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Hi Everyone!!

Happy Independence Day and Happy Birthday to all the Cancerians out there! Welcome to the first edition of Lunar Notes! Lunar Notes is a monthly Newsletter which will discuss the cycle of the Moon each month as well as the symbolism of the Moon on that day. That symbolism might include the use of the Tarot, Astrology, Chakras, Sabian Symbols, Numerology, Animals and/or Fixed Stars or other topics of interest.

The Moon is often called a “light” or “luminary”. In astrological circles, she is symbolic of our instinctual emotional nature, how we may or may not have been nurtured as a child and our “perception” our own mother. I call her “she” as the Moon is feminine in nature and linked to the astrological sign of Cancer. The sign of Cancer and the Moon are located in the 4<sup>th</sup> house of the natural zodiac and are concerned about family (the mother and/or father), children, home and property, food and cooking and our heritage or roots. She is receptive too as she retreats during the day, hidden from view, and absorbs the light of her partner, The Sun, to reflect that light back to us in the evening, once the Sun has disappeared from view.

#### SABIAN SYMBOLS:

For those of you unfamiliar with the Sabian Symbol, the original Sabian Symbols were written in 1931 by Marc Edmond Jones. They were later revised by Dane Rudhyar and others have re-interpreted the symbols periodically. One of my favorite modern interpretations is written by Lynda Hill. The basis of these symbols is derived from the 360 degrees in the zodiacal circle. Each sign of the zodiac: Aries, Taurus, Gemini and so forth, is comprised of 30 degrees. Since there are 12 signs in the zodiac, that would be 12 signs X 30 degrees = 360 degrees. There are 360 Sabian Symbols and each symbol coincides with and describes each degree of the zodiac. If you know your birth chart, utilizing these symbols for each of your planetary placements is rather telling and will provide you with greater insight into your own character traits and motivations.

#### SYNCHRONICITY:

I have chosen to send out this 1<sup>st</sup> addition at precisely 3:21pm in the 7<sup>th</sup> month of the year, the month of July. There is a reason for this. As synchronicity would have it, I was born on July 21st and born at 3:21. My mother was born also at 3:21, my daughter born on the 21<sup>st</sup> day. My Ascendant or Rising Sign is at 21 degrees +. I met an important person in my life on the 21<sup>st</sup> day and have had other important events happen to me on the 21<sup>st</sup> day. Many of my friends have planets at the 21<sup>st</sup> degree. I just noticed that Venus, planet of love, beauty, money and values is at 21 degrees of Leo for this 1<sup>st</sup> Newsletter! Notice the number 21 reappearing?? Well, it gets better ☺. For several years now, when I look at a clock or my computer screen clock or my watch, or even the time on my caller ID, it is frequently at 3:21 or 7:21....it is almost always at 21 of “something”. Most people don't pay attention to

such things and I have come to realize that is foolish! It is these very "coincidental" events that are spiritual messages of guidance. If anyone has had a similar experience, I'd love to hear your own stories of synchronicity! E-mail me at [FuchsiaStars@aol.com](mailto:FuchsiaStars@aol.com) with the word SYNCHRONICITY in the subject heading of your mail.

According to Astrologer Alan Leo, 21 + degrees of the "fixed" signs (Taurus, Leo, Scorpio and Aquarius) brings a crisis of "opportunity" especially when that point is crossed over in the birth chart by a transiting planet. There is often a "fated" quality to that point in the chart. Also, The 21<sup>st</sup> card and the last card of the Major Arcana in the Tarot Deck is "The World". For those of you unfamiliar with the appearance of this card, I will describe it for you. The bright blue sky is a backdrop for a naked woman holding two white magic wands, one in each hand. She is framed in a wreath and she is draped in a flowing red scarf. In the 4 corners of this card the symbols of the fixed cross of the Zodiac ie: Aquarius, Scorpio, Leo and Taurus represent the 4 seasons, 4 directions. The meaning of this card, because it is the last "psychological" card of the Tarot, is one of completion. Once we have completed one cycle in our life, we are then open to new and exciting beginnings. In many ways, the World card along with the Wheel of Fortune Card are symbolic of changes and cycles of growth where nothing in life remains the same ...they can't. It can be considered one of the "Karma" cards in the deck. Is it a "coincidence" that I have a website called "KarmicAstrology.tv ??? You decide.

#### JULY'S OVERVIEW:

Sabian Symbol for the Moon at 3:21pm, July 3, 2002 EDT at 23 degrees of ARIES and 33 minutes. When we look to the degree for the symbol we always round up. The degree for today's symbol is 24 degrees of Aries.

"An Open Window and the Net Curtain Blowing Into The Shape of a Cornucopia"

An open window appears to be an "opportunity"...as with all opportunities...there is a "window of opportunity"...a time to act upon your desires or hopes or wishes. Very often we are presented with opportunities but fail to act upon them then lose the opportunity or chance. The net curtain implies that we can "catch" the good fortune and plenty implied in the cornucopia when we realize that which we truly want. The universe is presenting a promise of abundance, good fortune and prosperity (the horn of plenty), however, that can change with the wind (net curtain blowing into the shape of...) It can take "any" form but requires direction.

Oftentimes wind blowing signifies a spiritual awakening and that you are open to new possibilities. This symbol can signify significant changes as often our thoughts and desires can change with the wind if we are unfocused. Also implied in this symbol is seeing your creativity taking shape...or perhaps a new project or relationship forming. Ever hear the saying..."When opportunity knocks?" Are you listening?

MARS and JUPITER are shaking hands up there in the sky having a grand 'ole time also at 23 degrees of Cancer squaring (tension) our Lunar Goddess. They are currently sitting so

close to each other they are sharing the same energy and pushing it to the limits. As if Mars needs any assistance in the “me first” area, Jupiter who increases whatever he touches is giving Mars a bit of a push right now. What an ego! Emotions are running high and being stretched to their limits. Take a deep breath and wait a couple of days before telling off your boss or airing your feelings.

JULY 10<sup>th</sup> NEW MOON AT 18 DEGREES CANCER 00

New Moon = New Beginnings! Time to plant those seeds. They can be actual seeds or ideas! In the sign of Cancer, your focus may be around family, home, children, cooking, working from home or just plain working!! Cancer is a Cardinal (action) Water (emotional) sign. All cardinal signs are action oriented and love to start new projects...need to keep moving into new ventures.

Visualize that which you desire at each New Moon, write your “wish list” and often by the Full Moon your desires or “wishes” will have manifested.

Consider the Sabian Symbol for 19 DEGREES OF CANCER:

“A Fragile Miss, Representative of Proud Old Blood, is Wed in a Marriage Ceremony by a Priest to an Eager Youth of the New Order”

Here we speak of the union or merging between old or past and respected ways with the new and potential for change. This is very important. Very often we think we need to throw out all of our old ways in order to grow...not necessarily so. We can often incorporate what we already know and “change” or re-birth these new ideas into something creative and wonderful. We often hold onto old ways out of fear. Most people are fearful of change. However, change is inevitable and it is important that it is embraced. Loyalty to the past or the tried and true doesn't always suit our life path. However, we can incorporate those lessons to develop a new path or way of thinking.

What does this symbol mean to you? E-mail me and tell me your thoughts? ☺

JULY 24<sup>th</sup> FULL MOON AT 1 AQUARIUS 18

Full Moon signifies a culmination as the Moon has “expanded”. Now, if you're thinking of going on a diet, this is the time!! The only thing you do not want to do during a New Moon is go on a diet! You will not lose any weight because the Moon or light is waxing or increasing in size! We want to decrease in size! Start your diet right after the Full Moon, as the Moon starts to wane in size.

Consider the Sabian Symbol for the 2 DEGREES AQUARIUS FULL MOON:

“An Unexpected Thunderstorm”

This can symbolize something unexpected and takes you by surprise. When I read this symbol I envision the Tower card in the Tarot Deck. A large tower is struck by lightning...you see people jumping out of the building in horror. Sudden calamity. Memories and Symbols of 9-11 come to mind. This card is usually symbolic of the planet Mars, however, I too see Uranus as the Tower card. Uranus is electricity, and acts independently. Anyone who has ever had their Uranus opposition (ages 41ish +) will know that "shocking" behavior and events or confrontations may present in your life during this period of time. For those of you unfamiliar with the Uranus Opposition, you may better understand its concept by thinking "MID LIFE CRISIS".

Your inner strength and stability will be put to the test. Perhaps you have seen signs of something coming and didn't know what to expect. Storms are like that in that we may see those dark clouds looming over us and they may pass without a sound. OR...those same black clouds will unleash a violent thunderstorm with torrential rain and massive winds and tear apart or uproot a tree. We just don't know. We need to always be prepared though so that we do not panic when the "unexpected thunderstorm" arrives as the storm can act swiftly and without mercy.

Where does 2 Aquarius fall in your birth chart? The house this Full Moon resides in will tell you more about the area of life that will be affected.

Please remember to drive carefully approximately 2 days before and during a Full Moon because it is true, drivers can be "lunatics" during a Full Moon.

Have a wonderful Holiday and thank you so much for reading to the end. I hope to see you again next month for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Issue of Lunar Notes which will appear in your e-mail the 1<sup>st</sup> week of August. Your questions and comments are always welcome.

Love,  
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