





SCORPIO 2019 NEWSLETTER Compliments of Alice DeVille

Welcome to the season of beautiful conversations with nature and landscapes that pop with color. The fall harvest is ripe, and the excitement of holiday planning is in the air. Halloween falls on Thursday this year giving trick-or-treaters a perfect day to wear costumes and savor the sweet treats. The diatomaceous earth of autumn is Scorpio's signature and reflects the passion that our zodiac celebrant puts into cherished plans and dreams. Honor your insightful Scorpio with a favorite meal at home or treat them to a restaurant masterpiece to celebrate life and love. You'll be the wind beneath their wings.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations to CR on winning the September client drawing; October's client drawing is a \$10 gift certificate to apply to a future session; all clients who book an appointment of one hour or more are automatically entered to win. Cyber security is a serious way to protect all your documents and financial holdings. Warnings come daily from businesses and important contacts to put you on alert. Thieves test you with phony messages from vendors who did not send them, including Amazon, FedEx, UPS, your I-Phone provider- do not open any attachments. Misspellings are tell-tale clues in the correspondence. When in doubt call your provider directly. Credit breaches have been reported by major firms this year. Check credit with all three bureaus if you have reason to suspect yours has been invaded. You can get free credit checks from each bureau yearly. Many credit card or mortgage companies provide scores as part of the service each month. In the aftermath of storm season in the U.S., you may be targeted to donate funds to pay for disaster relief; be sure to check out requesting organizations before parting with cash.

DATES TO REMEMBER IN THIS CYCLE:

October 31: Halloween

November 3: Daylight Savings Time Ends at 2:00 AM - Turn Clock Back 1 Hour...zzz

November 5: General Election Day - get out and vote if relevant.

November 11: Veterans' Day; observed as a legal holiday

SCORPIO'S BIRTHDAY SUMMARY

Happy Birthday, Scorpio! You are the 8th sign of the Zodiac, the 3rd of 4 fixed signs, and the 2nd of 3 water signs. Pluto is your natural ruler (Mars also claims original ownership) leading the deep space-oriented 8th House of other people's money, resources from joint funds or unusual places, psychological matters, mysteries, sex, death, birth, rebirth, estate matters, mortgage loans, goods of the dead, consumer debt, crimes, assets or investments as well as liabilities, the subconscious, travel between the worlds, and complex human needs. You have a very passionate spirit, show fierce determination, can be very stubborn and take a serious approach to obligations. Periodically you rise out of the ashes like the phoenix when the going gets tough and bounce back via rebirth of your psyche. Certain Scorpios build blind spots and embrace martyrdom, act skeptical or have a pessimistic view of life - you can change the picture though. Stay open to receiving assistance from transiting Pluto in Capricorn to help dissolve those edgy moods and doubt. Your colors are dark reds, maroon, magenta, oxblood, wine, dark browns, and black. Uplifting experiences help you heal internally and aid in problem solving. Scorpio rules the private parts of the body; all 30 degrees of your sign relate to one of them. This year the Sun enters Scorpio on October 23 at 1:20 PM EDT and leaves on November 22, at 9:59 AM EST. Some material in the following section may apply to individuals with Scorpio on the Ascendant and/or other Scorpio planets, including the Moon.

Scorpio, your birthday year starts out with Jupiter in Sagittarius wrapping up its cycle on December 2 while activating your solar 2nd House of income, resources, assets, career and other developmental activity, and people connected with money sources. This position creates opportunities to enjoy the fruits of your labor via raises, promotions and bonuses. You could also be investing in a home remodel, a new home, accepting a financial offer or enrolling in additional education. You have enjoyed the Law of attraction working in your favor, a chance to add accomplishments and acquisitions to your life after purging what you don't need in the cycle leading up to your birthday. Admirers line up for single Scorpios who find you very attractive. Be aware that Taurus makes a great partner. Many of you changed your status this year and bonded with one of the sexy ones. Life may have treated you to more than one celebration in the last 12 months and that means eating, drinking and making merry while feasting on rich foods and exotic beverages; keep moving to balance weight. On December 3, 2019 Jupiter changes signs and moves to Capricorn and your solar 3rd House of education, your mental state and how your mind works, community involvement, electronic equipment, sisters, brothers, cousins, neighbors and local government workers. This position has lots of company in 2020 with Saturn and Pluto also in this sign and one remaining eclipse in Capricorn in December 2019, one in Capricorn and two in Cancer in 2020 opposing these planets. Give consideration to where you want to focus your attention and stimulate successful outcomes. It may be that you give special attention to neighborhood activity, educational pursuits, including classes, the state of your mental health to give it a rest after intense concentration cycles that demand your time, and connections with relatives. With attention to details and the right plan, contractual ventures soar with success. Grab the brass ring and go. Saturn has been in Capricorn since December 20, 2017 and highlights your solar 3rd House of community matters, education, transportation, electronic equipment and relatives including siblings, cousins, nieces and nephews and all facets of communication as well as the state of your mind. Those of you born

November 6-23 see the most activity from this transit from now through the end of your birthday cycle. You'll also get a teaser taste of Saturn in Aquarius when it briefly enters Aquarius on March 22, goes retrograde on March 11, returns to Capricorn on July 2 and goes direct again on September 28. During the brief time in Aquarius you will notice a shift if born October 22-24. Make long-term plans for the future while Capricorn influences your thoughts - avoid hanging on to depressing vibes. Tackle emerging plans including a search for a new job, a retirement timetable, housing transactions, enrolling in educational courses or funding for a new car. At times the way you communicate takes on a very serious tone or can get downright edgy, especially if you spar with those who have differing perspectives. Check your information and your work so you'll be taken seriously. Look for partners who challenge you intellectually or can keep up with your pace. Certain Scorpios may unexpectedly find mentors or come in contact with new people who influence your work world. You may take on added responsibility at work or in the community. Be on the lookout for new interests and invent your future. Uranus in Taurus travels through your Solar 7th House and especially affects Scorpio individuals born October 25-November 2 through the end of your birthday cycle in your opposite sign, Taurus, affecting personal and business partners, roommates, the public, astrologers, consultants, medical and legal professionals. For the next year, Uranus generates shake-ups that may occur in both personal and business relationships, among people who live with you including a family member who comes back to your home, or with collaborators, or those whose opinions you seek to perfect your work. Uranus thrives on creating unstable or unexpected conditions. Discomfort is a by-product of the Uranus cycle. Look closely at dynamics if your birthday falls on the dates listed in this section. Where are you experiencing change or feeling anxiety because your world is spinning out of control? Stay positive to facilitate a successful outcome. Transiting Pluto in Capricorn, in harmonious aspect to your Sun also affects late-born Scorpios from your 3rd House of mental outlook and communication and adds urgency to find solutions when you want to make a change. You are a survivor, Scorpio, so do your thing. Neptune is in Pisces all through your birthday cycle and connects with your Sun through the end of 2020 if you are born November 6-13 while it moves through your 5th House of children, dating, vacations, social life, recreation, sports, risk-taking and romance. Currently Neptune is retrograde until November 27th. The 5th is a romantic house and a Pisces Neptune favors your Scorpio planets. The soft qualities of Neptune may be helpful in mending fences, communicating openly about feelings, healing fractured relationships and understanding why it is important to be sensitive to others' feelings. Encourage honest communication with others, including children who may be afraid to express themselves. Knock down a few barriers to have a more satisfying emotional outlook. Take down some of those walls and stop blaming confused feelings for why you are blocking change. You deserve to embrace happiness if you have been down, so let go of fears and move forward. Don't hide out in Neptune's haze; instead acknowledge the safe haven and inspiration it can be. Check out the essence of new people and accept a few dates if single. Let your magnetism shine while you embrace the Law of Attraction. Pluto in Capricorn in your solar 3rd House of communication, computer equipment and cell phones, cyber security, education, mental outlook and how your mind works, people who live near you, cousins, siblings, the neighborhood, transportation, and technology most favorably affects those of you born November 12-18 in the year ahead and prepares you to work on a variety of mental challenges before making decisions. What you say has a powerful effect on others, so monitor those Scorpio zingers when

communicating to avoid fracturing relationships. Vital information may be missing from what you think you know. The power of your words can deliver crushing blows when Pluto clashes with an eclipse hit on this or other Capricorn planets like Jupiter and Saturn that are moving through this house. What is going on in your neighborhood, home, work or spiritual environments? You'll have to get to the bottom of perplexing situations and work through dynamics involving colleagues, siblings, neighbors, educators, close relatives and those who communicate with you regularly. For many of you this could be a break-through year when you transform your appearance and your life. What must go - people, habits or conditions? Be prepared to shed baggage and say good-bye. Use the gifts associated with this transit of Pluto in Capricorn and assimilate the newly-evolving information that changes your life goals. Attract success by sharing your deep insight with others. If other planets occupy this house at 20-24 degrees of Capricorn, each of them will get a visit or two from Pluto this year. Wherever rigid conditions or opinions prevail, expect an attitudinal shift, a departure, or a move away from the status quo. Release any hold you have on individuals who seek freedom allowing them to learn the life lessons that surround the issues. Change happens. Find your spirit and humor and move into stable territory.

By now you have experienced most of the 5 eclipses of 2019 with 2 of them still affecting your chart through early 2020 and one of them still to come in December. The 3rd Eclipse of 2019 occurred in Cancer at 10°⊕38', a Solar eclipse that fell on July 2 in your Solar 9th House of spiritual insight, travel, relocation, publishing, higher education, journeys, and people at a distance. The eclipse opposes transiting planets in Capricorn in your solar 3rd house of communication, a sign that uncovers mysteries in depth and clarifies facts and misunderstandings. If your thought processes were clouded by anger, you had a chance to see the truth and clear the air. Relationships are a hot topic in your conversations. On July 16, 2019, a lunar eclipse occurred in Capricorn in your solar 3rd House of communication, computer equipment and cell phones, cyber security, education, mental outlook and how your mind works, people who live near you, cousins, siblings, the neighborhood, transportation, and technology. This was the time to finish up what you started back in January and to complete goals regarding education, electronic and vehicle replacement, a physical move, community service, and relationships with relatives. Continue to work on anything you may have overlooked, finalize plans, help others who are relocating or furnish your home. You could be very busy studying a proposed contract for services related to security and home improvements or negotiating one related to your job. Finally, on December 26, the last eclipse of 2019 occurs in Capricorn in your solar 3rd House of communication, state of mind, neighborhood events and family members like siblings, cousins and those you treat like family. If you have done a good job on matters listed under the July 16 eclipse, this eclipse allows you to put the finishing touches on plans for 2020. Congratulate yourself on using better communication practices and clarifying misunderstandings with others. All those phone calls are worth the effort when you receive accolades from involved parties. Firm up contracts for pending purchases. Accelerate understanding of others' viewpoints by listening carefully and seeing more of the big picture. This eclipse stays active for at least 6-12 months providing insight into choices that lie ahead. The year 2020 has 6 eclipses and we will touch on four of them that take place before your 2020 birthday occurs. The first lunar eclipse of 2020 occurs on January 10 at 20 degrees of Cancer in your solar 9th House of spiritual insight, travel, relocation, publishing, higher education, journeys, and people at a distance. This location highlights any

pending long distance travel you want to accomplish, your plans for returning to school or studying languages, interactions with in-laws, cultural exchanges with other nations, changing philosophical beliefs, publishing books, articles and documents you have prepared, pending legal matters, and work with medical specialists. The second lunar eclipse of 2020 occurs in Sagittarius on June 5 15°₹34' in your Solar 2nd House of income, resources, assets, career and other developmental activity, and people connected with money sources. This eclipse indicates the shifting of eclipse signs away from Cardinal energy to those with mutable qualities like Sagittarius and Gemini. The emphasis is going to call attention to your salary and potential raises, what you value and your spending power. The first solar eclipse of 2020 falls in your solar 9th House at the world point degree 0°#21' in Cancer and focuses on major involvement in matters you initiated in January. Watch world events around that time also. No doubt you will have experienced a change in the status quo by this time. This important period gives you ample time over the next 6 months to wrap up any pending activity connected with higher education, sabbaticals, interactions with foreigners, inlaws, professors, medical advisors and publishers. The July 5th lunar eclipse in Capricorn at 13°Vs 38' marks the end of the Cancer-Capricorn cycle of cardinal sign eclipses and encourages tact and thoughtfulness in communicating, wise use of contracting and purchasing power, improved relationships with relatives and neighbors and a sharp metal outlook. The signs most prominent during the 2019-20 eclipse cycles are: Cancer, Capricorn, Sagittarius and Gemini. Also affected but less intensely unless a degree of one of these eclipses affects a house or planet degree in your chart are Libra, Aries, Virgo and Pisces. The information in this section may also apply to those of you with Scorpio Ascendants, a stellium of planets in Scorpio or the Moon in Scorpio. Check for details with your astrologer.

Scorpio birthdays include: Joaquin Phoenix, Ryan Reynolds, Nancy Grace, Pele, Dwight Yokam, "Weird Al" Yankovic, Katy Perry, Condoleezza Rice, Caitlyn Jenner, Seth MacFarlane, Hillary Clinton, Kevin Kline, Cary Elwes, Pat Sajak, Cat Deeley, Y.A. Tittle, Annie Potts, Barron Hilton, Doug Flutie, Sasha Cohen, Emma Stone, Michael Strahan, Greta Browner, Tracy Nelson, Rita Wilson, Brad Paisley, Dylan McDermott, F. Murray Abraham, Kelly Osbourne, John Cleese, Anne Hathaway, Bill Gates, Charlie Daniels, Dennis Franz, Julia Roberts, Bruce Jenner, Sanjay Gupta, Helen Reddy, Monica, BD Wong, Ang Lee, Richard Dreyfuss, Roberto Benigni, Curtis Stone, Christian Siriano, David Ortiz, Chloe Sevigny, Gabrielle Union, Gordon Ramsay, Ryan Gosling, Winona Ryder, Henry Winkler, Jane Pauley, Jenny McCarthy, Larry Flynt, k.d. Lang, Pat Buchanan, Roseanne, Sean Combs, Matthew McConaughey, Sam Shepard, Tatum O'Neal, Ethan Hawke, Maria Shriver, Sally Field, Joni Mitchell, Parker Posey, Nick Lachey, Brittany Murphy, Calista Flockhart, Demi Moore, Leonardo DiCaprio, David Schwimmer, Chris Noth, Brenda Vaccaro, Linda Evans, Delroy Lindo, Elizabeth Perkins, Oscar Nunez, Kevin, Nealon, Mike Epps, Whoopi Goldberg, Prince Charles, Sam Waterson, Lisa Bonet, Danny DeVito, Martin Scorsese, Linda Evans, Owen Wilson, Larry King, Calvin Klein, Jodie Foster, Bo Derek, Bjork, Bobby Kennedy, Ezra Pound, George Eliot, Dylan Thomas, Evelyn Waugh and Goldie Hawn.

PLANETS in ACTION OCTOBER 23 through NOVEMBER 22

Uranus, Neptune and Chiron are retrograde now. Several readers report feeling the effects of the erratic energy and asked if Mercury has already gone retrograde. Certain readers feel sad, some feel uneasy; others feel like a big shift is

coming - all compliments of the position of planets in their charts and the shakiness in the Universe. Mercury starts out in Scorpio and goes retrograde on October 31 going direct on November 20 and making it difficult to communicate clearly or keep appointments. Mix-ups related to dates, times, and details prevail as well as strange equipment failures, misplaced items, and delays in completing assignments. You know what to do - don't sign important documents, book travel or initiate a new project on these station dates. Instead, balance your books, file documents, clean out closets. identify goods to donate to charities, return phone calls and answer correspondence that has been accumulating. Dig into hidden or messier topics that need to be addressed and act on them after December 7. Mars is in Libra as the Scorpio cycle begins and moves to Scorpio on November 20, the same day Mercury turns direct. While in Libra, Mars energizes the lives of each Libra for a day or two during the cycle with particular emphasis on relationship dynamics. Use diplomacy in handling sticky situations and you come out ahead. Jupiter in Sagittarius is moving quickly to wrap up the current cycle which ends on December 2. Right now Jupiter most affects those born November 13-21 with the conjunction on their suns; these individuals have decisions to make regarding how to spend their money, how to spot growth opportunities, determine the best options for purchasing goods and saving money, where to invest and how to reap personal benefits. Lucky Sagittarius, the gambler and risk taker, could generate a lottery or contest win. Work with integrity and be fair to others; keep commitments unless extenuating circumstances prevent you from honoring them. Also benefiting are those Leos born August 13-21, Aries born April 10-18, Libra born October 14-22 and Aquarius born February 9-17. Globally the best time of the month to socialize or engage in harmonious discussions is after the 21st. Venus meets Jupiter from November 21-25 to help the discussions. Saturn is direct in Capricorn during this cycle traveling over 14-17 degrees of the sign and most affecting those born January 14-19 as it moves direct in this sign. On December 3 Saturn gets a boost from Jupiter moving to Capricorn, an excellent time to pursue new enterprises. Enjoy success also if you are a Taurus born May 4-9, or a Virgo born September 6-11. You experience a trine aspect. Scorpio born November 6-11, and Pisces born March 4-9 experience the sextile. Those born with 14-17 degrees Aries, Cancer and Libra could deal with challenges or wide awakenings. Work through vague information or assumptions and revise plans to put your goals in motion. Uranus in Taurus is retrograde traveling over the 4th and 3rd degrees of the sign and most affecting Taurus born April 25-22. Those born in the other fixed signs, Leo, Scorpio and Aquarius with planets at 4-3 degrees should follow similar advice, while the earth signs Virgo and Capricorn with these degrees may get an unexpected boost of confidence, a raise or a gift. The trine mentioned under Saturn gives you a boost in momentum. Enjoy success. Those of you who have been in a rut may have the strong urge to do things your own way. Release is welcome. Almost daily you will hear dialog challenging information you know to be true while you crave nothing but the truth; speak up if you know it. The Middle East continues to be one of the world's most challenging areas along with North Korea and The Kremlin - no friend of the U.S. Neptune in Pisces has been retrograde since June 21 and turns stationary direct on November 27. It most affects those born March 7-4 who will be greatly relieved when the fog lifts and the true picture emerges. Once clarity kicks in you gain a new outlook on life. Others most affected by this transit are Geminis, Virgos and Sagittarians born with the Sun at 16-15 degrees of their signs who are experiencing shifting life conditions and seek the honesty in critical areas such as the work place, health, home or relationships. Cancers, Scorpios, Tauruses and Capricorns work on plans to remove

blocks in diverse departments of life. Be attuned to allergic reactions to medications and monitor the air quality of the environment this fall. Take precautions. Venus in Sagittarius at a challenging aspect to Neptune most of November can be destructive for images and reputations. Dreaminess disappears replaced by risky behavior. Some may elope on a whim. Mars squares Pluto November 4-12; watch your temper and avoid contentious encounters. Be diplomatic but firm in communication and say what you mean.

Pluto in Capricorn is direct during this cycle and most affects those born January 10-13 hovering at 20-21 degrees affecting the other cardinal signs with placements at that number - Cancer, Aries, and Libra; these vibes are challenging and make you think twice before acting. Where do they fall in your chart? Check it out and learn options for releasing blocks and solving problems. Pluto brings up buried actions and feelings through this cycle that can lead to fractured relationships on a personal and a global level. Watch the headlines. Seek resolution by asking questions and listening to facts. Lessons for leaders who don't value teams are brewing. The Scorpio cycle is ideal for reorganization and rebirth. Free up the resentment in your world and have fun! Chiron the Wounded Healer is in Aries in retrograde status at 2-1 degrees and affects individuals born March 21-24. Find ways to let go of whatever reminds you of a negative past and release the associated hard feelings and anger. Walk, stretch muscles, practice yoga, meditate and visualize perfect health. Find your bliss and attract joy again.

LUNAR/SOLAR CYCLES

October 23: Sun Enters Scorpio, 1:21 PM EDT

October 27: New Moon in Scorpio, 11:39 PM EDT, 4° m 25'

November 12: Full Moon in Taurus, 8:36 AM EST, 19°8 52' Super Moon

November 22: Sun enters Sagittarius, 10:06 AM EST

PEOPLE, PLACES AND TOPICS IN THE NEWS:

Many readers commented on this section related to growing concern for our country, the political climate, the brazen disregard for protocol, peacekeeping, welcoming political enemies to the White House and the impeachment effort that is now receiving endorsement from both sides of the aisle. As I have previously explained, every time I examine the President's chart, I see critical planetary aspects related to nuclear weapons, open enemies, manipulation and secret enemies ready to pounce; firing key players (there will be more in coming days) and loss of political alliances replaced by those whose interests are in conflict with traditional U.S. values. And then there is the matter of manipulating facts at every turn. As of 10/20, the site of next year's G-7 summit at the President's Doral Resort is no longer an option and critics exude a sigh of relief over the averted conflict of interest. Each eclipse continues to escalate matters. Others shared concerns over divisive hostility that prevents us from living in harmony and want to know why the leadership quality of unity is missing without more direct objection from those who know better. Watch for a big event on January 12, the Saturn-Pluto conjunction in Capricorn that represents fundamental restructuring of authority and government affairs. The impeachment process seems destined to take place during the upcoming Mercury retrograde phase with projections on the timetable coinciding with the Saturn-Pluto conjunction which occurs at 22

degrees on January 12th. Watch key political charts over the next three months. Wide awakenings. Stay tuned.

Bernie Sanders: The Presidential candidate and junior senator from Vermont suffered a heart attack on October 4, nearly a month after he turned 78, while campaigning in Las Vegas. A few days later his daughter-in-law, Raine Riggs died of cancer shortly after receiving her diagnosis. She was married to Bernie's son, Levi Sanders, Readers have asked about activity in Bernie's chart. He is a Virgo born September 8. Transiting Mars in Virgo was conjunct his natal Sun at the time of his 2019 birthday, stayed in Virgo until early October and played a role in his heart attack. It was moving in an inconjunct aspect to his natal Moon in Aries while transiting Jupiter in Sagittarius opposed his natal Jupiter in Gemini (often a health status indicator); and was in hard aspect to his Sun and North Node conjunction in Virgo. His progressed Sun in Sagittarius opposed his natal Uranus in Gemini, a harbinger of sudden events. Transiting Uranus in Taurus was in harsh aspect to his Pluto/Chiron conjunction in Leo (heart matters). He will benefit from following doctor's orders to maintain heart health. Transiting Saturn, Moon's South Node and Pluto in Capricorn are moving through his solar 5th House of children making contact with progressed Ceres and Venus at the time of his daughter-in-law's passing. Senator Sanders returned to the campaign trail and participated in the October 15 democratic debate along with other qualifying candidates. The next month presents many challenges as candidates meet again on November 20. Who will remain in the running?

Readers also asked about contestants on the popular DANCING WITH THE STARS show now in Season 28 with 8 contestants remaining. The season concludes around the time I send out the Sagittarius newsletter in November so I will cover the charts of the final contestants and their partners at that time. Several very talented dancers have captured votes and remain in the competition: Cancer Ally Brooke, Gemini Kate Flannery, Scorpio Karamo Brown, Libra Sean Spicer, Libra Hannah Brown, Scorpio Lauren Alaina, Virgo Kel Mitchell and Pisces James Van Der Beek. So far, the strongest scores have gone to Ally Brooke, Kel Mitchell, Hannah Brown and James Van Der Beek. Who is your favorite? Be sure to vote! Stay tuned!

Elijah Cummings: Representative Cummings, a Capricorn born in Baltimore on January 18, 1951, died at Gilchrist Hospice Care, an affiliate of Johns Hopkins Hospital, on October 17 at 2:45 AM of complications from long-standing health problems. Representative Cummings, U.S. Representative from Maryland's 7th District served the house since 1996, as the chairman of the Congressional Black Caucus since 2002 and then as the chairman of the House Oversight and Reform Committee. He was a longtime champion of civil rights and one who gained national attention for his principled stands on politically charged issues in the House. He used a calming approach to addressing contentious matters, could be contentious when he witnessed abuse of power, and was an honorable man who valued truth as he served his district and the nation with dignity, integrity, compassion and humility. As I am writing this section, I learned that Mr. Cummings is scheduled to lie in state at the National Statuary Hall of the U.S. Capitol next week, with a ceremony to be held October 24 followed by a public viewing. A wake and funeral for Rep. Cummings will be held on October 25 at New Psalmist Baptist Church in Baltimore where he worshiped for nearly four decades. Rest In Peace.

READERS CORNER

With so much going on in the world now - earthquakes, hurricanes, mass shootings, the uncertainty of health care options and a mass of confusion in the management of the federal government, readers have expressed anxiety. Several wrote in to ask about the aspects in the charts of the of cities in areas of destruction as well as the U.S. chart. The number one concern this month was communication in relationships. Thank you for your interest. Let me know what you think.

Q. I am a Scorpio born October 26. I have a full-time job and attend graduate school 2 nights a week. This schedule will continue through the end of 2020. After a company-wide work meeting in August, I met a man at the social hour that followed the meeting who works for the same company and learned that he attends the same university and has classes on the same nights and times as I do. I did not know him, nor do I come in contact with him during the work day since we are affiliated with different divisions. We exchanged contact information and decided to carpool to work and classes on the two designated days each week. He lives about three blocks from me, so the commute is convenient for each of us. We are happy with the arrangement and share driving on alternate weeks. All was going well until my boyfriend objected to the arrangement saying that we are setting ourselves up for gossip at work and could give the impression that we are dating. He wants me to back out and I don't want to do this because we can use carpool lanes to get to class quickly and the parking lot at school is near both buildings where classes are held. My boyfriend's birthday is July 25. What do you see in my chart that explains his hard-nosed position? The carpooler's birthday is August 28. Thank you.

A. I see an insecure partner and a streak of jealousy confirmed by the position of your boyfriend's Sun-Mars conjunction in Leo in hard aspect to your Scorpio Sun. This situation has been aggravated by transiting Uranus in Taurus in early degrees of the sign sending opposition vibes to your Scorpio Sun and the hard square to your boyfriend's Sun and Mars conjunction. Conditions like this put you in a sensitive position, one where you have to defend your decision to carpool. You are under no obligation to terminate your agreement with your co-worker. Sounds like synchronicity was at work on the day of the meeting. What about the benefit of safety? You have someone with you on campus on each school night and don't have to walk the campus alone after 9 PM. Have you noticed any other control or possessiveness issues with the man you are dating? Evaluate this relationship further once you decide to stay with the current arrangements. By the way, the carpooler has some very compatible aspects to yours.

Thank you to all who sent in comments on Libra's newsletter.

QUOTE OF THE MONTH: "Your only obligation in any lifetime is to be true to yourself" ... Richard Bach

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Information about the sign of the month is general and based on solar charts. Material 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 are affecting you, call me to schedule an appointment for a personal consultation or a coaching session. 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.

Enjoy the glorious days of autumn,

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