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for
Barack Obama

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Symbol Key

SUN ☉	MOON ☾	MERCURY ☿	VENUS ♀	MARS ♂	
JUPITER ♃	SATURN ♄	URANUS ♅	NEPTUNE ♆	PLUTO ♇	
ARI ♈	TAU ♉	GEM ♊	CNC ♋	LEO ♌	VIR ♍
LIB ♎	SCO ♏	SGR ♐	CAP ♑	AQR ♒	PSC ♓

This Is Your Birth Chart

Below I explain what your Birth Chart is comprised of, but if you wish to get on with reading its interpretation straightaway then just skip this page. However, I believe that you will find the following information an important aid to understanding better the interpretations, and to making more use of them. On the next page you see your Birth Chart. This is a picture of the Sun, Moon and Planets in the sky exactly as it appeared at the time and place of your birth. If your soul had a console, this is probably what would be in the middle of it!

On your Birth Chart then, the **horizontal brown line** is simply the Horizon - with the visible sky above it, and the non-visible sky beneath it. The arrowed end is called your Ascendant (ASC) - that is, where the Sun, Moon and Planets are seen to rise. The other, more or less **vertical brown line** with an arrow is called the Meridian. The arrowed end of this line is your MidHeaven or MC.

The familiar twelve Signs of the Zodiac (depicted as petals) form an imaginary band encircling the Earth, and this is seen on your Birth Chart as bisected by the Horizon. The Sun, Moon, Planets, Ascendant and Midheaven are positioned in the Signs they were in at the time of your birth. The Sign that the Sun is in is what you know as your Sun-Sign or Star-Sign. Each Sign has the quality of one of the four Elements: **Red=Fire=Intuition/Creative; Yellow=Air=Thinking/Intellectualising; Blue=Water=Feeling/Empathetic; Green=Earth=Sensation/Practical.**

The circular area within the Zodiacal band is divided into twelve segments called Houses, marked as the arrowed house cusps in **brown** or **light blue**. The First House begins with your Ascendant, going in an anti-clockwise direction. The Tenth House begins with your MidHeaven.

The various coloured lines joining one Planet with another are graphic depictions of what are called your Aspects. These are determined by any two planets forming a particular angle at the centre of your Birth Chart, i.e. where you were born. However, one of the strongest aspects is the conjunction. These, if you have any, are not marked by lines because they are made obvious by the planets involved being next door to one another.

Immediately below the Chart Wheel, under the section headed "Radix 1" you will see the following information: your Name, Date, Time, and Place of Birth (by Latitude and Longitude, and usually the name of the actual place or nearest town). "Zone" refers to the Standard Time in which you were born, giving the number of hours it was ahead of (East) or behind (West) Greenwich Mean Time. Please check this information and call me on 017687-72858 if you have any queries. The middle part of this section gives the exact Sign positions by degree of your MC (MidHeaven) and ASC (Ascendant). The information that is given immediately below this is not interpreted for relatively speaking it is not so significant. The right-hand part of this section gives the exact Sign positions of the Sun, Moon and Planets, along with their House placement numbers. The position of the comet Chiron is also given but not interpreted.

Finally, the lower section gives all your interplanetary Aspects, which are interpreted in your Profile. You will see that each of your Aspects has a figure beside it which refers to the absolute maximum number of degrees and minutes of arc (10 0) outside of exactitude that are allowed for an Aspect to be made. As a general rule, the nearer it is to 0 0 - that is, being exact - then the stronger that Aspect's influence and significance should be.

Now, by using the table of Symbols set out below, you will be able to see for yourself where the Sun, Moon and Planets are in your Birth Chart, and what Signs and Houses they are placed in. Start out by determining your Sun's Sign position for you probably already know this.

The Planets

SUN 
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MAR 
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The Signs

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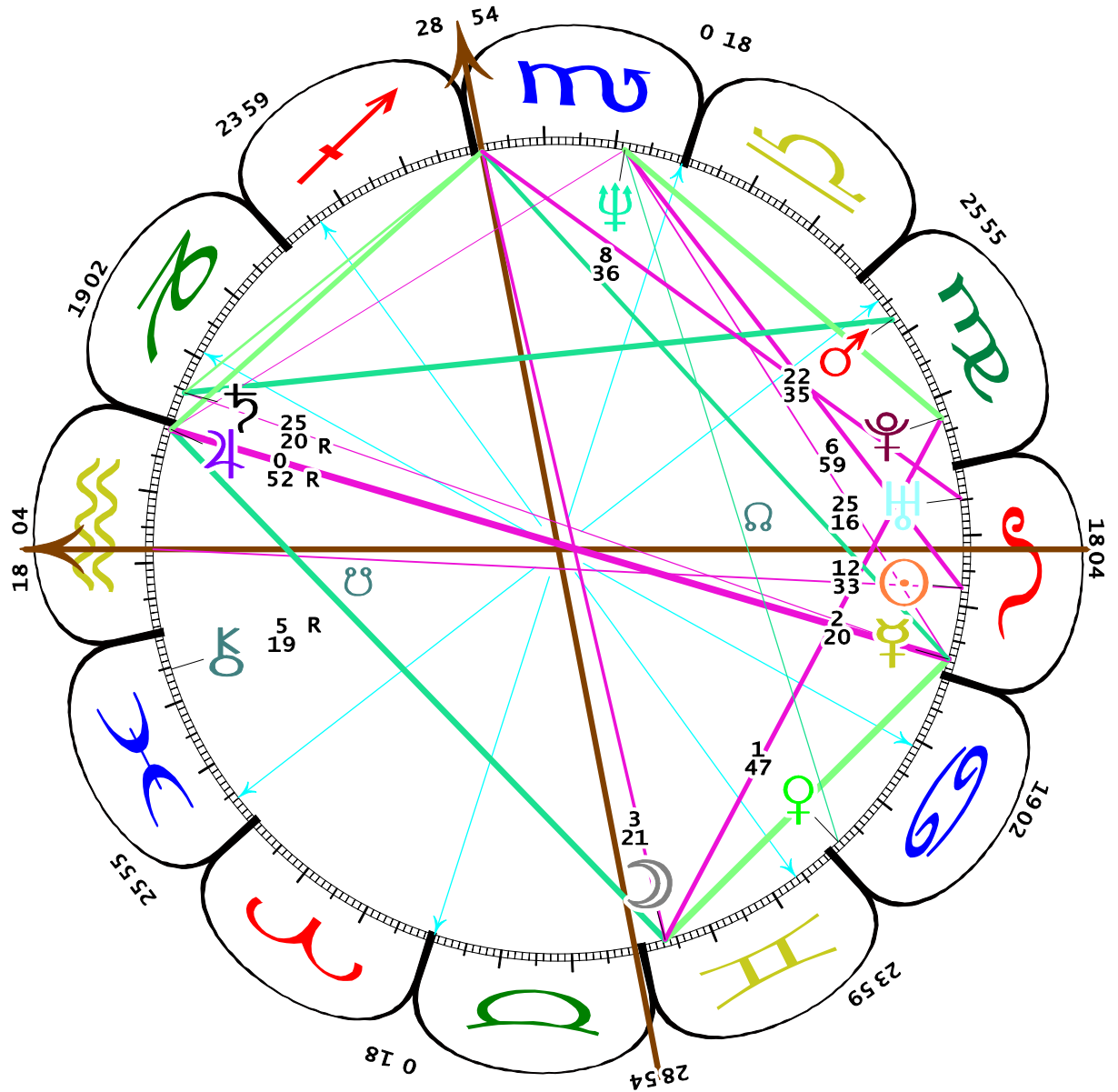
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Radix1: BARACK OBAMA 4 Aug 1961 AD Fri 19 24 00

Radix1 BARACK OBAMA

Date:	4 Aug 1961 AD Fri	MC	28 54	Sco	Sun	12 33	Leo	6
Time:	19 24 00	ASC	18 04	Aqr	Moon	3 21	Gem	4
Zone:	10 00 W	Plac			Mercury	2 20	Leo	6
Latitude:	21 18 N		11. 23 59	Sgr	Venus	1 47	Cnc	5
Longitude:	157 51 W		12. 19 02	Cap	Mars	22 35	Vir	7
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					Uranus	25 16	Leo	7
					Neptune	8 36	Sco	9
					Pluto	6 59	Vir	7
					Chiron	5 19	Psc R	1

Aspects Radix1/Radix1 BARACK OBAMA

Sun	Sqr	Nep	3 57	-	Mer	Sqr	Nep	6 16	+	Ven	Sxt	Nod	4 29	-	Ura	Cnj	Nod	2 2	+
Moo	Sxt	Mer	1 2	-	Ven	Tri	Nep	6 49	+	Jup	Cnj	Sat	5 32	+	Ura	Sqr	MC	3 38	-
Moo	Tri	Jup	2 30	-	Mar	Tri	Sat	2 45	+	Jup	Sqr	Nep	7 45	-	Nod	Sqr	MC	1 36	-

Moo	Sqr	Plu	3	37	+	Sun	Opp	ASC	5	31	-	Nep	Sxt	Plu	1	38	+
Mer	Opp	Jup	1	28	-	Moo	Opp	MC	4	27	-	Jup	Sxt	MC	1	58	+
Mer	Opp	Sat	7	0	-	Mer	Tri	MC	3	26	-	Sat	Sxt	MC	3	34	-

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Above and on page 1 you see your Name, and your birth details - the Date, Time, Time Zone and your Place of birth and its Latitude and Longitude. Please check this information is correct.

Whilst Reading Your Profile

Please bear in mind that although this horoscope is as accurate and informative as possible, there is no guarantee that every word will apply at this moment in time, or in the past or future. This horoscope maps out your *potential*, and is not able to say what you have made of that potential. Whilst reading, you should rely upon your own judgement and individual choice, will and inclination - which are precisely what your Profile is aimed at shedding light upon.

Finally, the overall accuracy of your *Personality Profile* depends upon the accuracy of your Birth Time.

Introducing Yourself To You

A horoscope symbolises and sheds light upon your character, your purpose, your needs, your talents, your difficulties, your sensitive spots, your destiny and more.

Below are the 'astrological positions' of your horoscope, followed by the interpretations, set out in Chapters - describing what they mean in your life.

You were born with...

Aquarius Rising which is interpreted in Chapter One

Sun in Leo in the Sixth House which is interpreted in Chapter Two

Moon in Gemini in the Fourth House which is interpreted in Chapter Three

Scorpio at the Midheaven which is interpreted in Chapter Four

Mercury in Leo in the Sixth House which is interpreted in Chapter Five

Venus in Cancer in the Fifth House which is interpreted in Chapter Six

Mars in Virgo in the Seventh House which is interpreted in Chapter Seven

Jupiter in Aquarius in the Twelfth House which is interpreted in Chapter Eight

Saturn in Capricorn in the Twelfth House which is interpreted in Chapter Nine

Uranus in Leo in the Seventh House which is interpreted in Chapter Ten

Neptune in Scorpio in the Ninth House which is interpreted in Chapter Eleven

Pluto in Virgo in the Seventh House which is interpreted in Chapter Twelve

The Planets symbolize various energies manifesting as dynamics of personality.

The Signs qualify or colour these energies, rather like a filter over a light.

The Houses designate areas of life experience upon which these energies focus.

The Aspects express how these energies dynamically interact with one another. There are two types of basic Aspect: Hard (Uniting, Opposing and Challenging) and Soft (Uniting, Allying and Working with)

Note: Ongoing planetary influences throughout your life - be they in the past, present or future - as they apply to the planetary positions at your birth, are given and interpreted in *Year Guides or Monthly Guides*.

Chapter One - Your Ascendant: Appearance and Persona

**Aquarius Rising*

You have a decidedly detached and cool outlook that enables you to see how the world works in quite an objective, even scientific way. The image you present is a "civilized idea" of what you think you are supposed to be. Your appearance can also be unusual, inventive, or making a statement of some kind. Physically, you look quintessentially "human".

To a greater or lesser degree you set trends amongst your peers, and identify with future oriented pursuits and ideas; you may even lose yourself in them. As a compensatory reaction to your cool exterior you attract passionate or even explosive relationships and situations, which are in aid of burning through to the passionate heart which is hidden behind that idealistic and conceptualised facade.

Your ability to cut off when the emotional going gets too rough is remarkable, but use it carefully for one day you might find it both difficult and desirable to switch on again. All in all, you aim to see everything and everyone impartially, just as they are, which turns out to be a mixture of both the ordinary and the special.

Uranus is your Ruling Planet, which governs the link between your exterior being and your interior being. So study Chapter Ten - Your Uranus Profile, with this in mind.

Chapter Two - Your Sun profile: Your Will and Purpose

**Sun in Leo*

Your essential purpose in life is to bring warmth, light and vitality to whatever you regard as important. Thus you generate more brightness and creativity. In order to achieve this, you have a radiance, an inner glow, that quite magically draws the attention of others. This same quality then lends an air of certainty to whatever it is that you have involved yourself with. What could be called your royal seal of approval bestows a confidence upon whomever or whatever meets with your favour.

The trouble is that your curse is as disastrous as your blessing is great. And the curse of Leo is, of course, pride. Your pride makes you vulnerable to being taken in vain, and when you feel taken in vain, your bright sun goes behind a dark cloud. Some Leos are even born with their sun behind that cloud. And when it comes out again, you are very wary of having your pride wounded again, and anything that alludes to this - like advice or criticism - you disdainfully ignore or patronisingly put in its place.

However, when you are the Leo who does put your pride aside, and realises that the sun cannot see its own shadows and so gracefully accepts constructive advice or criticism, you become like the Sun itself - utterly inextinguishable, ever-giving and ever-warm, funny and romantic, the noble ruler, the creative teacher - the healing heart. You, of all Signs, have the Light. All you need do is shine.

**Sun in the Sixth House*

All of this is most likely to centre upon developing some kind or method or technique with which you can practise gainful employment or perform some sort of service. Without doing this it is probable that you'd suffer from unemployment or a string of aimless jobs. Your life is very much concerned with improving or preparing for something.

Initially, it is quite likely that you find yourself in a subordinate position where you are answerable to someone else - possibly even under their thumb. This would be because you are having to learn the importance of modesty and being in earnest. A career in health or hygiene or veterinary care could suit you well. Your own health can be quite an issue in that it is very much a barometer of your efficiency in life.

**Your solar aspects*

**Sun challenged by Neptune*

Most significantly though, pervading your sense of individual will and being is something that causes you to feel not at all sure of who you are, and acutely sensitive and vulnerable to outside influences. There seems to be only a vague boundary that separates you from everything and everyone else. On the positive side this does equip you with great imagination and compassion as you cannot help but identify with the greater whole.

It may be difficult for you to find a solid or satisfying place in the material world. For this to happen, ultimately you have to see your purpose in life as being patently creative or spiritual in the sense of doing something that employs and is aware of imaginal, divine or invisible forces, or that simply ministers to the suffering of others. Resisting or merely playing at this will find you deceiving yourself and feeling increasingly helpless and looking for some means of escape. Behind any such uncertainty regarding your place in the world is the probability that your father's values confused your own.

**Sun opposing your Ascendant*

You were born at or near sunset. Your life force, your ego, is about to disappear from view for the night. This symbolises a situation in which it will take quite some time before you are recognized for what you are - by yourself, as well as by others. As you also possess a strong sense of how others tick, and can identify with them quite easily, when you do eventually re-emerge, it might well be in this field that uses this talent - such as counselling or public relations. In the meantime, and off and on thereafter, you tend to imagine that everyone thinks and feels as you do.

**The Sabian Symbol For Your Sun*

Finally, to give a symbolic focus to the Sun in your Chart, here is the "Sabian Symbol" for the degree of the Zodiac at which it was placed at the time of your birth. The Sabian Symbols were devised by astrologer Marc Edmund Jones and a clairvoyant called Elsie Wheeler. They may be read as interpreted, taken quite literally, or be given your own more personal or subjective interpretation much as you would for one of your dreams.

Remember to bear in mind that the Sun represents the essence or core of your life and its purpose, and to note how its Sabian Symbol corresponds to your Sun Profile, and your Chart interpretation as a whole. The Sabian Symbol for your Sun is...

"AN OLD SEA CAPTAIN ROCKING" - Reflecting upon past joys and sorrows, victories and failures, and so becoming wise in readiness for the moment when new dramas and battles arise. *Keyword:* INTROSPECTION. When positive, your innate maturity of spirit that enables you to deal with the highs and lows of life in a seasoned and philosophical fashion. When negative, getting lost in outmoded thinking, or trapped in the past and consequently frozen in the present.

Chapter Three - Your Moon Profile: Your Needs and Emotional Responses

**Moon in Gemini*

Your reigning need is to feel constantly in touch with what is going on around you. Equally, you have a natural sense of what is happening at street level, so to speak. Such a common touch as you have, and the ready wits and gift of the gab that accompany it, are only too able to keep things light and manageable. That is, until your emotional responses to life around you become inappropriately superficial.

You then find that what you are doing on either a personal or professional level ceases to have enough permanence or depth of satisfaction - and is therefore worrying you to death and keeping you awake at nights. The formula that you only get as good as you give, is a very apt one for you. Perhaps you originally devised your blend of affability and flippancy to deal with a mother that was not easy to relate to in an honest or consistent way. An important point in your development is when you consciously commit yourself to a deeper involvement with whatever life is demanding of you, and then trust your mental alacrity and your ability to dodge and weave when necessary in order to negotiate the trickier reefs of human interplay.

**Moon in the Fourth House*

Whatever your feelings or needs, you instinctively know how to protect and feed them. In fact, you are a natural homemaker. You exude a home-from-home, hearthside familiar atmosphere. This fosters all domestic and catering talents, be it on a professional or amateur basis. You also have a closeness to Nature. A feel for flora and fauna is in your blood, and you could have green fingers. You can, however, be overly attached to your roots - never leaving the region, or even home, you were born in.

This could amount to a security-blanket syndrome where certain habits and things are clung to - especially in times of stress and unpredictability. Your feelings may be more or less totally bound up or invested in your actual home or family, so that you do not readily express them in external social intercourse. If you are this extremely homely type, then as long as you're happy keeping the home-fires burning, that's fine. But if you are just cooped up on your own, learn to share or express your inner nature.

**Your Lunar Aspects*

**Moon working with Mercury*

You have little trouble in conveying your feelings with the written or spoken word. Consequently, you are able to keep social situations flowing and relaxed with your ready wit and natural poise. There is a slight danger of using your natural eloquence to evade pondering in much depth on anything. But when your mind and soul has something worth chewing on, you have the prized knack of putting it across to all and sundry. You also possess basic common sense.

**Moon allying with Jupiter*

Come what may, you have an innate faith in life and that things will work out for the best. Because of this sense you have that caring and believing are an excellent combination, there is very little that you cannot make come out all right in the end. You also have green fingers - and maybe even the 'Midas Touch'. There is an emotional ease about you that can make a success of any of the positive issues mentioned, or to rectify the negative ones for yourself and others.

**Moon challenged by Pluto*

You feel intensely, and plunge or soar to the extremes of whatever the rest of your Moon Profile here describes. Beneath all these surface expressions of how you feel there may lurk a deep distrust of human nature. This emotional seam was probably laid down long ago, in childhood, the cradle, or even before then. Other people, especially those with similarly deep-seated fears, can spot this and then find YOU untrustworthy.

To stop this kind of rot you need to purge such negative emotions - otherwise the power of these negative emotions will attract relationships and situations that force you to purge them anyway.

**Moon opposing your Midheaven*

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Last but by no means least, you need a secure home-base where all these feelings of yours can feel protected and have room to adjust to changes, or simply to the end of the working day. You also have a strong sense of your roots, which can mean anything from feeling well established family-wise, to having to dig down deep to discover where you truly belong; it depends upon what your Moon Profile indicates overall. Your father is the real key to your emotional state, whether it is a feeling of security or insecurity.

**The Sabian Symbol for the Moon*

Now, to give a symbolic focus to the Moon in your Chart, here is the "Sabian Symbol" for the degree of the Zodiac at which it was placed at the time of your birth. As I mentioned in the last Chapter - your Sun Profile, the Sabian Symbols may be read as interpreted, taken quite literally, or be given your own more personal or subjective interpretation much as you would for one of your dreams.

Remember to bear in mind that the Moon represents your unconscious disposition and responses, and your emotional needs and security, and to see how its Sabian Symbol corresponds to your Moon Profile in particular, and your Chart interpretation as a whole. The Sabian Symbol for your Moon is...

"HOLLY AND MISTLETOE" - The promise and magic of self-renewal as celebrated around the Winter Solstice when the days at last begin to lengthen. *Keyword:* CEREMONY. When positive, your gift for imbuing certain occasions with a deep sense of meaning and portent that fellow beings can instinctively identify with. When negative, pre-occupation with superficial formalities while failing to appreciate their underlying significance.

Chapter Four - Your Midheaven profile: Career and Status

**Scorpio at the Midheaven*

You need to be deeply and intensely involved in any professional endeavour. In the end you would find superficial or compromising careers intolerable.

You are ambitious - and you have, or should develop, the steely and ruthless nature, which ensures that ambitions are realised. Indications of idealism or sensitivity elsewhere in your Chart will naturally make this achieving somewhat less straightforward.

Your mother's influence is likely to be quite significant regarding choice of profession and ideas of respectability. You should check as to whether this is really what you want for yourself - for this sort of maternal influence can be so insidiously coercive that major career changes or doubts will occur later in your life if you don't deal with this.

Generally speaking, your career should involve anything Scorpionic, which essentially has to do with delving for and using any type of power or influence - such as politics, medicine, big business, undercover work, the occult. The condition of your Pluto by House and Aspect will reveal more detail concerning the nature and development of your career and reputation. (See Chapter 12)

Chapter Five - Your Mercury Profile: Perception and Mentality

**Mercury in Leo*

Yours is a creative mind, a mind that likes to play and thereby come up with creative ideas. Consequently you can be known for your distinctive and humorous verbal style. You identify strongly with the way you think and take pride in doing so. The price that you pay for such a vital mentality is that of either overplaying or underplaying your hand; the reason being that you are frightened of not making a big enough impression or of looking ridiculous. In the end, you have to have the courage to put your money where your mouth is - and rely upon your undeniably bright mind to pick up the mental thread should you lose it.

**Mercury in the Sixth House*

You utilise these mental capabilities very well and with focus and economy. You have a knack for perceiving what is wrong with a person or situation, and are able to devise or suggest methods to improve matters. Health is one area in particular where your mental powers can be successfully brought to bear. But it is also possible that you are prone to overwork and nervous tension yourself. A definite health regimen and work routine would help to remedy these inclinations. Essentially you are a good worker, and appreciate the true value of work.

**Your Mercury Aspects*

**Mercury working with Moon*

You have an instinctual awareness of the day-to-day workings of people and life in general. This could be called the common touch, and favours any occupation where you have to deal with the public on their own level. You are, in a word, streetwise.

**Mercury opposed by Jupiter*

When it comes to mental equipment, you have more than your fair share, which can be a mixed blessing. Your mind can scan whole panoramas of thought. When it can follow this up with an equally impressive verbal, visual or aural expression of such large ideas, then the teacher in you shines forth. However, the hazard here is one of being full of great notions but not being able to communicate them without exaggerating to the point of gross inaccuracy or without saying too much. Your aim is actually to expand your sphere of thinking through study and experience, yet also to be practical and relevant and not merely academic.

**Mercury opposed by Saturn*

There is no getting away from it, the correct development and use of your mental equipment is utterly important. This means that as time goes by, you have a more and more disciplined mind with a satisfying working life to match, or else you will become stuck as a result of inconsistent attempts to get to grips with the situation. Alternatively your perception and interests become dulled by cynicism, or mentally depressed through dry intellectualism or learning difficulties. The formula is: work when your mind feels like working; play with it when it doesn't.

**Mercury challenged by Neptune*

Your thoughts are fantasy-prone, and you cannot but help see what lies beyond the logical. But how you manage and express this highly sensitive perception of yours greatly depends upon not just your Mercury Profile, but your personality as a whole. If you deem it proper to stick with scientific facts, then you most probably scorn the mystically-minded dreamers of this world. At the other extreme, you are a mystically-minded dreamer who dismisses reason as a way of explaining everything. As a child you probably had a bold line in tall stories - and you are still inclined to bend the truth somewhat if you feel in a tight spot or if you are just bored with reality. If your tall-stories were received in the right spirit by adults, then you now feel happy with a mind that can fruitfully follow the flight of your imagination. But when such mental sensitivity as you have is denied, you can be vague or convoluted to the point of not making yourself clear when speaking - even though you might think you are.

**Mercury allying with your Midheaven*

These, your perceptive and mental capabilities, are successfully employed in your career. By the same token they

will describe the actual nature of your profession. Intentionally or otherwise, your mother has or had much to do with your forming a healthy and objective mind.

Chapter Six - Your Venus Profile: Attraction and Harmony

**Venus in Cancer*

For you, love is bound up inextricably with security; affection cannot exist without care. There has to be something traditional and familiar about your partner, a feeling of belonging, an involvement with and acceptance of their family and your own. The love that was or was not forthcoming from your mother greatly affects how much you show and need affection.

Being unsure of mother-love would incline you to cling blindly to a partner. Your sympathetic and tender style of loving should not be under-rated - go on strike if it is, and they will soon come running! On the other hand, beware of your tendency to behave in a sulky manner when reactions to past hurts are triggered by normal emotional confrontations, for this can hatch a game of cat and mouse which is the last thing that you need. You express love and beauty best in a homely, private way.

**Venus in the Fifth House*

Your feelings of love and beauty have no trouble finding expression for you have a natural sense that they should be expressed. So you possess the usual graces of a romantically and artistically inclined soul: affectionate, lively, entertaining, attractive to the opposite sex, etc. You also like to seek out such qualities in life and others, so galleries, theatres, parties, etc. exercise a magnetic pull.

You experience all the highs and lows of love and art, for this is essentially what gives you such a vibrant sense of them. You should never let anything get in the way of expressing yourself creatively for your natural style is very real. If you have children, it shows in them too.

**Venus allying with Neptune*

As you see and experience it, love can never be without sensitivity and imagination. And so you are romantic, but without being blinded by illusions for too long. You are also talented in one art form or another, either in a professional capacity or just as a pastime. In either case, such creativity enhances your love life, and generally brings a ray of beauty into your social sphere.

Chapter Seven - Your Mars profile: Self-Assertion and Sexual Drive

**Mars in Virgo*

You assert yourself best when you have learned and use some sort of technique. Then whatever you do, you do with thoroughness and precision. You are very exacting of others in their work - and sexually too - and you like to keep the score. You know how to hit the right spot, but make a fuss if your opposite number doesn't.

In effect, you have given yourself quite a tall order of satisfying your desires and your need for purity at the same time. This can mean that you put yourself out of the running altogether for a time - or work yourself into the ground trying to achieve perfection. If you allow yourself to become neurotic about this, your health could suffer. So relax and stop driving yourself to do the impossible when your best will more than suffice.

**Mars in the Seventh House*

Now it would seem that you initially experience these qualities of drive and self-assertion as coming from others - and one other in particular. This is especially so if you are female. This being the case, you are also more likely to encounter the negative aspects. In truth however, the nature and power of your own self-assertion is innately unconscious and so you encounter it through the reactions from others to it.

Indeed, your partner may very well embody these traits, but the fact still remains that he or she is being a role model for you - be it negative or positive. The more you claim this manner of forcefulness as your own, then the more you are able to be an effective leader of others, or at least a good example of how to assert oneself.

**Your Mars Aspects*

**Mars allying with Saturn*

Under normal circumstances you pursue your objectives and perform your tasks with commendable discipline and thoroughness. You believe that if a job is worth doing at all, it's worth doing well. In times of hardship or stress, you are the kind of person others are glad to have around, for you have stamina, courage and resourcefulness.

Chapter Eight - Your Jupiter profile: Faith and Understanding

**Jupiter in Aquarius*

You find and seek for faith in your friendships and any club or movement that you subscribe to. In your book, faith hinges on the fact that a sharing of ideas and ideals with others leads to mutual growth and encouragement, and upon your belief that it is your social values that are correctly paving the way ahead.

However, this can lead to your social group being self-righteous which acts to hide your own doubts. Such "revolutionary blindness" can then give rise to offhandedness, and associations becoming unreliable. Truly your faith rests upon being able to share with your peers both the bright and the shady sides of your nature. In this way your basically humanitarian philosophy of life gains weight and conviction for both yourself and others.

**Jupiter in the Twelfth House*

We all have a Guardian Angel, but yours watches over you more than you know. Just when things are looking bleak, out of the blue comes deliverance, a benefactor along the winding road of life. As a sign that you are often unaware that "someone up there loves you" you can go over the top by either pushing your luck in an attempt to disprove it, or being gushing and dramatic in an effort to prove that you deserve it.

Actually it is more a case of something deep inside that is guiding and looking after you. So you will contact and confirm your faith that life is essentially benevolent through retreat, meditation, researching your past (even as far back to the womb and before), or through working in some form of confinement or institution that ministers unto others.

**Your Jupiter Aspects*

**Jupiter allying with Moon*

Your emotional background, whatever else it might have lumbered you with, has conferred upon you a sound moral sense. This guides you, more than you know, in all your moral deliberations. For when you truly feel it, you believe it. In other words you are blessed with being able to trust your positive feelings.

**Jupiter opposed by Mercury*

To assist you in all this, it is important that you develop the right means of putting across your beliefs or intuitive ideas. Occasionally, maybe even frequently, you suffer from "brain-jams", when you cannot find an avenue of thought wide enough to convey your ideas.

Just have faith that your ongoing verbal interaction with others, or one of the many books you read (or should read), or simply your ever-philosophising mind, will come up with the concept or the analogy that you require to make your point or make sense out of your life.

**Jupiter uniting with Saturn*

The establishing of faith in life will not be without some quite severe tests. This could take the form, possibly from very early on in life, of some type of rigid faith that either forces you to stick with it through thick and thin, or, has put you off believing in anything other than what you can touch and see.

And so you are having to find a balance between faith and reality, and to discover a vision of a better situation and the practical means of getting there. Having done this, you are a formidable force to be reckoned with.

**Jupiter challenged by Neptune*

All along your path of development and discovery, the principles that guide you are often weakened by a tendency to think better of others than they deserve, or that life is easier than it actually is. Indeed, your capacity to give the benefit of the doubt - which is born of the Utopian ideal that everyone is kind and beautiful deep down - is a major attribute of yours. But to avoid being dangerously gullible, ponder on the fact that everything is as good and beautiful and laid-back as it is - not as you fancy it to be.

**Jupiter working with your Midheaven*

Your religious, philosophical and speculative qualities are very much a part of the way you further your career - or actually an integral part of it. As a consequence of this faithful and expansive attitude to the world, the world in turn rewards your efforts in the form of sound opportunities for work, and home too.

Chapter Nine - Your Saturn Profile: Lessons and Responsibilities

**Saturn in Capricorn*

You are learning to take on responsibilities, to develop a sense of duty, and to amount to something in life. Initially, the need to learn such lessons may manifest as being subject to, or fearful of, situations where there is the possibility of failure, of being tied to circumstances, or of having deadlines to meet. Along the way, you are therefore drawn to being over-ambitious and taking on more than you can achieve, with overly strict regimens or painfully tight schedules. A side effect of this could be that of leaving little or no room for the personal or emotional side of life.

So as time goes by, you should gradually and eventually acquire a disciplined and realistic approach to what the world demands of you. Work projects and other duties get to be well planned and feasible, conferring upon you an authority in what was at first possibly an area of difficulty: organization.

**Saturn in the Twelfth House*

None of this comes to you at all easily; nor perhaps does the establishing of a material position in life. It is as if you are first having to make amends for past misdeeds which are reflected as anything negative in your Saturn Profile, which may simply mean failing to act upon it, or that you have never felt enough sense of personal authority to achieve. This is a karmic issue, like a piece of unfinished business that has to be attended to before anything else. This serious condition could well have been reflected in what was experienced while in the womb, for this is where and when the nature of your Saturn Profile first got factored into your being.

So you have to go downwards and inwards in order to discover what lies hidden deep within you that makes you feel as if you've got a monkey on your back. This plumbing of your depths, this contacting and obeying your conscience is essential. Either you achieve it voluntarily through meditation, psychotherapy, past-life regression, or creative work, or, you are driven to confronting yourself through some other form of confinement or solitude. The inner stability that you can eventually attain through these means is complete and permanent, for you will have vanquished the most powerful demon of all - the demon within. In other words, your lesson is to learn that true support comes from within, and that could engender the feeling that you are ultimately sustained by some Higher Power.

**Your Saturn Aspects*

**Saturn opposed by Mercury*

You are learning to become mentally aware of all these matters, and to talk and be rational about them. At times this can cause you to feel quite inadequate intellectually. This needn't be such a problem if you bear in mind that it is being disciplined, objective and successful concerning your Saturn Profile as a whole that enables you to think and communicate clearly, rather than just acquiring a bunch of clever phrases and concepts that weigh you down rather than bear you up.

**Saturn allying with Mars*

A solid virtue of yours is a consistent willingness to meet and actually deal with the problems and challenges of life. Indeed, your physical reliability probably prevents the worst from happening. Working hard comes naturally to you.

**Saturn uniting with Jupiter*

Be aware that the brighter side of life is something that you do have to cultivate. It's not that you're without joy. It is more likely you were socially conditioned by someone or something that had little joy in them. Be that as it may, you still have to lighten up somewhat, which will mean taking a chance on your intuition, and letting the devil - whatever you fear - take the hindmost.

**Saturn working with your Midheaven*

You have it in you to hold a position of authority. Looked at another way, you sense that there is some worthwhile position earmarked for you, and that you will have to work to get there. And so you do.

Chapter Ten - Your Uranus Profile: Awakening and Freedom

**Uranus in Leo*

You belong to a generation (born between the mid 1950's and early 1960's) whose intention was to reform attitudes towards romantic involvement and creative self-expression. So this led to much experimentation in these areas of life. There is a stubbornness here, marked by an insistence upon going your own way on the one hand, and a strong sense of being in a distinctive kind of creative accord with your peers on the other. You sow the seeds of self-rule.

**Uranus in the Seventh House*

Forces for change and urges for freedom make themselves felt in an area where most of us would like stability: relationships. But, consciously or unconsciously, you are attracted to unconventional relationships and partners, ones that keep you alive to the fact that you are both individual beings with individual desires for more than just a secure and predictable social and love life. Shared interests, often of a curious or alternative kind, help to keep a relationship alive because it "marries" your minds together.

This is something you need in addition to a merely emotional or physical bond. You could say that you are awakening to the importance of friendship over romance. Ideal partners are original, inventive types - even with a touch of genius, craziness, or both. And whatever is suppressed or denied as odd in yourself is bound to be represented in your mate - at double strength. It can be guaranteed that you will never be able to take each other for granted, for you'll always surprise one another.

**Your Uranus Aspects*

**Uranus unaspected by any other planet*

When you discover freedom in any shape or form, you are not quite sure what to do with it. This is probably because no-one has been around to encourage a positive sense of being an individual in your own right. So a sense of freedom can quickly become a feeling of disorientation. Below I give some hints on how to consolidate any such experiences, or to satisfy your longings for a more self-directed life...

Studying your Uranus Profile as a whole will make it clearer as to the way in which you are supposed to do your own thing, as well as describing the possibilities of doing so.

Any planet in Aquarius will further guide and support you down the road to freedom. Generally speaking, any feelings of being odd or unusual, or a misfit in any way, should rather be interpreted as the first signs of finding out what is unique about you - your first step down Freedom's Road.

**Uranus challenging your Midheaven*

There is something in you that, consciously or unconsciously, rebels against authority, your parental and social background, or anything which smacks of limiting your freedom. This in turn causes you to be unreliable, unpredictable or bored with your work of home life. Unless you wish this disruptive and non-productive influence to continue, you will need to identify and sort out what that "something" is.

Chapter Eleven - Your Neptune Profile: Sensitivity and Spirituality

**Neptune in Scorpio*

You belong to the Neptunian generation born between the mid-1950's and 1970. As this generation came of age, established musical forms and the use of drugs took on more self-destructive and sexually explicit undertones. The seeking of highs became heavier, and also involved the underworld of crime more. The lack of Mankind's spiritual awareness which had been prevalent for some time became a more critical issue, with material status symbols becoming gods, and sexual diseases - especially AIDS - becoming more threatening as the result of a lack of awareness as to the true and subtle nature of what intimacy means. The challenge to your generation is great indeed: to prevent degeneration.

**Neptune in the Ninth House*

For you, such sensitivity and spirituality manifests itself in a search for some belief or higher meaning to life. Any need that you have to find an "answer" or a "way" is strongly coloured by emotional fears and fancies. You are liable therefore to convince yourself that anything or anyone who offers an all-inclusive philosophy (or way out) of life is worth giving up a lot for.

This can involve anything from going off on a journey to some exotic foreign part to find what you are seeking, or just dropping out of college for a life of drugs or alcohol. Anything that takes away from the dull everyday plod of life is what exercises a strong pull.

This can lead you down many a false trail, but this is all part of your search - as you probably know. For you the road really does lead forever on - and with some discipline and creative imagination you can then turn this into a positive feeling and convey this sublime truth to others in some way.

**Your Neptune Aspects*

**Neptune challenged by Sun*

These issues of sensitivity and spirituality are central to your life. Without understanding this and the implications of your being considerably more attuned to higher or finer vibrations than most others, you are liable to get increasingly lost and confused, and be a fool to yourself. The most important turning point occurs when you realize that all you long for or fear as being on the outside, is really inside you. Ultimately, you are either mystic or misfit, healer or helpless, inspired artist or hopeless dreamer.

**Neptune challenged by Mercury*

The negative dimensions of these situations, and others, tempt you to rationalise them away, rather than see the truth of the matter. You swing between thinking the best of someone one moment, and regarding them as a waste of your time the next. In turn, you either imagine that you are well thought of, or that you are being unjustly slighted. Indeed, you are having and trying to tell the false from the true, but until you locate your own blind-spot, it'll be a case of one step forward and two back. But this could be your way of finding out.

**Neptune allying with Venus*

Happily, you are able to draw upon both the uplifting and painful experiences which your sensitivity attracts, and put them together in such a way that your personality or your creations touch others' hearts in an inspiring way.

**Neptune challenged by Jupiter*

You probably take all these inclinations to extremes. You yaw back and forth between high hopes and disappointments. And so it will go on until you devise a philosophy of life, which takes human failing into account as a meaningful reality rather than as something to overlook or avoid altogether. You have a big soft heart that can make dreams come true when tempered with some hard thinking

**Neptune working with Pluto*

You are helped in taking steps towards enlightenment by the fact that doing so has become a more generally

accepted pursuit since the horrors of World War II. However, you will need more than this point alone to set you off on this path.

Chapter Twelve - Your Pluto Profile: Power and Transformation

**Pluto in Virgo*

You are a member of the Plutonian generation (1956 - 1972) which grew up into a world where revolutionary changes began to take place with regard to the food that we eat and the way we work. Processing and pre-packaging of food has led to impurities and health hazards.

Work has been automated and depersonalised. The introduction of more efficient means of birth control gave rise to an illusion of sexual inviolability when quite the opposite (sexual abuse) has increased. All these matters were in fact just crises waiting to happen so that they could be - or rather had to be - duly dealt with. You are a bristle in a gigantic new broom that will sweep clean. At some point you may well get obsessed over work and health as a deep sense of service and purity arises from your unconscious mind.

**Pluto in the Seventh House*

This issue of power and transformation presents itself to you in your dealings with others - especially in a one-to-one relationship like marriage. So you are forced to confront the true nature of your deepest fears and desires, and to establish a balance of power between you and your mate, or whoever.

This is not easy for it necessitates some in-depth analysis of what or who in your life has been allowed to dominate you. Otherwise your partner could appear to take on the role of being the dominant one, when really it is something in yourself, that is unconsciously wanting to be dominated. As if to fit this scenario, your mate may well be powerful, or dis-empowered too, in some way.

Both of you could possibly even enjoy this dominator/dominated kind of relationship. But sooner or later your relationship has to be psychologically debugged if you are to avoid its going through an agonisingly slow death. It is better to go into the storm, purge your doubts and fears, for upon this will follow either the refreshment of a renewed relationship, or the release of having no relationship at all.

**Your Pluto Aspects*

**Pluto challenged by Moon*

Your personal power and influence are checked and complicated by the negative traits of your Moon Profile, and by a suspicion that something or someone is out to control you. This is because from the word go you absorbed the negative emotions of others, especially those of your mother. Your own intense and vehement emotional nature resented this and built up an obsessive resistance to changing your emotional disposition or domestic situation - even though you don't really like it. Sooner or later, you are called upon to confront and free these rich dark feelings once and for all.

**Pluto working with Neptune*

You know that we are all in the same boat, and that it is a case of sink or swim. So you look around, smile at your fellow human beings, and pull together!

A purpose to your life

From reading your *Personality Profile*, hopefully you will have become or been made more familiar with the fact that there is a purpose to your life. Quite possibly you knew this already, and this has confirmed it, or made you look at it differently. You may also have noticed that not only is there a purpose to your life as a whole, but that there is a purpose to every part of your life as well.

Furthermore, for every purpose of yours, you may see that you have positive traits and abilities to achieve it. Any negative traits are only the result of your having diverged from, or being unconscious of, that purpose.

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I hope that through this Profile you will have gained, and will continue to gain, a sense of satisfaction and control through being more and more familiar with the power and purpose of your life and personality.

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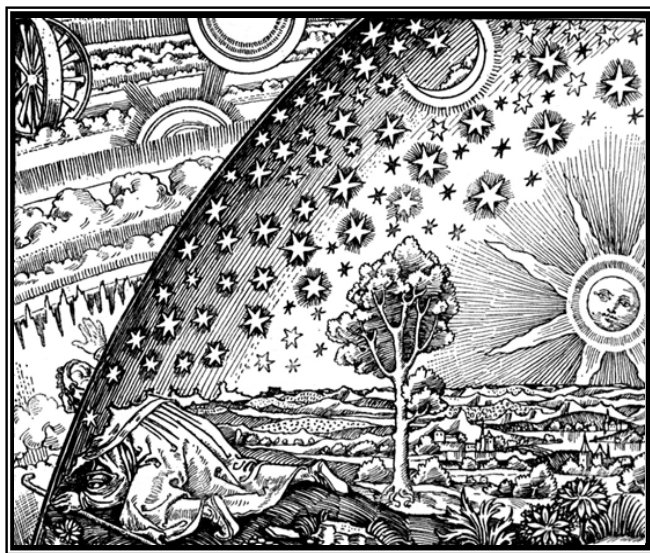
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