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Spring Quarter Astrology Forecast

TUMULTUOUS TIMES AHEAD!

That isn't meant to be a scary warning, just a note to get your attention that big shifts are coming quickly. Forget any idea or illusion you have that you can control them, or even know what they are going to be. When I write notices like this, many people go directly to the negative interpretation.

Good things come from change too!

Two eclipses and Mercury retrograde are a big part of this need to open to new possibilities. (See right column and page 3 right column).

April 20 brings the Jupiter-Uranus conjunction that occurs only every $13\frac{3}{4}$ years. Jupiter wants you to expand your belief system and take a risk on manifesting your goals and dreams. Uranus is an innovative revolutionary that is ready to try something new. Be eccentric.

This new cycle begins in pragmatic Taurus, urging a practical revolution in your life. At the previous conjunction in 2010-11, the tallest building in the world opened in Dubai, WikiLeaks published massive government lies regarding war, and the International Space Station broke records for the longest time for humans living in space.

Whatever you are thinking, go bigger!

The fact that this alignment occurs near eclipses, Mercury retrograde, and tied to wounded healer Chiron makes for a volatile and very changeable beginning of the new $13\frac{3}{4}$ year cycle. (See page 11).

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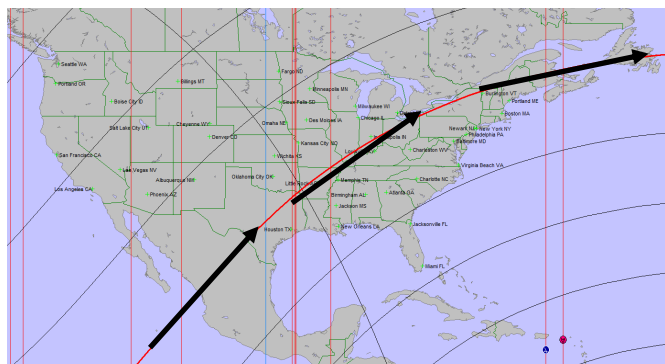
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4/8/2024 Total Solar Eclipse

~and a whole lot of Aries!



April 8th brings a powerful and complicated total solar eclipse at 20° Aries. At the same time, communications planet Mercury is retrograde in Aries April 1-25. This is further amplified by wounded healer Chiron tied to this eclipse-even more Aries!

A solar eclipse brings deep level soul motivations to the surface. Sometimes you see the action right away, and other times it comes quietly over time. Either way, it is time for a new direction.

One level of Aries is guns and knives. When Chiron moved into Aries several years ago, high school students left class to protest gun violence in schools. Sporting events are Aries and Kansas City experienced gun violence in what should have been a Super celebration.

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The Mercury retrograde cycle is at its halfway point on April 11. The general rule of thumb is to finish existing projects and repairs during the first half of the cycle April 1-11. The second half of the cycle, April 11-25, is when you do preparation for future projects. Keep in mind that flexibility is required during Mercury retrograde as things do shift after the messenger turns direct.



I like to watch aggressive Mars because the god of war is action oriented. From March 22 to April 30, assertive Mars is in not-so-assertive Pisces, an uncomfortable combination. It is excellent for improving your intuition and opening to a higher vision for your life. Watch for active dreams.

From April 30 until June 9, Mars is in one of his favorite signs, Aries (the other is Scorpio). It's time to get moving. Physical activity is favored. (I may finally get my garage cleaned out!). Whatever you decided during the eclipses and Mercury retrograde, its time to take action.

Have courage to pioneer a new path. Express self-confidence. Both Mars and Aries are associated with the fire element. Put effort into whatever lights up your passionate side. Of course, the downside is that all those boring things that you have to do can be neglected or put off to later (bad news for cleaning my garage!).

Open to something fresh this quarter.



I asked *Great Spirit* about the inhumanity we see in our current world such as Ukraine, Gaza and political actions contrary to higher universal principles.

Great Spirit answered me saying that these actions "rattle the cage" of consciousness. Some people choose to raise their own consciousness through the horrors they see; while others choose to buy into fear.

Great Spirit told me that the lower quantity of people choosing to raise their consciousness spiritually outweighs the greater number of people choosing to make fear-based choices.

In other words, a small group of people raising their consciousness more than compensates for the larger number of people buying into fear.

We can never obtain peace in the outer world until we make peace with ourselves. ~Dalai Lama

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(Solar Eclipse continues from page 1, right column)

On the earthly level, Aries is associated with ambition, assertiveness, pioneering a new path, exercise, roofs and the head. It would be wise to avoid impulsive actions, driving too fast, road rage and people with anger issues.

During Mercury retrograde and the solar eclipse, make a behind the scenes plan and/or research future ambitions. Because centaur Chiron is tied to this energy, you may need to implement your plan in stages. Aries prefers to do things all at once and then be done with it, so this may be frustrating at times.

Mercury Retrograde

April 1 –25, 28° back to 15° Aries

Re-thinking future action

April 8 Eclipse right in the middle at 20° Aries.

Spiritually speaking, Aries communicates right action. Use April to make certain your actions are in harmony with your thoughts. Saying one thing and doing another isn't going to fly now (if it ever did!).



Aries is associated with Rays 1 and 7. Archangel Michael helps you stand in your power by removing anything that gets in the way of your direct connection to the One Source of what Hermetic Philosophers call *All That Is*.



Ray 7 is associated with energetic alchemy, the Violet Flame, and transmuting lower frequencies to higher through the help of St. Germaine.

Call upon these energies to help you manage April's turbulent changes.

Texas would be a good location to watch in the media. I use three months before and after an eclipse as its general range. The April 8, 2024 and October 2023 total solar eclipses both pass(ed) through Texas. Mars is aligned with Uranus in Aries in the Texas chart (12/29/1845), and Pluto is in the latter degrees of Aries. Combining Mars and Uranus is a volatile mixture. It also shows their attitude towards gun control. Razor wire would be classified as a Mars weapon. Texas's approach to handling the immigration problem keeps getting activated.

There is no doubt that April is going to push your buttons. How you choose to react to these shifting and impatient energies is up to you.

Fear keeps us focused on the past or worried about the future. If we can acknowledge our fear, we can realize that right now we are okay. Right now, today, we are still alive, and our bodies are working marvelously. Our eyes can still see the beautiful sky. Our ears can still hear the voices of our loved ones. ~Thich Naht Hanh.

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Jupiter in Gemini

May 25, 2024-June 9, 2025

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Jupiter is the god of abundance in astrology, so it is good to follow his path through your natal chart over a 12-year cycle. The god of thunder helps you expand your belief system so you can more easily reach your goals and dreams.

However, you must take a risk on yourself without expecting a guarantee. And, Jupiter doesn't worry if the people in your life will approve of your plan to go to new levels of expression.



For good or for bad, you cannot expect the people in your life to go along with you. Each person must operate at their best frequency. Some people are ready to go to the next vibratory frequency, and others must continue to learn where they are at now. You do not do the people in your life a service if you don't go to the next level that is calling you. **Jupiter doesn't wait!**

For example, when Jupiter moves through the 7th house of a chart, some people get married. Others get divorced when one partner is growing and the other is not. The ultimate expansion is to go beyond the physical body, so Jupiter transits are common in death charts.

Growth is uncomfortable; you have to embrace the discomfort if you want to expand.

~Actor Jonathan Majors

Gemini opens your mind to new ideas. It stimulates your curiosity to explore new options. The last time Jupiter was in Gemini, June 2012-June 2013, Microsoft introduced an iPad competitor. Apple introduced a less expensive iPad. Improve your communications skills and learn something new.

In July 2000-July 2001, Bush and Gore go to the Supreme court over counting chads on election ballots (pretty ominous for an election year). Syrian President Bashar al Assad of Syria was confirmed as head of Syria during Jupiter in Gemini. Both Assad (12/11/1965) and Syria (1/1/1944) have natal planets in Gemini, so watch news from Syria.

Esoterically, Jupiter is associated with Ray 2 of seeking wisdom and unconditional love. Develop a practice where you see beyond a person's personality ego. Connect with the Spirit of Divine within them, then help them bring forth that which they really are at their higher self level.

Overall, be willing to explore ideas and activities that are out of your comfort zone. There are more possibilities for the next stage of your life than you can see right now. Be open!

If you put yourself in a position where you have to stretch outside your comfort zone, then you are forced to expand your consciousness.

~Motivational speaker Les Brown

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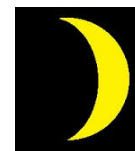
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Lunar Eclipse in Libra

March 25, 6° Libra-Aries

Make love, not war



Although April's total solar eclipse gets all the media attention, March's partial lunar eclipse is no less important. Lunar eclipses tend to bring hidden emotions to the surface.

Consider the current balance or imbalance in your life between Libra's relationship desires and Aries need for independence. If you have lost yourself in relationships, or become excessively in alone mode, this eclipse helps you make adjustments.

Libra is associated with peace, and Aries with war. Be diplomatically assertive. Practice gentle exercise.

Pay attention to these energies now, because there is a solar eclipse at 11° Libra on October 2, almost exactly in the same location of this lunar eclipse.

Expect that the energy activated within you now will come up in a bigger, more visible way come October. In esoteric astrology, Libra helps revolutionize your value system so you can live in a higher balance. Aries helps you communicate right action.

The America's will be able to see this eclipse, but it will be faint. See eclipse map at:

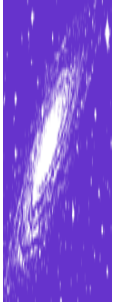
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7 RAY SOUL PURPOSE ESOTERIC ASTROLOGY for V. Zelenskyy

1/25/1978, 2 PM, Krivoj Rog, Ukraine ; Sun Aquarius, Leo Moon, Ascendant in Gemini

A soul ray is a universal frequency that each person incarnates on to provide opportunities for growth and service in this life.

Where your zodiac sun sign is of our solar system and has to do with personality, a soul ray is Universal in nature. It helps you accomplish life purpose in this life.



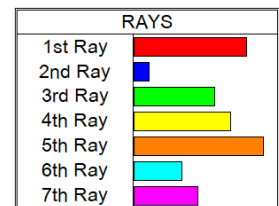
Ukrainian President Zelenskyy is strong in Rays 1 and 5, moderate Ray 4. Ray 1 is about standing in your power and creating unity and wholeness. He had to step into his power to stand up for the principle of freedom from oppressors. Ray 1 people often experience lessons in loneliness v. aloneness. With the US Congress minimizing support for the Ukraine, it would not be surprising to feel alone. The lesson is to know that you are never alone when connected to Creation. Volodymyr has worked with world politicians to create the Ray 1 unity needed to keep his country free.

Ray 5 is a healer, as associated with Archangel Raphael and master Hilarion. It's purpose is to bring meta-physical concepts into the world in a way that can be passed on to others. World War II taught the world that a dictator will "given an inch, take a mile" as freedom is taken from others. Ironically, the argument about misuse of money given is that most of the money allocated to Ukraine goes to USA manufacturers of weapons, not to so-called greedy Ukrainians who are fighting for their very existence.

Both Rays 1 and 5 have Leo in the triad that channels their energy. Volodymyr has his moon, Mars Retrograde and Saturn in Leo. He was required to step into leadership and open hearts with Leo. Because the planet of war, Mars, was retrograde at birth, Zelenskyy must reclaim his assertiveness to achieve peace.

Ray 4 helps a person live in their center in spite of outer world conflict. With all the drama surrounding grave harm to civilians, it is difficult to imagine how a person could stay in their center to help his people.

Pluto is opposing Zelenskyy's natal Mars in Leo until 2025, and transiting Neptune in Pisces is making a challenging square to natal Jupiter in his chart. The negative interpretation of this difficult combination is Putin murdering Zelenskyy with poison. A positive view would be the world population standing up to support higher ideals. The choice is ours!



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Seven Ray Esoteric Astrology Consultation This consultation is open to everyone.

Esoteric Astrology is the branch of astrology that seeks to help people understand and accentuate spiritual growth and service. Think of it like a multi-level chess board. Everyone operates on the base level of earth school, but those who know they have incarnated to be of higher service can move between base and higher levels.

The consultation includes your personality and soul rays. The personality ray helps you manage the mundane aspects of planet earth. Your soul ray helps you activate greater personal meaning through spiritual growth and service. There are also sub rays to help you step into the fullness of your service in this incarnation. This work is based upon the teachings of Master Tibetan disciple Djwal Khul (DK) and Alice A Bailey.

As you increase your awareness of what your soul came to do, you place greater focus on your own spiritual growth. This helps you raise your own frequency which gives you greater tools to help your life move more smoothly through earth school

The consultation includes an esoteric look at your natal chart along with all the transiting and progressing cycles going on now and in the incoming months. \$220/ 90 min.

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This page is offered to address the spiritual growth side of current astrology from the esoteric point of view. Or, depending what is on my mind at the time, a metaphysical topic of interest this quarter or whatever seems appropriate.

Read this out loud, It will make you feel better

With all my heart:

In the heart of my being, Father, I am one with You, and I recognize You as Being, the Father of all. You are Spirit, Omnipresent, Omnipotent, Omniscient.

You are Wisdom, Love, and Truth; the power and substance and intelligence of which and through all things are created. You are the life of my spirit, the substance of my soul, the intelligence of my thought.

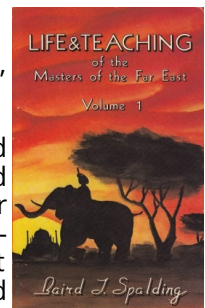
I am expressing You in my body and in my affairs. You are beginning and the end, the very All of the good which I can express. The desire of my thought which is implanted in my soul is quickened by your life in my spirit; and in the fullness of time, through the law of faith, it is brought into visibility in my experience.

I know that the good I desire already exists in Spirit in invisible form and but awaits the fulfillment of the law to be made visible and I know that which I already have.

With All my soul.

The above comes from the series of books "Life & Teaching of the Masters of the Far East" by Baird Spalding, Vol. 2, chapter 2, DeVorss & Co.

It was required reading for me in a metaphysical ministry in my distant past. It has sold over 2 million copies. In a nutshell, scientific people went to learn from masters who lived hundreds of years. Life as we know it in the modern world is quite limiting based upon their teachings. Of course, Spalding was a controversial person, so you will need to use discernment in knowing what is true for you. I read them for the first time in the early 1980's. It was a time of great spiritual opening and growth for me, and these books opened my world view.



When spirituality is the basis of your life, it gives you the strength, wisdom and courage to surmount the many storms of life that could destroy a weaker person who doesn't have this foundation.

~Radhanath Swami

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A chart cast for the next three months:

The planets are all concentrated in one half of the zodiac between Pluto in Aquarius and the Moon in Leo. People tend to focus on what is most important to them when planets are packed in one area of the zodiac. It also means they tend to ignore everything else.

The **orange line** shows an opposition between the emotional moon ☾ and intensely transforming Pluto ♇. An opposition is like a full moon that pulls you apart to provide great perspective. For the next three months the moon is asking you where your heart is engaged and where it no longer wants to spend her time. There is a danger of emotional soap operas, be it personally, in USA elections, and global politics.

Pluto helps you let go. Aquarius helps you maintain a sense of detachment so as not to get sucked into the drama. However, you don't want to be so detached that you disconnect. (Think of all the people who are disillusioned by current politics and want to tune out and not participate in what may be the most important election for democracy in well over 100 years.)

See the **red square** in the chart. A square indicates two aspects of your life that want attention at the same time, but want different things. Love and money planet Venus ♀ is aligned with patient Saturn ♄. The combination of Venus and Saturn is good for business, and also good for restructuring boundaries in relationships of all types. Both make a challenge to Jupiter ♃ who would rather go big now—*and screw the patience!* Begin to plan future travel or projects while still understanding that there will be hoops to jump through before you get there.

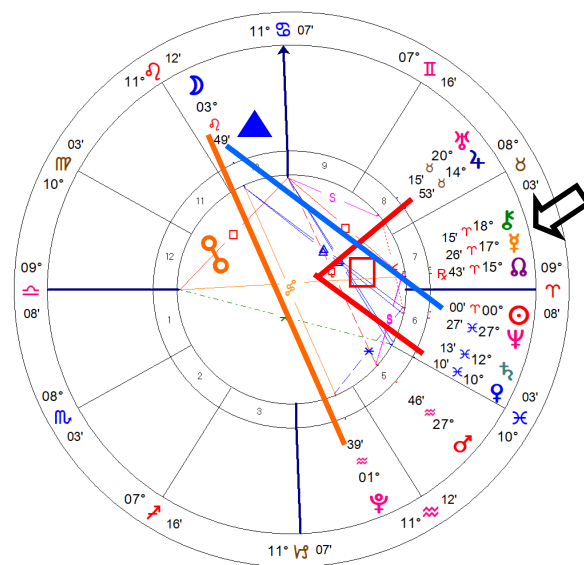
The black arrow points to Mercury ☿ slowing down to turn retrograde in Aries on April 1. Mercury has just entered the “shadow” of its coming retrograde. This provides hints of what you will be working on during the April 1-25 retrograde cycle.

Mercury is aligned with wounded-healer Chiron ♎. There are several interpretations here. It could provide mental healing in the coming months to prepare you for the next step in life. You might need or want to take a short trip on short notice. Or, you could begin the early planning stages for a new path for your life— but currently feel like you are caught between worlds.

Because all the planets are concentrated in one-half the zodiac, it is important to get focused on that which is immediately at hand. Although the Mercury and Chiron in Aries has you looking to the future, there is still plenty to deal with in the present.

Spring Equinox

March 19 * 8:06 PM PDT



Also see the total solar eclipse chart on page 10

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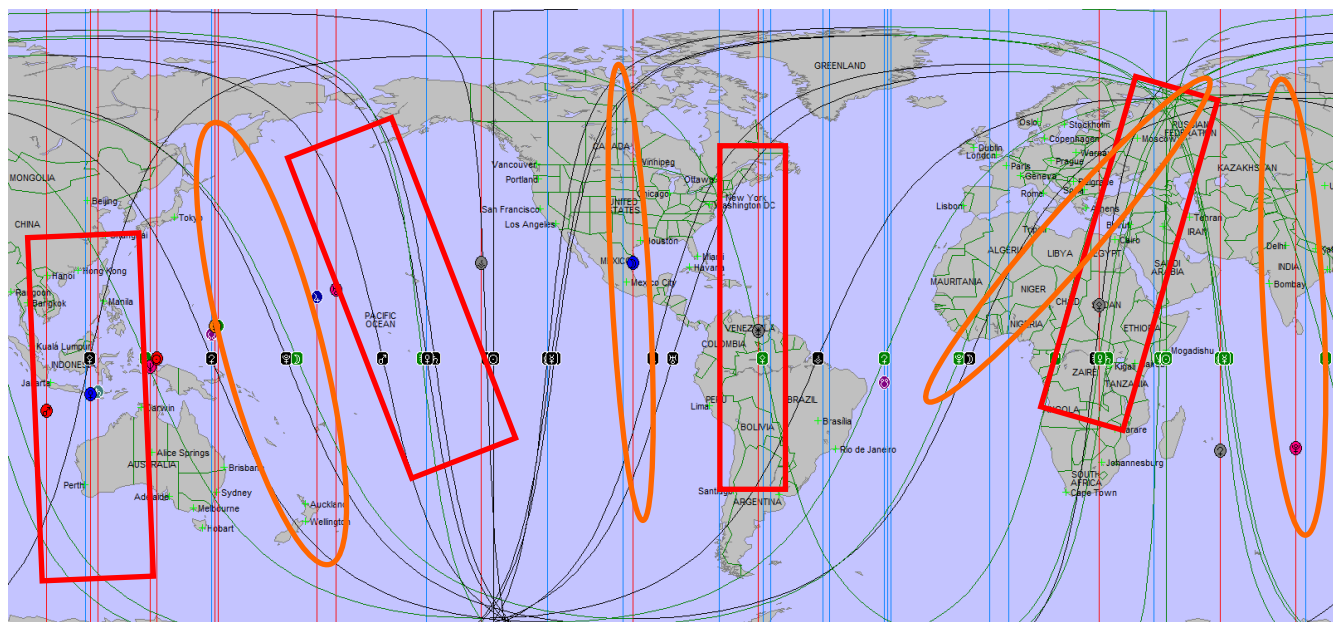
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Spring Equinox AstroCartoGraphy® Map * See chart previous page



This is an AstroCartoGraphy® power lines map for Spring Equinox , See the previous page

RED SQUARES: This shows the challenging square between Venus-Saturn and Jupiter. One of the squares ranges from Washington DC to Argentina. We can see this through challenging peace aspects and the conflict between funding freedom in the Ukraine, restrictions in peace talks in Gaza, and other complicated expansion vs. contraction energies. Hawaii and the South Pacific, Japan to Indonesia and western Australia are ripe for this contradictory activity.

ORANGE CIRCLES: These circles represent the emotional challenges and power plays between the moon and Pluto. The South Pacific to northern Japan are activated. India has had many problem with their current leadership, so emotions will be high there. Mexico and the middle USA are emotionally activated. Given that the April 8 total solar eclipse goes across the Texas-Mexico border, tensions will be highlighted more than they already are.

Moscow is activated by both of the challenges listed above. This is not a surprise with Russian elections coming up, murdered dissenters, and war in the Ukraine. The same energies go through Israel, Gaza and that region.

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The right column helps explain the Seven Ray Esoteric Astrology consultation.

My intent for the remaining time on planet earth is to focus on my spiritual growth, and help others of like mind to do the same. I don't quite know what that looks like yet, but this is my starting place.

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Keep calm and serene, knowing:

"God is the only intelligence and power acting in your world and affairs"

I AM in you, is the self-sustaining strength and healing, manifesting in your mind and body. This keeps you in greater attunement. Face God! And the energy always surges forth to command every situation. Individuals who understand this law are not subject to injustice and the conditions which the outer selves of other beings try to impose upon them.

~Saint Germaine Series, Volume 3, page 14

Every man and woman in the new era has an individual two-fold mission —the transmutation of his own discordantly qualified energies of the past, and the conscious control and mastery over the use of his or her life in the present.

This is the balance required by the Chela of the Seventh Ray. The few (who are beyond personal karma) assume the responsibility, opportunity, and obligation of utilizing the power of transmutation on behalf of their race, nation, and planet.



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It is upon these few that we depend for a planetary redemption these years allotted to us by the "Cosmic Law" to make all things new.

Are you among these few?

~St. Germaine



Transmutation
Violet Flame
Drive

Seven Ray Esoteric Astrology Consultation

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What is a soul ray consultation?

Essentially, the Seven Ray consultation is an astrology reading based upon the esoteric branch of astrology. Think of a multi-level chess board. Everyone operates on the physical earth school level. However, people who have moved beyond the need for personal ego gratification, knowing that they are here to grow spiritually and be of service to humanity, can access higher levels of that chess board to utilize more frequencies.

You will learn about your soul and personality rays. This information is based in the channellings of the Tibetan Master Djwahl Kuhl and Alice A. Bailey. Visit: <https://www.lucistrust.org/>

Understanding the rays upon which you have incarnated helps you to work more fully with your energies of soul service. This reading is best for people who have reduced the need to ask "what's in it for me?" and increased the need to know, "what is my soul purpose and spiritual service in this life?"

By choosing to experience this reading, you are calling upon your soul to express an increasing manifestation of the Divine Essence in your life. You are choosing to step into higher levels of soul service.

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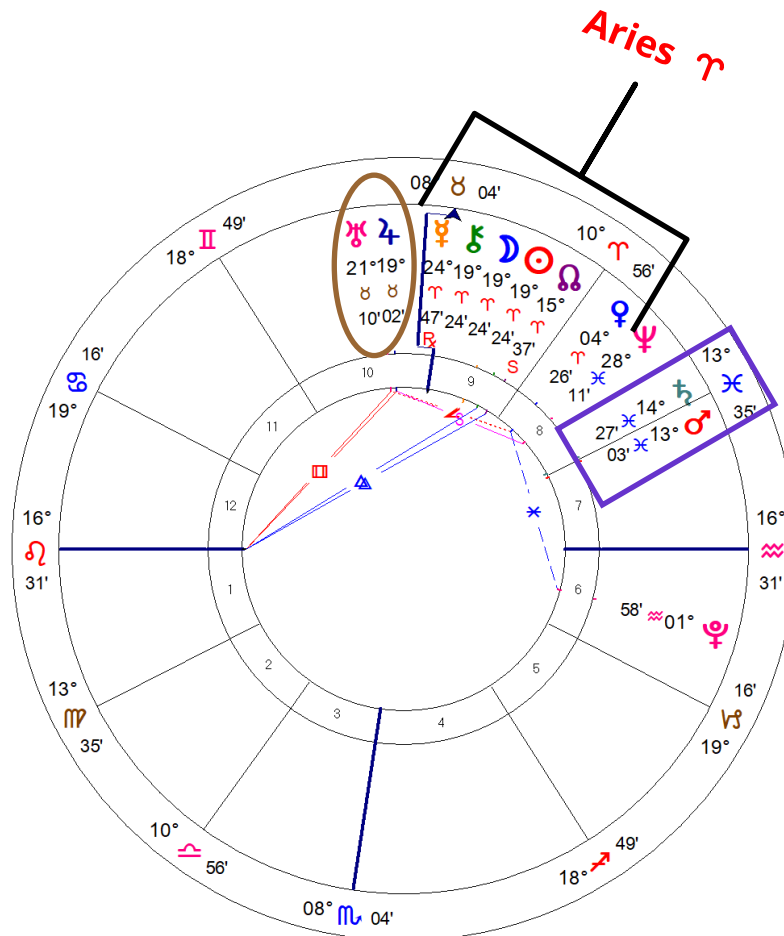
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Total Solar Eclipse chart: April 8, 2024 2:21 PM EDT

This link goes to NASA website showing the timeline of the eclipse from Mexico to NE USA/Canada
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**Solar Eclipse
Natal Chart**
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2:21 pm EDT +4:00
Washington, DC
38°N53'42" 077°W02'12"
Geocentric
Tropical
Koch
True Node



Even if this chart for the April 8 Total Solar Eclipse is meaningless to you, it is easy to see that all the planets are bundled into less than one-third of the zodiac circle. The area of your personal natal chart containing the signs Aquarius through Taurus is heavily activated this spring.

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When all the planets are packed tightly in one area of a chart, the level of intensity increases dramatically. The area with the bracket shows a stellium (lots!) in **Aries ♈**. The low level of Aries is anger and impatience. Aries is associated with guns and knives, so maintain awareness in eclipse gatherings. It is also the sign of pioneering a new path, exercise and enhancing self-esteem. Communications and travel planet Mercury ♀ ☿ is retrograde in Aries ♈ April 1-25, so that will add to the intensity and impatience.

The **brown circle** shows the coming alignment of expansive Jupiter and innovative Uranus in Taurus, exact on April 20. That only happens every 13 3/4 years. Read about it in previous pages of this newsletter. It's time to open your belief system to something larger. Throw a pragmatic revolution in your life.

The **purple square** shows the alignment of aggressive Mars and patient Saturn. It would be good to avoid people with anger issues April 7-11. Expect a certain "hurry up and wait" type of energy.

Ending on a positive note: put action and ambition into projects that will produce long-term rewards. Restructure the core foundation of your life to courageously assert yourself in new directions and projects. Change is inevitable, so take an active role in your life.

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Additional information on the April 20 Jupiter-Uranus conjunction



Lanto

Esoteric View:

Jupiter is associated with Ray 2 of unconditional love and wisdom.

The master is Lanto who many believe had a life in body as Confucius. The archangel is Jophiel.

Ray 2 healers (meaning everyone of us) must radiate our own divine self, and then surround and enfold the energy of spiritual perfection wherever it is welcome.

Go beyond the personality of the people you meet to connect up with the spirit of divine within them, their true self. They will remember who they are at the higher self level. Help them bring that true self out into their daily life.

You cannot force them, but you can make yourself available when they are ready.



St. Germaine

Uranus is associated with Ray 7 of energetic alchemy and transmutation.

Master St. Germaine and Archangel Zadkiel watch over Ray 7. The Violet Flame of transmuting lower frequencies into higher is a tool of Ray 7. Do you resonate with the color purple?

Your job here is to revolutionize value systems so both you and others can live in a higher balance.

Ray 7 brings lessons in nonjudgement. Be a channel of the divine. Raise lower frequencies to higher vibrations, but do not put your personal expectations or ego into the results.

Be a channel for Great Spirit to bring forth the Highest Good. Let Great Spirit figure out the best result.



Violet
Flame
Drive

The text below was in the recent winter 2024 quarterly Astromark newsletter. It provides more information on the April 20 alignment of Jupiter and Uranus (Also see page 1, left column)

The next planet of interest is revolutionary Uranus moving through practical Taurus May 2018 until he moves into Gemini April 2026. The highs and lows of cryptocurrency is one example of Uranus's volatile and erratic nature.

Although innovative Uranus still has a ways to go in earthy Taurus, 2024 brings the every 13¾ year alignment with expansive Jupiter. The last time this happened in 2010-2011, massive earthquakes hit Japan and Christchurch, New Zealand. Large protests occurred in the Arab world including the resignation of Egypt's President Mubarak. That conjunction occurred several times in late degree Pisces and early degree Aries.

Jupiter Aligns with Uranus

At 22° Taurus, April 20

Sabian Symbol for the degree of this conjunction:

*"White Dove Flying Over
Troubled Waters"*



A Jupiter-Uranus alignment is like a kick into a higher gear. But you must be willing to try innovative life changes in a bigger way. Jupiter wants you to expand your belief system and take a risk on yourself. Uranus is ready for something new. Look at this alignment as a preview of sorts of Uranus moving into quick and adaptable Gemini in 2026.

Meditate on the Sabian Symbol in the box above for personal meaning for this conjunction. Hopefully the dove indicates the higher power within higher vibrational people will take over the fear-based consciousness that has been rampant in our world.

It is also important to view Uranus's 2026 move into Gemini by gaining hints from Jupiter moving into Gemini for one year beginning on May 20th. Gemini is associated with communications, education and the media. It is a restless sign, so travel and moving are a definite possibility. The last time this happened was June 2012-June 2013. Be adaptable and open to new ideas from May 2024-May 2025.

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