



## **Aries 2019 NEWSLETTER** **Compliments of** **Alice DeVille**

Dear Readers,

The leader of the Zodiac is back to kick off our astrological year. Aries brings energy to the new cycle, along with courage, passion and innovative flair. Watch how beautifully Earth's green spaces burst forth with buds, shoots of grass and flowers to welcome Spring. "New Beginnings", anyone? Aries sows seeds of individuality that cultivate a fearless, "can-do" attitude in a briefcase of unique goals, sure-fire accomplishment and a job well done. Celebrate festive birthday moments with Aries by including family and friends at a feast that offers spicy snacks, savory entrees, a statement-making birthday cake and the promise of exciting adventures.

### **DATES TO REMEMBER FROM MARCH 20-APRIL 19:**

**March 20:** Spring begins  
**March 20:** International Astrology Day  
**April 1:** April Fool's Day  
**April 14:** Palm Sunday  
**April 20:** Passover Begins  
**April 21:** Easter Sunday

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Congratulations to KL on winning the February drawing; March's winner will be announced on March 31 and will receive a \$10 discount coupon to use toward a consultation or report. Readers who schedule an appointment of one hour or more from March 20 through April 20 are eligible for a drawing for a \$10 discount coupon. Internet security continues to be a problem for many contacts. Seniors are at the top of the list for internet scammers using intimidating tactics - you owe the IRS, your package is sitting in our warehouse and we can't deliver it to you without more detailed information, or we want you to be our business partner. Readers reported experiencing attempts to extract money due to hardships and loss, dating sites and household repair scams. Be sure to update your security software, clear your browser and do not fall for pop-up or e-mail scams that say your system is not up-to-date. Tech support scams are costing consumers over \$50 million annually. Check with your

security provider before you download any software “fixes”. Stay away from phone callers who block their IDs. Thank you to those who have written to share alerts and feedback on personal experiences.

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## BIRTHDAY HIGHLIGHTS FOR ARIES

**Happy Birthday, Aries - get ready to soar and celebrate your birthday!** The restless Ram is your sign's symbol and you roam the world as an action-oriented Cardinal fire sign igniting the cycle of the Zodiac. With your superb initiative and an abundance of energy, you create plans, show your innovation and implement strategies in record time. Aries individuals show relief to the world this year as of March 6 when unpredictable Uranus left your sign after an erratic 7+ years in Aries. Manage remaining disruptions and transitions while taking charge of your life via implementation of important goals. If career or status in life changes are part of your main agenda, read on. The Sun enters your sign on March 20 at 5:59 PM EDT and leaves on April 20 at 4:55 AM EDT. **Communication is going to be very important to you this year - at home, in the work world and via relationships.** You could be in the process of eliminating undesirable connections, partners, acquaintances and conditions now. Remember to use diplomacy. Review the lessons you learned from these interactions as they will be a factor in the year ahead. **Jupiter in Sagittarius is in full voice, compatible to your Sun sign and moves through your solar 9<sup>th</sup> House of travel, higher education, diverse cultures, religion, legal and medical matters, in-laws, foreigners, philosophy, publishing, long-distance relocations and politics.** While in Sagittarius, you may be interested in accepting a detail or new job in another state or country. Some of you work on legal matters and draw up important papers. Education related to job advancement may be part of your agenda. Rewarding long-distance travel helps you fulfill a bucket list item. This year you undertake life-changing shifts. Cultivate important relationships. On December 3, Jupiter moves to Capricorn in your solar 10<sup>th</sup> House of ambition, career, leadership, authority figures, family matters and status of life. Enjoy the new perspectives and broaden your horizons. Jupiter will not be lonely in this house as you see from the next section, along with being the site of three of this year's eclipses. **Saturn in Capricorn occupies your 10<sup>th</sup> House of ambition, career, authority figures, responsibility, status and certain family matters, often those that involve parents, or the state of relationships close to you.** If your birthday is **April 4-21, Saturn connects with your Sun at various times this year due to retrograde motion** and is especially meaningful if you are engaged in issues involving assignments, leadership responsibilities, a new career direction, reorganization of your lines of organizational authority, family responsibilities and new bosses. Some of you could relocate. Political directives may occupy your mind and give you the desire to run for office, march for a cause, blaze a new trail or lobby for better workplace conditions. While in your 10<sup>th</sup> House you may interact more frequently with executives or be promoted to a leadership position. **Saturn goes retrograde on April 29 through September 18 most affecting those of you born on**

those days as well as individuals born April 9-11. When Saturn goes direct again, you will feel the shift as the planet of restriction makes a conjunction to your birthdate. You'll experience a three-hit transit to your Sun. Pluto in Capricorn occupies this house in Capricorn for several months this year and Mars in Cancer opposes your Capricorn planets from May 16 through July 1; on July 2 a Solar eclipse in Cancer occurs in the opposite 4<sup>th</sup> house of home. Get ready to analyze and take your next steps. **Those of you born March 20-25 have Uranus in Taurus in aspect to your Sun through your birthday year in your solar 2<sup>nd</sup> House where it will spend the next 7 years affecting income, assets, money you earn, salary negotiations and self-development.** Be sure you are preparing for financial security in the next few months because you witness first-hand what the planet of the unexpected does with shake-ups. Wherever this planet lies in your natal chart and where it transits in the next several years are important houses to monitor. At least it's a relief to have Uranus out of your sign after bringing life lessons your way during the past 7 years. Chill out after those years of dramatic intensity. Out with the deadwood -- have your chart analyzed so that you are prepared to embrace new directions. Be prepared to overhaul anything that does not belong in your life. **Neptune in Pisces** resides in its natural home in your solar 12<sup>th</sup> House of retreat, secrets, meditation, widows, orphans, inner healing, time alone, hospital visiting, mystical vibes, planning, and charity work. From now through the end of the 2020 Aries cycle **Neptune connects most with those of you born April 4-9** where it puts you in touch with feelings and fears, higher mind, developing interests, ESP, intuitive and psychic insight and the metaphysical realm. Even if you are emotionally sensitive, help the less fortunate to bring a calming effect their way and assist them with solving pressing problems. Neptune is bouncing around in your subconscious now and likes a bit of privacy to put you in touch with situations that you buried. Could that include relationships? If so, confront and release those troubled feelings. Develop a strong sense of yourself since you normally don't let troubles linger. If you have natal or transiting planets in the 12<sup>th</sup> house, come out of the Neptune fog and move on through the help of meditation and exercise. **Pluto in Capricorn occupies your solar 10<sup>th</sup> House of career and life status and influences your world related to career, job choices, leadership, ambition, authority figures, family and the status quo.** For Aries born April 9-15 the year highlights relevant issues that affect your career, family circle and status sector, especially now that Saturn in Capricorn and in December, Jupiter is in this house along with three eclipses in 2019. Tension is the word yet some of it is karmically rewarding due to your years of hard work and self-development. Pluto bores deeply into your psyche giving you ideas to negotiate with your boss despite the challenges that include competition and goal accomplishment. Yes, there will be relentless problems to solve if born on those dates, yet your impressive Aries energy gives you a leg up. Nothing stops you from grabbing the brass ring, especially if you address the personal conflicts that revolve around the amount of time you spend on the job. Avoid leaving loose ends and awkward verbal warfare. Enjoy the transitions that accompany deep inner clearing with a Pluto transit and savor freedom at long last.

This year eclipses affect all four angles of your solar chart since you are a Cardinal sign and are undergoing a rebuilding from the inside out. **You are under the influence of the first Solar eclipse of 2019 which took place on January 5<sup>th</sup> in Capricorn at 15° 25' in your 10<sup>th</sup> House of influences to your career, ambition, attitude toward authority, promotions, banking transactions and self-development.** Major growth is a personal theme during this cycle. What are you working on and what

is on the front burner? Are you hanging on to strategies that have been with you for years or are you open to finding new material and removing blocks that have held you back? A new plan is in the works. Go for it. **The January 21<sup>st</sup> lunar eclipse fell in Leo at 0° & 52' in your solar 5<sup>th</sup> house of adventure, creativity, fun, games, dating and social life; risk-taking, children, sports and recreation and affects you until July 16.** After you get rid of the blockages mentioned above, you can take the creativity, fun, loyalty and speculation that is in the air and transform your thinking and focus on a new pathway to success. This eclipse is the last in the Leo/Aquarius polarities and is out of sync since the emerging eclipses are in Capricorn and Cancer and call for emphasis on financial matters in these solar houses. You could invent a new process or product, attract a business or personal partner, become a parent or take a long-desired trip. Many of you may be looking for a business partner. Examine the prospects and get to know them. What will it be for you? **The second solar eclipse of 2019 occurs on July 2 in Cancer at 10 degrees 37 minutes in your solar 4<sup>th</sup> House of home base, family, domestic circle, visitors to your home, household projects, gardening and landscaping, remodeling and real estate matters.** The eclipse helps you take stock of current routines and collaborative work. How do family members participate or help in running the household? Evaluate their talents for goodness of fit. How do you feel about your current goals? This eclipse helps you tune in to the vision and address any areas of tension. It could make you restless and get you to thinking about changing your residence or even relocating for a job. Set new priorities, talk out differences and be an advocate for harmony at home. Often this means embracing a new attitude in your home. Make only short-term agreements with those who want to stay in your home. Good family health is a priority, including yours. **A full moon lunar eclipse occurs on July 16 in pragmatic Capricorn at 24 degrees, 04 minutes in your solar 10<sup>th</sup> House** of career, ambition, attitude toward authority figures, leadership, family and the status quo. This eclipse could shake things up in your employing organization. Some of you welcome a new boss; others rue the new energy and figure out ways to cope. Many receive promotions or apply to new companies to showcase your talent, especially if you have been experiencing tension or unresolved conflict over how you spend valuable time. Tackle problems as they come up; certain contacts either leave or go on a sabbatical. **The last New moon eclipse of 2019 arrives on December 26 in Capricorn in your solar 10<sup>th</sup> House of authority, ambition, career, status quo, organizational matters, and work goals and mission at 4° & 07'.** In January you were faced with decisions regarding themes of this house. How did you handle them? How about in July when decisions loomed? If you have a few more steps to complete, this eclipse helps to seal the deal. In the months that follow, reassess the situation, accept recognition or leave for greener pastures. Seek advice if you feel stuck. This cycle plays out through mid-2020 and starts winding down after the June 21 New Moon eclipse in Cancer. Where does 4 degrees of Capricorn/Cancer occur in your personal chart? Eclipses are supercharged Moons, allowing you to meet new partners, associates, collaborators, or advisors. **The last lunar eclipse in your birthday cycle occurs on January 10, in Cancer at 20° & 00' in your solar 4<sup>th</sup> House of home, family, base of operation, refurbishing your home, real estate transactions and harmonious relationships.** Many of the themes you worked on since summer 2018 and July 2019 play out again especially if you have unfinished business. When eclipses fall in your 4<sup>th</sup> house you are charged with solving family problems, listening to both sides of issues, contributing to household maintenance and stability and entertaining in your home via parties or household guests. To break the routine of the daily grind be sure to schedule a few trips and include adventures that everyone

can enjoy. Participate in fitness routines, fun and games with the family or attend sports events. If you desire a permanent relationship, accept more social invitations. Married Aries may add to the family with a new baby. Enjoy quality time with children and grandchildren in a variety of settings besides your home. Seed the Law of Abundance by writing your wish list at each new moon and see what happens! Enjoy activities that pique your interest and celebrate success with your cherished contacts. The material in this section may also apply to those with Aries Ascendants. Enjoy!

**Famous Aries include:** Matthew Broderick, Rosie O'Donnell, Reese Witherspoon, Carl Reiner, Nathan Fillion, William Shatner, Peyton Manning, Piers Morgan, Aretha Franklin, Kenny Chesney, Sandra Day O'Connor, Keri Russell, Michael Fassbender, Cat Cora, Emma Watson, Reba McEntire, Jon and Kate Gosselin, Sarah Jessica Parker, Sir Elton John, Mariah Carey, Fergie, Julia Stiles, Christopher Walken, Vince Vaughn, Ewan McGregor, Giovanni Ribisi, Alec Baldwin, David Hyde Pierce, Eddie Murphy, Robert Downey, Jr., Paul Rudd, Zach Braff, Jackie Chan, Russell Crowe, Robin Wright Penn, Hugh Hefner, Dennis Quaid, Claire Danes, David Letterman, Shannen Doherty, Sarah Michelle Gellar, Emma Thompson, James Franco, Ellen Barkin, Martin Lawrence, Nancy Fuller, Victoria Beckham, Conan O'Brien, and Kate Hudson.

#### PLANETS IN ARIES' TIME from March 20-April 20

On March 20<sup>th</sup> at 5:59 PM EDT we'll welcome spring as the Sun moves to Aries while the momentum of the January 5<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> eclipses continues to have a strong impact on many lives. Shortly after we enter Aries and celebrate the equinox, **we look forward to the direct motion of Mercury, the planet of communication and transportation that has been retrograde in dreamy Pisces since March 5<sup>th</sup>. Mercury goes direct on March 28 at 9:59 AM EDT.** Hope you spent the time catching up on projects you have already initiated, clearing clutter, seeking advice for the months ahead, reading or organizing paperwork. Be sure to check tax returns carefully. As many have reported, the Mercury effect began two weeks before and sticks around for about two weeks after it goes direct. Table surgery that is not an emergency as well as major purchases. Tackle filing and sort through piles of accumulating material, shredding unnecessary documents, phoning a friend, and staying calm when appointments are canceled and rescheduled. The latter items always seem confusing during this period. You can be sure if you were sitting on important paperwork during the Mercury retrograde period, you will resume your output of communication in all forms now. **Venus completes a stint in congenial Aquarius and moves to romantic Pisces on March 27<sup>th</sup> where it stays through April 20<sup>th</sup> the starting date of the Taurus cycle.** Dating should be fun and may include movies, comedies, dramas and unique restaurants. **Mars reigns in energy in cautious Taurus who is taking no chances with Uranus now in that sign and leaves for Gemini on March 31<sup>st</sup> where it stays for the rest of the Aries cycle.** Be on the lookout for volatile conditions from April 12-14 involving Mars and Pluto. Tempers flare. **Jupiter is direct now in Sagittarius but goes retrograde on April 10<sup>th</sup> through August 11<sup>th</sup>** now affecting those of you born December 14-17; favorably affecting Aries born April 12-15; Leos born August 16-19, Libras born October 16-19, and Aquarius born February 11-14. Check

your charts for wherever you find 23-24 degrees of Sagittarius. Meanwhile Jupiter challenges mutable signs **Gemini, Virgo and Pisces born with planets at 23-24 degrees of their respective signs**. Check the tremendous volume of unresolved energy that clogs progress related to government and global enterprise. The current transit of **Jupiter calls for reflection and judicious use of mojo, luck and opportunity**. Create personal prosperity and look for ways to improve techniques that work best for your money and resources. If looking for a new job, sign up for courses that build your skill set. Leaders must be mindful of the impact their decisions have on the moral fiber and cultural differences of citizens. Jupiter relates strongly to goal expansion - what a good time to improve the quality of life. **Although Saturn has moved to high mid-degrees in Capricorn it will head into retrograde motion in late April**. Right now it is dancing with Pluto in Capricorn (also going retrograde in late April) via conjunction and the energy between them is very intense in April. Areas of responsibility emerge bringing a serious attitude for matters affiliated with pending decisions involving career, family, financial and physical health, real estate and authority. Note the urgent need to criticize unethical behavior and insist on accountability for erratic revision of laws, political structures, arms agreements and leadership on the world stage. Individuals benefit from attention to detail and tweaking plans, especially in areas where they feel stuck. Nothing will change without a thorough analysis of the situation you're in, so examine the lessons and formulate solutions. Implementation of changes works better in the fall. **Those most affected during the next month by Saturn's transit are Capricorns born January 9-12; Aries born April 8-11, Cancers born July 11-14 and Libras born October 12-15**. Responsibilities may increase for many born on these dates. **Earth signs Taurus and Virgo experience favorable periods especially if born with planets at 19-20 degrees of their signs; ditto Pisces and Scorpio with these degrees**. For now decide how to solve problems and develop priorities. It is time to build on rather than initiate new plans. Watch the news; it could create erratic messages the last 7 days of March. Thank goodness Saturn has a nice sextile going with Neptune to bring financial and emotional relief to those who need a helping hand. **Uranus in Taurus** is at the beginning stages of its 7-year journey in this sign which re-entered Taurus on March 6 and finally left impatient Aries. **Currently those born at April 19-22 degrees of Taurus will be most affected. Also having strong aspects are Cancers born June 21-24, Virgos born August 22-25, Capricorns born December 21-24 and Pisces born February 18-21. Other fixed signs - Leos born July 22-25, Scorpios born October 23-25 and Aquarius born January 19-22 deal with challenges, mixed messages or erratic communication**. Look at house cusps or planets where you have 0-2 degrees of these signs and be sure to take stock of current conditions. Surprises and/or the unexpected occurs depending on where these numbers appear in your chart. Security and safety are high on the list of topics in the news. **Neptune in Pisces coasts along at 16-17 degrees over the next month and most affects those born March 6-9. Others affected harmoniously include Cancers and Scorpios born with planets at these degrees. Challenged signs in this cycle are Geminis born June 6-9, Virgos born September 8-11 and Sagittarius born December 7-10. Neptune makes harmonious**

connections to Venus in Pisces from March 27-April 20 and to Saturn in Capricorn related to spiritual and humanitarian efforts during this cycle. Jupiter in Sagittarius creates ideological tension from now through early December 2019 especially where there is a need to heal from lack of emotional and physiological support; understanding is the key to connecting on a higher plane. Wherever transiting Neptune appears in your chart, the house calls attention to areas of confusion, spiritual insight, psychic impressions and matters involving liquids either what we drink or where we have leaks or toxins. Examine suspect areas in your physical or emotional foundation. Make use of healing modalities for greater peace of mind and body. **A few days after this forecast period ends Pluto goes retrograde (April 24) in Capricorn at 23 degrees making its annual 6-month journey into retrograde motion and goes direct on October 2, 2019 at 20 degrees. Many individuals feel the vibes in advance and start cleaning out their stash of secrets.** Cardinal signs Aries, Cancer, Libra and Capricorn feel the intensity on planets around 23 degrees of their signs, located in the last decanate. **Those born January 12-15 experience the shift on their suns over the next 6 months and beyond.** If you have been dealing with personal pain, pick a course of action that allows you to begin with a fresh perspective. Globally, the station on the 24<sup>th</sup> could focus on the angst related to unexpected attacks on citizens, dissatisfaction over disappearing benefits, political unrest and conflicts in ideology. Although the month may end with a standoff of sorts with Mercury going direct, it may inspire those caught up in the drama to seek solutions and make long-term commitments to right the wrongs. Develop a positive attitude and search within for the truth. **Individuals born March 20-24 have Chiron in Aries on their suns.** Open your hearts and show kindness and compassion to those in need of a boost in morale and healing. Use your clever head to help others while accessing your personal wounds and buried feelings and let go of inner pain. The Wounded Healer urges you release baggage and free your aching spirit. If your life seems overwhelming it is no surprise since you will experience the tension of Cardinal Sign eclipses in Capricorn and Cancer this year, especially the one on December 26 if you are a member of a Cardinal sign and your Sun falls in the first few degrees. Schedule a consultation to see what affects your chart. Signs high on the radar screen this month are Pisces, Taurus, Leo, Capricorn, Cancer, Libra, Aries, and Sagittarius. Allow releases to occur and get out of stuck places. Find joy and have fun.

## LUNAR/SOLAR CYCLES

**March 20:** Sun enters Aries at 5:59 PM EDT; 1<sup>st</sup> day of spring

**March 20:** Full Moon in Libra, 9:43 PM EDT 0° ♋ 09'

**April 5:** New Moon in Aries, 4:50 AM EDT, 15° ♈ 17'

**April 20:** Sun Enters Taurus, 4:56 AM EDT

## PEOPLE, PLACES AND TOPICS IN THE NEWS

Have you felt all the high drama and rapid change that is blasting through the Universe? You can give much of the credit to the waning intensity of Uranus leaving Aries and moving into Taurus that took place on March 6. Uranus takes a turbulent seven-year ride through each sign hacking away at old standings and concepts that need new life. We saw sweeping reforms in the realm of social media - some terrific and convenient yet others invasive and restrictive. Blogs went viral; so have Tweets, U-Tube and mass networking. The last hurrah in Aries ushered in a huge tornado in Alabama, a near-miss for a Norwegian cruise ship, even greater demand from

Democrats for scandal-related documents critical to the Mueller report, massive cold spells producing record snow storms, and a resurgence of an old Michael Jackson scandal revolving around alleged child abuse from now adult victims. Also emerging was medical news that HIV has a cure and just this week that new age-related guidelines have been released highlighting the efficacy of use of daily aspirin. Hope you were stable when Uranus made his re-entry into Taurus on March 6 accompanied by the New Moon in Pisces and a stationing retrograde Mercury. This feminine sign will be just as adamant about shaking things up as was masculine Aries. Now the shift focuses on money, banking, Wall Street, farming and our Nation's food supply, property, art and music. What we value is also on the firing line: jewelry, our possessions, copper and self-development. Much of the innovation we experience will revolve around changes and evaluation with a feminine eye as we redefine female strength and power, break barriers while women lead the way in promoting social acceptance of all women and inventing paths to organize society's acceptance of women from every socioeconomic class and country.

A week after Uranus entered Taurus, a terrorist attack occurred at the sites of two mosques in Christchurch, New Zealand on March 15. The event chart showed a tight conjunction of Mercury, the Sun and the Midheaven, Mercury ruling the chart via Gemini on the Ascendant, Saturn and Pluto in the 8<sup>th</sup> House of death, solo Uranus in the 11<sup>th</sup> house in aspect to the Moon in Cancer late in the 1<sup>st</sup> House, 7<sup>th</sup> House Jupiter in Sagittarius in hard aspect to the Mercury/Sun/MC in the 10<sup>th</sup> with Part of Fortune in the 3<sup>rd</sup> House of communication. The terrorist wanted attention and deliberately intended to broadcast his voluminous manifesto of hatred by streaming it live on social media and destroying the spirit of the Muslims. While his horrible act shocked the New Zealand community, it actually resulted in an outpouring of love, support and acceptance for all rather than destroying the soul of this Muslim community. The New Zealand culture embraces diversity and lovingly supports over 200 ethnicities. This tragedy has instead stimulated the need for even greater spiritual and cultural growth as residents bond in compassion and strength.

**WASHINGTON WARPATH:** Readers and many citizens are fed up with the prolific Twitter storms, personal attacks on the living and the character assassination of dead heroes, past presidents and those who were not born in the U.S. News reveals about cover-ups and comments were prolific in the past month especially regarding the activity in the courts related to Trump Administration connections. Be patient as facts emerge because that is the only way to fly during a Mercury retrograde - and this one has been a doozy. Voters are angry because they see no discernable agenda for the budget cuts that neither party wants. The only recognizable tidbit is the wall and the cost of it is being forced on U.S. taxpayers. Many wonder why attention is not being given more compassionately to those whose homes have been destroyed by massive flooding, fire, snowstorms and tornados. Comments come from Republicans, Democrats, Independents and from individuals stunned by the erratic actions, constant turnover, angst, pledges of support for "frenemies" who run countries with questionable political ideologies, and the firing of key individuals. Meanwhile the World watches and wonders who will be next.

**LUKE PERRY** the talented American actor, teen idol and star of Beverly Hills 90210 and Riverdale died of a massive stroke on March 4, 2019, in Burbank, CA. Family, friends, current and former cast members as well as legions of fans honored this cherished man recognized for his kindness, compassion, loyal friendship and



generosity. He was born a Libra on October 11 in Mansfield, OH. His chart shows Jupiter in Leo at the degree of the January 21, 2019 eclipse in his solar 10<sup>th</sup> House of recognition, career and status. On the day of his death, transiting Venus in Aquarius opposed his Jupiter from his solar 4<sup>th</sup> House, showing peace and love that surrounded him at the end of his life.

**GENERAL HOSPITAL** celebrates 56 years on the air, April 1 in Aries time. Current cast members celebrating Aries birthdays are Lisa Lo Cicero and Tamara Braun both born April 18. Congratulations!

## READERS CORNER

Fans of Readers Corner wrote mostly about personal matters related to their natal charts and asked specific questions - see below. They also commented on the generous Pisces spouse who shared her bonus with family members by treating them to a holiday getaway; most were critical of her mother-in-law's attitude. Others talked about the selection of letters for the column as well as the list of top themes from readers and said they pretty well matched their own perceptions of "hot topics." Enjoy the questions for this month. How do they relate to your life?

**Q.** I am an Aries born April 6 and have been struggling with loss of friendships and professional contacts. Lately I've also become disappointed with leadership in organizations I have belonged to for a number of years. My chief complaint is that it takes too long to accomplish goals because enthusiasm seems to be flagging once we set targets and agreed upon plans are dropped without follow through so that goals are not met. My boss chairs one of the groups and I find myself in disagreement over his decisions and unsure about remaining a member. Certain friends have let me down by canceling engagements, not being available for social events, not returning phone calls and often not agreeing to proposed activity. I don't always feel I am being told the truth about why they cancel plans. I have noticed these trends for over a year. Please provide insight on what is happening in my chart to create these situations.

**A.** Thank you for writing. Your Aries Sun is located in your natal 2<sup>nd</sup> House of income and personal development and is close to the degree of transiting Saturn in Capricorn, the planet of restriction and responsibility that is moving through your 11<sup>th</sup> House of friendships, goals, organizations, plans, and professional activities. Saturn is creating a harsh aspect to your Sun giving you food for thought about how to change areas of your life that seem stale or stuck. No doubt you have had frequent reminders of where common goals diminish. It is not unusual for friendships to fall out of sync when a hard aspect hits this house and makes aspect to your Sun. In addition, the January 5 Capricorn eclipse was at the same degree of your Aries Sun in your 2<sup>nd</sup> House of salary - no wonder you are wary about quitting a group your boss leads. As for friendships, sometimes individuals grow out of them and develop new interests. Next time you get a cancellation from one of the frequent bailers, discuss your disappointment with the party and ask if he/she feels the friendship has run its course. Talk about the recent history of unavailability. You should not have to work so hard to maintain the relationship. If it can't be salvaged, let it go and focus on the contacts that are more energetic and passionate about interests you share. Hang in there with your boss if you are happy in your job. These aspects will play out by June 2020. I think you might leave the organization for a position that pays more money or find a promotion in a different part of the company.

**Q.** What is in my chart that is causing confusion over my prescribed medications? Over the past year, I have received the wrong prescription twice, the wrong dosage 3 times, the wrong number of pills and more than twice received no notification the prescription was ready after having my doctor tell me it had been ordered (the pharmacy claims that no orders were received). Mistakes have led to inconvenient delays in getting the prescriptions filled properly. What should I be looking at and what can I do to stop this pattern?

**A.** Several astrological conditions are at play. You are an Aries born with the Sun in the 7<sup>th</sup> House of partners that also relates to medical professionals. You were born with Mercury in Pisces that falls in your 6<sup>th</sup> House of health, also the sector that relates to prescriptions, medical advisors, pharmacists and organizational matters, especially connected to daily routines. Transiting Neptune has been slowly moving through this house since April 2011, so confusion over health issues is not a big surprise to me. Now, however, Neptune landed right on Mercury (communication, messages) over the past year and will stick around for several months. This position can lead to lapses in judgment, confusion or mistakes. Your Ascendant is Libra and it received a direct aspect from the January 5 eclipse as well as from transiting Saturn and Pluto over the past year, so the mix-ups over medication have accelerated. I would start with your doctor and discuss the frequency of the lapses and find out what you can do to stop the confusion. You don't know whether someone in your physician's office is calling in the wrong prescription or if it is occurring on the pharmacist's end. I would also call the pharmacist to discuss the number of errors occurring in a little over a year. Mistakes like this can be costly and harmful. Good thing you are alert and read what is on the bottle before taking a pill. You could also switch to another pharmacy if you feel there is lack of quality control. First you need answers. Work diligently on this to clear up the issue and restore confidence in medical care.

**CONFIDENTIAL TO FEELING APPREHENSIVE:** Don't be sad; I know it has been tough hearing the news about the health disclosures triggered by current planetary activity. This period calls for researching the best possible medical care and finding practitioners who offer better options for treating your illness. When the aspects leave, welcome the freedom from pain. Meditate and stay centered.

Thank you to all who sent in questions and comments about last month's newsletter. I'm glad you enjoyed the Pisces issue and welcome your thoughts once again.

**QUOTE OF THE MONTH:** *"The secret of happiness is not in doing what one likes, but in liking what one does." .... James M. Barrie*

## **OFFICE HOURS**

- Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 11 am-6 pm.
- Tuesday: 12-6 pm.
- Thursday: 1-6 pm.
- Saturday: 11 am-4 pm.
- No Sunday hours.

Information about the sign of the month is a general interpretation based on solar charts and may not address the actual activity in your natal chart. If this is your birthday month or if you are interested in learning more about how the current cycles affect you, call me to schedule an appointment for a personal consultation or a coaching session. I work with business owners, entrepreneurs, executives and individuals providing guidance and strategic planning advice in a variety of fields. For a unique approach give the gift of a consultation or a written report to a loved one or associate. Gift certificates are available in the amount of your choice. Refer a friend who could use a new perspective and receive a \$15 discount toward your next consultation. I look forward to hearing from you.

**Happy Easter and Happy spring,**

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