts. Get it in writing before making any rash moves.

Starting around November 10th, you should see some action regarding your career. This will cover a variety of levels and could involve a major career or job change. If you've been less than enchanted with how you make a living, your income level, or your career (or lack thereof), you'll be giving this some deep consideration. Deep insights or understanding with respect to what you'd really like to do and perhaps how to get there will be available if you take the time to give it some thought. Don't be surprised if you

have the desire to do something that could make more of a difference for others and give you more satisfaction and come up with some inspired ideas on how to make this happen. Again, a reminder, however, that no matter how inspired you may be that you need to validate the impressions with fact.

The Full Moon on the 13th will reflect upon the culmination or closure of something related to your home environment. Something will either be completed or enter a new phase, so take note what it is. Around the 16th, expect some good news and/or useful information to come your way, but don't make any major moves without making sure it's based in reality. By the 21st an increase in your inspiration level will jump start some of that long-term action related to Saturn and Uranus noted earlier. The wheels are in motion, even if you don't recognize the daily activities as part of a larger plan.

Around the 25th, important news of some sort that affects you personally is on the way. A stumbling block may come along, but it should be easily stepped over with a bit of effort. The New Moon on the 27th indicates some new friends and associations are coming your way. A new set of hopes and wishes may be in there as well. This is a time when you should tune into your fondest desires and dreams for some direction. If you've been neglecting them, they're trying to get your attention. It's never a good idea to let your dreams die since a part of you will die with them. Bear this in mind if someone gives you some crap, which is likely, especially around the 29th. Nonetheless, there's a lot of positive energy out there this month to help you not only identify a few things that have been eluding you, but to have some good luck and unexpected assistance in making it happen. All of this smells like some serious improvements, but it's up to you to make the decisions necessary to put them in motion.

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