

December 2021 Astrological Outlook

GREETINGS:

I hope you shared a day of Thanksgiving with loved ones and ate well. As December arrives on **December 1st**, Neptune, the planet which asks us to dream big, go for more than we can imagine and open the right hemisphere of our brains loaded with infinite possibilities, begins forward movement in its home sign of Pisces after a 5-month retreat. With a total eclipse of the Sun at the New Moon in Sagittarius on **December 3rd & 4th**, we are completed the eclipse cycle of the past two years. During the past two years the eclipses occurred in the signs Gemini and Sagittarius. The energy from the sign Gemini had us grappling with the impact of our thoughts and words, as well as the Sagittarian task of questioning our philosophies and beliefs. How have your beliefs changed in the past two years? Did events challenge you so you could reshape your thoughts and connections to others? The Solar Eclipse on **December 3rd & 4th** closes this cycle, as we have an opportunity to re-examine our past and tie up old business.

NEW MOON TOTAL SOLAR ECLIPSE IN SAGITTARIUS (DECEMBER 3rd & 4th)

This magical total eclipse brings total darkness before the light of the Moon shows us her sword. This is time to graduate from the issues we have been shaped by in the past 2-1/2 years. The importance of our thoughts and beliefs may allow us to set the reset button, installing updates in our mental and philosophical operating systems. This relaunch is a time to reflect on how our beliefs have expanded. The mental energy at this eclipse is extra powerful since Mercury is traveling with the Moon and is the first planet the Moon touches after separating from the Sun. This is a time to journal, meditate, reflect and do rituals. We all have an opportunity to re-examine situations in our past, tying up old business.

VENUS IS A POWERFUL PLANET IN DECEMBER

Venus, the planet of our values and attachments, entered earthy, materialistic Capricorn on November 6th. Normally she makes a short visit of a month in each sign. In 2021-2022 she remains in Capricorn from November 6th – March 7th, taking a rest as she goes retrograde from December 19th - January 29th, leaving Capricorn on March 7, 2022. We all will have a course in thrift and release of what and who no longer serve us. Venus joins Pluto in Capricorn on **December 11th – 14th** supercharging our relationships, desires and issues with money and creativity. I am sure most of us will re-do our budgets and determine our worth at work. Venus is our social director, as well as our planet of discernment. On **December 25th** Venus rejoins Pluto for three days and gives us a second look at our relationships and what is or is not valuable, as she is nothing if not goal oriented as she visits Capricorn for the next few months. Time to make plans to get what we deserve and desire.

CELEBRATE THE WINTER SOLSTICE ON DECEMBER 20th – 21st:

In the Northern Hemisphere **December 20th** is the longest night in the year, allowing a return of the Sun on **December 21st**, a time of great celebration and ritual. For many years I enjoyed The Revels, which brought traditions of celebration to Houston, including the music, dance and stories of many countries. This is a powerful time to create a ritual of change as we enter the dormant season of Winter leading to the birth of Spring at the equinox in March. Time to make a 3-month plan. If I can help you create symbols and objects to bring greater imagery into your life, let me know. For over 30 years I have held group classes to bring this process into greater manifestation.

FINAL DANCE BETWEEN SATURN IN AQUARIUS AND URANUS IN TAURUS (12/24)

We have experienced major stress testing in 2021 as the planet of order, Saturn, squares off with the planet of chaos and change, Uranus pull us apart and make it challenging to move between and old and new, the predictable and the unexpected, a total shake up in our lives. The first of the three times we became aware of this tension was in February, the second in June, and now, for the last time in our lives in these signs, in December 2021. These two big energies usher in people and situations in our lives that are unexpected and, in many ways, unimaginable. We are reconsidering all of our relationships, money, values and belongings, keeping only what has long term value. Time to exhale.

JUPITER RE-ENTERS PISCES ON DECEMBER 28 AND LIFE BECOMES MORE INTERESTING AND MAGICAL:

Jupiter travels in 12 years cycles, expanding areas in our life without so much effort. Earlier in 2021 Jupiter visited Pisces (May 14th - July 29th). If this was a better, easier time for you, part two returns on **December 28th**, leaving on May 11 and coming in for act 3 from 11/29 -12/21/22.

Jupiter in Pisces brings us greater creativity, compassion, intuition, and a lot of magic. I have been waiting for 12 years for this giant planet to return so I can experience what it will bring to all of us. **STAY TUNED.**

MARS MOVES OUT OF THE DEPTHS OF WATERY SCORPIO AND ENTERS FIERY, JOYFUL SAGITTARIUS:

As many of you know Mars is the planet of action and decisiveness and is comfortable in the fire signs Aries, Leo and Sagittarius. He was drowning us in Scorpio from November 1-December 13. On December 14 Mars jumps into mutable fire sign Sagittarius, the master of a three ring circus and always overextended. It is time to have fun thereafter. This pattern is active until January 25, 2022 so you will have all of the energy you need to start over, make changes, enjoy life and take a trip.

FULL MOON IN GEMINI DECEMBER 18th – 19th:

The Gemini Full Moon reminds us of our options, including the fact that there are two sides to any story and at least two ways of seeing things. Gemini brings restlessness and strategic thinking, as well as a wicked sense of humor and an allergy to boredom. The Full Moon is a time of extremes as the Sun is opposite the Moon, creating light in all our dark places. Fortunately this Full Moon is in a balanced, supportive triangle to Jupiter in Aquarius, making it easy to have a great time with others and never be bored. Plan something wonderful at this Full Moon.

GIFT CERTIFICATES FOR YOUR FRIENDS AND RELATIVES, AS WELL AS GIVING YOURSELF THE GIFT OF AWARENESS THIS HOLIDAY SEASON:

If someone you love would enjoy a unique understanding of themselves, as well as a plan of action, timed with astrology in 2022, I have gift certificates available. A one hour consultation costs \$195 and a half hour consultation is \$100. My fees are going up \$10 in 2022, so get yourself a gift certificate and save \$10. Venus in Capricorn will applaud you for your thriftiness. I went to my first astrologer in December 1968 when I was moving back to Texas. It changed my life as I became more aware of who I was and found out that growth and transformation was an inside job!

WISHING YOU A BLESSED AND PROSPEROUS MONTH, WITH HEALTH. JOY AND PEACE,

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