



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.

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

“What we are looking for is what is looking.”

- St. Francis of Assisi

THE FOCUS FOR OCTOBER

Although we each come to the spiritual path with our own innocence intact, with our own foolish naivete unsullied by real-world experience, we can nevertheless be grateful that we are hardly on our own in the quest toward fulfillment and enlightened understanding.

Others have gone this way before us, and we are indeed wise when we pay attention to their wisdom and their example. In its simplest form, this allegiance may be nothing more than rote adherence to the form of a ritual or a semi-conscious recitation of an ancient tradition; but in its fullest flowering our connections with our spiritual ancestors gives us an unspoken source of transcendent and reliable strength.

If we choose to focus on petty affiliations, and identify ourselves with our tribe, our nationality, our creed, or our ethnic group, we run the risk of missing out on a significantly broader, more compassionate, and more enlivened way of viewing the world around us. The shared essence that unites us with other is not just our common humanity; it is common spark of divine enlightenment which illuminates the darkness of contemporary experience.

In spite of the fact that we are perpetually surrounded with remarkable blessings, we can sometimes feel that the path toward spiritual fulfillment has somehow become insurmountable, that we are doomed to endless struggle and frustration in our efforts to achieve expanded illumination in our lives. It is on just such occasions, when our spiritual ascension seems most futile, that we can discover the true value of perseverance, and of the boundless faith that opens our hearts to countless possibilities.

When an inspiring leader or a cultural hero steps beyond attachment to the physical body, it has become commonplace for people to gather at locations sacred to that individual with remembrances and acts of devotion or dedication, sharing songs and eulogies, offering flowers and photographs, and lighting candles in an effort to transcend the sense of loss. It is in such moments of awe and humility that we can glimpse the real significance of our fundamental mission as agents of the divine essence.

THE ART OF SPIRITUAL RESPONSIBILITY

“Anxiety is the dizziness of
freedom.” Søren
Kierkegaard

ESOTERIC MANTRAS FOR OCTOBER

LIBRA

“I choose the way which
leads between the two great
lines of force.”

SCORPIO

“Warrior I am and from the
battle I emerge triumphant.”

October Observances

St. Francis Day – 10/4
Dussehra – 10/6
Yom Kippur – 10/8
Sukkot – 10/13
Birth of the Bab – 10/20
Shemini Atzeret – 10/20
Guru Granth – 10/20
Simchat Torah – 10/21
Jain New Year – 10/22
United Nations Day – 10/24
Diwali – 10/26
Milvian Bridge Day – 10/28
Reformation Day – 10/30
Halloween – 10/31

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Cosmic Opportunities

Hades retrograde station – October 2, 12:15 p.m. EDT
Mars square Jupiter – October 3, 1:20 a.m. EDT
Mercury conjunct Zeus – October 3, 12:03 p.m. EDT
Mars square Poseidon – October 4, 10:07 a.m. EDT
Mercury conjunct Saturn – October 6, 6:02 p.m. EDT
Venus square Vulcanus – October 7, 12:17 a.m. EDT
Kronos retrograde station – October 7, 3:18 a.m. EDT
Venus conjunct Apollon – October 7, 4:59 a.m. EDT
Sun conjunct Zeus – October 7, 8:23 a.m. EDT
Venus trine Neptune – October 7, 7:27 p.m. EDT
Venus enters Scorpio – October 9, 1:49 a.m. EDT
Venus trine Chiron – October 9, 11:43 p.m. EDT
Venus trine Hades – October 10, 8:07 a.m. EDT
Mercury conjunct Apollon – October 11, 9:06 p.m. EDT
Full Moon – October 11, 10:06 p.m. EDT
Mercury enters Scorpio – October 13, 6:52 a.m. EDT
Sun conjunct Saturn – October 13, 5:12 p.m. EDT
Venus trine Kronos – October 14, 7:05 p.m. EDT
Venus opposition Jupiter – October 14, 7:53 p.m. EDT
Venus conjunct Poseidon – October 16, 4:33 p.m. EDT
Mercury opposition Jupiter – October 17, 2:55 p.m. EDT
Mercury conjunct Poseidon – October 19, 9:14 a.m. EDT
Mars trine Cupido – October 20, 7:16 a.m. EDT
Sun enters Scorpio – October 23, 2:30 p.m. EDT
Uranus square Hades – October 24, 3:58 a.m. EDT
Sun trine Chiron – October 24, 9:36 a.m. EDT
Sun trine Hades – October 25, 2:33 a.m. EDT
New Moon – October 26, 3:56 p.m. EDT
Venus square Mars – October 26, 6:22 p.m. EDT
Vulcanus retrograde station – October 27, 7:38 a.m. EDT
Jupiter trine Pluto – October 28, 12:29 p.m. EDT
Sun opposition Jupiter – October 28, 9:41 p.m. EDT
Sun trine Kronos – October 30, 4:02 p.m. EDT
Venus opposition Admetos – October 30, 6:34 a.m. EDT
Venus trine Vulcanus – October 31, 4:08 a.m. EDT
Mercury opposition Admetos – October 31, 6:34 a.m. EDT
Venus square Neptune – October 31, 5:19 p.m. EDT

Tim Bost is once again available for a limited number of personal consultations. For appointment information, and for a free report on “5 Wrong Turns You Can Avoid with the Cosmic GPS”, go to: <http://www.TimBost.com>

The Spiritual Side of Financial Manifestation

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