

BLAME IT ON THE STARS



Aries: If your horizons have narrowed recently, expect them to broaden. Of all the polarities, expansion and contraction is the most fundamental, and the most fun. Enjoy yourself. Answers outrun questions, the idiot monkey of the intellect is no longer anyone's fool, clouds are replaced by clarity. All change begins with the spirit and yours has, for the moment, outgrown the material world. Say yes to curious suitors, force feed the data bank, and leave the nest.



Libra: Money's not the root of all evil. It's the way we keep score. It's the game we play that gets smarmy if we let it. Don't. Evoke balance and harmony. Check the equation of your cash flow and remember that garbage in leads, always and forever, to garbage out. Keep your ears open for new possibilities, your eyes open for concealed benefits, and your heart open to someone needing a hand. When the game's over, the only things we own are those we've given away.



Taurus: Lines of communication downed by recent storms are restored. You and your sweet baboo can talk now without using sign language. There's nothing like a common goal to generate contentment and pulling in the same direction never hurts progress. Neither does accepting the truth about others, as opposed to merely enduring it. You may need some solid ground to stand on in possible battles with, gulp, the authorities. Relax, you're on a roll.



Scorpio: A month to write home to mother about. The frog of your karma continues to behave like a prince. Kiss it often. The shortest path to success begins when we get out of our own way and this month you're feeling very integrated. You're not suffering from megalomania this time. The prodigal sun comes home bearing financial gifts. Notice opportunities that crawl into your lap. There is no luck, only probabilities we spin, like straw, into reality.



Gemini: Never underestimate the power of love, or forget to duck. You tend to be the sum total of your relationships and, this month, the yellow brick road of your love life has a nasty pothole or two. Nothing especially cataclysmic, just the snaps and snarls exchanged by two people who know which buttons to push. Events are neutral, it's our reaction to them that generates karma. Whenever possible, keep your mouth shut and count your blessings.



Sagittarius: Your goal oriented behavior can get a little obnoxious. Fortunately, your friends all have a high tolerance. Besides, they find you more than usually lovable this month. You are courageous and cute, half spiritual hunter and half pony. An odd marriage, but one that works. At least one of the many attracted to you will have more earthy missions in mind. Lust spotwelded to genuine regard, the pleasures of the flesh served to a hungry spirit.



Cancer: Powerful forces continue to be vaguely unamused. Consider it a test of faith and a reminder how therapeutic examining our roots can be. Yours are in the emotional world of home, family, and friends. The outer world reflects the inner one and, if what you see out there isn't what you want, look for it inside. Depression, another name for inertia, begins at home. Get off your patoot, fine tune your machine. Clean windows make for better reflections.



Capricorn: You're feeling your batteries need to be recharged, and they do. It's your season for introspection and smart goat people will curl up on a high rock and separate pebbles from pearls. Getting to the spirit of matters means shortcircuiting the heart and the mind. The activity of the past few months has overloaded your software with data needing to be filed. Say yes to invitations but exercise impeccable discrimination. Your real work is at home.



Leo: If idle hands are the devil's tools you're the picture of virtue this month. Busy, busy, busy. There are risks to be taken. Unless they involve bungee jumping without a cord, and they won't, take them. If you've been ignoring romance, don't. A Leo not in love is in coma. Someone wants to run their fingers through your mane and you'd be a nitwit to growl and go back to sleep. Let your spirit roam, dabble in high arts, and warm children with your smile.



Aquarius: Your business this month appears to be business. Solid work has laid the foundation for, if not expansion, at least an increase in dividends. A team is not the sum of its personal agendas, it's the evocation of common goals. The magic you've been working for still needs working on but it's obviously starting to work. Business is commerce. Any commerce can be profitable but, to be truly successful, it must also be fair. Listen to others.



Virgo: When you're on top of your game, you're a great performer. It's good you're playing well. The pixies of the universe haven't just put your welcome mat out, they've stood on street corners handing out maps to your door. Not to panic, it's all good stuff. People you want to see showing up all at once only seems like a mixed blessing. The best of juju as long as you're ready for it. The bobsled run through the holy days has started with a hug.



Pisces: The focus this month is work, narrowly defined as those things one does for money. Blue skies and smooth sailing. Just kidding. Actually, it's the sort of excitement that breeds success when it doesn't spawn nightmares. Your rise to the top needn't be punctuated by people going at you with barbecue forks. The possibilities are nonetheless there. If you want to make them reality, be overbearing and full of yourself. Beware also of romantic gossip.

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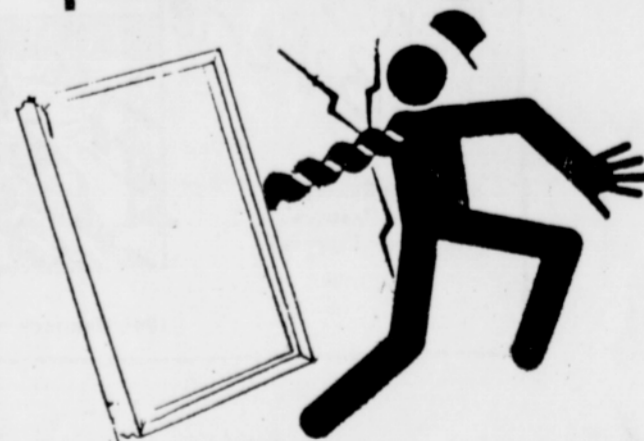
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