

TOMORROW'S HOROSCOPE

immediately. Speak to each moment in that moment.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). The people in charge may place roadblocks to deter the faint-hearted or those who are only mildly interested. You've every reason to keep trying. You'll quickly prove you're not in that category and doors will open to you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). The leadership position will come with stressful responsibilities and expectations, and yet somehow that won't bother you the way it would other people. Things will be better when you're in charge.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Relax and let things unfold naturally. Even with today's lengthy to-do list, you'll approach with the right attitude, handle it all and even have some fun along the way.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You see fun things today — or maybe you just notice what's always been there but you suddenly see the humor in it. Stress levels go down with every laugh.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Opportunities present themselves in coy, understated ways. The best one will sit quietly, not drawing much attention. You won't be fooled. You know a good thing when you see it. Seize the moment.

TOMORROW'S BIRTHDAY (Sept. 27). A win-win: You'll inspire people as you look for inspiration yourself. You'll get to know someone much better and this will lead to lifestyle upgrades and improvements. The spiritual work you do has very practical benefits in 2018. Romance decorates your year. You'll complete a study or big project in May. Aries and Taurus adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 7, 39, 2, 28 and 44.

Dear Annie: I have been married for seven years. My husband has had not one, but several affairs. And he didn't just have affairs; he had two kids born six weeks apart from two different women. I love my husband and am helping him raise these children, who are now 2 years old. I keep telling myself the kids are innocent and it's not their fault they're the products of affairs, and I want to help them. I still feel he's messing around. Even if he's not, the fear will always be in my mind. I don't know whether it's just my not wanting to be alone or I do actually love him this much. I am really confused and can't help but wonder whether this man loves me as I love him. Is he using me because I'm older and settled? — *Lost and Confused*

Dear Lost and Confused: There's so much to unpack from your letter, and there's hardly space here to begin. I

don't know whether your husband is using you or whether he'll cheat again. But I know you're unhappy in this relationship, and something needs to change. That might mean leaving him and building a healthy sense of independence; it might mean staying together and learning to put the infidelity behind you. Either way, you will find the necessary tools in therapy.

Dear Annie: You recently published a letter from "Tortured in New York," a woman who is "uncomfortable" with opposite-sex nurses. You supported her desire to have only female nurses and said the hospital should have honored her request immediately when she protested a male nurse's caring for her. What would you say, then, if a man requested that only male nurses examine him and help him in a clinical setting? Would you agree with him that his request should be honored immediately? Hon-

estly, I am a man who would always prefer that only male medical professionals see me naked, but I don't expect that because it would be sexist for me to demand such. But when I have a colonoscopy every five years, for example, I'd prefer a male nurse dress me afterward. So far, it's always been a female nurse. I'm embarrassed when I come completely conscious and see her. — *A Shy Man in Texas*

Dear Shy Man: To clarify, I did not tell “Tortured in New York” that she had a right to a female nurse or that the hospital should have honored her request immediately. I only told her she could make such a request and the staff members would most likely do what they could to accommodate her. Since the letter ran, I’ve received feedback from medical professionals affirming that position. Though there’s no guarantee you’ll get a male nurse if you request one, it doesn’t hurt to ask. Just be sure to do so well in advance, preferably when making your appointment.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). They're falling in love with your smile. If only they knew how difficult it can be to take the sunny route. It's often automatic, but just as often not. Something good usually happens when levity wins, though.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). How much caring is too much? You'll wonder this as your love expands along with your involvement in, and expectations of, a relationship. Take your time. This part requires thoughtfulness and space.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). There are people from your past whose paths you may never cross again who think of you in a certain way. You can't control or change that, but you can definitely make a fresh impression on the people you meet today.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). To wish for an easy route — well, it wouldn't be wrong, but it wouldn't be you, either. You'll take what comes naturally and know what it feels like to get stronger and smarter for the work.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Some will find the way others will find the excuse. You're at a point where you need to decide how much it means to you. Much will be riding on how important the mission is and how deeply you are committed to it.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Reality and your dream of it do not seem very far apart from one another today. But there are still a few key differences. Take these obstacles into consideration one by one. Be methodical.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Conflict comes from facing life head-on. So does peace. Avoidance keeps the tension going unnecessarily. Today, everything is better handled very quickly if not

PHYSICAL THERAPY

HOW DO I KNOW YOU'RE NOT JUST PULLING MY LEG?

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 THAVES

BOSS, YOUR EMPLOYEES WANT TO THROW A BIG PARTY TO CELEBRATE YOUR RETIREMENT!

MY RETIREMENT?!

OH...NOBODY EXPECTS YOU TO EVER RETIRE, BOSS...

BUT IN THE MEANTIME, THEY WANT TO CELEBRATE THE THOUGHT OF IT

Young Marshall

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ONE, TWO, THREE...

GAK!

ATLANTIC AVENUE! HOME OF MY LUXURY HOTEL COMPLEX!

THAT'S IT. I'M TAPPED OUT.

DON'T FRET! NO ONE GOES AWAY EMPTY-HANDED!

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PARTICIPANT

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YOU KNOW WHAT WOULD BRING CUSTOMERS INTO YOUR STORE, TASHA? VINYL!

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EVERYONE IS SELLING LPS THESE DAYS - BOOKS, CLOTHING STORES, YOU NAME IT!

BUT IF EVERYONE IS SELLING VINYL, THEN WHAT WOULD MAKE IT SO SPECIAL HERE?

WELL...WE COULD FOCUS ON JUST THE INSANE VINYL. MY BROTHER-IN-LAW HAS AT LEAST THREE COPIES OF "THE SIX MILLION DOLLAR MAN CHRISTMAS ALBUM."

LET'S SAVE STEALING SOMEONE'S RECORD COLLECTION FOR "PLAN Z."

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Wearing an ornamental second horn is all the rage among unicorns at the moment.

That's silly. "Unicorn" means "one horn."

As I have told you before, that is incorrect.

It is a combination of "unique" and "orn."

The word "ornamental" means "befitting an orn."

So my second horn makes me even MORE of a unicorn!

I'd start fact-checking you more, but I don't know how.

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WHAT'S THAT THERE?

IT'S A TIME-DISTORTION DEVICE. IT MESSSES WITH THE SPACE-TIME CONTINUUM.

COOL.

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I HEAR YOU LIED ABOUT MOVING THE SERVER RACK.

IT ISN'T TRUE.

I HEARD IT FROM SEVERAL SOURCES.

EACH OF THEM HEARD IT FROM THE SAME SOURCE, WHO WAS WRONG.

WITH THAT MUCH SMOKE, THERE MUST BE A FIRE.

YES, BUT IT'S COMING OUT OF YOUR EARS.

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...and so I've decided to resign in order to spend more time with other criminals.

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PROF. MOOCH'S
FOREIGN LANGUAGES

"MEOW-MEOW"
ALWAYS TRANSLATES TO
"FEED ME NOW."

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[illegible]

OKAY, LET'S PUT THIS THING TOGETHER.

WHOA, HAMMIE! WHOA!

FIRST, WE LAY OUT ALL THE PIECES. THEN WE SAND AND PAINT EVERY. THING. THEN WE GLUE.

THAT'LL TAKE FOREVER!

WHOA, HAMMIE! WHOA!

THAT'S PROBABLY BECAUSE YOU WERE HELPING.

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WALK-IN CLINIC

WHERE'S YOUR PARTS DEPARTMENT?

RECEPTION

HART

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WHAT DID YOU TELL YOUR PARENTS WE'D BE DOING TONIGHT?

STUDYING AT YOUR PLACE.

SO THE TRUTH?

IT JUST SLIPPED OUT.

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