

Monthly Astrocast

October 2010



Key Events:

New Moon (14:24 Libra): October 7, 2010

Full Moon (29:33 Aries): October 22, 2010

Retrograde Planets:

Neptune: May 31, 2010 – November 6, 2010

Uranus: July 5, 2010 – December 5, 2010

Jupiter: July 23, 2010 – November 18, 2010

Venus: October 8, 2010 – November 17, 2010

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Long-term Aspects and Lunations

This month the New Moon is on October 7 in Libra, your 11th House of groups, organizations, networking and goals which should bring a new opportunity your way from that part of your life. Saturn and Mercury are in Libra as well, indicating either information of a serious nature, possible restrictions or, on the positive side, some help bringing it to fruition through due diligence and hard work. If your birthday is within a day or so of December 7 the effects are likely to be more noticeable.

Venus and Mars are conjunct in Scorpio, your 12th House of angels and demons. There's no telling how this could manifest. The 12th House comprises such things as enlightenment, transcendence, inspiration, dreams, institutions such as hospitals and prisons, hidden enemies and self-undoing so how the Goddess of Love and the God of War getting together in that domain will affect you is anyone's guess. This could be anything from tantric sex to coming under attack by some couple you thought you could trust so I'm going to let you watch for the effects, if any, and leave it at that. It may not show up as any more than some interesting dreams.

Much to your relief, I'm sure, Pluto has moved into Capricorn to stay. However, now that zodiacal backhoe is digging around in your 2nd House of financial matters, income, needs, pleasures, and valuables; you may well prefer when he was sitting on your Natal Sun. This will be a time when this part of your life undergoes some significant transformations and you find yourself eliminating anything you no longer need. Pluto is in wide squares to both Mercury and that conjunction in Pisces involving your Sign Ruler, Jupiter, and Uranus. The one with Mercury also ties in with that networking opportunity or news regarding an organization or one of your goals, which implies it may



cause some issues with your finances that present a challenge. The square with Uranus and Jupiter is quite sloppy being out of sign as well, which most traditional astrologers would ignore, but indicates some financial disruptions to your home life as well.

The Full Moon on October 22 is in fellow Fire Sign, Aries, your 5th House of ego definition, creativity, children, romance, entertainment and speculation. A Full Moon usually brings an ending, culmination, or shift to a new phase. For example, this could herald the departure of your last child for college or the completion of a creative project or shift of a romance to a new level. Pluto is favorably connected with this lunation, forming an aspect pattern known as a Triangle of Potential with the Sun - Moon system. This implies that making some major changes to your finances will allow you to utilize the benefits this lunation brings. There are other favorable aspects as well. Using your imagination is favored for finding a way to deal with the situation and develop a change of course that properly manages any disruptions to your home or home life. Taking action with regard to a dream will also enhance the home situation.

Jupiter and Uranus are both retrograde in your 4th House of home environment, past and present. Jupiter retrograde typically stirs up ethics issues or considerations with regard to your philosophy of life or core beliefs whereas Uranus retrograde typically brings unexpected events, disturbances, disruptions, or breaking free. Again, I'm leaving it up to you to figure out where that fits into your life, since it may be on the material or psychological level. One caution with this lunation involves making sure that you guard against deception. Don't allow your natural optimism to lead you astray. Ignoring the facts, as they say, doesn't change the facts. Make sure you're on solid ground before taking action that can't be reversed.

Daily and Short-term Aspects

October 1: Take a good, hard look at your goals and whether they need to be restructured. You may also obtain recognition from any groups you're associated with or receive additional responsibilities. News that relates to your status may indicate a change of course is required with regard to your current thoughts. Issues may arise with your siblings or neighbors that require adjustments on your part. News regarding your status may impact plans you had regarding your home.

October 2: Surprises or upsets at home due to yesterday's news or information are likely.

October 3: That Venus - Mars conjunction is exact today. I'm not even going to try to expand on that one. Mercury goes into Libra, which will facilitate information and ideas related to your goals and any group associations you may have.

October 4: Watch out for any self-defeating behaviors that could cause major disturbances at home. Inspiration with regard to a group project or your current goals is available if you find the time to seek it.

October 5: You may find that your goals and your finances don't agree, causing you to rethink the situation. Seek more inspiration by thinking outside the box, particularly with regard to your home situation.

October 6: Annoyances or irritations that relate to your goals or group activities are possible.

October 7: New Moon in Libra today as described above.

October 8: Venus goes retrograde until November 17. This tends to bring out the darker side of Venus and this will be going on in your 12th House of angels and demons. Expect news or ideas with regard to your group obligations.

October 9: Inspiration related to your goals is very possible today. You may obtain it through your own thoughts or perhaps through a conversation with a sibling or neighbor.

October 10: Annoyances or irritations are out there today; keep them in their proper perspective.

October 11: Financial issues are likely to arise. If you're tempted to spend money you really don't have, don't do it.

October 13: Dreams related to your home life or financial situation will have a disruptive effect on your home life. You may have a strong desire to break away.

October 15: Annoying news or insights are out there today.

October 17: This is a favorable day to express yourself with regard to your goals or any group activities you're involved in. The result will bring about some adjustments at home.

October 18: Imaginative ideas are quite possible, which can work well for that group project or defining your goals. Adjustments to either your home life or group activities are going to be required, however.

October 19: Unexpected adjustments or a change of course will definitely be required. Inspiration can help you figure out which way to go.

October 20: Responsibility will clash with your dreams in some manner today. Mercury goes into Scorpio, which will further stimulate your dreams, imagination and access to enlightenment.

October 21: Pursuing your goals will require more unexpected adjustments. Consider the implications of all your actions and let your conscience guide you. Your responsibilities may cause some annoyances or you may feel restricted and oppressed.

October 22: Full Moon in Aries as described above. You may have strange dreams at this time or encounter deception from a sibling or neighbor. If anyone is trying to take advantage of you, you have some cosmic help to get to the bottom of it.

October 23: The Sun enters Scorpio, bringing more emphasis to your spiritual side and those 12th House issues.

October 24: Your sense of rebellion or need for freedom could be very strong today and cause you to act in an uncharacteristic manner.

October 25: Inspiration with regard to your finances could come today.

October 26: Applying those new ideas to your home situation is favored. You will be able to see things in greater depth than you did before.

October 27: Manifesting your ideas into your goals is possible today. Some obstacles are likely which make you feel restricted but can be dealt with with a strong sanity check with regard to what's real and what's your imagination.

October 28: Mars enters Sagittarius which will bring his energy and drive to assist you in pursuing what you want. Finding a way to break free from any situations at home which are difficult is possible.

October 29: Inspiration with regard to a financial or possibly romantic situation will come to light.

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