

## THE MARS OPPOSITIONS

The window of activity for a Mars transit is just two days on either side of the partile. But an event triggered by a Mars aspect, especially an accident, can have a profound impact on your life. When Mars forms an opposition to a natal planet, it symbolizes that the energy of Mars — passion, desire, fear, anger, ego-motivation and drive — is being infused into the natal planet. Check the house and sign position of the natal planet to see whether or not Mars is harmonious with it.

### MARS OPPOSITION THE SUN

Fights or misunderstandings occur with people in positions of authority and people symbolized by the house the Sun rules. You become more aggressive, which causes conflicts. Burns become a source of danger.

### MARS OPPOSITION THE MOON

This transit produces a few explosive days because the fire of Mars is touching the water of the Moon. This causes conflicts to arise with family, women, children, and the public. Accidents around the house can occur. Circumstances and people's attitudes frustrate you.

### MARS OPPOSITION MERCURY

Your tongue will be too sharp for a few days. Think before you speak. Read before you sign. Travels turn out to be dirty, noisy, and difficult. Be extra careful when driving or traveling by car.

### MARS OPPOSITION VENUS

Love and money matters tend to go sour for a few days. Social gatherings are uncomfortable, and you can be derogatory. This opposition stimulates your sex drive but, at the same time, causes problems related to love.

### MARS OPPOSITION MARS

You are restless and your personality is impatient with people and events. You are accident prone so slow down. Breathe deeply and count to ten thousand.



### **MARS OPPOSITION JUPITER**

There is a difference between a healthy philosophical debate and an argument. This is a time when philosophizing can cause people to vehemently disagree with you, or vice versa. You will assert yourself a bit too strongly and people will react, causing conflicts. You are impatient and not paying attention to details, which can cost you money. Because you are not paying attention, this is not a good time for gambling on any level. Beware of jealousy or resentment that arises within you because of other people's success. It could cost you a great deal. Be careful when dealing with large animals.

### **MARS OPPOSITION SATURN**

This is a brief period of frustration and difficult work. You will run into huge obstacles for a few days. You could easily become irritated, angry, or depressed. Do not make any important decisions while in this state. You may experience infection, fever, or chills. Be careful of what you do.

### **MARS OPPOSITION URANUS**

Circumstances will not unfold as you expect them to over the next few days. Unexpected events will occur suddenly and upset you. Old friends may suddenly call or reenter your life for a few days. This might cause some stress and strain. Do not buy electronics or mechanical equipment under this aspect, as they will break down often. It is not a favorable time to fly. Be careful of anything electrical.

### **MARS OPPOSITION NEPTUNE**

Be careful of slipping or falling. Watch what you eat because food poisoning can occur. Avoid drinking anything that contains alcohol. Its effect on your mind will be much stronger than usual. Be aware of your imagination and daydreams because they can get you into trouble. This transit affects the personal astral so stay away from alcohol, pharmaceuticals, and drugs of any kind because they have an increased effect on you. Watch your dreams and record them. These symbols will reveal your hidden anger and resentments.

## MARS OPPOSITION PLUTO

There is going to be a clash of wills for a few days. Be careful of accidents, cuts, burns, and falling. Most importantly, watch for subconscious resentment that surfaces. Actually it does not surface — it erupts like a volcano and you will need to deal with it skillfully. You may feel that people are not cooperating with you. This is probably because they see you as stubborn, contrary, and dictatorial.



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## TRANSITING SQUARES OF THE SLOWER MOVING PLANETS

Conjunctions are the most important transiting aspects for seeing clearly into the future. This is also true to a lesser degree of oppositions. Conjunctions reveal when and how the natal horoscope will release its karma. They also indicate whether the release is potentially positive or negative. Once the karma has been released, only your horizon of awareness, attitude, and meditation can soften, shape, or redirect it.

Reading a conjunction is relatively easy. You simply read the natal aspects of the natal planet and modify them with the coloration or qualities of the transiting planet. But when a transiting planet forms any other type of aspect, it makes prediction a little more complex.

- If the natal planet is unaspected, it is read as being activated by sign, house, and quadrant, together with the transit aspect.
- If the natal planet has aspects, those aspects must be interpreted together with the transiting aspect, which either reinforces the natal aspect or diminishes it. Remember, both aspects will fire, but one might prevent you from seeing the effects of the other.
- Pay close attention to the houses the planets are in and the houses they rule because according to the Second Cosmic Principle: An individual's earth karma is effectively linked to a planet's house position.
- A natal aspect is generally two or three times stronger than a transiting aspect, but this depends on a number of factors. The most important factor is the aspect to which a soul is more attuned, or to which it will respond more forcefully.

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## THE PLUTO SQUARES

### PLUTO SQUARE THE SUN

This is a period when your ego wants to battle with other egos, especially with those in positions of authority. It is a battle over power, real or imagined. If there is any subconscious cruelty in your thrust for power, it will show under this aspect. You need to know what is essential in your life and what is not. Relinquish the non-essentials so you can gain or keep what is essential. You need to do this without feeling you have lost the power to control your choices. Often it is not you but someone in your personal or business life that expresses an urge to control things. If this is the case, you will need to learn to adjust and respond appropriately to that person's power play without creating greater conflict.

### PLUTO SQUARE THE MOON

This transit produces changes your ego will not like and causes intense emotionality. Difficulties and emotions arise with women, mother, or children. People create problems and drain your energy because of their emotional needs. This aspect reveals childhood habits or traits long forgotten. They resurface at this time due to stress and make your life even more challenging. But the greatest danger with this square is that someone will attempt to manipulate you by trying to make you feel guilty or by appealing to your sense of duty. A member of the family often leaves the home or family circle. There may also be a "revolt" related to circumstances, people, or places ruled by the Moon.

### PLUTO SQUARE MERCURY

Serious problems manifest in communications, business matters, or while traveling. Interpersonal difficulties arise because you or someone else demonstrate inflexible attitudes or dictatorial methods. This transit makes for obsessive-compulsive thinking and behavior. It is one of the easiest aspects for becoming a dictator, tyrant, or despot. You feel that there is room for only your ideas and concepts. Make room in your mind, at work, and in your domestic life for other people's points of view. Do not tell them what they ought to do. Show them by example. Be careful of what you sign, as there may be hidden agendas. Also be careful of anything related to insurance, taxes, or shared finances.



### **PLUTO SQUARE VENUS**

This aspect brings passion and love to the forefront of your life for awhile. But subconscious forces are at play that will create hindrances in your social life and cause you to feel people cannot or will not fulfill your inner needs. Thus, you seek new relationships. Marriages, romantic companionships, and business partnerships often experience clashes over values, money, and individual needs. If these conflicts are not handled skillfully, a relationship may end. Watch your mind for jealousy, possessiveness, and most of all, resentment. A disruptive transformation of values is taking place in the houses ruled by Venus.

### **PLUTO SQUARE MARS**

Your secret history will try to surface now. If you have any hidden or suppressed emotions such as resentment, anger, or jealousy, they will also surface. Strong conflicts can lead to transformation in the house ruled by Mars and in the house where Mars is found natively. When Pluto and Mars come together, it indicates a period when cuts, bruises, and accidents from machinery, fire, automobiles, fights, or sharp objects can manifest. This is definitely not a time to be around weapons of any kind or people with a propensity for violence.

### **PLUTO SQUARE JUPITER**

Beware of problems that could lead to legal disputes. Do not get caught up in discussions about religion or politics. They can develop into serious arguments that lead to resentment and conflict. This is a bad time to invest or expand your business because it will be too expensive. Many unseen obstacles will arise. Lending money will not only cause you loss, it will cause you to make an enemy. You might experience a religious conversion or a transformation of your life philosophy. If you do, it is best to keep it to yourself for awhile. Do not become fanatical. Do not proselytize your realizations. If you do, when the experience fades away, you will find that your friends have faded away as well. There is a tendency to overspend during this transit. If you do, it will be hard to recover financially. Be cautious of someone trying to talk you into giving away your wealth.

### **PLUTO SQUARE SATURN**

This is often a period of hard work that must be accomplished under very difficult physical and emotional conditions. Do not seek rewards during this transit. If they do



come, it will be later. You may feel lonely and find yourself in a place where you are emotionally or physically isolated. Do your best to express only patience and positivity. Be cautious on the job and be careful when dealing with bosses, older people, or authoritarian figures, as they knowingly or unknowingly lead you toward a dishonest course of action. You also need to guard your energy level. Keep it as high as possible and demonstrate a positive spirit.

### **PLUTO SQUARE URANUS**

You will ask serious questions about your aspirations and goals during this aspect. You may suddenly and dramatically change the direction of your whole life. This can cause you to appear unstable or unreliable. It is not a good time to make radical changes, though they are likely to occur. Stay away from x-rays and all types of electricity as much as possible. Avoid flying and do not purchase electronics. Double-check all data from electronic equipment, as it might be inaccurate.

### **PLUTO SQUARE NEPTUNE**

This transit is very subtle and insidious. It can cause serious damage in your life before you are even aware it is happening. Be careful with alcohol, drugs, and pharmaceuticals under this aspect. They will have a much stronger effect on you than usual. Stay grounded. Delusions and self-deception can be quite negative. Your dreams will give you clues about what is really happening in your subconscious mind. This transit often produces vague fears and anxieties. There is a loss of vitality because holes form in the aura. Protect your body and mind, conserve your strength, and avoid things that dissipate your energy. Your judgment is not very good. Double-check your facts and beware of fraud.

### **PLUTO SQUARE PLUTO**

This aspect brings the end of something or someone in your life, which will be symbolized by the house Pluto rules and the house Pluto is in natively. These are the areas of your life where radical and intense changes will manifest. Seek to soften the upheaval by making the changes as positive and harmonious as possible. A deeper thirst for wisdom arises during this transit. You may delve into esoteric studies. You will question the meaning of your life and Life itself. Pluto forces you to differentiate between what is essential and what is not. You need to let go of the non-essentials in your life, as you now see them, and restructure the essentials.



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## THE NEPTUNE SQUARES

### NEPTUNE SQUARE THE SUN

This is a period when your life goals become vague and get lost due to doubt, deceit, and self-deception. Loss, scandal, and confusion manifest in the house ruled by the Sun. Bad habits, yours or someone else's, are likely to cause major problems. One of the key reasons you lose sight of your goals is a lack of staying power, but the biggest danger of this square is an irresponsible and unrealistic attitude. Because of it, major difficulties occur with bosses, people in positions of authority, and partners. People symbolized by the Sun frustrate you and cause you discontent. You may feel they are hindering your progress personally or professionally. Due to the nature of Neptune, it will be hard to say whether this is true or whether you just believe it is true.

### NEPTUNE SQUARE THE MOON

This is a period of uncertainty. Misunderstandings and confusion can arise in your home life, with women and children, or in your relationship with your mother. Delusion, deception, and carelessness manifest in the house ruled by the Moon. The biggest problem of this transit is vague fears and emotions. They cause you to lose yourself in excessive sleep, drugs, alcohol, romance, fantasies, or daydreams. You may experience difficulty with your digestion or with sleeping. Be very careful of taking any kind of medication.

### NEPTUNE SQUARE MERCURY

Your mind cannot be trusted at this time. Your logic fails because of confusion and doubt. Problems get worse because communication breaks down in both directions. Writing things down, proofreading, and then asking for feedback can definitely help prevent difficulties. Mercury has a great deal to do with business, which often suffers under this aspect due to ambiguity, lack of foresight, and the inability to see clearly. But in the end, the biggest problem is a failure to examine your mind, and thus a failure to address your difficulties candidly. The houses ruled by Mercury indicate areas where confusion, deception, and negligence will arise. Gases, fumes, chemicals, and poisons can also be problematic or cause loss.



### NEPTUNE SQUARE VENUS

This transit indicates difficulties with romance because of uncertainty and you cannot or will not protect yourself. That which you value seems to dissolve away in the houses ruled by Venus. Overindulgence is a big problem. Love and money seem to disappear. You spend too much, the quality of the things you buy is inferior, and the price you pay is too high. The key to softening a Neptune/Venus aspect is to know what you truly love and value and what price you are willing to pay or not pay for it. As Shakespeare said, "Unto your own self be true."

### NEPTUNE SQUARE MARS

This is a restless period when your mind can cause you or others serious harm and possibly violence. Strong negative emotions well up from your subconscious, which releases anger, jealousy, and resentment. Be very careful because sexual problems can also arise. These include diseases that affect the sexual organs, abortion, miscarriage, and even, if the natal aspects are very negative, sexual assault. If you are a woman, this is not a time to be out walking late at night or visiting places where people get emotionally excited or intoxicated. The textbooks say that the greatest danger of this aspect is deception and fraud. I say it is self-deception and self-deceit, yet other people's emotions will affect you very strongly and negatively. Be cautious.

### NEPTUNE SQUARE JUPITER

Do not overextend yourself, your finances, or your personal energies. Confusion, carelessness, or deception could lead to ambiguous difficulties. Solve them as soon as possible or they can turn into strange and unforeseen legal problems. Beware of new religious ideologies and your dream states.

### NEPTUNE SQUARE SATURN

The biggest challenge of this transit is addressing vague fears that keep arising in your mind. Put them to rest and move ahead with your life. You also need to be careful of emotional reactions caused by guilt. Your boss may have big problems during this cycle. Be careful that you are not the one who gets fired instead of him. Events tend to dissolve away or lose their foundation in the house ruled by Saturn. Co-workers and new people you meet on the job may attempt to deceive you. Be aware and stay aware—things are not necessarily what they seem to be.

### NEPTUNE SQUARE URANUS

Emotional stability is needed during this transit. It will be hard to keep your feet on the ground because of what is happening in your head. This aspect can make the mind malfunction but if you overcome the confusion and disorientation, it can lift you up to the stars. It all depends on how you have lived your life over the last seven to fourteen years. Doors open that reveal astonishing levels of your life. The secret lies in understanding how to hold the doors open and take full advantage of what you see and hear. Your interests will shift and change significantly. Dream states tend to move into the astral world. If you are an artist or creative person, this will be one of your most creative periods.

### NEPTUNE SQUARE NEPTUNE

This transit occurs in your early forties. It is a difficult period for taking advantage of opportunities because it is hard to focus the mind. It is the aspect, par excellence, for self-deception. There are vague negative emotions, especially discontentment, that activate or reactivate bad habits involving alcohol, drugs, or overindulgence of any kind. You may feel like meditating or just being reflective. Though these are good practices, it is essential during this transit that you learn to concentrate and focus your mind. People and circumstances dissolve away in the house ruled by Neptune and in the house where it is found natively. These will be the problem areas where the greatest deception and disorientation are likely to occur.

### NEPTUNE SQUARE PLUTO

Strong resentment awakens in the house ruled by Pluto and it needs to be watched very closely. This resentment causes the mind to release powerful subconscious energies that change your personality. One effect on the personality is a feeling that you have been victimized in the past and are just now realizing it. Problems arise because of this attitude. The ego becomes emotional and sees things differently in the houses ruled by Pluto. This produces confusion and chaos because this new perspective and attitude are Neptunian and lead to subtle decisions that result in not so subtle problems. This aspect seems to release hidden resentment that has been suppressed in the house ruled by Pluto. You may not have control over the external world but if you gain self-discipline and control over your mind, your world will be rebalanced.



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## THE URANUS SQUARES

### URANUS SQUARE THE SUN

This is an impulsive cycle. Your personality is restless. Anything you consider routine is boring. You want change and you want it now. Thus, it is important that you slow down, get focused, and stay focused on the truly important elements of your life. If you jump around from one thing to another, your vitality will be weakened. Patience is the key. Do not go to extremes or be hasty when making decisions or taking action. Ruptures and upheavals are likely to occur between you, authoritarian figures, and people symbolized by the house the Sun rules.

### URANUS SQUARE THE MOON

This is a dangerous time for making changes, especially in your home or in the house ruled by the Moon. You and the circumstances in this house are too emotional. Thus, any changes you make will be impulsive or extreme. This is an unstable period in your life. Unexpected changes will be followed by disruptive changes. People entering your life will not remain there long, though the changes they bring most likely will. Your health can also fluctuate. Guard your stomach and digestion.

### URANUS SQUARE MERCURY

Problems arise with transportation and communications. You feel restless and nervous. People usually take a number of unexpected trips or receive unexpected communications, which bring sudden changes in attitude and can affect their job or relationships. The mind is overly active and it might be hard to fall asleep. Start relaxing hours before going to bed. This is an unfavorable time for signing contracts. If you must sign something, read the fine print carefully. If you are involved in creative endeavors, this is a good cycle for manifesting unusual ideas. This is a bad time for dealing with electronic equipment or telemarketing.

### URANUS SQUARE VENUS

This transit brings volatility to romantic relationships and financial matters. If you are in an unstable relationship, personal or business, this is the time when it will tend to suddenly break apart. You need to be prudent and patient. Watch your spending and avoid extravagances. Be careful of overindulging in anything.



### **URANUS SQUARE MARS**

Unexpected problems arise due to anger, fear, or uncontrolled desire. This is a period when there is danger from cuts, burns, and accidents. You and the people around you are critical and competitive. Passionate relationships that begin at this time will produce a great deal of emotional fire but will be extremely unstable. Guard against impulsive actions.

### **URANUS SQUARE JUPITER**

This aspect indicates the potential for excess on many levels. Unexpected obstacles impede the attainment of your goals. Unforeseen problems arise from dealings with the law, religious people, or medical professionals. Difficulties that manifest often result from not paying attention to details or having a naive “pie in the sky” attitude. Jupiter also rules higher education. If you are involved in this arena of life, you could experience unexpected or disruptive events.

### **URANUS SQUARE SATURN**

Uranus ruptures the seeming permanence of Saturn. The facets of your life that are most essential, basic, and stable suddenly and unexpectedly undergo extreme change. What has worked in the past and brought you security no longer works. This can be disorienting and force you to take on heavier responsibilities in an effort to reestablish a sense of order and stability in your life.

### **URANUS SQUARE URANUS**

You tend to become, or appear to be, unreliable and irresponsible during this transit. You feel that your freedom and independence have suddenly been taken away. Whether or not this is true, you will try to break free, which can make you extreme, erratic, and unpredictable. At least that is how others will see you. Friends disappoint or abandon you so your aspirations fail to move forward and it is difficult to attain your goals.

The house that is ruled by Uranus becomes very chaotic, producing a period of flux and change. It is generally better for the change to come to you than for you to make the change. So be wise and skillful if change is needed. This aspect will fire in your early twenties and again in your early sixties. What happens in the first cycle will tend to happen again in the second except you will have more self-awareness, wisdom, and insight that you can call upon to control it. Prepare now.



### **URANUS SQUARE NEPTUNE**

Your mental and physical health needs to be protected. Your physical health can be compromised by the abuse of alcohol, drugs, and pharmaceuticals. Your mental health will be challenged by negative thoughts, vague fears, and foolishness. Many of these fears may arise from your dream state. If this is the case, you might want to leave a small night light on while you sleep and place a drop of sandalwood oil on the bulb before turning it on. Mental affirmations can also be helpful. Beware of being deceived and of self-deception. Stay away from irresponsible and irrational people. Avoid hypnotism or any kind of outside suggestion. Strengthen your aura. Guard yourself and your property so that people do not steal from you.

### **URANUS SQUARE PLUTO**

This transit indicates an eruption of the unconscious mind. The areas ruled by Pluto explode. There may be ego battles that are quite nasty. There is little or no cooperation from others. Uranus brings events into your life suddenly. Once they manifest, Pluto's transformational energy activates. This causes circumstances and people who are symbolized by the houses Pluto rules to be removed from your everyday life. Guard your home and protect yourself from being burglarized or robbed.



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## THE SATURN SQUARES

### SATURN SQUARE THE SUN

This is a period of hard work, heavy responsibility, and struggle, during which little is accomplished. Karmic conditions and the powers that be block your progress. There is heavy resistance and delays everywhere in your life, especially in the house ruled by the Sun. You will be more tired and have less energy than usual. You will feel slow, depressed, and moody. You will take yourself and life too seriously. All of this makes it easy for you to become disheartened and discouraged. Try to infuse a little more humor into your life — and the lives of those around you.

The key to understanding this transit more fully is to go back in your mind about seven years, which is the last time transiting Saturn formed either the opposition or conjunction to your Sun. These aspects are both difficult cycles where you most likely experienced resistance, misfortune, or frustration in your life. How you managed that aspect and how you have dealt with your life and the situations that have arisen since then will determine, to a great degree, the outcome of this square. Depending on your reaction to Saturn in the past, its square to the Sun is a critical period of intense struggle that will either produce success or failure regarding your goals.

This can be a very draining aspect. Get more sleep and reduce the stress in your life. Guard your health, especially your bones and teeth, which can become weakened or damaged during this cycle. For better or worse, weight loss is not uncommon. You may also feel cold all the time. You need to guard your body against fatigue or serious loss of vitality that can affect your health, particularly the circulatory system.

### SATURN SQUARE THE MOON

The key manifestations of this transit are emotionality and depression, often triggered by interactions with women and children, family members, the general public, or people in your home. Serious conflicts arise between your personal and professional life that can take enormous effort to bring back into balance. There is a clash between the house ruled by Saturn and the house ruled by the Moon. The house ruled by the Moon will lose the battle and feel limited and constricted.

There is a tendency to pour too much time and energy into your career or the area of your life ruled by Saturn. This causes your domestic life or the house ruled by the



Moon to become a source of stress and frustration. This, in turn, causes you to feel isolated, lonely, or dejected. Parents and family members often become a source of concern or conflict, but it is usually your attitude that causes the problem. This is a bad time to buy, sell, or refurnish a home. There is danger of water damage, and the digestive system needs to be watched.

### **SATURN SQUARE MERCURY**

This aspect makes the mind overly serious, worrisome, and gloomy. Heavy depression can set in, often because you are negative about everything. You also fail to communicate with people, which can cause serious problems, especially at work. Do not allow your tongue to become bitter or cruel. Saturn hampers the houses ruled by Mercury. They will need more care and attention if your plans are to succeed. Mercury is also the natural ruler of the sixth house so Saturn will restrict your outlook about work. This can produce irresolvable points of view that are often the reason for you leaving your job or being fired. Try to stay busy and remember a job well started is more than half done. Sickness or accidents can occur that affect the nose, neck, or throat.

### **SATURN SQUARE VENUS**

You feel that work is making you lose your individuality. People around you feel that you are cold and indifferent, which you probably are. You see them the same way. This is why you have no social life and financial difficulties are likely to arise. There will be friction and stress in all relationships, which cause your love life to wane. But the greatest danger comes from the emotion of loneliness, which draws you into a romantic entanglement that will prove to be disastrous and expensive on many levels. Watch your heart physically and emotionally as there can be serious problems.

### **SATURN SQUARE MARS**

This transit calls for patience and self-discipline. It causes your ego to express itself more aggressively than is wise, which produces serious problems. Misunderstandings and conflicts arise because circumstances make you fearful. Therefore, you become impatient and impulsive, rush forward to prove you are not afraid, and make others angry. Your aggressiveness causes people at work and in your personal life to oppose you and your goals.

Your mindset at this time could best be described as bottled up anger that explodes at everyone for any reason. It will seriously hurt your career and personal life unless

you exercise self-control. You also need to be careful of accidents that can cause cuts, wounds, or broken bones. Be very careful while driving. Some astrologers refer to this period as unlucky. It is certainly not a good time for gambling in any way or for taking risks.

### **SATURN SQUARE JUPITER**

This transit is a battle between security and ambition. It would be wise for you to find the middle road. You will probably choose to pick up added responsibility or it may be thrust upon you. The most destructive emotion within you at this time is impatience. The planetary force of Jupiter always seeks to enlarge and increase what you value. The force of Saturn seeks to maintain the status quo, which curtails or restrains Jupiter's expansion. This brings deep-seated frustration. It also produces rashness and foolishness, which frustrate your ambitions, your career, and events in the house area ruled by Jupiter. Do not become trapped in unnecessary legal battles or heavy religious disagreements. Both could be costly in the end. This is not a favorable financial period because there will be unexpected delays and obstructions.

### **SATURN SQUARE SATURN**

This is a difficult transit for many people. It is a time when your obligations must be met. For most, it is a period of hard, boring, wearisome work. Your choices are quite limited and money is tighter than usual. People related to the house Saturn rules are very cold toward you and non-cooperative. This affects your personality, causing not only a severe loss of confidence in yourself but in matters related to the house Saturn rules and is located in natally. This period will be hard. However, mystically speaking, it will produce major evolutionary progress.

This is a cycle of deep introspection. You will be forced to answer two key questions. What is truly valuable to you, and what price are you willing to pay to keep it in your life? Your answers to these vital questions result in people or circumstances being harshly removed from your life. This aspect forms five or six times in an average life (at approximately 7, 22, 37, 51, 66, and 81). Look back to these Saturn periods and see what happened. How heavy was it? What did you do, or not do, to soften the events? Learn from the past and soften your future.



### **SATURN SQUARE URANUS**

This aspect is a battle between the tried, tested, and true and new, innovative ways of doing things. You feel that your life has become boring and too rigid so you seek change. The problem is that the changes you make are extreme, causing bigger problems and more friction. Because of the unexpected changes and unusual events that occur in your life, you become fearful and your security is challenged. There is often the loss of a friend or family member. You tend to feel oppressed in the work environment. Emotionality there could easily lead to accidents that involve electricity or electronic equipment. Be careful that some part of your body does not become crushed.

### **SATURN SQUARE NEPTUNE**

Saturn represents how you see Life. Neptune symbolizes your ideals. A square indicates there is a major conflict between the two. This produces the feeling that you cannot realize your ideals, which causes an intense sense of dismay and thus cynicism regarding life. There are several things you can do to soften this aspect.

1. Simplify your life skillfully.
2. Do not take your emotions too seriously.
3. Wait until the aspect passes before making major changes.
4. Use affirmations or mantra to soften the discouragement.

If you wait two years, the transiting Saturn will trine the Neptune and you will clearly see what needs to be done. It will also reveal the benefits that came out of this square. You will recognize that it removed from your life that which was making you unhappy and hindering your evolution.

This is a period of potential scandal, deception, or self-deception resulting from delusion, drugs, alcohol, or overindulgence of every kind. The old ways no longer work under this aspect, nor are they accepted, which makes you worry and become anxious. Feelings of anxiety and events linked to the house ruled by Neptune cause you to become confused or disoriented. This is a cycle when you are most susceptible to uncertainty and doubt so it is emotionally difficult for your mind to deal with everyday situations. Do not meditate. Learn to concentrate the mind instead. This will solve one of the major problems of this transit — the mind's inability to clearly see your goals and what you are, or should, be seeking to attain.

## SATURN SQUARE PLUTO

During this transit, you need to be cautious of interactions with the people who are symbolized by the house ruled by Pluto. They will be the source of major ego battles. Do not become harsh with them or respond negatively to their dictatorial approach, and be very careful that you do not become coercive yourself. This is a stressful period because the changes you want to make and feel you need to make are difficult to accomplish because of the people around you. Their finances, health, and attitudes put incredible pressure on you to make changes in the way they need or want you to. Unless you are very mature, this will cause strong resentment. If you are not mature and resentment flares up, violence can follow.

Your spiritual task during this aspect is to evaluate your life and see what needs to be eliminated from it. If you can see what is no longer essential and consciously make an effort to eliminate it, this aspect will not create that much turmoil in your life. At least not as much as it does when you feel that your choices have been forced upon you. Remember, the planetary energy of Pluto produces death and rebirth. In modern language, we could say it is the force that destroys what is no longer essential in your life and then rebuilds that which is. But this is not determined by subjective emotionality. It is not based on what you think to be essential or desire to keep in your life. It is determined by the Laws of the Macrocosm — not your mind. You may also find it difficult to make changes the way you want to because you lack the financial means. There are too many expenses and you need to curb your spending if you wish to have the capital necessary to make the changes this transit demands.

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## THE JUPITER SQUARES

### JUPITER SQUARE THE SUN

This transit clearly demonstrates whether or not you have self-discipline. If you do, difficulties that arise will result in an expansion of your life and its assets. If you do not, excess and greed will produce problems. Illusions manifest that make you feel you can do everything you want to without the help of others. Indifference and carelessness causes people to turn against you, especially people from the house ruled by the Sun. A square to the Sun normally produces conflicts with father, bosses, and people in positions of authority. A Jupiter square can cause these conflicts to boil over into the courtroom. There are three vital traits that can keep you out of trouble: moderation, humility, and responsiveness.

### JUPITER SQUARE THE MOON

This square produces a vacillating sentimentality, and therein lies your problem. You like the past, but you want to be free to move on. You love your surroundings, but you want to relocate. You desire to be close to someone, yet you want to be independent. There will be emotional difficulties caused by differences of opinion, ideals, and philosophy. Memories from the past arise in your conscious mind that make you distressed and uncomfortable. Events from your past may surface into your public life and embarrass you. Added expenses occur that are related to family obligations, parents, the public, and people ruled by the Moon.

### JUPITER SQUARE MERCURY

Your mind is overly optimistic and careless. You need to be very careful of overextending yourself and exhausting your mind and body. Excessive chatter will result in misunderstandings and problems. Poor and incomplete communication caused by prejudice will produce difficulties and delays, especially in the fields of finance, law, career, and education. Travel at this time will cause further delays and cost much more than you expect, both financially and emotionally.

### JUPITER SQUARE VENUS

This transit produces a tendency to be overly self-indulgent. The danger of this aspect is that you have a compulsive need for luxury and comfort, which will cost you



far more than necessary. You will feel malcontented and dissatisfied because your social or love life is unrewarding. Impulsiveness will cause romantic and financial problems. Little work gets done and little logic is put into your actions. This can cause real problems later on. Do not become immoderate. Great expectations bring great disappointments, and as in Dickens's *Great Expectations*, there can be many frustrations and failures.

### **JUPITER SQUARE MARS**

This transit produces an impatience that causes you serious trouble and can lead you to take on more than you can handle. The danger here is a tendency to become domineering and arrogant, which will complicate your life on every level. You are prone to feeling hostile toward professionals, especially doctors, lawyers, and teachers. This aggressive attitude will not only result in personal loss but the loss of other people's support. Refrain from overindulgence in all areas of your life. Be careful of fevers and accidents around hot water. Loss of money can occur because of careless spending, theft, or recklessness.

### **JUPITER SQUARE JUPITER**

Jupiter transits the entire horoscope every twelve years. It forms a square to itself approximately every six years so you have many opportunities to see how it manifests in your life regarding your philosophy, theology, finances, and events in the house ruled by Jupiter. This aspect generally causes you to feel that life has promised you a great deal but has given you little. Watch your physical world and stay away from excess. Keep an eye on your inner life, and it will lead to wisdom.

### **JUPITER SQUARE SATURN**

This transit presents two conflicts. Your desire for freedom is in conflict with your need for security. Your awareness that you need to pick up responsibility is in conflict with your desire to indulge yourself. Religious or financial issues can prove to be quite expensive. Hindrances arise because of added work, heavy responsibilities to others, exhaustion, and emotional weariness.

### **JUPITER SQUARE URANUS**

Restlessness and discontent with religion, philosophy, and social standards cause you to become a bit of a revolutionary, breaking away from conventional ways. Changes

you plan are thwarted because unexpected changes occur first. Unconventional and potentially uncomfortable procedures are introduced at work. The house area ruled by Uranus is also a source of discomfort. This is a period of extreme flux. Center yourself, and you will be able to deal with changes that manifest effectively and profitably.

### **JUPITER SQUARE NEPTUNE**

This is a period of delusion, restlessness, self-deception, and vague apprehensions. It feels like you are on a boat in a dense fog. Religious and philosophical concepts can get you into trouble. Hold on to old proven values that have gotten you to port through storms in the past. Seek to fulfill your responsibilities, but try not to pick up added or improper responsibilities. The dangers of this transit are that your perception is off and the people around you are incompetent. They may be consciously or unconsciously planning deceit or simply confused. Be careful of giving them important tasks unless you can supervise them closely.

### **JUPITER SQUARE PLUTO**

Coercive theology or ideology can be the source of problems in your life. There may be a battle of egos over philosophical differences. These battles ensue because no one is willing to cooperate or accept anyone else's point of view. Beware of ultimatums. You need to be very careful of any dealings with shady characters and questionable business practices, as they can lead to serious problems, legal and otherwise. Resolve any conflicts that arise immediately so they do not lead to complicated legal situations that can last for years.

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## THE PLUTO TRINES

You need to be careful when interpreting a transiting trine to a natal planet if the natal planet has a hard natal aspect. For example, if Mars squares Uranus in the natal chart, when either one is trined by a transiting planet, it causes the natal square to activate. This is why natal aspects need to be studied closely and integrated with a transit before making any predictions. It is important to remember that squares are stronger than trines and natal aspects stronger than transiting aspects. Be aware and beware. Use your logic and intuition to guide you.

### PLUTO TRINE THE SUN

You have greater self-confidence and work well with people in positions of authority. They will help you by opening doors that lead to advancement and the attainment of your goals. Your intuition is very good. Follow it. The house ruled by the Sun produces positive regeneration.

### PLUTO TRINE THE MOON

Your emotions are quite positive and strong so you seek to correct errors from the past. Your domestic life and dealings with women and children go smoothly. This transit tends to indicate good financial conditions, assuming there are no contradictory aspects in the chart. The most stunning thing about this aspect is your attitude, which will do a complete reversal regarding children, family life, and the house area ruled by the Moon. The house ruled by the Moon also brings positive changes into your life. Your digestion will improve, as will your overall health.

### PLUTO TRINE MERCURY

There is a deep interest in gaining knowledge through books, study, and travel. Studies will include such subjects as telepathy and the esoteric sciences. Business improves and so does your work situation. Thus, your standard of living is enhanced. Your powers of concentration are high and almost anything you focus on can be accomplished. The houses ruled by Mercury produce positive transformations.

### PLUTO TRINE VENUS

This aspect generates a desire to create beauty in your life and the world around you. The feeling of romance will be quite strong. A marriage or business partnership



formed at this time tends to be very positive both emotionally and financially. The houses ruled by Venus bring positive transformations into your life.

### **PLUTO TRINE MARS**

This is a great aspect for physically building something. You will have much more energy than usual and it can be directed into creative endeavors. This energy will spill over into the areas of your life where you have the greatest ambition. Thus, your needs can be more easily satisfied. It is a profitable time for starting new projects. In both business and romance, you will exude charisma, which will bring success and interesting and stimulating events. The house ruled by Mars will experience a positive regeneration.

### **PLUTO TRINE JUPITER**

This transit is a wonderful period for study. You will take a deep interest in the study of law, science, philosophy, or religion. There is also an interest in learning about foreign cultures and languages. Through this, greater knowledge and wisdom is gained. It is a cycle where you develop a deeper understanding about the meaning of your life. The house ruled by Jupiter will bring positive transformations.

### **PLUTO TRINE SATURN**

This is an excellent cycle for dealing with people in positions of authority and the powers that be. This includes government agents, undercover or covert organizations, and those in the upper levels of management. Pending lawsuits should work out in your favor, directly or indirectly. Hard work will yield good compensation. The house ruled by Saturn undergoes positive transformation.

### **PLUTO TRINE URANUS**

This is a favorable time for successfully changing your life through the choices you make. Positive events flow into your life. The old and unnecessary is being swept away and the new will manifest like a lightning bolt. Gain will come through innovation, technology, electronic equipment, astrology, electricity, and other people's resources. Your life will improve suddenly and remarkably because of new friends and acquaintances. You may unexpectedly gain assets during this period. The house ruled by Uranus brings positive regeneration.

### **PLUTO TRINE NEPTUNE**

The value of this transit will depend on your level of spiritual development. If you are sensitive to subtler states, your dreams will be very helpful in solving life problems and bringing added insight into the mysteries of life and death. Clairvoyance or clairvoyant experiences can open new doors of freedom and understanding. Meaningful memories of past events arise. On a mundane level, your ideals and aspirations are transformed. You may find that the ocean, oil, fish, or other Neptune symbols become prevalent in your life. You may also find yourself suddenly dealing with graft or crime, either inside or outside City Hall. The house ruled by Neptune experiences positive regeneration.

### **PLUTO TRINE PLUTO**

This aspect only happens to people who live to be eighty-five or ninety years old. Deep insights regarding life and death are revealed at this time, offering wisdom that can be passed on to the next generation by means of talking or writing. You develop a deeper interest in the subconscious and unconscious mind, the Higher Mind, and other life forms. The house area that Pluto rules will bring very positive transformation into your life.



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## THE NEPTUNE TRINES

### NEPTUNE TRINE THE SUN

This transit produces inspiration and creativity. It should be a period of great spiritual and/or religious harmony. You now understand philosophy and can apply its laws to your life, which awakens you to higher spiritual principles and ideals. Powerful people will enter your life at this time and improve it. They will inspire you, and you will take action to improve your life and theirs. You can make contact with the Higher Mind, releasing great powers. This door will close some day, so be sure to use this power wisely. The house that the Sun rules brings independence.

### NEPTUNE TRINE THE MOON

There is greater harmony in your home life and you feel as if all is well with the world. Your dreams manifest harmoniously during this cycle. The house ruled by the Moon is very fruitful. This aspect sensitizes your mind. Thus, your intuition becomes quite strong and accurate, assuming both planets are harmonious in the natal chart. Your mind experiences a high state of compassion, which awakens a desire to help the people around you on whatever level you can. If you have any latent psychic talents, this trine will bring them to fruition.

### NEPTUNE TRINE MERCURY

The mind is peaceful and content. If you are a meditator, it will be a period of deep and profound silence and revelation. You will be in harmony with others. Communications, especially non-verbal, are at their peak. Business should generally be good. The houses ruled by Mercury will be very meaningful and satisfying.

### NEPTUNE TRINE VENUS

Romance, wealth, and artistic creativity flow into your life smoothly and harmoniously. Beauty seems to enter your consciousness and infuse your life. This modifies your personality, making you much more considerate, courteous, and compassionate. You may fall in love with a person or an ideal or with someone or something all over again. All of this releases major creativity. You will love the life you are living. It will be the life you always dreamt of, but it is here. You have attained it, but you must now learn to sustain it. The houses ruled by Venus will be quite beautiful.



### NEPTUNE TRINE MARS

Deep and strong spiritual energy will flow and inspire you to build something with great joy. If the natal Mars is positive, what you build under this transit will last through your next incarnation. Your mind becomes very pragmatic and can be of great help to others. The house areas ruled by Mars are very harmonious.

### NEPTUNE TRINE JUPITER

This is a spiritual and artistic cycle. A philosophical consciousness manifests within you, causing your life to expand on the inner planes. In time, this awareness will manifest on the outer planes as well. Professional people, including lawyers, doctors, spiritual leaders, and theologians, will be of assistance in defining and fulfilling your goals. The house area ruled by Jupiter will be unrestrained.

### NEPTUNE TRINE SATURN

Many, if not all, of your burdens and hindrances are swept aside or dissolved during this aspect. People, circumstances, and attitudes that have been an impediment to the pursuit of your goals will be removed. If you have kept sight of your aspirations over the last few decades, this transit offers you the opportunity to move directly toward them. Your spiritual values now begin to express themselves on the physical plane. It is a time for moving straight ahead. The house area ruled by Saturn will be harmonious, stable, and just.

### NEPTUNE TRINE URANUS

This aspect can be a magic moment. If you have focused on something in your life, if you have poured creative energy into your goals, this is the magic moment for realizing your dream. It will manifest through sudden and unexpected radical changes in your life or in the world around you. This transit will open the door to your dream if you dare enter, but you need to be mindful of some potential obstacles. If you are not careful, naiveté, an overactive imagination, delusion, or bad habits can block you from realizing your aspirations. The house ruled by Uranus is freed of problems.

### NEPTUNE TRINE NEPTUNE

Your artistic and creative energies are at a high point. This is a superb time for mystical, esoteric, or meditative study and practice. Your life should be peaceful, offering time for reflection and creativity. If the natal Neptune is positive, it is a wonderful

time to travel to the seashore or be on the sea. The house ruled by Neptune is peaceful and serene and great spiritual advancements can be made in that area of your life. This aspect manifests in your mid-fifties.

### **NEPTUNE TRINE PLUTO**

This is a period when you are likely to meet a person from a past life. You will also encounter people from different countries and cultures. This should stimulate an interest in learning more about the human mind and different cultural perspectives. You have the capacity to dip quite easily into your subconscious mind, and thereby to markedly soften past life karma. Powerful forces will manifest from the unconscious. Be wise. Be guided by them skillfully and prudently. The house area that Pluto rules will be creative.

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## THE URANUS TRINES

### URANUS TRINE THE SUN

This is a period when electrifying and stimulating changes take place. New friends and acquaintances enter your life and radically improve it. You express yourself more fully and openly because you feel more independent. This produces a more dominant personality that wants to take on a greater role as a leader.

### URANUS TRINE THE MOON

Your emotions become extreme, but you seem to get away with it because everyone accepts you. There will be positive, though radical, changes in your life. Benefits come through mother, women, children, and the public. Technology and electronics play an important and productive role in your life.

### URANUS TRINE MERCURY

Your mind is clear, sharp, and innovative. Business goes well and communications are excellent. You get what you need because of the way you communicate with others. Positive changes occur professionally and in your home life. Unless natal aspects indicate otherwise, it is a good time to sign papers and enter contracts. Study, reading, and travel will improve your mind and produce new habits that are more in line with your present life.

### URANUS TRINE VENUS

Your social life will noticeably improve. So should your romantic life and financial situation. A new friend or lover will enter your life, bringing excessive emotion but positive personality changes. The relationship might not last long, but the positive changes that it brings will.

### URANUS TRINE MARS

This transit releases a great deal of energy, which you should be able to handle wisely. If you do, it will bring many benefits to you and to those around you. This added energy is one of the reasons you can get ahead under this aspect and attain your goals. People that are critical of you will not bother you. They will not inhibit your ambitions because you win them over to your way of thinking. It should be a productive period.



### **URANUS TRINE JUPITER**

This is a propitious time for working on the inner planes. Your life philosophy and mystical spirituality express themselves freely. It is a very favorable cycle because you are in a position to make positive changes that are needed. Many doors will open to you. You may need to step through quickly so be sure you know where you want to be fifty years from now. This is an excellent period for gaining deep insights into the human personality and the meaning of Life. Unexpected changes, moving, or travel may improve your financial security.

### **URANUS TRINE SATURN**

Problems and limitations that have been in your life for many years will be attenuated. You will experience and express a deeper, fuller freedom both internally and externally. The changes that come during this transit can make you a bit nervous but will prove to be a great blessing. There will be sudden changes at work, bringing you an opportunity to accept more responsibility. This is an excellent time to expand your knowledge of technology and the business world. Your personality becomes more practical and creative, which helps you move ahead professionally and improves your home life.

### **URANUS TRINE URANUS**

This aspect manifests in your late twenties and again in your mid-fifties. It is a time of tremendous creativity and freedom, yet also a period of confusion that can bring anxiety. It is a cycle filled with opportunities for gaining greater freedom and advancement that will help you fulfill your goals. You may change companies or get a better position with your present employer. The house ruled by Uranus brings immensely positive changes. Events begun at this magical moment will have benefits that last through this incarnation and possibly beyond. Focus. Think. What do you wish to live with for the remainder of this incarnation? Study now. Plan it now. Work for it now.

### **URANUS TRINE NEPTUNE**

This is a wonderful transit. There will be meaningful spiritual evolution and progress. It is also a very creative period artistically, especially in the house areas ruled by Neptune. Help comes on the inner planes through meditation. On the outer plane, your life is improved through technology, electronics, unexpected events, and people ruled by Neptune. It is a period of flux and instability, but your circumstances end up better for it. Dreams and spiritually mature people can help restore your inner life.

## URANUS TRINE PLUTO

The house that Pluto rules brings much that is good into your life. Your subconscious mind releases ideas that can be of great help to all human beings. Your mind, and those of your generation, will become very powerful. For better or worse, you will have the ability to affect large groups of people. Be sure to use this ability only for the betterment of all life. You may re-bond with someone from your past. Depending on aspects to the natal Pluto, this is likely to improve your life and the lives of the people around you.



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## THE SATURN TRINES

### SATURN TRINE THE SUN

This is a terrific time to build your future. Powerful people and those in positions of authority will be of tremendous help. What you build during this transit will last the rest of this incarnation and perchance beyond. It is a time for maturity, self-discipline, and taking on even more critical responsibilities. There is harmony between the external world and your internal universe during this aspect. It is a period when great achievements can be accomplished. Though things will go smoothly and everything seems to work out as you want it to, or even better, this is still a Saturn aspect. This means you will find it to be a period that has its share of responsibilities and your life will be filled with many commitments. If you are wise and work hard during this transit, you can clear your slate of many past obligations — personal, financial, and spiritual.

### SATURN TRINE THE MOON

This is a favorable period in your home life, both emotionally and physically. The public will be behind you and women and children will support your goals. Older and more mature people have greater respect for you and thus more faith in you. Your needs are easily met by the flow of events in the external world during this cycle. It is often a time of serious work on the job, and yet at the same time, your domestic life is quite harmonious. These two areas of your life seem to balance and reinforce one another. This is an excellent transit for resolving personal matters or working on your home. Your mind is functioning exceptionally well so it is also a good time to make long-range plans and goals.

### SATURN TRINE MERCURY

This is an excellent time for communications, business affairs, writing, and creativity. Your mind is clear so it is a great time to outline your long-term plans. It is a wonderful time to begin a serious course of study, as it can easily be completed and lead to greater success. This is a good time to solve long-standing problems and complete tasks that require deep concentration. It is also a good time to enter contracts and agreements, unless something in the natal chart is contradictory.



### **SATURN TRINE VENUS**

This transit helps you let go of the fear and pain you have experienced from relationships in the past, and thus move forward with your heart's evolution. It is a superb cycle for improving your life socially and romantically and thus for stabilizing intimate relationships of all kinds. It is a time of greater beauty in your life, both externally and internally. The houses ruled by Venus become stable and add to your security.

### **SATURN TRINE MARS**

You have tremendous energy and strength. Thus, you can accomplish almost anything you put your mind to. It is an excellent period for working with your hands, especially with things that demand precision. Your finances improve and you experience greater pleasure and contentment in your personal life. This is a favorable period for success because you can see the long view, and at the same time you can handle small details. It would be wise to stay busy during this transit so the energy of Mars does not lead to restlessness or aggression.

### **SATURN TRINE JUPITER**

Your personal and professional life will move forward very smoothly during this transit. It is a good time for investments in land, housing, or long-term speculation. It is an excellent time to expand your education, travel, or explore different facets of human culture. Your attitude will tend to be realistic. You can see how your life fits into the larger picture, giving you a deeper sense of meaning and purpose. Religion, spirituality, and philosophy start to play a more important role in your life. This is a favorable time for dealing with the legal system, teaching, publishing, and travel.

### **SATURN TRINE SATURN**

This important aspect fires in your life close to the ages of 10, 20, 40, 50, 70, and 80. They form a pattern and you should keep a record of what manifested and how you handled it. Each cycle should become more positive than the last because you learn to build upon previous experiences. Your career should go quite smoothly now, as should events in the house ruled by Saturn. Your personality will become more self-assured and stable, bringing greater respect from your boss and people in positions of authority. Pay close attention to the house areas ruled by Saturn. The progress you gain during these cycles will carry over into your next incarnation because Saturn aspects are enduring.

### **SATURN TRINE URANUS**

Your life becomes freer of burdens. New friends enter your life, producing a new attitude regarding personal freedom. Changes that take place at this time will be positive, even though they may be somewhat unexpected. This transit adds to your professional responsibilities, yet it brings you greater pleasure and a deeper sense of satisfaction. It is a cycle when exciting new ideas and goals are formulated. If the natal chart and other indications are positive, this is a good time to move or change jobs.

### **SATURN TRINE NEPTUNE**

Your dreams will have deep meaning and give direction to your life. Artists will find this transit offers greater inspiration for creative works. Added energy and power arise within you to help those in need — emotionally, physically, or spiritually. This is a cycle in which your inner soul will seek to consolidate all past experiences and mold them into wisdom. You aspire toward subtler goals and, for a time, these dreams may manifest on the earth plane. You will be drawn toward a deeper study of the arcane and esoteric sciences.

### **SATURN TRINE PLUTO**

This is a time when you can improve your circumstances and help others to work together. You will benefit from your elders, and they from you. It is a favorable period that brings added responsibilities, especially in the house area ruled by Pluto. Be sure to follow your values and not someone else's. You work harder under a Saturn/Pluto aspect than at almost any other time in your life. There may not be great gains in the external world right now, but magical and meaningful experiences will be attained in your inner world. A great power is being released from your subconscious mind. Be sure that it is directed toward that which is most valuable to you and beneficial for those around you.



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## THE JUPITER TRINES

### JUPITER TRINE THE SUN

You are self-assured, optimistic, and set higher goals for yourself. You want to expand your life in many different areas and can do so successfully. Financial matters improve and there will be opportunities for you to be promoted. Some astrologers refer to this as a lucky period.

### JUPITER TRINE THE MOON

Your domestic life should be quite comfortable and satisfying during this transit. Relationships with mother, women and children, the public, and people symbolized by the house ruled by the Moon should be harmonious and beneficial to you. Financial investments are generally positive at this time. Your circumstances will improve in the areas of your life related to education, religious and spiritual activity, your career, and the house ruled by the Moon.

### JUPITER TRINE MERCURY

This is an excellent period for business affairs, financial investments, and communication. It is also a superb time to study and expand your education. The creative process manifests more readily, especially when speaking, writing, or publishing. Travel will be beneficial. You will discover or be exposed to new advanced ideas and ideals.

### JUPITER TRINE VENUS

Romantic and artistic endeavors become easy. This is a comfortable period because people are generous with you. Your social life will expand and be far more meaningful. You may develop a deeper interest in religion, law, philosophy, science, art, or culture. Financial ventures are expensive but profitable. The houses ruled by Venus bring you happiness and satisfaction.

### JUPITER TRINE MARS

You will have tremendous energy and self-confidence. You will have more work, but it will improve your life and you will profit by it. Jupiter/Mars can produce disruptive energy if it is not directed properly. Trouble with the law can arise if you become



too aggressive. You are likely to win any legal difficulties that arise under this transit, but the cost in time and energy makes it a losing proposition. The best approach is to channel your energy into something productive that offers you an opportunity for professional advancement. Hands-on training would be very good.

### **JUPITER TRINE JUPITER**

Good luck and fortune are with you during this transit. People are willing to help you gain your personal and professional goals. The house ruled by Jupiter improves and expands, bringing greater pleasure and satisfaction into your life.

### **JUPITER TRINE SATURN**

This transit gives you confidence and the enthusiasm to take on larger projects with success. It opens doors for future success as well. Your life becomes more secure, especially in the house areas ruled by Saturn.

### **JUPITER TRINE URANUS**

This is an excellent period to move, make changes, or start new undertakings. New doors will open unexpectedly, bringing exceptional opportunities. This is the time to move forward. Clearly spell out your goals. Then call your friends and ask for their help. They will assist you in realizing your dreams. Be on the lookout for unexpected opportunities that will appear. Skillful action will bring you greater freedom, especially in the area of your life ruled by Uranus.

### **JUPITER TRINE NEPTUNE**

Your personality is optimistic, considerate, and contented. You radiate tolerance, which brings external freedom and internal independence. Finances generally improve and your intuition about money matters is excellent. This is a superb time for spiritual practice.

### **JUPITER TRINE PLUTO**

This is a period when you will automatically cooperate with others, and they with you. There is a positive expansion of Pluto's energies. You have the opportunity to gain spiritual and esoteric insights, which release even more energy from deep within the unconscious mind. This energy will bring progress and development to the house area ruled by Pluto.

## CONJUNCTIONS TO THE NATAL MIDHEAVEN

The Midheaven, also known as the medium coeli (MC), is the cusp of the tenth house. It is the southernmost point of the horoscope, though it is not the celestial zenith. To accurately make predictions from aspects to the Midheaven, the birth time must be accurate within two minutes. If the time of birth is not accurate, the timing of events can be way off. This is true of any aspect to any house cusp. Conjunctions to the Midheaven from Pluto, Neptune, Uranus, Saturn, and Jupiter are essential in revealing your attainments in this lifetime. The one possible exception is Jupiter. You need at least three Jupiter cycles to see the patterning of its fruitfulness.

### PLUTO CONJUNCT THE MIDHEAVEN

The Midheaven is the symbol of final accomplishment in your life. It symbolizes what you are most likely to achieve in this incarnation. Pluto is the symbol of what lies deep within your unconscious mind. Their conjunction reveals what degree of attainment can be realized from the potential symbolized by the Midheaven. When Pluto crosses the Midheaven, the events in your life and even more importantly, the way you respond to those events determine your destiny and future life direction.

The effects of this transit can be felt for as little as a few months or as much as two and a half years if Pluto goes retrograde and passes over this sensitive point five times. The power of Pluto's effect will last as long as it is in the tenth house, does not change sign, and does not form a conjunction that counters its effect on the Midheaven. As the conjunction approaches, you will enter an intense period of self-examination and ask some fundamental questions of yourself:

1. What have I done since I was born?
2. How important is what I have done?
3. Is there harmony between my inner and outer actions?

How you answer these questions (consciously and unconsciously) and your gut emotional response to them and to the events that manifest internally and externally will decide most, if not all, of what will unfold during the rest of this incarnation. You will either forcefully move forward toward gaining greater success and accomplishment in your chosen field of endeavor or you will realize that you are not following your true avocation in life and seek to change directions. External influences will also compel you toward a new career or life direction.



One thing of which you need to be cautious during this transit is not letting your drive for success become too aggressive. If it does, it will hinder rather than assist the attainment of your goal. This is true of all hard aspects involving Pluto. Back in the late 1940's my Guru Shelliji said, "The power of the planetary force of Pluto is like a stick of dynamite. Once the energy is released, it is impossible to contain it." This transit also produces major changes that can affect your boss, your parents, or your government, which then affect you or your career in far-reaching ways. People and events from your past may re-emerge, causing you deep concern or fear.

### NEPTUNE CONJUNCT THE MIDHEAVEN

The Midheaven is a symbol of success and represents what you are most likely to achieve in this incarnation. Neptune over the Midheaven indicates that idealism or illusion will manifest. You either suddenly become confused about what you want out of your life or you delude yourself into doing something that is simply feeding your ego under the pretext of serving or helping others. Neptune produces an image of your inner self as you hope it is or fear it may be, not as it truly is. For better or worse, this perspective will compel you in a given direction while Neptune remains in the tenth house.

A great deal of what happens internally and externally will depend on the natal aspects of Neptune and the house it rules. Neptune can make you feel inadequate and defeated and often brings a weariness of body and soul. But there are also positive results from this transit. Mystically, this conjunction produces an awareness that lifts you to a place where ego desires become secondary in determining your goals. You are likely to delve deeply into Eastern mysticism, learning the secret and true meaning of detachment and ego abnegation. What you learn about your soul and the nature of the earth plane during this transit will be of great importance as you move through the rest of this incarnation.

### URANUS CONJUNCT THE MIDHEAVEN

The Midheaven symbolizes the culmination of your life and what you most likely can achieve in this incarnation. Uranus is a symbol of deep cosmic changes that occur unexpectedly. Sudden changes may manifest in the lives of your parents, affecting the future direction of your life. In the business world, sudden changes can occur in your boss's life, in his superior's life, or in the company itself that affect your future. Whatever occurs, the effects will largely be determined by the natal aspects to Uranus and to



the ruler of the tenth house. The outcome is also significantly influenced by your spiritual maturity and the horizon of your awareness.

Problems often arise because the Midheaven wants security whereas Uranus wants freedom, excitement, and innovation. Sudden changes can occur on the job or in your profession that have the potential to bring greater fame, fortune, and prestige or cause you to lose all three. It all depends on the natal aspects to Uranus and to the ruler of the tenth house.

### **SATURN CONJUNCT THE MIDHEAVEN**

The Midheaven is the symbol of the culmination of your life and what you most likely can achieve in this incarnation. Saturn resists anything with which it comes into contact. This conjunction occurs only two or three times in a person's life. If Saturn is near the Midheaven at the time of birth, the first conjunction could occur within a year or two. It could also take up to twenty-nine years. Once Saturn conjuncts the Midheaven for the first time, it forms the conjunction every thirty years. The most common effect of this transit is added work and responsibility, which most people try to avoid. Do not do this! Take on all the work and responsibility that this aspect gives you.

For most people, the first and third conjunctions are not very important, but the second conjunction is vital. The second conjunction symbolizes the culmination of the accomplishments you have been working toward all your life. All your efforts, and the direction they have taken you, knowingly or unknowingly, are now moving toward fulfillment.

This conjunction also brings two important insights. The first is whether or not your life has gone where you wanted it to go. The second is whether you have built your life upon sand or upon a solid foundation. If you have organized your life and your efforts, Saturn's second conjunction represents the beginning of the culmination of your life's work. Internal and external events reveal doors that will open and bring success if, and only if, you have cultivated the habit of working productively and unselfishly.

However, if you have built your life on the sands of selfishness, the foundation you have built will collapse during the second transit because you have not cultivated the habit of working skillfully and selflessly over the last fourteen years. The power and energy for success or failure that this conjunction represents will sustain itself while Saturn transits through the tenth and eleventh houses of goals, aspirations, and ambitions. So you have at least five years to realize the fulfillment of your dream or remove the impediments you have created. My beloved Guru said, "What Saturn builds on a solid foundation sustains itself for many lifetimes."



## JUPITER CONJUNCT THE MIDHEAVEN

The Midheaven symbolizes the apex of your life — what you are most likely to achieve in this incarnation. Jupiter is a symbol of expansion and development. But this transit is not as important as the conjunction of the slower moving planets because it occurs six or seven times in your life. A single conjunction of Jupiter and the Midheaven does not symbolize your ultimate accomplishments. You need to keep a record or make one from memory of what happened during each conjunction. Look to see if they are progressing or regressing your career and life goals. Each new conjunction should bring greater success and expand your accomplishments with greater ease.

Each conjunction should reveal a cycle of progress and advancement in your career and personal life. You should meet new people and have the opportunity to travel. You should receive at least one promotion and your workload should become easier and more enjoyable. Your personal life should become more expansive, especially the house area ruled by Jupiter. If you own a business, it should expand noticeably during these aspects. But be cautious of over-expansion or growing too quickly.

**STUDY QUESTIONS – LESSON SEVEN**

1. What does it symbolize when Mars forms an opposition to a natal planet?
2. What do you need to watch for when Mars opposes Pluto?
3. Why are conjunctions the most important aspects for seeing into the future?
4. What can soften or redirect karma once it has been released?
5. Why is it important to pay close attention to natal house position and rulership?
6. What is the most important factor in determining the strength of an aspect?
7. What is the greatest danger of Pluto square Mars?
8. What type of thinking and behavior does Pluto square Mercury produce?
9. What type of person is it easy to become under Pluto square Mercury?
10. What surfaces when Pluto squares Mars?
11. What do Pluto and Mars always indicate when they come together?
12. What happens if you become fanatical or proselytize when Pluto squares Jupiter?
13. How can you soften the upheaval of Pluto square Pluto?
14. What does Pluto square Pluto force you to do?
15. What type of attitude is the biggest danger of Neptune square the Sun?
16. What is the biggest problem of Neptune square the Moon?
17. Why do you fail to address difficulties candidly when Neptune squares Mercury?
18. What are the greatest dangers of Neptune square Mars?



19. What is the biggest challenge of Neptune square Saturn?
20. Why is emotional stability so important when Neptune squares Uranus?
21. At what age does Neptune square Neptune activate?
22. Where will the greatest disorientation occur when Neptune squares Neptune?
23. What is essential for you to learn to do when Neptune squares Neptune?
24. How does Neptune square Pluto affect the personality?
25. What is released when Neptune squares Pluto, and where is it released?
26. What type of cycle is Uranus square the Sun?
27. Why is Uranus square the Moon a dangerous time for making changes?
28. Why do difficulties often result from Uranus square Jupiter?
29. What undergoes extreme change when Uranus squares Saturn?
30. What feels like it has been taken away under Uranus square Uranus?
31. What challenges your mental health when Uranus squares Neptune?
32. What does Uranus square Pluto indicate?
33. Why is it easy to become discouraged when Saturn squares the Sun?
34. What is the key to understanding Saturn square the Sun more fully?
35. What determines the outcome of Saturn square the Sun?
36. What is the key manifestation of Saturn square the Moon?
37. Why do people feel lonely, isolated, or dejected when Saturn squares the Moon?

38. How does Saturn square Mercury affect the mind?
39. From where does the greatest danger come when Saturn squares Venus?
40. How can the mindset of Saturn squared Mars best be described?
41. What is Saturn square Jupiter a battle between?
42. Why does Saturn square Jupiter produce frustration?
43. What are the key questions you must answer when Saturn squares Saturn?
44. Why do people seek change when Saturn squares Uranus?
45. Why do dismay and cynicism manifest when Saturn squares Neptune?
46. To what are you most susceptible when Saturn squares Neptune?
47. Why is Saturn square Pluto a stressful period?
48. What is the spiritual task of Saturn square Pluto?
49. What causes people to turn against you when Jupiter squares the Sun?
50. What produces problems when Jupiter squares the Moon?
51. How does Jupiter square Mercury affect your mind?
52. What is the danger of Jupiter square Mars?
53. How often does Jupiter form a square to its natal position?
54. What two conflicts arise when Jupiter squares Saturn?
55. What are the dangers of Jupiter square Neptune?
56. Why do battles ensue when Jupiter squares Pluto?
57. What should be done before making a prediction about a transiting trine?



58. What occurs in the house ruled by a natal planet that is squared by Pluto?
59. What is the most stunning thing about Pluto trine the Moon?
60. Why is Pluto trine Mars great for physically building something?
61. What determines the value of Pluto trine Neptune?
62. At what age does Pluto trine Pluto occur?
63. What does Neptune trine the Sun produce?
64. What is the key effect of Neptune trine the Moon?
65. How does Neptune trine Venus affect your personality?
66. What can keep you from realizing your aspirations when Neptune trines Uranus?
67. Why do you have a capacity to soften past life karma when Neptune trines Pluto?
68. How does Uranus trine Mercury affect the mind?
69. Why is it easier to attain your goals when Uranus trines Mars?
70. Why is it good to know where you want to be in 50 years as Uranus trines Jupiter?
71. What is released from the subconscious mind when Uranus trines Pluto?
72. What can you do when Saturn trines the Sun if you are wise and work hard?
73. Why is Saturn trine Mercury a good time to outline long-term plans?
74. Why is Saturn trine Mars a favorable period for success?
75. How does Saturn trine Saturn affect your personality?
76. What type of goals does a person aspire toward when Saturn trines Neptune?

77. Where should the power of the subconscious be directed when Saturn trines Pluto?
78. What is the best approach for handling the energy released when Jupiter trines Mars?
79. Why must the time of birth be accurate within two minutes to correctly delineate a transit to the Midheaven?
80. What does the Midheaven symbolize?
81. What is revealed when Pluto conjuncts the Midheaven?
82. What fundamental questions do you ask when Pluto conjuncts the Midheaven?
83. What is true of all hard aspects involving Pluto?
84. What does Neptune over the Midheaven indicate?
85. What positive effects can arise when Neptune conjuncts the Midheaven?
86. What determines the effect Uranus has when it conjuncts the Midheaven?
87. What is the conflict between Uranus and the Midheaven?
88. What is the most common effect of Saturn conjunct the Midheaven?
89. What does the second conjunction of Saturn and the Midheaven symbolize?
90. What insights are brought about by Saturn's conjunction of the Midheaven?
91. How long is the power and energy of Saturn conjunct the Midheaven felt?
92. What should each conjunction of Jupiter to the Midheaven reveal?

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