Polarities

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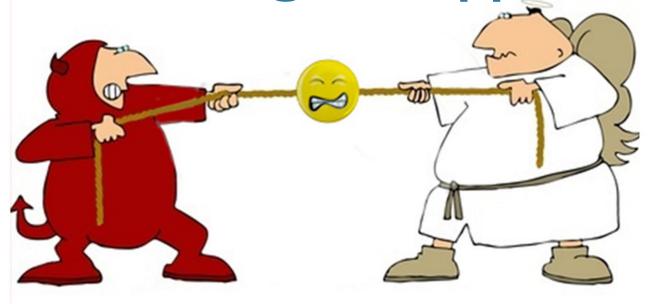
The twelve opposites must become the blended six, and this is brought about by the fusion in consciousness of the polar opposites.



The Balancing Act



Confronting the Opposites



- Recognizing and confronting the pairs of opposites
 - Personality views them as opposing choice: either/or
 - Good or evil; pain or pleasure; right or wrong; sense or nonsense
 - As a soul, we learn they are an inseparable pair
 - They have a definite purpose and work in tandem
 - Once we've learned to walk the "middle way" between the opposites

Finding Balance

- We begin the necessary work of balancing opposites
 - Finding the happy medium between them
 - Working from neither extreme



Planetary Opposites

- Sun and Moon
 - Day and night
 - Father and Mother





- Venus and Mars
 - Feminine versus masculine
 - Beauty versus brawn

- Jupiter and Saturn
 - Expansion versus limitation
 - Breathing out, breathing in



Sun Sign vs Rising Sign

- When the energies of the sun sign and planets are perfectly directed and adjusted
 - The pairs of opposites are astrally regulated.
- When the energies of the sun and rising signs are blended,
 - the opposites are mentally regulated
- Then a point of crisis emerges





Aries-Libra ~ Cultivating Balance in Relationships

Creating new ways to be in relationships while maintaining our individuality



Aries and Libra are part of the Cardinal Cross Aries Initiates Action – Libra Initiates Relationships

| Aries | | Libra |
|---|---------------|--|
| Rays 1, 7 – Cardinal Fire Ruler: Mars Ray 6 | Exoteric | Ray 3 – Cardinal Air Ruler: Venus Rays 2,5 |
| Ruler: Mercury Ray 4 | Esoteric | Ruler: Uranus Ray 7 |
| I come forth, and from the plane of mind I rule. | Key Phrase | I choose the way which leads between the two great lines of force. |

Aries.—The Light of Life Itself. This is the dim point of light found at the center of the cycle of manifestation, faint and flickering. It is the "searchlight of the Logos, seeking that which can be used" for divine expression. **Libra**.—The Light that moves to rest. This is the light that oscillates until a point of balance is achieved. It is the light which is distinguished by a moving up and down.

| Aries | | Libra |
|---|------------|---|
| Adventurous and energetic, pioneering and courageous, daring and confident, dynamic, sharp, quick | Strengths | Diplomacy, mediation, fairness, objectivity, equilibrium poise, peacemaking, sense of justice, right human relations, cooperative, persuasive, companionable, peace-loving, refined, artistic, sociable, suave |
| Selfish and quick-tempered, impulsive and impatient, headstrong, forceful | Weaknesses | Indecision, gullibility, too easily influenced or weak, difficulty with confrontation or being assertive, judgmental, over compliance – peace at any price, dependent on partner, loves intrigue, pouting, easily deterred, hypocritical. |

ARIES



Aries — The warrior at the edge of a new frontier. Born to initiate something new that may require standing alone and remaining strong. Being a risk-taker; demonstrating leadership.

LIBRA



Libra — one chooses rightly between opposing factions. Through powers of tact, cooperation, and diplomacy, Libra finds "win-win" situations that serve the highest good.

The house with Aries on the cusp in your natal chart is where you will be challenged to be bold and pioneering; where new things will keep emerging. Where you will need to express leadership and take initiative.





The house with Libra on the cusp is where you are challenged to establish right relations; find harmony and balance; where you may have to make difficult decisions or choices.

Aries Rules the 1st House

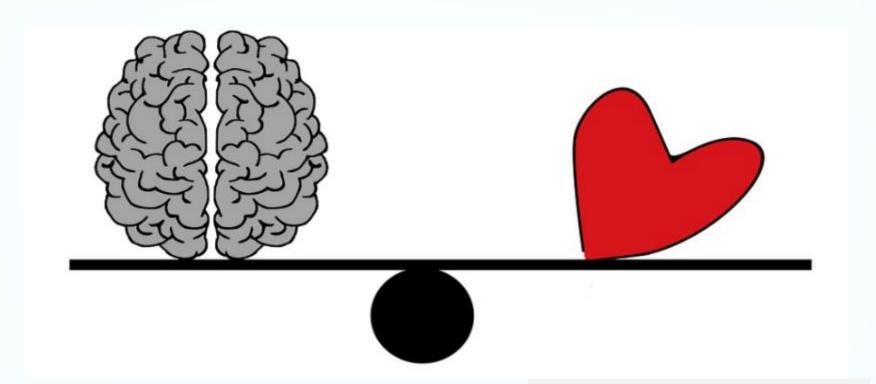
Exoteric – the physical body, physical appearance, activities of the personality, brain/head, urge for personal space, the ego in action.

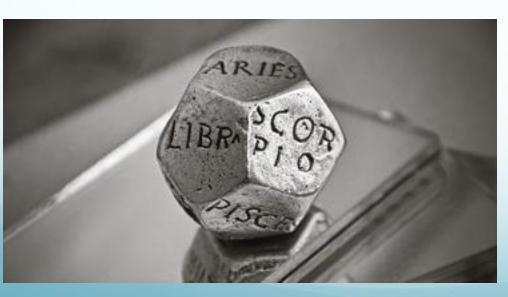
Esoteric – the body and activity of the Soul, the aura, emergence of the Soul purpose/potential, qualities of the Ray type, crown chakra, expression of the manifested will.

Libra Rules the 7th House

Exoteric – open enemies, partners, significant other, marriage.

Esoteric – the Dweller on the Threshold, soul mate, special coworkers, the Path of Union.









Aries

The Inception of Karma The Unrelated Self Adversarial relationships Masculine force Rugged Individualist, roughness A Warrior, friction Don't get mad... Standing on principle The Dictator The Leader, Executive Government The laws of the Self (at all levels) Proclamation; declaration The resurrection of Spirit from matter

Libra

The Balancing of Karma The Related Self Cooperative relationships, partnerships Feminine force Sociable Man, polish A Peace-maker, harmony ...get even Unprincipled compromise, appearement The Diplomat The Legislature, Consensual Government The laws of society (at all levels) Meditation; negotiation

The balanced expression of

Spirit in matter

Exoterically, Excessive Action

- If the fiery force of **Aries** is improperly controlled, its headstrong impulsiveness unbalances airy **Libra**
 - Boisterous activity upsets delicately wrought arrangements, provoking a slap back at the offender.
- The Arian who demands absolute liberty for himself while disregarding the wishes of others, soon finds that he has rejected all meaningful relationships, and has nothing worth being free for.
 - The Libran compulsion to be conventionally correct can amount to self-betrayal and denial of spontaneity.

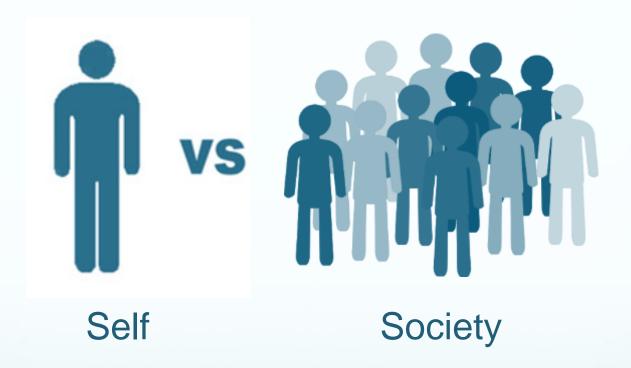




The warrior must learn from the peace-maker; yet the appeasing for the sake of peace Libran needs to learn to stand on principle like the Arian.

Exoterically, Deficient Action

- A deficiency of Arian incentive or of Libran social consciousness again unbalances the scales.
 - If Martian self-assertiveness is lacking, then we might also see an imbalance in the Venusian creativity that could be stifled by convention.
 - Similarly, indifference to the feelings and needs of others can lead to lethargy and non-accomplishment
- The Libran can be very sensitive to slights. If feelings are ruffled, he may refuse to budge.
 - This fear of disapproval accounts for his sitting on the fence when the Arian would kick it down.
- Both signs can swing erratically back and forth between extremes of vivacity and lethargy.



Aries is more about adversarial relationships while Libra is all about cooperative relationships and partnerships.

Resolution

- When Aries and Libra are joined in creative synthesis, a person realizes that it is necessary to achieve selfknowledge in order to relate meaningfully to others.
 - Conversely, it is only through entering into relationships that he becomes truly aware of himself.
 - People can function in harmony only because they are separate individuals with unique destinies to fulfill.
 - The Aries/Libra polarity demonstrates that love does not clutch and bind, but is a freely expressed relationship between independent entities.
- Libra manifests the effects of causes that Aries starts.
 - Man is forever meeting himself in the people and circumstances he encounters.

Aries – LibraOn the Higher Spiral



Establishing mental control, then balance and soul control over the personality. Aries represents the resurrection of Spirit from matter; while Libra is the balanced expression of Spirit in matter.

Relationship

- Exoteric For Ordinary Humanity
 - Unstable embryonic beginnings leading to the balancing of the lower psychic nature and its expression through form
 - Embryonic desire for expression consummates in the passion of satisfaction. Lower love controls.
- Esoteric For Disciples and Initiates
 - The achieved equilibrium, at the point of rest, provides the mental impetus for soul control.
 - Passion is transmuted into love and the initial desire of Aries becomes the full expression of love-wisdom.
 - Desire to manifest becomes the aspiration to be.

Points of Cooperation

- Aries and Libra are essentially one sign and govern the pathway to Shamballa
 - Aries rules the crown and Libra the base of the spine
 - When the relationship between them is clear the path of resurrection has been established
 - Kundalini can flow from the base of the spine to the crown
- Aries and Libra are both signs relating to the Law:
 - Aries governs the Law of self-hood
 - Ultimately the Oneself is a law unto Itself.
 - Libra governs the law resulting from social contract
 - They govern the relationship between the self and others

Points of Cooperation

- Aries and Libra are both found upon the Cardinal Cross and these signs govern initiative:
 - Aries governs individualistic self-related initiative
 - Libra governs social initiatives
- Aries and Libra are governed by hard-line rays
 - R1 and R7 for Aries and R3 for Libra.
- They are similarly related through the planet Uranus
 - Esoteric ruler of Libra; hierarchical ruler of Aries.
- Both signs are associated with rights:
 - Aries the rights of the individual (a free agent)
 - Libra the rights of the individual within society.

Points of Cooperation

- Aries initiates the battle of the sexes
 - the relationship between Spirit and Matter
 - Libra in the early days governs uncontrolled human love and passion.
- Both signs are associated with the path:
 - Aries rules the burning ground
 - Libra the noble middle path or the razor-edged path

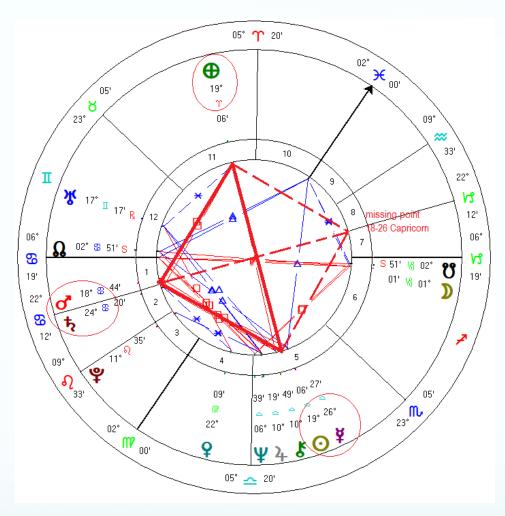
Libra is a sign of balancing, of careful weighing of values, and of achieving the right equilibrium between the pairs of opposites.

It might be regarded as the sign in which the first real vision of the Path appears and of the goal towards which the disciple must ultimately direct his steps.

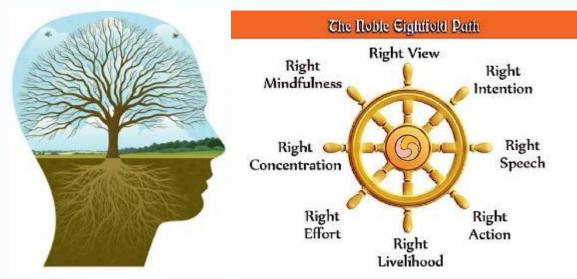
This Path is the narrow razor-edged Path which runs between the pairs of opposites and which—if it is to be safely trodden—requires the development of a sense of values and the power to rightly use the balancing, analytical faculty of the mind.



Eva, 12 Oct, strong Libra-Aries Sun-Earth axis (Geocentric, Tropical, Placidus) **ASPECTS** Name Angle Conjunction 0,00, 05° 🌪 20' 0°00'S Opposition 180°00' Φ 0 0°00' A 120°00' Trine 90°00' Square 0°20' A 02° ₩ 60°00' Sextile 0°22' S ⊙ 00' 19° 0°22' S 05' m 0°30' A ď 23° 0°45' A 06' 09° 0°50' A ** 0°50' A 33' 10 11 0°59'S 1°16' A П 1°49' S **冰** 17° _{□ 17' R} ٧đ 12' Sg Hs Ρt Name 6 Moon 06° 06° Ω 02° 🛭 51' S 11 Earth 8 ٧đ S 51' 😘 02° 5 Sun 19' 19' 5 ⁰¹′ 😘 01° Mercury 18° 😂 44' 4 Venus 24° 8 20' Mars ٠ Sg Name 8 5 Jupiter Aries 12' Saturn Taurus Π 12 Uranus П Gemini 09° 4 8 5 Cancer Neptune Ψ 33, **V** ญ ญ 3 Pluto (_{39'} 19' ^{49' 06' ^{27'}} Virgo (06° 10° 10° 19° 26° 05' 5 Chiron 09' Libra 8 12 North Node æ ₩ Scorpio 23° 22° Sagittarius 6 South Node 02° V3 Capricom Ascendant 8 Aquarius 00' 10 Midheaven Pisces RAYS 05° 🚣 20' 1st Ray **ELEMENTS*** 2nd Ray MODES* 3rd Ray Fire 3 4th Ray Cardinal Earth 6 5th Ray Fixed 3 8 11 Air 6th Ray Water Mutable 7th Ray



Cardinal T-Square With Sun-Earth axis





Taurus-Scorpio ~ Cultivating the Mind to Transform Relationships

Overcoming our lower natures to develop right speech, right thought, right action, and right human relations overall.



Taurus and Scorpio are part of the Fixed Cross
Taurus Stabilizes Accomplishments - Scorpio Stabilizes Feelings

| Taurus | | Scorpio |
|---|---------------|---|
| Ray 4 – Fixed Earth | | Ray 4 – Fixed Water |
| Ruler: Venus Ray 5 | Exoteric | Ruler: Mars Ray 6 (Pluto Ray 1) |
| Ruler: Vulcan Ray 1 | Esoteric | Ruler: Mars Ray 6 |
| I see When the mind is opened, all is illumined | Key Phrase | Warrior am I, and from the battle I emerge triumphant |

Taurus—The penetrating Light of the Path. This is a beam of light, streaming forth from the point in Aries, and revealing the area of light control.

Scorpio—The Light of Day. This is the place where three lights meet—the light of form, the light of soul, and the light of life. They meet; they blend; they rise.

| Taurus | | Scorpio |
|---|------------|---|
| Patient and reliable, warmhearted and affectionate, sensual, persistent and determined, mild-mannered, simplicity | Strengths | Powerful, passionate, magnetic, creative, resourceful, insightful, transformative power, penetrating, motivated, private, executive, determined, scientific, investigative, probing, passionate |
| Possessive and jealous, greedy, stubborn or inflexible, lazy, attached to comfort and pleasure, overly simplistic | Weaknesses | Jealous and resentful, compulsive or obsessive, secretive, manipulative, sneaky, destructive, vengeful, jealous, temperamental, overbearing, violent, sarcastic, suspicious, intolerant |

TAURUS



Taurus — Is here to be a wise steward of the Earth's resources, to become grounded, to manifest beauty and to illuminate.

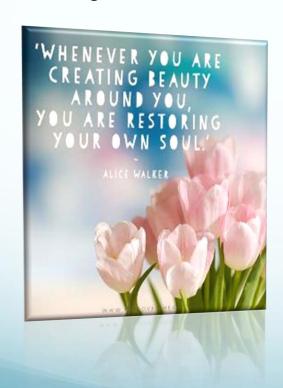
SCORPIO



Scorpio — test, trial and triumph! The task of Scorpio is to transmute lower desire into Higher Will through the testing and purging of the personality; to become victorious over the lower nature.

The house with Taurus on the cusp is where you will be challenged to create and manifest beauty and learn to manage resources wisely. It is where you need to simplify what you are learning to value.





The house with Scorpio on the cusp is where you will be challenged to radically change or transform your life; where something will have to end in order for something higher to emerge.

Taurus Rules the 2nd House

Exoteric – finances, personal resources and values, personal uses of material resources, attitudes about money, talents and gifts, gains resulting from the right use of resources.

Esoteric – spiritual resources and values, prana, uses of material forms for soul purposes, use of talents and gifts as an expression of soul purpose, gains resulting from the right use of resources, increase in the ability to manifest form.

Scorpio Rules the 8th House

Exoteric – transformation and regeneration, sexuality, transmutation of values, other people's resources, death.

Esoteric – the path of discipleship, vehicle of rebirth into the consciousness of the Soul, transmutation of personal desires into the needs of the Soul, resources needed by the group, transformation of form.



Taurus

Illumination takes the place of... Aspiration The Light of Love Identification with desire Attachment, attraction Acquisition Earthly material desires Peacefulness, bucolic tranquility The builder **Transmutation** Speech Inertness, stolidity The will to live in form Buddha—Illumination through struggle

Scorpio

... the "darkness of experience" Conflict with duality The Fighter The relinquishing of desire Detachment, repulsion Sacrifice The purifying water War and bloodshed The destroyer **Transformation** Silence and depth Passion and intensity The will to die, or leave form Hercules—Strength through testing

Exoterically, Excessive Action

- Scorpio is associated with all forms of letting go, while Taurus is associated with holding on and accumulation
- Taurus-Scorpio are also connected with desire, the misuse of this leads to trouble in a number of ways
 - Over-emphasis on sex, overbreeding, overeating
 - Materialistic grab for possessions or manipulation of people and resources, leading to battles





Acquisition of material possessions is a trait of Taurus, while Scorpio broods intensely about life

Exoterically, Deficient Action

- Taurus, related to Mother Nature and the Moon, connects this sign to the Mother
 - Children who had a poor relationship with their mothers often have psychological issues/character flaws as adults
- Scorpio is associated with some dark behavior, usually rising out of a sense of deprivation
 - It can also be traced psychologically to malnutrition
- The failure to develop a sense of values in Taurus can be inherited in the legacy we pass on in Scorpio





Practical versus compulsive

Resolution

- Taurus-Scorpio relate to value
 - Money, property, inheritance; desire and death
 - The passion for giving and taking must be superseded by the concept of sharing and renewal
 - According to the law of conservation of energy, nothing is ever really lost, the energy just transforms
 - Birth / death are transitions from one condition to another
 - The physical vehicle is only a temporary vehicle of the soul for this one lifetime, but the soul remains
- Sex divides us arbitrarily into genders or social groups
 - Love draws us together again

Taurus - Scorpio On the Higher Spiral





Using soul wisdom to overcome desires and establish right relations.

Buddha—Illumination through struggle

Hercules—Strength through testing

Relationship

- Exoteric For Ordinary Humanity
 - Powerfully focused lower desire leads to death / defeat
 - Triumph of the lower nature eventuates in the awakening to satiety and death
 - The man is the prisoner of desire
- Esoteric For Disciples and Initiates
 - The final victory of soul over form
 - Death and darkness demonstrate as life and light as the result of this energy relationship
 - The dark night of the soul becomes a radiant sun

Points of Cooperation

- These signs are a bi-polar pair with many similarities
 - Both are fixed signs, considered at this stage of evolution the paramount signs of the Fixed Cross
 - Locked in a dynamic interaction, both signs of struggle
- Both are powerfully related to the desire nature
 - Their connection with the astral body is profound
- Both represent the great human drama of light vs dark
 - Desire for darkness followed by desire/aspiration for light
- Both of these signs can be considered power signs
 - Power often relates to what has been accumulated under the impulse of desire
 - They are financial signs: accumulated value adds to power



The great human drama of light vs. dark

Points of Cooperation

- They are also a great drama of attachment/detachment
 - First attachment to material values (Taurus)
 - Followed by detachment from material (Scorpio)
 - And attachment to spiritual values
 - Engineered by Scorpio and finding its fulfillment in Taurus
- Together they officiate at the reorientation of the desire nature (transforming the human into its divine state)
- Relationship of will-to-desire is also worked out here
 - Vulcan representing the Spiritual Will and Mars representing the desire of the form
 - In this respect Taurus represents the spiritual and Scorpio represents the forces of desire

Points of Cooperation

- These are both signs of intense sexuality and are associated with the sacral and throat centers
 - Sacral is related to the impulse to build and destroy
 - Building also occurs at the throat center on a higher level and destruction can occur through the word as well
- The 4th ray is distributed through both signs
 - The 4th ray pouring through Taurus and Scorpio relates to our solar system which is of the 4th order
- Additionally the 1st ray comes in Taurus through Vulcan and in Scorpio through Pluto
- Both of these signs are signs of profound warfare
 - Taurus "Let struggle be undismayed"
 - Scorpio "Warrior am I and from the battle I emerge triumphant

Makara Comparison of Signs by Michael Robbins

Points of Cooperation

- In the early days, the combined forces of Taurus-Scorpio represent extreme Maya and illusion
 - The maya of the material, earthly plane
 - The glamor and illusion of the astral plane
- Both of these signs can also be associated with the buddhic plane (4th Ray)
 - Taurus with the clear, seeing, single eye which brings the unitive vision of the buddhic plane
 - Scorpio with the light of the intuition which resolves all dualities and ends the power of the serpent of illusion

The darkness of the experience in Scorpio becomes illumination in Taurus.

For it must never be forgotten that where the pairs of opposites are concerned they gain and profit from each other, for there is a direct line of force and of contact between the two.

This is a fact which is seldom recognized.



WHEN THE
PERSONALITY COMES
FULLY TO SERVE THE
ENERGY OF ITS SOUL,
THAT IS AUTHENTIC
EMPOWERMENT.

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Gemini-Sagittarius ~ Cultivating a Dialogue between Personality-Soul

Creating new ways to awaken the intuition and become more directed toward the Soul



Gemini-Sagittarius are part of the Mutable Cross Gemini Adjusts Relationships – Sagittarius Adjusts Action

| Gemini | | Sagittarius |
|---|---------------|---|
| Ray 2 – Mutable Air Ruler: Mercury Ray 4 | Exoteric | Rays 4,5,6 – Mutable Fire Ruler: Jupiter Ray 2 |
| Ruler: Venus Ray 5 | Esoteric | Ruler: Earth Ray 3 |
| I recognize my other self and in the waning of that self I grow and glow. | Key Phrase | I see the goal; I reach that goal, and then I see another |

Gemini—The Light of Interplay. This is a line of light beams, revealing that which opposes or the basic duality of manifestation, the relationship of spirit and of form. It is the conscious light of that relationship. **Sagittarius**—A beam of directed, focused Light. In this the point of light becomes the beam, revealing a greater light ahead and illumining the way to the center of the light.

| Gemini | | Sagittarius |
|--|------------|--|
| Clever, adaptable and versatile, communicative and witty, curious, bright, intellectual, youthful and lively, expressive, congenial, mental agility, awareness of the duality of oneself | Strengths | Optimistic and freedom-loving, jovial, honest, straightforward, philosophical, wise, ability to see the big picture, broad-minded, global vision, idealistic, rapid intuition, adventurous, love of experience, athletic, generous, just, religious, scholarly, enthusiastic |
| Scattered, nervous, superficial, inconsistent, overly talkative, unstable, changeable, restless, scheming, lacking in concentration or follow-through | Weaknesses | Blindly optimistic, careless, reckless, irresponsible, unfocused, tactless, blunt, restless, exaggerative, lack of restraint, fanaticism, argumentative, overly talkative, procrastinating, self-indulgent, blunt, impatient, a gambler, pushy, hot-headed |

GEMINI



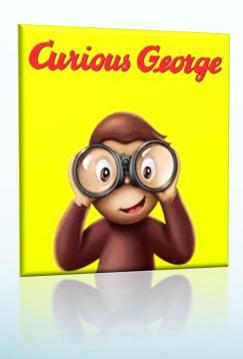
Gemini — to give love wisely and apply wisdom lovingly; to balance head and heart; to promote right relations; to bring dualities to resolution; to still the mind.

SAGITTARIUS



Sagittarius — the task is to experience all facets of life in order to develop a complete acceptance, understanding, and love of all cultures and people; to become spiritually focused and learn to trust one's vision.

The house with Gemini on the cusp is a source of education and learning for you; where you will be curious, versatile and fun-loving; what you like to talk and think about.





The house with Sagittarius on the cusp is where you will be challenged to explore and expand your horizons; where you can dream the impossible dream; where you need to have more faith and trust.

Gemini Rules the 3rd House

Exoteric – concrete, rational mind and mental processes, communication, spoken and written word, search for knowledge, short journeys, gains resulting from the right use of resources, brothers and sisters.

Esoteric – mind substance, manas, mental telepathy, the path to Wisdom, developing the lower antahkarana, steps along the path, soul brothers and sisters, companions along the Way.

Sagittarius Rules the 9th House

Exoteric – long journeys, religion and philosophy, differing orthodoxies, higher education, legal activities.

Esoteric – the path, the repository of Universal Truth, the synthesis of all beliefs, higher mind, cosmic law.



Gemini

The Messenger

The Teacher

Treading of many paths

The immediate environment

Knowledge, concrete

Multi-directional

Changeable perception

Doubting and skeptical

Flexible

Prevarication

Factual

Tangential, beside the point

Interested in the facts

Sagittarius

The Adventurer/Explorer

The Preacher

The Path itself achieves glorification

The distant horizon

Wisdom, abstract

Uni-directional, one-pointed

Steady and clear-eyed

Full of faith and belief

Potentially rigid in its idealism

Truth-telling

Exaggerative

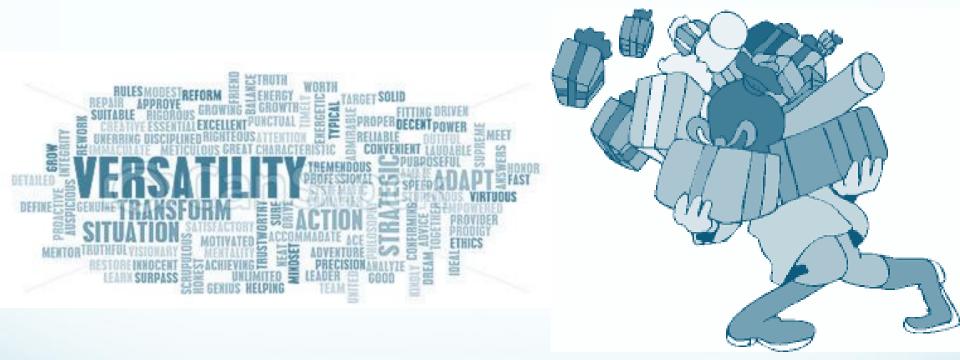
Straight to the point

Interested in the meaning and

significance of the facts

Exoterically, Excessive Action

- Gemini is the wanderer, flitting here and there to experience all things and situations, never landing in one spot too long
 - He seeks and gathers facts with no coordinating theme
 - His efforts to rectify his sense of inadequacy stimulate constant motion as he tries to adapt to every contingency
- Sagittarius is the ponderous philosopher, with strict beliefs and moral standards
 - But may be limited by a conviction of having found the one and only truth, creating religious prejudice and bigotry
 - Mental growth only occurs through the complexity of individual relationships within the overall scheme



Flexibility

Over-extension

The flexible, versatile Gemini breezes through everything, while the Sagittarian gets bogged down overextending himself in many situations.

Exoterically, Deficient Action

- When confidence in the divine order of the universe is lacking, we lose our ability to relate man to God
 - Resulting in a cynic who knows everything, believes nothing
- The Gemini refuses to categorize facts
 - He refrains from declaring where the facts should lead, wanting individuals to make up their own minds
- The Sagittarian's complacent assumption that he is the chosen messenger results in his refusal to face facts
 - He believes education and religion are like stones, to be cemented together to create a sum greater than its parts
 - But those can also become stumbling blocks in the path



Knowledge



Wisdom

Resolution

- For a balanced Gemini-Sagittarius axis
 - Knowledge should lead to faith
 - And faith should inspire a quest for increased knowledge
- Problems are not solved by intellect, but are resolved by the progressive expansions of consciousness
 - The wisdom to apply Gemini's accumulated information comes through the Sagittarian's travel, study, meditation
 - And the philosopher can't just sit on the sidelines, he needs motion and a quick mind to join the human race

Gemini - Sagittarius On the Higher Spiral



Establishing control of the opposites; resolving duality through one-pointed spiritual action.

Gemini is the messenger and teacher,

Sagittarius is full of faith and is the preacher

Relationship

Exoteric - For Ordinary Humanity

 Fluid interplay and instability leads to personality focus and determination. The man is one-pointedly devoted to personality achievement. The threefold lower nature, synthesized and directed controls all activity.

Esoteric - For Disciples and Initiates

• The result of this related pair of opposites is that there is one-pointed soul effort, spiritually directed activity and a demonstrated readiness for initiation. There is the waning of the power of form and the waxing of the life of the soul.

Points of Cooperation

- Both are highly mental signs
- Very active at the time of individualization
 - Both have to do with bringing intelligence to the earth
 - Both share an Earth rulership and relationship to Ray 3
 - Earth ruler Sagittarius esoterically and Gemini hierarchically
- Both signs of great activity and changing environment
 - There will be more scatter in the movement of Gemini
 - More one-pointed purposefulness in Sagittarius
- Both are active in movement from intellect to intuition
 - Gemini is associated with the intellect and intuition
 - Sagittarius almost always with the intuition and higher mind
 - Together they form the energy which creates the antahkarana bridge between lower mind and higher mind



but a fire to be kindled." Plutarch

Points of Cooperation

- Both are closely connected with the throat center and with expressing points of view
 - Gemini will be more verbal and filled with variety
 - Sagittarius will be more impassioned and philosophical
 - The throat center is an important means of expression for both and related to the expression of intelligence
- Both also closely related to the ajna center
 - Gemini for its dualism, as the ajna center is dual
 - Sagittarius for the power of unification for the ajna center is a major directing and integrating center
 - once dualism has been resolved

Points of Cooperation

- Both signs attempt to achieve mental perspective through wide exposure
 - Gemini masters the details of the big picture and
 - Sagittarius the major themes
- Both greatly value freedom of mobility
 - Suffering in any type of confined, overly repetitive situation
- Both signs are known for their keenness of vision
 - There is a certain liveliness to be found in their eyes
- Both share a rather buoyant sense of humor
 - Generally are known for their positive attitudes
- Both are mutable signs
 - Related to the intelligence of the Christ aspect for the soul

Gemini is sometimes called the "constellation of the resolution of duality into a fluid synthesis".

It governs all the pairs of opposites, preserving the magnetic interplay between them, keeping them fluid in their relations in order eventually to facilitate their transmutation into unity.

For the two must finally become the One. The twelve opposites must become the blended six, and this is brought about by the fusion in consciousness of the polar opposites.

To the initiate whose intuition is functioning they constitute but six great potencies, because he has achieved "the freedom of the two" as it is sometimes called.



Cancer-Capricorn ~ Cultivating Experience for Soul Growth

Creating new ways to embody the inner spark of Divinity as we experience life, climb the mountain of achievement, and find our way back to that Divinity



Cancer and Capricorn are part of the Cardinal Cross
Cancer Initiates Feelings – Capricorn Initiates Accomplishments

| Cancer | | Capricorn |
|--|---------------|--|
| Rays 3,7 – Cardinal Water | | Rays 1,3,7 – Cardinal Earth |
| Ruler: Moon Ray 4 | Exoteric | Ruler: Saturn Ray 3 |
| Ruler: Neptune Ray 6 | Esoteric | Ruler: Saturn Ray 3 |
| I build a lighted house, and therein dwell. | Key Phrase | Lost am I in light supernal, yet on that light I turn my back. |

Cancer.—The Light within the form. This is the diffused light of substance itself, the "dark light" of matter, referred to in The Secret Doctrine. It is the light awaiting the stimulation coming from the soul light.

Capricorn.—The Light of Initiation. This is the light which clears the way to the mountain top, and produces transfiguration, thus revealing the rising sun.

| Cancer | | Capricorn |
|---|------------|---|
| Emotional and caring, creative and imaginative, domestic and security-oriented, protective, sympathetic, nurturing, tenacious, 'rootedness', sensitive, intuitive, maternal, good memory. | Strengths | Practical, prudent, ambitious, disciplined, patient, pragmatic, cautious, responsible, careful, conscientious, industrious, power to survive and achieve, scrupulous, conventional, businesslike, perfectionist, traditional, hardworking, serious, economical, reliable. Conforming to the highest law and will. |
| Changeable and moody, overemotional and defensive, clingy and excessively attentive and/or attached, brooding, touchy, too easily hurt, negative, manipulative, too cautious, lazy, sorry for self, fear and worry, timid, self-protection. Will do anything to | Weaknesses | Pessimistic, gloomy, miserly, negative, materialistic, domineering, unforgiving, fatalistic, stubborn, brooding, inhibited, cold, status-seeking, over-ambitious, judgmental, rigid, task master, inflexible, suppressed, isolative. Considered the most crystallized sign in the Zodiac. |

protection. Will do anything to

protect members of 'family'.

CANCER



Cancer — to broadly care for and nurture humanity; to purify the emotional body and become more impersonal; to be the 'Divine Mother'.

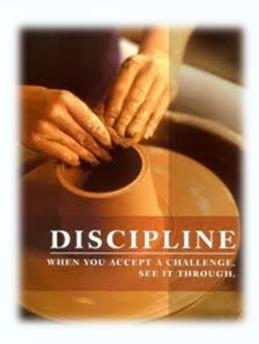
CAPRICORN



Capricorn — to develop patience, persistence, and perseverance by working productively within the limitations of matter, time and space in order to progress spiritually; to become increasingly involved with the Forces of Light, and assume greater responsibilities in helping to manifest the Divine Plan on Earth.

The house with Cancer on the cusp is where you will be challenged to make yourself at home; where you are to "build a lighted house" and demonstrate nurturing and caring.





The house with Capricorn on the cusp is where you are here to achieve, accomplish, and live with greater purpose; where you need to apply greater discipline.

Cancer Rules the 4th House

<u>Exoteric</u> – biological inheritance, mother and immediate family, psychological foundations, endings, home.

Esoteric – biological karma, the World Mother, the Group Soul (source of our Soul brothers and sisters), foundation for the building of self-consciousness, karmic conclusions to life circumstances, Ashram of the Master, spiritual home of the disciple.

Capricorn Rules the 10th House

Exoteric – the father, authority figures, honor and status in the world, social responsibility, career and profession.

Esoteric – spiritual Will expressed as purpose, the Masters, Hierarchy, your teacher, opportunities for spiritual advancement, enforcing the will of the Masters, externalized field of service.



Cancer

Instinct Matter is spirit at its lowest point... The Mother, maternal, leniency Kwan Yin—the "Mother of Compassion" The Defender, compassion The Home, domestic duties Family Tradition The Gate into Rebirth Imprisonment through incarnation Struggle between soul and personality is focused in Cancer Dependency and attachment Emotional, soft, receptive The Past; looking backwards; retrospection

Capricorn

Conscience ...spirit is matter at its highest. The Father, paternal, strict Sanat Kumara—the "Ancient of Days" The Prosecutor, justice The Office, professional duties The Law of the Land The Gate into the Initiated State Liberation, release from incarnation Struggle between soul and personality is ended in Capricorn Independence and detachment Non-emotional, hard, assertive The Future to be achieved through initiation

Exoterically, Excessive Action

- Cancerians, like water, spread themselves thin
 - Mothering/nurturing energy that can tend to give too much
 - It is a restless sign (R3), and natives can move often
- Capricornians, like earth, concentrate their forces
 - Father/disciplinary energy, can tend to restrict too much
 - It is a stable, hard working sign
 - Able to endure hardships to do his duty
- The living, growing organisms born in Cancer harden into the organizations of Capricorn



Nurturer



Authoritarian

The Moon and Cancer promote growth from within, while Saturn and Capricorn enforce external limitations

Exoterically, Deficient Action

- Parenting styles can inhibit the behavior of children
 - A child who grows up with insecurity compensates by having no—or unrealistic—standards
 - A child growing up with a strict disciplinarian can rebel and show little initiative
- In Cancer a person builds a home and a personality
- In Capricorn he continues to live in that home, no matter how deficient it's structure has become





Responsible, Assertive Person

The warm, soft, receptive sensitive person versus the responsible, non-emotional, hard and assertive person

Resolution

- The purpose of authority is to protect, and firm structures grow out of true caring
 - Some measure of security, nurturing, and discipline in the early years instills a basic sense of order at the core
 - They "feel in their bones" the rightness of things
- This axis represents the womb (Cancer) of time (Capricorn)

Cancer - Capricorn On the Higher Spiral





Honing and nurturing the sensitivity and intuition of the soul in preparation for initiation. Matter is spirit at its lowest point.....spirit is matter at its highest.

Relationship

Exoteric - For Ordinary Humanity

 The urge to incarnate leads to the densest incarnation and immersion in form. The pull of form life and the processes of concretization control. The man arrives after many incarnations at a point of crystallization.

Esoteric - For Disciples and Initiates

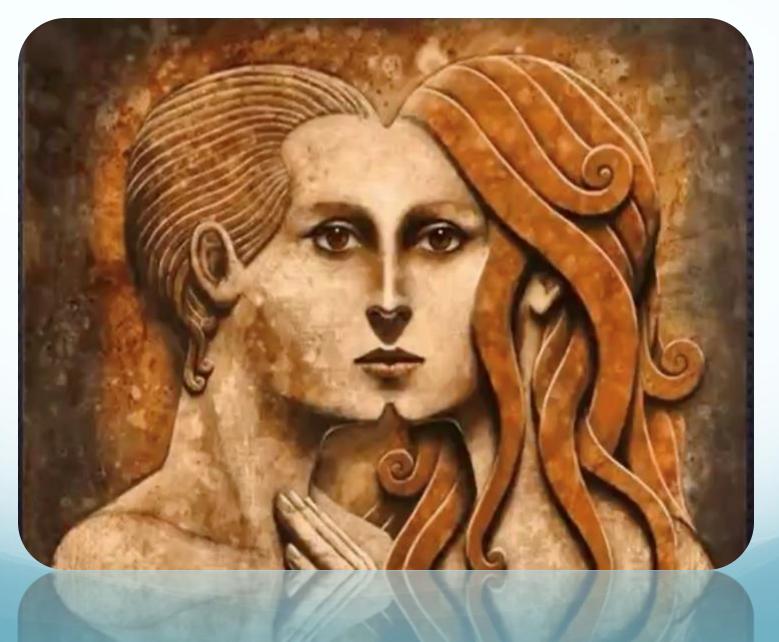
 The initiate now chooses to incarnate and passes freely and at will through both doors. The pull of matter is superseded by the free choice of the soul. Form life becomes a conscious method of expression for service.

- Both are Cardinal signs, related to great initiatory movements in the early days of evolution
 - And great movements of release in later evolution.
- Rays distributed are similar
 - Cancer 3rd and 7th Rays
 - Capricorn 3rd and 7th Rays and 1st
- Two great parental signs of the zodiac
 - Cancer is maternal and Capricorn paternal; yet both share a great tendency towards parental caution / control
- There is a keen respect for the form in both cases.
 - They solidify and stabilize the form as a housing for the developing spirit.

- Both are associated with the birth and death process.
 - Both are signs of life: Cancer, life upon the physical plane
 - Capricorn, life within the higher dimensions.
 - Both are signs of death: Cancer, seen as the death of the higher consciousness due to incarnation, immersion into matter.
 - Capricorn, death of the physical form through crystallization
 - Or discipline liberating the consciousness into higher spheres.
- Both have to do with Karma,
 - Hereditary karma relating specifically to Cancer/Moon
 - Law of Karma and retribution being directly related to law enforcement, Saturn/Capricorn

- Just as the Sun and Moon must wed for the process of evolution to be complete
 - Capricorn and the Sun (masculine), and Cancer and the Moon (feminine) must likewise form a united pair
- From one point of view they represent
 - The Crown center (Capricorn), paternal energy
 - And the Base of the Spine (Cancer), where the energy is deeply maternal
- The great drama of the interaction between spirit and matter is governed by the inter-action of these 2 signs

Capricorn and the Sun (masculine), and Cancer and the Moon (feminine) must form a united pair



- Both are signs of control and both contain power.
- They provide the power of manifestation
 - Cancer at this time being the pre-eminent conduit of Ray 3
 - Capricorn being the conduit of Ray 7
 - Although both share both Rays, and together supervise the embodiment of spirit and manifestation of Ego in form
- From another point of view, these signs represent the forces of obstruction making incarnation difficult
 - Great lunar forces (Moon/Cancer) captivate spirit in form
 - The laws of matter (Saturn/Capricorn) also prove obstructive

In time and space the controlling factor and determining condition is the sensitivity of the incarnated soul to form life, leading to incarnation through the door of Cancer, or to soul life, leading to initiation through the door of Capricorn.







Leo-Aquarius ~ Cultivating a Sense of Wholeness and Group Purpose

Creating new ways to transform selfconsciousness into group consciousness



Leo and Aquarius are part of the Fixed Cross Leo Stabilizes Action – Aquarius Stabilizes Relationships

| Leo | | Aquarius |
|---------------------------|---------------|---|
| Rays 1, 5 – Fixed Fire | | Ray 5 – Fixed Air |
| Ruler: Sun Rays 1,2 | Exoteric | Ruler: Uranus R7 |
| Ruler: Sun Rays 1,2 | Esoteric | Ruler: Jupiter Ray 2 |
| I am that, and that I am. | Key Phrase | Waters of Life am I, poured forth for thirsty humanity (men). |

Leo.—The Light of the Soul. A reflected point of light logoic, or divine. The light diffused in Cancer focusses and reveals eventually a point. **Aquarius**.—The Light that shines on Earth, across the sea. This is the light which ever shines within the dark and cleansing with its healing rays that which must be purified until the dark has gone.

| Leo | | Aquarius |
|--|------------|---|
| Generous and warm-hearted, creative, able to lead or direct, integrity, self-awareness, confidence, self-assured, generous, dramatic, optimistic, proud, dignified, romantic | Strengths | Friendly and outgoing; humanitarian, original, inventive independent, intellectual, serving for the benefit of all, innovative, humane, progressive, tolerant, unique, scientific, logical, intellectual, right sharing, original, freedom-loving, altruistic |
| Pompous and patronizing, bossy, intolerant, misuse of power, overly competitive, vain, domineering, extravagant, arrogant, childish, status conscious, overbearing, cruel, boastful, pretentious, autocratic | Weaknesses | Contrary, unpredictable, unemotional, temperamental, bored by detail, too fixed in opinions, rebellious, excessive extroversion, cold/aloof, emotionally superficial, eccentric |

LEO



Leo — the glyph itself can perhaps be seen as an emergence out of Cancer, out of mass consciousness to self-consciousness.

AQUARIUS



Aquarius — The task in Aquarius is to build community and develop group life and spirit; to champion humanitarian causes; to demonstrate fellowship and Brotherhood. To wake up to the universality of Spirit and unity of all beings.

The house with Leo on the cusp is where you will be challenged to "shine" and take the lead; where you need to demonstrate courage and heart; where you express your royalty and individuality, method of self-expression and basic approach to life.





The house with Aquarius on the cusp is where you will be challenged to be progressive or seek alternative methods; where you need to awaken or be awakened; where your group resides.

Leo Rules the 5th House

Exoteric – personal creative will, creative activities, romance, love affairs, children, hobbies, favorite activities.

Esoteric – expression of the spiritual will, actualization of the higher self, will expressing as love, the soul as parent, the will to serve.

Aquarius Rules the 11th House

Exoteric – friends, hopes and wishes, organizations and clubs, political activities.

Esoteric – members of your group of co-workers, spiritual visions and aspirations, the New Group of World Servers, service to Humanity.



Leo

The King of Kings Isolated Unity The Kingdom Monarchy; aristocracy The Tyrant; domination Centralization, the individual Individual consciousness The one, self-service The Lover; passion **Evolution** Synthesis of Being The heart Individual creativity

Aquarius

The Ashram of the King of Kings Unity in Diversity Utopia Democracy, meritocracy The Revolutionary; suffrage Decentralization, the group Group consciousness The many, group service The Friend; dispassion Liberation Synthesis of Diversity The circulatory system Group creativity

Leo – Aquarius

Exoterically, Excessive Action

- When Leo's desire to shine is ego-based, the negative side of Uranus manifests through deviant behavior
 - The egocentricity and eccentricity often work together
- The coming Aquarian Age should favor democracy, but Leo dictatorships can hide behind facsimiles of democracy
 - The more they insist that individuals should surrender their prerogatives, the more they demand for themselves
- Instead of Aquarian humanitarian ideals, science and resources are exploited to wage war and dominate people
- Eventually the excesses of power-mad dictators provoke the revolutionary side of Aquarius
 - And in the uneasy balance between freedom and regimentation a new equilibrium is established

Leo - Aquarius





THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX

Individual creativity versus dynamic and unconventional creativity

Leo – Aquarius

Exoterically, Deficient Action

- Leo's power can operate sub-consciously and hide a domineering attitude
 - The undeveloped Leo might fail to see (or not care) how oppressive he comes across to others
 - He can see outcry as unappreciation for his efforts
- Aquarians realize that self must be sacrificed for the sake of the group
 - They can appear impersonal or superficial, yet the submerged ego may assert itself in subtle ways
 - Individuals must become self-reliant before developing global consciousness, or their work will be futilely dispersed and ineffective

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Leo - Aquarius



Centralization, the individual versus decentralization, the group

Leo – Aquarius

Resolution

- Aquarius reconstructs society with the ideal of equal rights and liberties for all
 - A real democracy of freely-operating citizens, each illumined by the light of consciousness
 - Not part of the masses easily manipulated by politicians
- Leo and Aquarius must inspire statesmen who are concerned with broad principles, working for the group
 - The Leo artist develops a universal outlook through intense concentration on the forms he shapes
 - The Aquarian scientist develops keen insight into the nature of objects and the formative laws of the universe
- The liberty men seek must be won through the intuitive mind; desire for freedom must come from the heart.
 - Only when mind and heart come together can man achieve his full creative power.

Leo – AquariusOn the Higher Spiral





On the higher spiral: self-mastery leading to group awareness, service

Leo – Aquarius

Relationship

Exoteric - For Ordinary Humanity

• The individual seeks full expression and arrives finally at the point where he uses his environment for purely individual ends. He dominates his fellowmen for entirely personality objectives. The isolated individual becomes the group ruler or dictator.

Esoteric - For Disciples and Initiates

 Personality interests as an expression of the individual are submerged in the good of the whole. Selfish individual man becomes the world server. Heights of noted service are then reached in both signs.

Leo – Aquarius

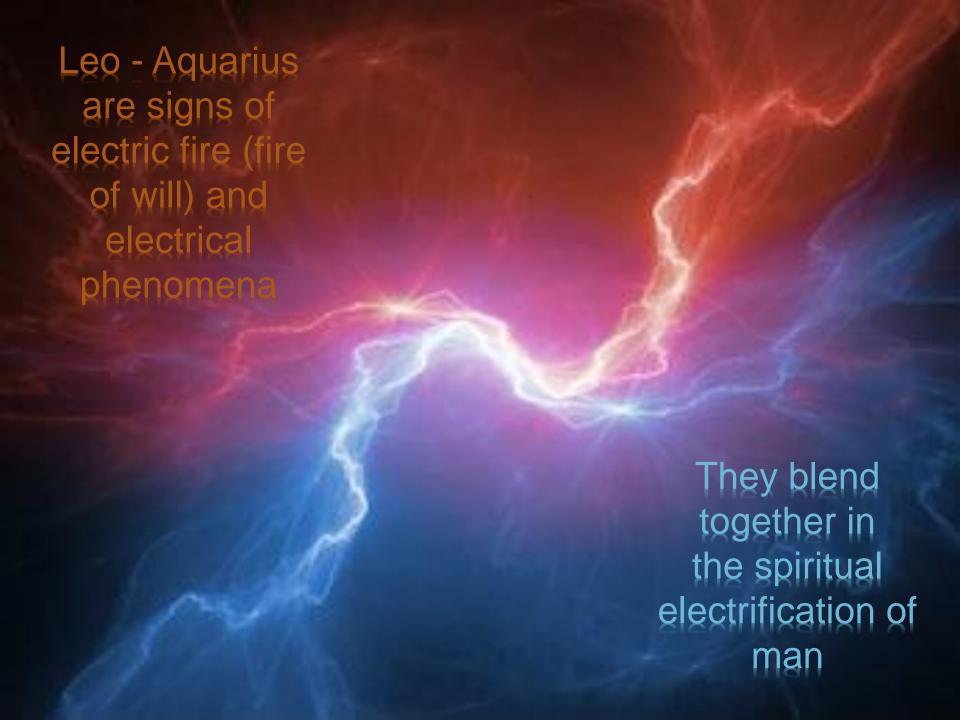
- These two signs are in essence, one sign.
 - They are the signs that rule the coming Aquarian age
 - Where the relationship between the individual and the group must be adjusted.
- Both are great signs of intellect
 - Carrying the 5th Ray; relating to the scientific spirit.
- They are signs of great vitality and the solar prana
 - Ruled by the Sun and Leo,
 - Animating the etheric body ruled by Aquarius.
- Leo distributes Ray 1; Aquarius does not
 - Yet Aquarius is just as much associated with the powerful Great Bear, so a powerful 1st Ray association

Leo – Aquarius Points of Cooperation

- Of the air signs, Aquarius is the one most associated with the 1st aspect of Divinity.
 - Adding great willfulness to Aquarius (as in Leo)
 - Rulership by Uranus supports a strong Aquarius will
 - As does the Moon veiling Vulcan as hierarchical ruler
- The 5th Ray learns to master energy.
 - Leo and the Sun are a source of energies for our solar system, a great reservoir of vitality
 - Aquarius with its 5th Ray rulership has always been considered the sign where multiple, new energies are disclosed for new applications by humanity.
 - The scientific task is to discover unsuspected energy sources and to reveal them.

Leo – Aquarius

- Leo is commonly associated with solar fire (1st aspect)
 - Given its 1st and 5th Ray rulerships and its ultimate rulership by Uranus (hierarchically considered)
 - This associates both Leo and Aquarius with Uranus, the major sign of electrical phenomena and electric fire.
- Electric fire is the fire of the will
 - So both of these signs are blended together in what might be called the spiritual electrification of man.
 - The Sun and Leo represent the seed of spirit which is for humanity, the home of electric fire
 - Aquarius represents the distribution of that electricity to all areas of the multi-faceted aura



Leo – Aquarius

- Aquarius and Leo are involved in the great problem of the one and the many (unity and variety).
 - The only true wisdom is to realize that the one is the many and the many are the one; in the Aquarian age, we'll see a grand display of multiplicity.
 - Life is simple now by comparison, for under the influence of Aquarius the many, many dimensions of human living and even planetary living will be revealed
- However, the essential sense of self-hood, the sense of unification, will also grow strong
 - Because of the sense of identity at all levels
 - Not only will we have the group, but powerful individuals at the center of groups, inspiring/vitalizing the groups
 - With the sense of the absolute unity at the heart of it all

Leo – Aquarius Points of Cooperation

- romes or cooperation
- Neptune is also powerful here, esoteric ruler of Leo
 - And a hierarchical ruler of Aquarius (veiled by the Moon)
- Essentially these are signs with great heart.
 - Love and will can be beautifully blended here
 - Jupiter is also associated with both (Sun and Jupiter both Ray 2 planets; and Jupiter as esoteric ruler of Aquarius)
 - If the 1st initiation is taken largely under the sign Leo which rules the opening of the heart center, it is the Aquarian group that can stimulate people to take this initiation.
 - In this most amazing, scientific age to come, it is the heart of humanity which must be stimulated.
- Aquarius is the sign of service, related to the world server pouring forth energy for the benefit of all.
 - Yet both of these are signs of great expression, of extroversion, outgoingness, and service.

In these signs—Cancer, Leo, Sagittarius, Capricorn, Aquarius, and Pisces—you have the six signs which constitute the six pointed star of the human or fourth Creative Hierarchy

Cancer and Pisces marking the two extremes. The Crab symbolizes imprisonment (the hard shell and the rocks under which the Crab ever takes shelter), and the Fish signifies freedom.

In between—in Leo, Sagittarius, Capricorn and Aquarius—come the four stages of personality development, struggle with the pairs of opposites, and finally release into full spiritual service.

Leo, individual consciousness (I know); Aquarius, group consciousness (I go forth).



I am the only one who can make America truly great again!

— Donald Trump —

AZQUOTES

Leo Ascendant Gemini Sun Sagittarius Moon Taurus MC

Aquarius Ascendant Leo Sun Gemini Moon Scorpio MC









Virgo-Pisces ~ Cultivating the Influence of the Hidden Christ

Creating new ways to release the compassionate heart.



Virgo and Pisces are part of the Mutable Cross Virgo Adjusts Accomplishments – Pisces Adjusts Feelings

| Virgo | | Pisces |
|--|---------------|---|
| | | |
| Rays 2,6 – Mutable Earth | | Rays 2,6 – Mutable Water |
| Ruler: Mercury Ray 4 | Exoteric | Ruler: Jupiter Ray 2 (Neptune, Ray 6) |
| Ruler: Moon Ray4 (veils Vulcan, Neptune) | Esoteric | Ruler: Pluto Ray 1 |
| I am the mother and the child; I God, I matter am. | Key Phrase | I leave the Father's house, and turning back I save. |

Virgo.—The blended dual Light. Two lights are seen—bright and strong, the light of form; one faint and dim, the light of God. This light is distinguished by a waxing of one and the waning of the other. It differs from the light in Gemini. **Pisces**—The Light of the World. This is the light, revealing the light of life itself. It ends for ever the darkness of matter.

| Virgo | | Pisces |
|--|------------|--|
| Modest and shy, meticulous and industrious, practical and diligent, analytical and discriminating, hard worker, detailed oriented, fact-finding, exacting, clean, humane, seeks perfection, studious | Strengths | Imagination, sensitivity, compassion, kindness, selflessness, sacrifice, inclusive, healing, devotion, idealism, gentleness, charitable, creative, sympathetic, emotional, intuitive, introspective, musical, artistic, dreamy, sensitivity to impression, poetic, power to serve, courageous, patient |
| Fussy, worrier, overly-critical and too harsh, perfectionist, too analytical, petty, cold, critical, melancholy, a worrywart, fears disease and poverty, picky, sloppy, skeptical | Weaknesses | Escapism, idealism, fanaticism, victim-consciousness, hypersensitivity, easily overwhelmed, weak-willed, vague, indolent, impractical, dreaminess, sentimental, often feels misunderstood, self-denial, emotionally inhibited, melancholy, procrastination |



Virgo — is here to produce form and to nurture the life within form; to quietly serve and attend to the details of life and service.

PISCES



Pisces — the goal is to detach from the non-essentials of life and serve humanity with great compassion, tolerance and understanding. Pisces serves humanity selflessly and tirelessly; is gentle, tender and kind.

The house with Virgo on the cusp is where you are to work and serve dutifully; where you are to be "the hands of God at work"; where you are to demonstrate skill in action; where you are to devote time and energy.





The house with Pisces on the cusp is where you will be challenged to discern between illumination and illusion; what you need to transcend; where you need to be empowered and less of a victim.

Virgo Rules the 6th House

Exoteric – service, servants, health and well-being, employees, work, pets, techniques and skills.

Esoteric – Service, servers, synthesis of the lower vehicles, wholeness, integration, those who are served, service to the animal kingdom, service to humanity, the knowledge to build the Antahkarana.

Pisces Rules the 12th House

Exoteric – hidden enemies, selfundoing, prisons and institutions, secret activities, hidden resources, crucifixion of the personality.

Esoteric – unredeemed past karma, inversion of the soul force, bondage to the personality, selfless service to humanity, awareness of past lives, service to the world savior.



Virgo

God-imminent

The Loyal Servant

Mental Mediums

The Analyst, reasoner

The Thinker, rationalist

The Realist, the critic

Analysis

Mental, the critical mind

The tangible; rational

Creating lines of distinction

Discriminative, definite

Self-disciplining

Strong work orientation

Pisces

God-transcendent

The Loyal Savior

Trance and low-grade mediums

The Intuitive, knower

The Believer, mystic

The Fanatic, the dreamer

Synthesis

Emotional, the compassionate heart

The intangible; irrational

Dissolving lines of distinction

Confused, indefinite

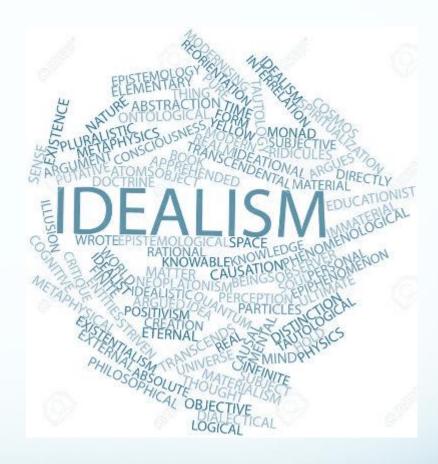
Self-indulgent

Frequent escapism and laziness

Exoterically, Excessive Action

- Pisces' profound astrality escapism and fantasy are the points of least resistance
 - They need Virgo's discrimination and discernment.
- Pisces' astral sensitivity stimulates human attributes
 - Empathy, sympathy, kindness, consideration, psychic awareness and love
 - Working through the emotional nature
 - The shadow side expresses through fear, hatred
 - Without a stabilizing force it results in destructive behavior
 - Delusions, or dependencies on drugs or alcohol





The rational thinker, or the idealistic believer and mystic

Exoterically, Deficient Action

- Virgo is labor and Pisces is love
 - Lack of a willingness to serve can signify a lack of sympathy or understanding
 - Through small favors we learn to care for people
- Virgo builds foundations for the Piscean air castles
- Virgo stands for hygiene, and Pisces irrationality can lead to undermined health
 - One can be seen as overly fastidious while the other hides behind self-defeating behavior
- Virgo works objectively while Pisces is subjective and retreats from the grossness of the outer world.

Exoterically, Deficient Action

- Pisces is a water sign of high emotional sensitivity the "watery nature" ruled by god of the waters, Neptune.
- Virgo's lower mind can produce criticism and separativeness, which can then sabotage the hypersensitive Piscean.
 - The result can be a Piscean dissolution of relationships
 - Picking a Piscean person to pieces can reduce the person to ill health, neurosis, and antisocial behavior
 - The insecurity of the undeveloped Virgoan can create a multitude of small worries, often creating anxiety



Discriminating



The reasoner and realist versus the irrational or dreamer

Resolution

- Virgo is service; Pisces is salvation
 - Redemption is gained by both good works and faith
 - The Virgoan seeks a place where his training can be used; the Piscean devotes himself to big issues
- Virgo is the Mother; Pisces the Savior
 - Virgo represents the harvest and cultivating food
 - Pisces represents the body sacrificed for the soul
 - Denoting the final release of the spirit rising from the outworn body.

Virgo - Pisces On the Higher Spiral





God Imminent

God Transcendent

Nurturing the Christ within the heart and bringing it into conscious manifestation.

Relationship

Exoteric - For Ordinary Humanity

 Virgin matter attracts the soul and the divine Mother becomes more important than the son. The life of the soul is hidden.

Esoteric - For Disciples and Initiates

 The form reveals and releases the indwelling soul. The Saviour of the world appears and nurtures the hidden souls in Virgo.

Virgo – Pisces Relationship

- Nurturing vs. imagining
 - Virgo has expressions of nurturing and healing, known for its down to earth practicality and meticulous detail orientation.
 - In this respect, the Virgin Mother brings to birth what Pisces conceives in its imagination, visionary or dream experiences

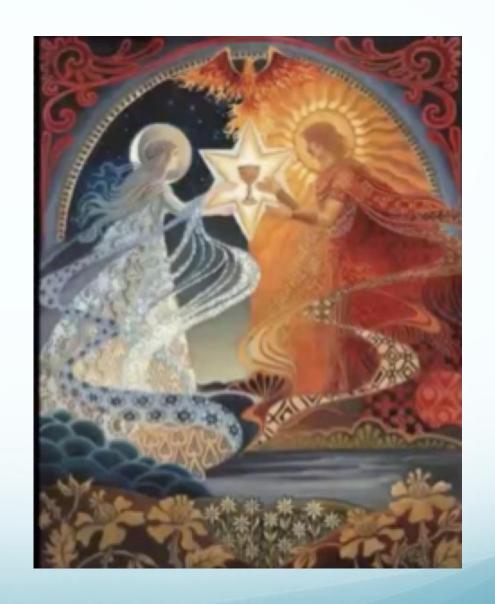
- Both are mutable or common signs; the cross of Christ.
- Identical Rays: R2of love-wisdom and the R6 of devotion
 - Christ was born of the virgin, Virgo, and became the world saviour, Pisces.
 - Virgo indicates the birth of the Christ and Pisces, the absolute fulfillment of the Christ principle.
 - Virgo represents the incarnation of the second aspect within the third aspect, matter.
 - Pisces, the absolute redemption of the third aspect by the second aspect.

- As Christ or the soul is the healer, both are healing signs.
 - Both are frequently associated with the medical professions and the 6th and 12th houses
 - Virgo, the pre-eminent sign of health and healing is opposite the flow of the endocrine system of Pisces
- As Christ is the true psychic, psychism is found pronouncedly developed, as well as mediumship
 - Mediumship is more unconscious says the Tibetan in Pisces and more mental or conscious in Virgo.
 - Psychism indicates an extension of the senses and both are associated with sensitivity to the not self.
 - The planet of psychism is Neptune, generalized ruler of Pisces and a veiled ruler esoterically (Moon) of Virgo.

- Both are signs of fulfillment
 - Indicated by hierarchical ruler Jupiter in Virgo and the orthodox rulership of Pisces by Jupiter.
- They are in a certain sense, consummating signs
 - Virgo consummating the first half of the zodiac and Pisces the second half and the entire zodiac.
- Pisces is also a sign much related to release
 - Early Pisces can be as materialistic as Virgo itself.
 - And these two signs are related to the mother (matter).
 - The evolutionary mantra of each bringing a strong association to matter.
 - Virgo: Let matter reign.
 - Pisces: Go forth into matter.

- Both signs share an affinity with bondage.
 - Pisces is the preeminent sign of bondage, of handicap, of the subservience of Spirit to matter (of soul to form)
 - Virgo ruling the dense material element and especially that which is brought over from the first Solar system, also carries the theme of bondage.
- Both signs are related to the heart center
 - In Virgo, the birth of the heart occurs
 - In Pisces, salvation through the heart.
 - And this is mediated through the planets Jupiter and Neptune, both associated with the heart.
 - They are equally associated with the solar plexus expressing the sixth Ray.

Both signs relate to the Heart Center: in Virgo the birth of the heart occurs, in Pisces salvation is achieved through the heart.



- Both signs are signs of synthesis
 - The glyph of Virgo indicates a material synthesis
 - Pisces draws all things into itself, taking from all signs, so a great and fluid intuitive synthesis is created.
- But the synthesis created in both of these signs is in fact a material synthesis
 - Virgo and Pisces both indicate subjugation to substance
 - The dominance of the material aspect, either through food or drugs or strictly materialistic processes.
 - They can be seen as powerful in relation to the Atlantean civilization which was a matriarchy
 - An astral focus was the norm for Atlanteans

- Virgo represents a preeminently mental polarization and Pisces an emotional, intuitional polarization
- Again we find service and saviorship in common.
 - Pisces individuals are the great helpers of the zodiac
 - Virgo represents attentive service to practical matters
 - Both have a very strong helping orientation and are characteristic of the helping professions
- There is a quality of humility or self effacement found in both signs.
- Both signs characterize the life of the aspirant/disciple
 - There are many ego defeating disciplines which must be undertaken upon these paths.

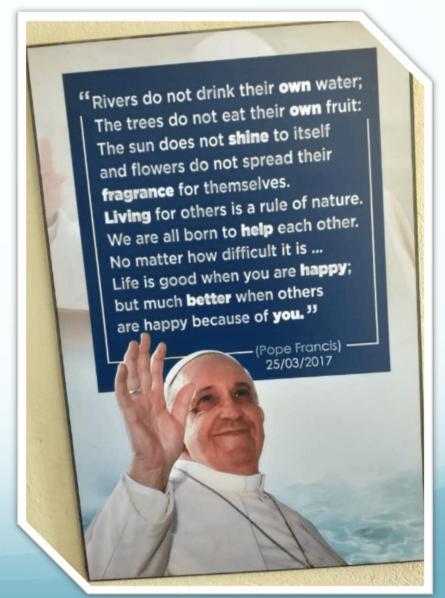
In Virgo, the man who was fluid in Pisces begins to focus more intently and to reason and think. The intellect is awakening and instinct—after passing through the emotional stage—is being transmuted into intellect.

The man lives in and experiences in all the signs, but the influences of the Mutable Cross have more effect on him until he becomes aware of the dualities of the Fixed Cross.

Finally the energies of the Cardinal Cross emerge and the revelation of the Christ consciousness in Virgo is carried forward by the illumined disciple. The great achievement is finished in Pisces and release of the soul from captivity as the final death is undergone.

Illustration of 2 world religious leaders and their compassion, purpose, and underlying energy with a Cancer Ascendant, chart ruler Neptune in Virgo in the 3rd house and Saturn in Pisces in the 9th for both of them.

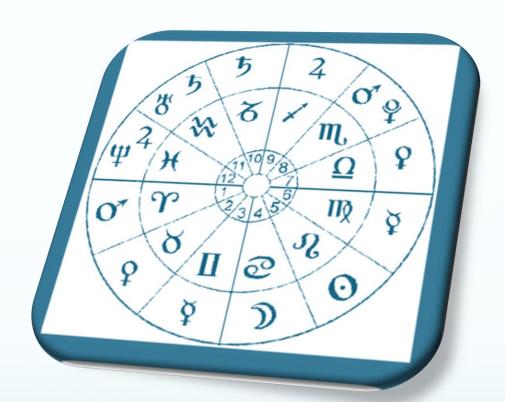




Polarities



• When the energies of the **sun sign** and **planets** are perfectly directed and adjusted, the opposites are astrally regulated



- When the energies of the sun and rising signs are blended,
 - The opposites are mentally regulated
 - Then another point of crisis emerges

Full Moons



- During a full moon, the sun and the moon are in opposite signs.
 - When we say, there is a full moon in Taurus, in actuality, the sun is in Taurus while the moon is in Scorpio.
- DK tells us at these special times the energies of the sun-moon axis can be contacted with greater facility
 - Enabling Humanity to approach the Hierarchy in a manner not available at other times
 - Allowing NGWS to become more responsive to hierarchical impression

The twelve opposites must become the blended six, and this is brought about by the fusion in consciousness of the polar opposites.

To the initiate whose intuition is functioning, they constitute but **six great potencies**, because he has achieved "the freedom of the two".