

Tim Bost's PRACTICAL SPIRITUAL ASTROLOGY

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What Is It?

Practical Spiritual Astrology is grounded in the understanding that our aim as consciously evolving humans is not only to remember and reclaim our essential divine nature, but also to manifest that spiritual essence more dynamically and more abundantly in the material world. The sacred knowledge of the heavenly intelligences and their cosmic cycles can guide us infallibly into spontaneous right action and joyful, fulfilled expression of our true selves.

Purpose & Benefits

Practical Spiritual Astrology thus brings us daily opportunities for being completely spiritually centered in a manner that is consistently resourceful. When that happens, we succeed in bringing out the best qualities in our circumstances. We become completely congruent with our true creative nature, and genuinely helpful to others in a multitude of pragmatic, life-affirming ways.

COSMIC OPPORTUNITES

New Moon – July 6, 8:02 a.m. EDT * Saturn enters Leo – July 16, 8:34 a.m. EDT * Full Moon – July 21, 7:00 a.m. EDT * Sun enters Leo – July 22, 1:41 p.m. EDT * Venus enters Virgo – July 22, 9:01 p.m. EDT * Mercury retrograde station – July 22, 11:00 p.m. EDT

THE FOCUS FOR THE MONTH

Throughout July, we can often gain the richest spiritual insights by remembering where we have been in the past. What are the sacred traditions in our personal history that have shaped our hearts and our understanding? Who are the individuals and the invisible presences that we need to be more grateful for?

Boundaries & Illusions

The more enlightened we become, the more we realize that the perceived boundaries between spiritual and material concerns are illusory. If we are truly centered and self-aware, when we make conscious choices to improve our material well-being, we are actually planting the seeds of our future spiritual growth. For example, even a small amount that is set aside in a savings account or that is given freely to aid another can awaken within us the precious remembrance that we can trust the Divine Plan to nurture us as we move ever more steadily toward higher possibilities in our lives.

Wellsprings of Power

The capacity for creative thought is one of the greatest gifts we have at our disposal as we strive toward greater spiritual realization. If we open up to new ways of expressing love in our lives, and if we turn our imaginations loose to create more refined ways of communicating and connecting with others, we are likely to discover the enormous wellsprings of power and awareness that lie deep within us, ready to transform all that we are and all that we know.

Being Delicate & Discerning

There are compelling attractions to others as we start the week leading up to the Full Moon, propelling us dramatically toward more powerful emotional realizations and an expanded ability to take control of our own beliefs and attitudes. If we allow ourselves to assimilate this expanded awareness fully, we are likely to find that delicate and discerning judgments come much easily for us, guiding us effortlessly toward right actions as we nurture those around us.

Reviewing Our Resources

As the month of July draws to a close, we may feel like it's time to launch new projects and create new beginnings in our lives, but we will have much more to gain if we simply relax and reflect on our past successes and mistakes. As we review our previous efforts and engagements, we have an opportunity to open up fresh resources of self-awareness, creative sympathy, and the kind of courage we need to become true spiritual giants. Our task at present is simply to absorb and expand those qualities patiently; there will soon be ample opportunities to put them to work for greater good.

SHARE YOUR INSIGHTS

We're eager to get your insights and concerns, so please share them with us! Send an email to spirit@timbost.com with your questions, your comments, and your ideas. We look forward to hearing from you!

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