



BLAME IT ON THE STARS

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Aries: Much to learn this month, not all of it pleasant. Sticking one's head in the sand only allows one's butt to be kicked. If you embrace beginnings, the middles and ends take care of themselves. The job becomes seductive. Don't resist, your efforts are rewarded. The fires of romance get lit and, given a little stupidity, could have the charm and half-life of a road flare. Matters will not take care of themselves this month. Fling yourself into nothing.



Libra: With Jupiter (planet of the karmic lottery) in your second house (cash flow), you should play as much poker as you can this month. While you're at it, use the holy days to meditate on the value of friends and family. The roots of harmony, the tapestry of life, that sort of thing. Take nothing for granted, criticize at your peril, and don't let the game play you. Nothing furthers quite like enthusiasm. Nothing fails quite like inactivity.



Taurus: If you want petty squabbles to dynamite what remains of your social network, just be your usual bullheaded self. Fight your natural urge to do nothing. There are no small beginnings and this is the season to plant. Resist the urge to be a wet blanket and embrace whatever nibbles your earlobe. Set priorities and remember to love people and use things, not the other way around. Above all, relax. The holy days and hysteria don't mix well.



Scorpio: Be honest with yourself, cupcake. Something's wrong with your money trip. Right livelihood is part of right action and those whose work is in accord with their will (as distinct from their tawdry desires) gets paid the best. Simple, isn't it? Curious how where we are is seldom where we were going. Not that you should brood. Au contraire. Venus is making bold with the circuits of your naughty bits and only a nitwit would ignore the urge toward unity.



Gemini: As if you needed encouragement, get out and mix it up with friends. If you're not in love, you will be. Stop licking old wounds. It might feel good but nobody wants to watch. Just for fun, stop overthinking matters and go with your gut. If you're wondering what to give yourself for Christmas, why not a mallet to deal with old habits? What was it we were going to do with this life? Why is it that letting everyone else go first puts you at the head of the line?



Sagittarius: Your suspicions are right. You're smart as a tack this month (isn't Mercury fun?) and, for once, it's as obvious to everyone else as it is to you. Push the envelope, fluffy. On the 9th Jupiter moves into your sign for a year and brings presents. Great effort will be needed to fail, making your only real problem deciding what field you want to reap. Make lists, do emotional spread sheets, sniff the wind and remember you still need to eat, sleep, and make love.



Cancer: Unless you live in a cave, your love life this month should be nothing short of scandalous. You will, of course, behave with your usual class. In between cuddles, a new professional opportunity could arise. Just be sure if you roll onto your back, it's to get your tummy rubbed and not part of some subservient trip. Prioritize work and relationships. Successful jugglers remember that the dying seldom wish they'd spent more time at the office.



Capricorn: The forecast is for fog clearing by midmonth. Move slowly, lest you bump into something large and painful. You may end up jettisoning a commitment or two. Bear in mind all retreats are advances in a new direction. Bring to completion what remains by making cooperation the only game in town. Good work takes time and those who want the best learn to wait. While waiting, take time to get closer to a fellow human or two. Bake cookies and share them.



Leo: Yes, dear, you're perched on the slick edge of major change. Long term vectors converge and, unless you spend the month sitting on your duff, you set a pattern for the success you've always imagined you deserve. Major hint: no one's going to do it for you. Fly your kite without throwing caution to the winds. The vow of celibacy the universe made in your name is about to be cancelled. Perseverance without lust for results is the prayer most often answered.



Aquarius: Time to fish or cut bait. Do what you keep threatening to do or dummy up. And do it early in the month before Jupiter (the rich uncle of the universe) decides you've had enough. Squabbles at home should be met with patience. All things pass, usually without having to be told. Feed the quiet strength you feel with dreams and apply it to immediate concerns, most notably your work. Little is accomplished without clear eyed obsession.



Virgo: It's the family, stupid. And work. Ignore either and watch your world unravel like a cheap sweater. Your lust for efficiency and order will be a great source of pain and sadness if you let it. Cut the universe some slack, booblah. It's unfolding and folding up, exactly as it should. Take the reins of something if you must, but don't whip anything you don't want to see hit back. If you're a real masochist, try pretending to be something you're not.



Pisces: If you can't say something halfway intelligent, don't say nothing at all. Which means lovely periods of silence and meditation for you this month. Do nothing without a fallback position and resist all urges to act precipitously. If you've been ignoring someone important, cut it out. Lonely only feels good when it stops. Relationships are energy systems. Starve them and they die. Under no circumstances, hole up on the windy moors of self-indulgence.

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