

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 MAY

May is a month with two Full Moons, so we get an extra dose of spiritual opportunity this month. Isn't it amazing? Nature always provides resources so abundant that our needs and desires can be met without hesitation! Even so, there are nevertheless times when it is helpful for us to remind ourselves of that fact, especially when we are in the presence of discord, contention, or confrontation. It's not so much that any special action is required on our part; it is simply that we can experience ever-greater and more enriching levels of fulfillment when we increase the amount of gratitude we are willing to experience and express.

As we connect with others on our spiritual journey this month, we can open up rich creative expressions that can take us to new heights of inspiration and awareness. As our transformative process unfolds, we can gain a great deal if we remember the previous times we have been divinely guided and protected, for in those memories of sacred security we will find the seeds of even more magnificent transformations that are yet to come.

Sometimes just the smallest insight, the faintest intention, and the tiniest exertion are all that are needed to trigger the most powerful and compelling transformations in our lives. When we align ourselves with the eternal Principle of Least Action, the law of doing more with less, our power to manifest abundance and to express enlightenment truly becomes boundless.

We are all longing for a new beginning, a way of rising to fresh vibrancy in our realization of who we really are. That kind of rebirth begins with a change in our awareness, a subtle altering of our thoughts, and a reactivation of our emotional field. As we assimilate and synthesize a new understanding of our fullest potentials, we may suddenly find ourselves so richly and abundantly nourished that we can spontaneously and unhesitatingly return to the path of true discipleship in dedicated service to the Divine Imperative.

No matter how grand and uplifting our spiritual insights may be, the real test of their ultimate value and integrity lies in our ability to integrate them into the humdrum patterns of our daily existence. It is when we bring higher consciousness into our daily reality, marrying it to the wisdom of our physical bodies, that we can most gloriously open up new vistas of spiritual expansion.

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THE ART OF SPIRITUAL DEDICATION

"Perseverance and spirit have done wonders in all ages." --George Washington

ESOTERIC MANTRAS FOR MAY

TAURUS

"I see, and when the Eye is opened, all is Light."

GEMINI

"I recognize my other self, and in the waning of that self, I grow and glow."

May Observances

May Day – 5/1 Wesak – 5/2 Cinco de Mayo – 5/5 Mother's Day – 5/13 Ascension Day – 5/17 Armed Forces Day – 5/19 Victoria Day – 5/21 Shavuot – 5/23 Memorial Day – 5/28 Blue Moon – 5/31

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Cosmic Opportunities

Full Moon - May 2, 6:09 a.m. EDT Sun conjunct Mercury – May 3, 12:03 a.m. EDT Venus trine Apollon - May 3, 1:02 p.m. EDT Venus conjunct Hades - May 3, 9:06 p.m. EDT Mercury square Chiron - May 4, 11:20 a.m. EDT Mercury square Saturn - May 5, 6:55 p.m. EDT Jupiter trine Saturn - May 6, 3:05 a.m. EDT Sun square Chiron – May 6, 7:27 a.m. EDT Venus opposition Pluto - May 6, 10:05 p.m. EDT Mars trine Vulcanus - May 7, 12:42 a.m. EDT Mercury square Neptune - May 7, 10:28 a.m. EDT Venus enters Cancer - May 8, 3:28 a.m. EDT Mercury conjunct Admetos - May 8, 8:20 a.m. EDT Mars square Hades - May 9, 6:41 a.m. EDT Sun square Saturn – May 9, 8:05 a.m. EDT Venus conjunct Kronos - May 10, 10:20 a.m. EDT Jupiter square Uranus - May 10, 11:29 p.m. EDT Mercury enters Gemini - May 11, 5:18 a.m. EDT Sun square Neptune – May 12, 10:55 p.m. EDT Mars square Pluto - May 13, 11:15 a.m. EDT Venus trine Poseidon - May 14, 7:20 p.m. EDT Sun conjunct Admetos - May 15, 12:59 a.m. EDT Mars enters Aries - May 15, 10:06 a.m. EDT Mercury trine Zeus - May 16, 1:07 a.m. EDT New Moon – May 16, 3:27 p.m. EDT Venus square Zeus - May 16, 11:01 p.m. EDT Mercury opposition Cupido - May 18, 6:00 a.m. EDT Mars square Kronos - May 18, 9:47 p.m. EDT Mercury trine Chiron - May 19, 7:48 a.m. EDT Mercury opposition Jupiter - May 20 1:35 a.m. EDT Mercury square Uranus - May 20, 7:30 p.m. EDT Chiron retrograde station - May 20, 9:49 p.m. EDT Sun enters Gemini - May 21, 6:11 a.m. EDT Mercury trine Neptune - May 23, 3:52 EDT Neptune retrograde station - May 24, 9:09 p.m. EDT Mercury trine Apollon – May 24, 9:18 p.m. EDT Venus trine Uranus – May 25, 2:42 a.m. EDT Mercury conjunct Hades - May 25, 2:01 p.m. EDT Mercury opposition Pluto - May 27, 11:14 a.m. EDT Mars opposition Zeus - May 28, 2:18 a.m. EDT Mercury enters Cancer - May 28, 9:03 p.m. EDT Venus conjunct Vulcanus - May 30, 9:29 a.m. EDT Venus square Apollon - May 31, 3:40 a.m. EDT Sun trine Zeus – May 31, 4:55 a.m. EDT Mercury conjunct Kronos - May 31, 7:31 a.m. EDT Full Moon – May 31, 9:04 p.m. EDT

Living Stress-Free for Spiritual Growth

Tim Bost's new e-book guide to stress-free living, *Plan 9 for Inner Space*, is loaded with more than 100 pages of power-packed tips and extra resources to help you get rid of stress and maintain your practical spiritual focus. It's brandnew, and is now available for immediate download. You'll find all the details at http://www.timbost.com/publications/books.html - check it out now!