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Hi again!

Welcome back to the 19th issue Lunar Notes! I hope you enjoyed your Christmas and Chanukah holiday. Lunar Notes is a free monthly e-Newsletter that discusses the cycle of the Moon as well as the symbolism of the New and Full Moon, Eclipses and other significant planetary aspects during the upcoming month. I've compiled a list of 2004 planetary stations, retrogrades, eclipses as well as New and Full Moons for 2004. The two-page list is posted to both of our websites and on the Lunar Notes Yahoogroups.com homepage. Relationship issues are also discussed under the **Soul Mates/Relationship Section**. If you missed the 1st Issues of Lunar Notes you can locate them on my websites: www.KarmicAstrology.tv or www.FuchsiaStars.com Anyone wishing to subscribe to this newsletter can do so by submitting your e-mail address through Yahoogroups.com and you will automatically be subscribed to Lunar Notes or you may send a blank e-mail to FuchsiaStars@aol.com and write the words "Subscribe Lunar Notes" in the subject heading of your mail.

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We're Forgiven by The Calling

Well, I would like to think,  
the world hasn't seen,  
That all the best is still to come,  
And I know life ain't easy.

I pass them sleeping on the streets,  
Their bloodstained hands and dirty feet,  
And I can't ignore them,  
Any more then I already have.

So we laugh, and we smile,  
and we play our games of sweet denial,  
But don't tell me we're forgiven.  
If we hold, all our breath,  
If we kneel right down and just repent,  
You can't tell me we're forgiven.

Start with me, I cannot lie,  
When my heart doesn't follow my eyes,  
Turn away from all the suffering,  
That surrounds our time on this earth,  
For some their life has been a curse,

I say I'm sorry and I should change,  
You know it just could be me someday.

There's no way out of here,  
I don't want to die, and leave it all behind  
Each day part of me disappears  
But who am I to judge,  
what's been sent from above

We can't laugh, we can't smile  
When so much just ain't right  
It can't go on forever...  
If we hold, our breath,  
If we kneel down and repent,  
You can't tell me we're forgiven, no,  
You can't tell me we're forgiven.

The year of 2003, a # 5 year, (2+0+0+3=5) brought many changes and instability to our country and to our beliefs about our political leaders as well as our personal security. The energy of a #5 year revolves around issues of independence and freedom both individually and collectively. Major changes happen when in a #5 year and we've certainly had or share of changes this past year. Fives are always changing and don't like to be tied down to any convention. Independence is key and intuition runs high too. Sometimes energy is scattered in a #5 year.

In the tarot deck, the #5 card is the Hierophant. The Hierophant embodies the masculine principle and the urge to find spiritual meaning. Although he appears to be a "traditional" religious man, he stands more for the need to reach a spiritual understanding within each of us. It is his desire to seek personal "truth" and meaning in life. This past year was a test of our personal beliefs, what we value most and I feel will continue for the next 14 years with Uranus entering Pisces and then Aries.

This year, transiting Saturn in Gemini (tradition, boundaries, karma, patriarchy) opposed Pluto (transformation, analysis, change, breaking down) for a face off part of the year. Saturn now transits retrograde in the sign of lunar ruled Cancer. Saturn is the natural ruler of Capricorn, the polar opposite of Cancer. This Cancer/Capricorn polarity embodies the theme of patriarchy versus matriarchy, amongst others. Also during this year we had the unconventional, erratic and unpredictable energy of Uranus in Aquarius, finally in its last degree, before entering Pisces. For the last 7 years Uranus in Aquarius revolutionized the way we communicate via the Internet, with web cams, and handheld devices. Uranus in Aquarius also wreaked havoc on the lives of Leo's, the opposite sign as well as the sun signs of Scorpio and Taurus, the signs in 90-degree square aspect to Uranus in Aquarius. Uranus tends to speed up and quicken or irritate those planets into action that it touches by transit.

**URANUS INTO PISCES THEN ARIES**

The erratic, unpredictable planet of revolution, change, electricity, the Internet, Astrologers, iconoclast Uranus, will enter the mutable, water sign Pisces on December 31, 2003 and stay in that sign until May 27, 2010 at which time it will enter 0 Aries. It will never see the likes of the sign of Aquarius again in this lifetime.

Uranus is all about change, whether you like it or want it or not. Compassion and sympathy for the underdog is possible. Unique water purification systems are likely to be developed. Issues concerning the quality of our waters/oceans and sea life may be emphasized with Uranus in Pisces. Planets in Virgo are in opposition to Uranus in Pisces and there may be new health issues (Virgo) that surface in relationship to our drinking water (Pisces) or immune system.

However, he will not stay in Aries and will retrograde backwards into the sign of Pisces on August 15, 2010. It will not return to the sign of Aries until March 13, 2011. It's interesting to me that Uranus transited Aquarius during a #5 year and will enter compassionate Pisces in 2004 in a #6 year.

Once Uranus enters fiery, Mars-ruled Aries, the themes and lessons of Pisces will have been incorporated and the seeds planted for germination will begin to sprout. Uranus in this masculine sign will initiate the new collective ideas carried over from Pisces that of unconditional love, compassion and service to humanity. We will no longer accept the mask others place before us and will choose truth over a cloud of deception. Those feminine principles of "natural law" defined by matriarchy will oppose the man-made laws of our patriarchal society. It will be realized that those man made laws no longer work for us collectively or individually and will manifest new form while Uranus transits Aries. Saturn now transiting the sign of Cancer and the Eclipses in the signs of Capricorn and Cancer in 2000/2001/2002 has already triggered and set that theme of change into motion.

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NUMEROLOGY OF YEAR 2004 = 2 + 0 + 0 + 4 = 6 - LOVERS CARD

The energy of a # 6 year is about compassion, acceptance, responsibility and being of service. There is a deepening concern for family and home in a number 6 year. Romance and the need for a partner, family and friends are important this year. In the tarot deck, the 6th card is The Lovers card. The Lovers depicts the unclothed bodies of two lovers, a man and a woman. They bare their souls' to each other. The man gazes upon the woman while the woman looks up to the spirit, Archangel. As the angel hovers over the couple, arms and wings spread as if blessing the pair. The sun shines above his head, bringing warmth and security and light. The leaves on the tree mirror the hair on the Angels head...a symbol of the fires of passion burning deep within the lovers' soul. This sun and fire is also symbolic of our life force and our impulse to create. The fertile grass beneath their feet, and fruit on the tree suggests growth and happiness.

However, with all the cards or aspects in a birth chart, there can be negative manifestations of the symbolism of this card. The snake coiled in the tree behind the

woman is a gentle reminder of the story of Adam and Eve and the temptations we may be faced with. There are 3 people in this card...not 2. In this regard, the third person could be an intruder to the relationship or an intrusion or diversion on your spiritual path.

Triangulation can occur when there is a choice to be made between two lovers or two situations. The Lovers card "is" a card of choices. Choices can be between sexual love and spiritual love although they are closely related. The card can imply the struggling temptation between our immediate material or physical desires versus staying true to ourselves on our spiritual path focusing on our path and future choices. There can be a conflict between different forms of attraction.

When we see the Lovers card in a reading, it can augur the coming or presence of a Soul Mate relationship. It mostly represents our most intensely intimate and sexual relationships. Because this is a card of choices, when we see it in a reading it could test our personal beliefs as well as our values within that relationship. We may need to choose between what is right for us and what is wrong for us. This could be an ethical or moral choice. In this card, the urge for (spiritual) union is rather powerful and it takes love to the highest spiritual level, symbolic of the Angel. When "The Lovers" appear, it always refers to a relationship based on a deep, unwavering love. There is no force more powerful. It doesn't always have to be a sexual relationship although the mutual sexual attraction can be unrivaled.

This card reminds us to stay on the spiritual path we initiated in the #5 year and to not be swayed by temptation (materialism), the serpents in the tree. Uranus in the sign of Pisces will lead the way for completely new beginnings when it plants its seeds at 0 Aries.



Happy Birthday Capricorn the Sea Goat! Happy Birthday to all of those born from December 22 - January 21! Key Phrase for Capricorn is **"I UTILIZE "**

Capricorn is a Cardinal (action oriented, starter), earth (practical and grounded) sign located in the Eastern Hemisphere of the chart. Capricorn governs the 10th house of the natural zodiac. Capricorns are considered the workaholics of the zodiac and Saturn expects nothing less from us than he is willing to do himself. Capricorns are dutiful, reliable and steady. Many Capricorns were the children who everyone would ask advice of. Many Capricorns were old before their time, wise beyond their years and very mature. They tend to act younger with each passing year wanting to make up for all that lost time! Capricorn in health issues relates to the skin, bones/skeletal system, knees and arthritis...illnesses where inflexibility or rigidity settles in the body.

Your ruling planet is the restrictive and structured planet Saturn. In traditional astrology, Saturn is considered to be a malefic planet and tends to operate through our fear. Saturn is considered to be thrifty, tactful, disciplined, stern, cold and severe. When Saturn transits our chart he usually brings some kind of limitation to our lives. Frustration and hard work is expected from Saturn. If you have met the challenge and worked through a Saturn transit, you will often manifest wisdom and benefits from your hard work. Sometimes when Saturn transits your chart decisions are made or finalized. On the positive

side when you are self-disciplined and self-directed at a task, accomplishment and financial gain is your "Saturnian" reward. If you have Saturn strong in your chart, you may be drawn to antiques, ruins, ancient times and even collecting old objects of substance and worth.

Saturn and the sign of Capricorn reside in the 10th house of the zodiac and starts at the cusp called the MC or Medium Coeli. The 10th house is typically linked to structures, real estate, your public reputation and work in society, timing, cycles and wisdom earned as a result of difficult tasks. The 10th house, the ruler of the 10th and planets in the 10th are also symbolic of the mother, traditionally, or the parent who was most influential in your life. Saturn is a tough teacher and taskmaster, if you will. He sets limits, boundaries and obstacles for us to overcome. Depending on how well we do, he may grant us a "reward"...a reward for our hard work. In Karmic Astrology, Saturn plays an important role and represents cycles of time. When we are in a "karmic" relationship, there is a feeling of lack of control over the events and circumstances within the relationship. Through these circumstances and events, we develop a new self-awareness, a new understanding of the person we are involved with and also how we relate to the environment. Saturn will often present us with someone approximately 7 years older or younger than ourselves. "When the student is ready, the teacher (Saturn) will appear." Some karmic relationships are teacher/student, parent/child or counselor/patient. There is something, which must be taught, and something that needs to be learned and understood...by both participants. When there are Saturn contacts in synastry (chart comparison) it will usually augur a lasting and binding relationship.

Martin Schulman, in his wonderful Karmic Astrology series states: "Every time our unconscious is working something out, it calls into our lives the people who have within the pieces of the answer we are seeking." What he means is that you may find that a certain type of person or situation repeatedly enters your life. Just as you end a relationship with one person with a particular problem, another enters your life, often disguised, with a similar problem! (that is if you haven't worked out the last difficulties) Or...you may meet several people consecutively with the same sun sign or the same hobbies. There is something the universe is pointing you towards and you must pay attention to what is being presented for you to learn. This is Saturn - the wise teacher and why others often consult Capricorn's for their terrific advice.

Capricorn's polar opposite (10th house - public reputation, real estate, business affairs, power, credit, profession and the Mother) is the cardinal, water sign Cancer (4th house - home, family, children, early childhood and). Career versus home life, working and family are issues that are frequently in conflict for Capricorns, also contingent upon other areas of the birth chart. When under stress each sign will operate through the most negative characteristics of their polar opposite, the sign 180 degrees opposite itself. In this case, when under stress, Capricorn can become ...just like cardinal, airy Cancer, ruled by the Moon and become emotionally distraught and withdrawn crawling into its shell for self-nurturing and comfort.

When Saturn transits your birth chart or if Saturn is significantly placed in your chart, you may experience restrictions, boundary issues, and responsibility.

Famous Capricorns: Happy Birthday to Rudyard Kipling, British Nobel Prize-winning Poet, December 30th, Henri Matisse, French Painter, and Actor Anthony Hopkins December 31st, American Flag Seamstress Betsy Ross, January 1st, Sir Isaac Newton, British Mathematician, January 4th, Alvin Ailey, NY Dance Company founder, January 5th, Astrologer/Astronomer Johannes Kepler, January 6th, Singers/Performers Elvis Presley and David Bowie, January 8th and Howard Stern, Radio Personality, January 12th.

Tarot Card # 15 XV - The Devil - Symbolic of Capricorn

The Devil Card in the Rider Waite Tarot deck is symbolic of some of the types of feelings we have when in an addictive relationship. We may feel so completely bonded to this person in an almost obsessive way. Because of this obsession we will often feel tied down or stifled by the intensity of this energy almost as if it is against our will! We often merge with this person on a very deep level losing our independence and allowing ourselves to be controlled and enslaved to this addictive feeling of sexual love. When we become addictive in our love patterns we often get caught up in appearances and the physical part of the relationship. We begin to limit ourselves, choosing to stay in the dark about other areas of the relationship. When we neglect seeing other areas of the relationship we can start to think negatively about seeing the relationship without this passionate energy and the intensity of the connection. We can become stuck in fear and doubt at this point.

On a mundane level, The Devil symbolizes our obsession with materialism. You may feel bound and controlled and owned by the possessions you have acquired, fearful of not having enough. We "are" what we own or without those "things" we are no one. Possessions and what we own only reflect our own inner insecurities, if that is all that brings us happiness. This doesn't always have to be a physical object as it can be a thought or a belief that keeps you stuck or self confined in self-destructive patterns, preventing of self-sabotaging your happiness.

The Symbol of The Devil may appear in a reading during a time when it's time to focus on ridding your obsessions over people, situations and material possessions that controls your life.

EARTH RENEWAL MOON (Snow Goose)

In Native American Astrology, those born from December 22nd- January 19th are born under the Earth Renewal Moon and their animal totem is the Snow Goose. Their color is white and quartz is their totem in the mineral kingdom. Quartz is a fairly hard mineral and comes in a variety of smoky pastel colors. Quartz is a power stone and has the ability to transmit and receive energy through it. Like the quartz, the Snow Goose has the ability to transmit and receive great powers to and from the universe. They have the ability to see clearly as long as they do not become too hard in their views or philosophies.

If you have ever seen Snow Geese flying overhead, you will see them fly in a V shape with an adult female as the lead goose. Each goose helps to break the air by those who follow. They make quite an impression on us with their "honking" and precision in flight. Snow Geese are also known to be nitpickers because they hate when things are left undone.

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**January, 2004**

**January 1, 2004 - HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

**January 3, 2004 - Jupiter turns retrograde (rx).** Jupiter starts the month at 18 Virgo 547' and ends up at 18 Virgo 52'. With Jupiter in Virgo, we may take a step back and be more discerning in our expansiveness. Our pleasures may be more reserved, tempered or serious. Inner spiritual growth rather than outer growth is the key. Jupiter in Virgo is be much more practical and realistic than when in the sign of Leo. All of the Virgos out there should be receiving some nice benefits with Jupiter in Virgo transiting your Sun...try to not don't over due it!

**January 7: Full Moon at 16 Cancer 40** - A full moon is a culmination of energy and in the sign of Cancer it is nurturing and emotional. Emotions, thoughts of family and children and your home may overwhelm you during this full moon. Watch the emotional "tides". Please take notice of crazy drivers on the road and try to not drive too quickly!

**January 6, 2004: Mercury goes direct at 26 Sagittarius 17** - Conjunction to the Galactic Center at 26 Sagittarius. When Mercury was in retrograde motion it wasn't the best time to make important decisions or purchases. Now you can make those purchases you wanted to make last year! The reflective thoughts turned inward for clarification can now be utilized and directed for what is practical for building a future.

**January 15<sup>th</sup>, Mercury in cardinal, earthy Capricorn** is methodical and practical and builds for future stability.

**Mars continues the month in fiery sign of Aries** - Mars is comfortable in his own sign. Mars in Aries is enthusiastic, assertive, attention seeking and ready to go!

**January 15, 2004: Venus in Capricorn enters Pisces** - Venus in Pisces feels comfort and ease in watery Pisces. Freedom to express feelings and sympathy is strong.

**January 21, 2003 - Sun enters Aquarius** - Happy Birthday Aquarius! Aquarius is fixed (stable and constant) air (thought). We will look forward to discussing the sign of Aquarius in the next issue of Lunar Notes.



**January 21, 2003 - New Moon - 01 Aquarius 10'.** New Moon is always a good time to start a new project or work on areas of your life you've let pass. In Aquarius we want to we want to create, invent and experiment. We may be more inclined to form new associations and friendships. It might be a good time to purchase new electronics or computer equipment.

**Saturn is still retrograde through March 7, 2004** - Saturn turned Retrograde at 13 Cancer 14' and its current degree is 09 Cancer 45'. Saturn in Cancer is all about our physical structures, restrictions and limitations as well as boundaries. Saturn is also about our commitments to our personal structure. In relationships, while Saturn is retrograde (backward motion) Saturn wants us to rethink and finish up any obligations or promises we have made that do not suit our purpose. If commitments made are no longer working then its time to set limits set boundaries about what we expect. If a relationship is not working, this is the time to let it go. Saturn ends up the month at 07 degrees Cancer 29.

**December 31, 2003 - Uranus in Pisces** - Uranus enters 00 Pisces on the last day of the month, December 31, 2003. Compassion and sympathy for the underdog is possible. Unique water systems are likely to be developed. Issues concerning our waters/oceans and sea life may be emphasized with Uranus in Pisces. Planets in Virgo are in opposition to Uranus in Pisces and there may be new health issues (Virgo) that surface in relationship to our drinking water (Pisces) or immune system.

**Neptune starts the month at 11 Aquarius 41' and ends up at 12 Aquarius 46'.** If you have planets in conjunction (the same sign and approximately the same degree) opposition to this degree (Leo) or in square (Scorpio and Taurus) you will feel the illusive effects of Neptune's transit the most over time. A deeper understanding of what's underneath may come to the surface and your dream life may intensify during this time. The dissolution of boundaries and illusions or the uncovering of the truth will be revealed.

**Pluto starts the month at 20 Sagittarius 29' and ends the month at 21 Sagittarius 28'.** Whatever Pluto touches in your chart will leave an imprint in your psyche. Pluto is in a fire sign burning holes in belief systems that no longer suit our life purpose. Pluto is all about personal power and regeneration, throwing out the old and bringing in the new, oftentimes after a complete overhaul!

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### **SABIAN SYMBOL'S:**

For those of you unfamiliar with the Sabian Symbol, the original Sabian Symbols were written in 1931 by Marc Edmond Jones. Dane Rudhyar later revised the symbols and others have re-interpreted the symbols periodically. Lynda Hill writes one of my favorite modern interpretations. The basis of these symbols is derived from the 360 degrees in the zodiacal circle. Each sign of the zodiac: Aries, Taurus, Gemini and so forth, is comprised of 30 degrees. Since there are 12 signs in the zodiac, that would be 12 signs X 30 degrees = 360 degrees. There are 360 Sabian Symbols and each symbol coincides with and describes each degree of the zodiac. If you know your birth chart, utilizing these symbols for each of



your planetary placements is rather telling and will provide you with greater insight into your own character traits and motivations.

### **FULL MOON January 8, 2003 - 16 Cancer 40'**

With a Full Moon, we see a culmination or coming to a head the seeds planted during the previous New Moon cycle. Lunar ruled Cancer is usually more affected by a Full Moon and especially in her own sign. Since the January 8th Full Moon falls in the sign of Cancer, this lunar energy will be emphasized. Cancer is a cardinal, water sign and resides in the 4th house of the natural zodiac, ruled by our satellite the Moon. Issues involving your home, children, nurturing, food, endings and the family may be your focus. If this Full Moon conjuncts (same approximate degree) or opposes (180 degrees opposite) a natal planet, you will be more likely to experience the affects of this Full Moon in the area of life (houses) it is located in your birth chart.

### **SABIAN SYMBOL FOR 17 Cancer:**

#### **A SEED GROWS INTO KNOWLEDGE AND LIFE**

When we plant a seed, there is excitement around the growth that will occur. The seed must be watered, fertilized and nurtured first for the seed to develop properly. Care and attention is necessary for it's progress. Sometimes this growth is very slow and it becomes frustrating that we must wait for the blooms. We can't force the plant to grow any faster than it is able to. It grows at its own pace, in its own time. Perhaps we feel that it's all taking too long.

This symbol urges patience and that will bring the fulfillment, progress and growth we desire in the area of life this symbol falls in your birth chart. New beginnings, new lessons, pregnancy and growth and paying attention to the nurturing of ideas are possible.

### **NEW MOON January 21, 2004 - 01 Aquarius 10'**

New moon = New Beginnings. New Moons augur a time to start new projects. Seeds (ideas and positive energy) planted during a New Moon will culminate and flourish during the Full Moon.

Since Aquarius rules the 11th house of the natural zodiac, this New Moon would be a good time to focus and visualize on these areas of your life. Focus may be you're your associations, friendships, organizations or clubs you belong to, stepchildren and your hopes and wishes.

### **SABIAN SYMBOL for 2 Aquarius:**

#### **AN UNEXPECTED THUNDERSTORM**

Thunderstorms often have a tremendous amount of energy. They seemingly come out of nowhere and act with urgency. They can be overwhelming and even frightening. This unexpected storm comes out of the blue. Even the symbol for the sign of Aquarius, the double-zigzagged lines look like thunderbolts! We are often advised to not panic during a storm as it will "blow over". We should be alert and attentive and not get blown away, literally and figuratively by the storms force.

The positive side of a thunderstorm is that the intense rains and winds wash away the streets and debris. Perhaps there is a situation in your life that needs to be discussed to "clear the air". It could be that something or someone must be pushed out of your life.

The Tower Card from the tarot deck comes to mind with the lightning bolt striking the top of the tower. Sudden events, something unexpected happens quickly.

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### **SOUL MATES/RELATIONSHIPS:**

This past year many people have contacted me to discuss their relationship problems or the new person in their life or the one they just left. Many couples and marriages have ended this past year. In listening to the stories, there were a few themes. Some of those themes were that of 1) incompatibility or irreconcilable differences 2) the inability of one or both partners to compromise 3) not seeing the partner clearly for who they are both positively and negatively 4) inability to resolve conflict. Now, there are probably just as many really good reasons to end some relationships as well as there are many good reasons to begin one and they might very well be the same side of the coin! If you genuinely do not like or trust or respect a person that is reason to separate.

Usually after the first year of a relationship, the man who you thought was so sweet and sensitive you now think is too passive or "not man enough" for you. The partner who you so admired for their confidence is now a pompous jerk. The one who was so self-directed, now appears too self absorbed and selfish. Get what I'm saying here? There are two sides to the coin. If you choose to, you can take 10 people, line them up and they will "each" have 10 wonderful qualities and 10 positive qualities. No one is perfect. They need to be perfect for you. When you trade that person in because they left the cap off the toothpaste and it drives you crazy, in the scheme of things, you may find another partner who is impeccable with "toothpaste" and ignores you completely! There is always a plus and a minus. We all have good and a bad side to our personalities. There isn't anything in our lives that it either all good or all bad. Are you focusing on the negatives rather than the positives?

In the October Issue of Lunar Notes we discussed our "Wish List", those values most important to us in a potential partner. Have you written your list? When you locate a potential partner do you check your list to see if they match the **top** items on that list? If you have done so then terrific for you! If you have met a person and they do not match those items on your list, do you think they will change? No one is perfect and you will never locate any one person to fill all of the items on your list so you need to define the top 3 and focus on those alone. This takes time.

## Whatever Happened to Unconditional Love?

Most people throw away a relationship far too early. So many feel that there shouldn't be any conflict in a relationship and once there is they become discouraged and think the relationship will not work out. We live in a disposable society. We think there should be no problems and no conflict in our relationships. However, without conflict (squares and oppositions in synastry charts) the relationship stagnates and becomes boring. Without some tension, sexual tension, intellectual tension, most relationships will die a slow death. Opposites DO attract and they attract for a good reason. You have what I want and I have what you want and together we have what we both want!

If two people agree on everything, that can get dull fast. It is how you deal with conflict that is the key. Conflict resolution is critical in lasting relationships. Conflict leads to growth. Couples who go through a tremendous amount of conflict are usually going through a growth spurt. Relationships must have conflict and growth. We have conflicts within ourselves don't we? So what makes you think that you will not have conflict in dealing with another person? We go into relationships madly in love and think there is no conflict it will stay that way. This is foolish and unrealistic.

Astrologically, if a man's chart has an overabundance of feminine planets in the element of Earth (Taurus, Virgo, Capricorn) and Water (Cancer, Scorpio, Pisces) they may have difficulty being straight and completely truthful with you. This "Venusian's" energy can make a man so non-confrontational that he will probably do or say anything to avoid conflict and smooth things over. In a woman's chart, she may be too forgiving, passive or compromising.

Confrontation is extremely important in healthy relationships where people want to achieve emotional intimacy. Emotional intimacy means sharing ones feelings with the partner. This is the number 1 reason relationships fail. Oftentimes it is the lack of confronting oneself that is the problem. This is called "denial". Neptune is suspect. The masculine elements of Fire (Aries, Leo, Sagittarius) and Air (Gemini, Libra, Aquarius) tend to manifest in the opposite direction and seek truth and honesty. However, an over abundance of these elements in a man's chart will show problems with emotional maturity according to Amy Keehn, *Love and War Between the Signs*.

Also look at the hemispheres in the chart. Planets in the Eastern Hemisphere are more independent and self oriented while planets in the Western Hemisphere are more relationship oriented. Planets in the East are Pisces, Aquarius, Capricorn, Aries, Taurus, and Gemini. Planets in the Western Hemisphere are Cancer, Leo, Virgo, Libra, Scorpio and Sagittarius.

There are two ways of looking at everything and every one and you can't change or try to change a person. If you know their birth chart, this can provide you with a clue to compatibility. Once you have that compatibility, then it is important to work on your relationship by loving that person unconditionally, no matter what. No one is perfect. I love you "because" ...should replace I love you "if". This means loving the person for who they

"are" not what they look like or what they do. Too many people are attached to things, ideas, houses and patterns of behavior rather than people. Take a look at the people in your life and love them for whom they are. It's not easy to love someone unconditionally and you don't need to have more than a few who love you this way. Pay attention to their virtues. Everyone has faults..those faults are subjective. What one person perceives as a fault another views as a virtue. Remember no one is perfect and neither are you ☺

Next month "Defense Mechanisms" will be the topic of discussion.



**NEWSLETTERS/OTHER/DATA REQUEST:**

Thank you to all the people who have written in through the soul mate website recently and sharing your birth data and stories with me. If anyone else has experienced a relationship with Borderline Personality and can provide birth data for a loved one or friend with Borderline Personality Disorder (BPD), or PTSD - Post Traumatic Stress Disorder names are not necessary and data will be held confidential, please e-mail me directly with the word BPD in the subject heading of your mail to [FuchsiaStars@aol.com](mailto:FuchsiaStars@aol.com) and I will e-mail you what I need for the research for future lectures on BPD.

I'm also seeking birth data and experiences for children born between 1988-1990. These experiences could involve family issues, health or education crisis. I would also like to know if a child born during this time has received a diagnosis of ADD or ADHD. If so, is this child on medication of any kind. Please tell me the type of diet the child is on. In the subject heading of your mail to me please type the words "INDIGO KIDS" and I will e-mail you what I need. All information will be held in confidence.

My dear friend Lynn Koiner, [Koiner@starpower.net](mailto:Koiner@starpower.net) is always looking for birth data on Alzheimer's, Multiple Sclerosis, and Arthritis. ☺ Feel free to e-mail her or myself with any pertinent information.

Also, feel free to e-mail Steve Nelson at [SteveNelson@carolina.rr.com](mailto:SteveNelson@carolina.rr.com) and subscribe to his wonderful Mythic Times newsletter. You'll love it!

Jim Buss, [giraffecalf@yahoo.com](mailto:giraffecalf@yahoo.com) also writes a weekly Astrology related newsletter and has been collecting some really neat rocks/stones lately. Contact him directly to be placed on his free mailing list.



**PETS!**

During this holiday season, so many people adopt or purchase pets for themselves or for their loved ones. Oftentimes, these pets become unwanted and are either given back up for adoption or worse, abused or abandoned. I've seen so many beautiful, loving, strays wandering the streets. I've cared for quite a few of them myself and continue to do so. I've even adopted a few of my own this past year. Please consider adopting a pet only if you are willing to make a commitment to it over time. There is nothing worse than seeing a cat or dog, accustomed to living in a nice home, given up for adoption and placed back in the SPCA for re-adoption or abandoned on the street. When animals are abandoned they are

left not knowing how to defend themselves. They are left out in the cold weather to wander around without food or shelter to live out a rather tragic life.

Even if you do not want to adopt a pet, perhaps you would like to make a donation to your favorite shelter. Money donations are great but they will accept other donations such as food, blankets, toys, and cages to name a few.

If you do want to adopt a pet or make a tax-deductible donation, below are links for a few shelters to choose from.

[Monmouth County SPCA](#)

<http://mcspca.server101.com/>

[ASPCA: The American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals](#)

<http://www.asPCA.org/site/PageServer>

[The Toronto Humane Society](#)

<http://www.torontohumanesociety.com/>

Feel free to contact Marna Gale, Donor Relations Coordinator, whose heart is the size of her home country! 416-392-2273 Ext. 2121, [mgale@torontohumanesociety.com](mailto:mgale@torontohumanesociety.com)

Please click on this link [www.hungersite.com](http://www.hungersite.com) to donate (for free) food to the Hungry, Save the Rainforest, and other important causes. Make someone's New Year a happier one.

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