

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 APRIL

Unfortunately, our spiritual path can often lead us into introspection and abstraction, with our thoughts spiraling into higher planes that leave more mundane concerns behind. When that happens, we can of course return to disciplined service, but we shouldn't forget to reconnect with Nature as well. Even a single breath of fresh air or a simple glance at a flower can revitalize our inner compass and redirect our actions.

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Obstacles are an intrinsic part of the spiritual path, whether those obstacles come from outside forces or from our own nagging self-doubts and ego-driven insistence on mistrust and separation. But whenever obstacles arise, we get an opportunity to engage in meaningful spiritual combat, challenging our old unconscious paradigms of limitation and unworthiness as we aggressively commit ourselves to renewed expressions of love, wisdom, and compassion.

It is easy for us to feel profoundly disappointed when circumstances fail to match our lofty expectations and our hopes for enlightened living. We are disappointed in our leaders, disappointed by the avarice and inhumanity of moneyed interests, and disappointed in the dynamics of our personal relationships. But the disappointment that we experience also contains the seed of potential inspiration, the spark which can ignite divine impulses in our hearts and awaken our minds to more creative communications and caring connections.

When we feel a sudden surge of emotional energy driving us toward new explorations and bigger goals, we can sometimes be swept away by the attractiveness of our dreams and the seductive power of our desires. But there is a spiritual gift in that excitement – we are offered a chance to build new bridges, to break through barriers, and to span the chasm that separates us from our companions on the path of divine intention.

THE ART OF SPIRITUAL LEADERSHIP

"A leader is best when people barely know he exists." -Lao Tzu

ESOTERIC MANTRAS FOR APRIL

Aries

"I come forth and from the plane of mind, I rule."

Taurus

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

April Observances

Pesach – April 1-2 Yom HaShoah – April 7 Hindu New Year – April 11 Ramayana – April 11-20 Baisakhi – April 11-20 Baisakhi – April 14 Yom Ha'Atzmaut – April 15 Ramanavani – April 20 First Day of Ridvan – April 20 First Day of Ridvan – April 21 St. George Day – April 23 Hanuman Jayanti – April 25 Mahavir Jayanti – April 25 Therevadim New Year – April 25 Lag B'Omer – April 28 Orthodox Palm Sunday – April 27

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Cosmic Opportunities

Venus opposition Zeus – April 3, 3:21 a.m. EDT Sun opposition Zeus – April 4, 1:33 p.m. EDT Venus conjunct Mars – April 7, 12:57 a.m. EDT Mercury square Cupido – April 8, 6:25 p.m. EDT Venus trine Cupido – April 9, 8:35 a.m. EDT New Moon – April 10, 6:35 a.m. EDT Mars trine Cupido – April 10, 7:27 p.m. EDT Vulcanus direct station - April 11, 3:04 a.m. EDT Sun trine Cupido – April 12, 9:48 a.m. EDT Venus square Vulcanus – April 12, 1:18 p.m. EDT Pluto retrograde station – April 12, 3:36 p.m. EDT Mercury enters Aries – April 13, 10:33 p.m. EDT Venus opposition Apollon – April 14, 5:56 a.m. EDT Mercury square Hades - April 14, 2:23 p.m. EDT Venus enters Taurus – April 15, 3:24 a.m. EDT Mars square Vulcanus – April 16, 1:37 a.m. EDT Sun square Vulcanus – April 16, 11:28 a.m. EDT Sun conjunct Mars – April 17, 8:19 p.m. EDT Jupiter trine Zeus – April 17, 9:35 p.m. EDT Mercury square Kronos – Apirl 18 4:50 a.m EDT Sun opposition Apollon – April 18, 1:32 p.m. EDT Mars opposition Apollon – April 18, 6:37 p.m. EDT Sun enters Taurus – April 19, 6:03 p.m. EDT Mars enters Taurus – April 20, 7:48 a.m. EDT Mercury square Pluto – April 21, 7:44 a.m. EDT Venus opposition Saturn – April 22, 3:42 a.m. EDT Mercury opposition Zeus – April 23, 5:55 a.m. EDT Venus opposition Poseidon – April 23, 3:00 p.m. EDT Venus trine Pluto – April 24, 11:42 a.m. EDT Partial Lunar Eclipse – April 25, 3:57 p.m. EDT Sun opposition Saturn – April 28, 4:26 a.m. EDT Venus opposition True North Node – April 28, 6:50 p.m. EDT Mercury square Vulcanus - April 29, 8:20 p.m. EDT Sun opposition Poseidon – April 30, 10:49 a.m. EDT Mercury opposition Apollon – April 30, 7:26 p.m. EDT

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