

Monthly Astrocast

August 2010



Key Events:

New Moon (17:25 Leo): August 9, 2010

Full Moon (1:26 Pisces): August 24, 2010

Retrograde Planets:

Pluto: April 7, 2010 - September 14, 2010

Neptune: May 31, 2010 - November 6, 2010

Uranus: July 5, 2010 - December 5, 2010

Jupiter: July 23, 2010 - November 18, 2010

Mercury: August 20, 2010 - September 11, 2010

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Lunations and Long-term Aspects

This month the New Moon is in Leo, your 11th House of groups, friends, networking, and organizations as well as any goals which require help from others to achieve. If your birthday is within a day or so of October 11 this should bring a new opportunity your way that fits into one of those areas. This New Moon isn't aspecting any planets which is also the case for Mercury and Neptune. The six others, however, are busy stirring things up with a Cardinal T-square with half of them hanging out in your sign in a rolling stellium formation, bringing a lot of energy to you personally. These include your Sign Ruler, Venus, Saturn and Mars. Venus is dignified in one of her home signs, so will function nicely bringing an extra boost to your natural beauty and charm. Saturn is exalted in Libra, where his structure and boundaries can operate fairly. Mars, however, ruler of your Polar Sign, Aries, is in debility in Libra, though it may not be a bad thing for his natural drive and aggression to be muffled a bit. What this translates to is that you'll have some astrological help as far as starting some new habits or activities.

However, this trio is opposing Uranus and Jupiter, both retrograde in Aries, your 7th House of relationships. These two could be bringing some surprises your way, though Jupiter retrograde typically brings out various ethical issues.



Remember that relationships in this context include not only your significant other but your business partners, professionals with whom you have a one-on-one relationship, close friends and relatives, and competitors, meaning that ethics issues could relate to anyone in that entire venue. Whatever Jupiter and Uranus are up to, it's going to throw a few speedbumps in the road as far as your personal pursuits are concerned.

As if that's not enough, Pluto is settled into Capricorn for the long-haul where he's digging up various matters in your 4th House of home environment. Any old, unresolved issues will surface, including such things as electrical and plumbing issues, so keep your checkbook or credit card handy. Anything previously hidden will come out, like it or not. Transformations will be effected, though these typically work out nicely in the end. For example, these won't necessarily be earth-shattering or life-changing but could be simple things like getting past one of your old hang-ups, cleaning out the garage or attic, doing some remodeling, and so forth. However, all of these activities and/or individuals are going to be competing for your time and energy so it will be quite a juggling act, regardless of how good each of them may be. Note that this T-square, at least between Uranus, Saturn and Pluto, is going to be in effect for quite a long time due to the fact they're all slow movers.

The Full Moon on August 24 is in Pisces, your 6th House of work, health and pets. This will bring an ending, culmination or new phase to something in this part of your life. Note that this is a favorable time to start a diet or fitness plan to improve your health.

The T-square described above is still in effect, but this lunation has a few other aspects worth noting. Watch for something unexpected with regard to your job and your relationships there which may require a course change or adjustment. If there's anything going on which you're not comfortable with, you need to consider how you can resolve it, no matter what it takes. You should also have some astrological assistance as far as setting some priorities that relate to those home issues you need to deal with.

Short-term and Daily Aspects

August 2: You may encounter a problem at home that results in a conflict. If you're hiring someone to work on your home, make sure you check references.

August 3: If a problem as developed relative to your home environment, now is the time to take action to get it solved.

August 4: Find some quiet time today to escape reality, foster your imagination, and identify your dreams, then do something creative to express them. This is a day to feed your soul, imagination and who you are.

August 6: Your Sign Ruler, Venus, enters Libra, bringing her blessings your way for the next month. This is an excellent time to interact with others and pursue your goals as your charm and acceptance by others will be in high gear.

August 7: A disruption or unexpected behavior from someone can be mitigated by your patience and charm today. Put Venus to good use.

August 8: If you've felt as if something is holding you back or restricting your actions, that is most likely Saturn, but you may find the silver lining to these boundaries today.

August 9: New Moon today as described above. More conflicts or challenges are likely which probably will involve your home in some way. Again, call upon your charm and diplomacy to solve any issues.

August 10: Your friends or an organizational tie via networking will prove helpful in dealing with that ongoing issue you're trying to resolve.

August 13: Uranus enters Pisces through retrograde motion, bringing unexpected events, disruptions, and surprises back to the workplace or possibly with regard to your health. This will last until March.

August 16: Stand firm and don't be afraid to impose your authority over anyone who's not fulfilling their responsibilities.

August 20: An excellent day to promote one of your creative ideas. Network through your friends to help get it off the ground. Interactions with members of the opposite sex will be more intense than usual today. Mercury goes retrograde until September 11,

making this a favorable time to rethink your spiritual stance or current dreams. Remember not to buy anything electronic or mechanical until after it's over.

August 21: Trying to get something done around home will encounter some challenges and probably be more complicated than you expected. Take your time and get all the facts.

August 22: The Sun enters Virgo, your 12th House of dreams, inspiration, enlightenment, confinement, and institutions, bringing emphasis to this part of your life for the next month. Find time to feed your spirit, which will help you deal with any surprises that arise.

August 24: Full Moon as described above. More adjustments will be called for or perhaps a change of course that relates to ethics in some way.

August 25: Inspired insights into what you need to do with respect to your home will be available if you find some quiet time to ponder your options.

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