

SOLAR FIRE INTERPRETATIONS REPORT

THE SABIAN ORACLE - 2nd Edition

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It is possible to use these symbols as an oracle in several different ways.

1. Sabian Oracle - Firstly centre yourself, then ask your question, and then call up the Sabian Oracle. This will pick one of the symbols at random.
2. Degree Oracles - These are based on the position of a planet or chart angle at the time the question is asked. Note, therefore that these symbols are not random, but are based on the cyclical motion of these astrological points through the degrees of the zodiac. The sun moves about 1 degree per day, so its symbol changes roughly once per day, whereas the moon moves about 13 degrees per day, so its symbol changes roughly once every two hours. The ascendant and midheaven pass through the entire zodiac each day, so their symbols change roughly once every 4 minutes. In order to decide which astrological point to use, take into account the symbolism of that point. For example, when asking questions about emotional issues you could choose the moon. When asking about career matters you could choose the midheaven, etc.

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CHART DETAILS

Bette Midler - Natal Chart
1 Dec 1945, 2:19 pm, +10:30
Honolulu Hawaii, 21°N18'25", 157°W51'30"
Geocentric Tropical Zodiac
Placidus Houses, True Node

CHART POINTS

THE MOON

10TH DEGREE OF SCORPIO

A FELLOWSHIP SUPPER REUNITES OLD COMRADES

This Symbol shows getting together with people with shared visions and histories which can

be very rewarding and renewing. A “Fellowship Supper” can help connect with old friends, or provide a place for meeting new ones. Often with this degree, issues around food come up, whether it’s providing food and drink or sharing it with others. It’s important to find time to socialize with like-minded people as true friendships can come from simple gatherings. Also, there can often be the sense that one’s known people before, on a karmic level, or, stretching back into a past life. True fellowship and fraternity can bring a sweet sense of nostalgia and a sense of uplift to each individual's life.

Renewed bonds. Feeling like you've known each other before. Reunions and memories. Past life connections. Fated meetings. The Last Supper. Reaching out to others.

The Caution: Only feeling comfortable with your past. Not changing with the cycles. Not joining in. Feeling excluded. Feeling uneasy about having to face people from the past.

THE SUN

10TH DEGREE OF SAGITTARIUS

A THEATRICAL REPRESENTATION OF A GOLDEN HAired GODDESS OF OPPORTUNITY

Rewards, awards, acclaim, a sense of presence, charisma and beauty are all the promise of this degree. During your life, there will be offers that look too good to refuse, and they could be full of promise, but they should still be looked at carefully. It can be something of a reward for you, in which case it can lead to bigger and better things. Someone or something may seem to be the answer to your dreams - and indeed it may well turn out to be a grand adventure with a big reward. You, or someone close to you, could be seen as someone who could make big money from the entertainment industry – a natural talent. However, it could be just idle chatter, with no basis in reality.

Distinguishing reality from theatre. Feeling that the 'world is your stage'. Playing out a story. Acting out impulses. Dramatizations. Opportunities that seem too good to resist.

The Caution: Shallow adoration. Propaganda. Constantly chasing 'things' that come to nothing. Judging people by their looks. False appearances. False opportunities.

MERCURY

22ND DEGREE OF SAGITTARIUS

A CHINESE LAUNDRY

This Symbol pictures a situation where people may not be taken seriously, expected to perform in a stereotypical way or are shut away because of their culture, or language, which is often foreign, or because of racial prejudice. In a “Chinese Laundry” people are often working very hard with little free time and expected to do the ‘dirty work’ for others for little in return. There can be a danger here as you may also have closed your mind to other options, opportunities and possibilities. Be careful not to shut yourself away. This can also picture situations where people are working closely together, speaking the same language, although here, too, there can still be alienation and loneliness.

Restrictions of all kinds. Laws and legislation based on social and racial equality. Issues of belonging. Doing jobs because they should be done. Efficient work practices.

The Caution: Giving in to prejudice. Self-inflicted inferiority. Being used. Issues of self respect. Confining stereotypes. Money laundering. Not taken seriously. Feeling trapped.

VENUS

25TH DEGREE OF SCORPIO

AN X RAY PHOTOGRAPH HELPS WITH THE DIAGNOSIS

This Symbol shows the ability, or the need, to be able see into areas or realms that others generally don't even take any notice of. You may find yourself looking for a deeper understanding of situations and you need to peel away the layers in order to get to the truth of the matter. You may need to employ both the emotions and the intellect. Ask yourself: what do you want to find and what is being done to reveal the structure or the nitty gritty of situations? Looking inside for clues. Being able to see through layers into the reality of things helps you to be able to make a "Diagnosis" - dia which means "by", and gnosis which means "knowledge"

Penetrating insight. Having the eyes and the intuition to see. Evaluations. Photographs. Radiation. X-ray vision. Connecting the dots. Finding causes. Insight and revelations. The Caution: Disregarding the truth. Invading people's mental, physical or psychic space. Being intense and meaningful. Not knowing when to relax. Undressing others.

MARS

4TH DEGREE OF LEO

SOMEONE FORMALLY DRESSED STANDS NEAR TROPHIES BROUGHT BACK FROM A HUNTING EXPEDITION

This Symbol speaks of awards and trophies and displaying what one is capable of or what's been achieved or won. Putting on your best and showing people what you're made of is great, but it is one thing to achieve something and yet another to display one's achievements for all to see. There may be an urge to impress others, but some people will not be pleased with the display, some can be very impressed whilst others may be distinctly unimpressed. Think carefully of the effects before you proclaim your winnings or awards or show what you've conquered. Remember; trophies come in all shapes and sizes.

Trophies of conquest. The will to prove oneself. Showing one's animal instincts for the benefit of society. Daring and courage. Notches on the belt. Diplomas. Guns and bullets. The Caution: Trying to dominate the elements of nature with power. Warfare and its ravages. Seeing things as objects to conquer. Braggers and boasters. Arrogance.

JUPITER

21ST DEGREE OF LIBRA

A CROWD UPON A BEACH

This Symbol implies getting along with people with a live-and-let-live approach to life. People enjoy the outdoors and each other as they leave behind the stresses and strains of modern life in order to get more in touch with their bodies and their environment whilst having fun and relaxing. At times you may feel the need to get out into the open air or spend time with others or get in touch with your emotions. Joining with people of like mind in a natural setting, in a free and easy way, you can feel the release that can come from reminding yourself of the wonders of nature. Any feelings of what needs to be done should be put aside as you enjoy, relax and play.

Simple gatherings. Sharing in natural values. People loosening up and revealing their bodies. Relaxing social constraints. Sun tanning and swimming. Informal gatherings.

The Caution: Avoiding close interaction with others. Sunburn. Sunstroke. Feeling like just one of the many. Dehydration. Loneliness. Difficulty finding room to yourself.

SATURN

25TH DEGREE OF CANCER

LEADER OF PEOPLE WRAPPED IN AN INVISIBLE CLOAK OF POWER

This Symbol points to 'Invisible' levels of 'Power' that are cloaking someone. It could show someone who's powerful, a leader, someone to be reckoned with. There is often an unavoidable need to accept powerful responsibilities and to respond rationally to anything that needs to be done. It is almost as though this has been thrust upon you, but it is as much because you have placed yourself in this position of power and responsibility and you both understand and accept the consequences of the role. If this is not about you, it can be about someone else in your environment. Take care not to lord it over others.

Leadership and its responsibilities. Powerful descent of energies taking over one's very being. Recognizing brilliance and power. Mantles of power. Cloaks and shawls.

The Caution: Outer shows of superiority. Presuming oneself to be more than one is.

Megalomania. Not owning one's magnificence. Being pushy. The weight of the world on one's shoulders.

URANUS

16TH DEGREE OF GEMINI

A WOMAN ACTIVIST ON A PLATFORM, IN AN EMOTIONAL SPEECH, DRAMATIZING HER CAUSE

This Symbol shows the periodic need to be able to voice one's needs, frustrations or demands without fear of being reprimanded. Sometimes, you may feel misunderstood and disadvantaged simply because of who you are or the position you hold. Even when you stand up for what you feel, you may strike resistance, partly due to others' ignorance. You must press your case or the status quo will remain. If the cause is just and your communications are clear, you will be heard by those who understand or resonate with what you are saying and your influence will spread.

Stating one's case. Revealing social passions. Being a mouthpiece for personal or social causes. Wanting people to listen and care. Taking it to the streets. Having a platform.

The Caution: Aggressively pressing opinions on the unwilling and disinterested. Rational or political structures overriding one's life. Throwing tantrums and yelling. Soapboxes.

NEPTUNE

9TH DEGREE OF LIBRA

THREE OLD MASTERS HANGING IN A SPECIAL ROOM IN AN ART GALLERY, SOMETIMES THEY SEEM TO SPEAK TO EACH OTHER

This Symbol speaks of beauty, art and wisdom. An 'Art Gallery' brings treasures from our culture, our world and the world around us. Time often doesn't seem to exist in this realm - all is timeless. This Symbol can show speaking to others about abstract concepts, art and culture, often on a higher level. Quiet contemplation of art, especially if people aren't around to distract, can bring rewards on many levels. Everyday chatter that doesn't go deep or explore life's beauties can be useless and mundane but communicating on a deeper, more creative and spiritual level brings interesting insights and answers.

Truth in images. Intuitive vision. Reverence for art and form. Images bringing messages. Art collections. Photographs. The art of placement. Clairvoyant messages. Portraits.

The Caution: Undue reliance on old values. Importance placed on appearance instead of substance. Art's rarefied atmosphere that excludes others as unworthy or uneducated.

PLUTO

12TH DEGREE OF LEO

AN EVENING LAWN PARTY OF ADULTS

This Symbol shows having fun, relaxing and socializing with people, usually in an informal setting, although this could sometimes imply formal ones. Give the rigors of the work routine a rest. Having a drink, eating some food, sharing a chat and gossip, meeting new people, networking and catching up with friends is good for the soul. Relaxation is great, especially where there is no need for pretense. Of course, you may be the host of the party and you may have to provide a venue, food, drinks and entertainment. Still, you should get to enjoy the moment and mix with people.

Rising above superficiality into receptivity. Enjoying social settings. Formal versus impromptu. Catering. Leisure time. Conversations. Invitation lists. Socializing.

The Caution: Superficiality where things are known but not said out loud. Appearance and social standing too important. Ignoring or evading issues. Political correctness.

CHIRON

18TH DEGREE OF LIBRA

TWO PEOPLE WHO HAVE TO GIVE AN ACCOUNTING FOR THEIR ACTS BEFORE THE TRIBUNAL OF SOCIETY

This Symbol implies the periodic need for people to step up to the line and explain themselves, or to justify some actions or ways of being, particularly in relationships.

Sometimes our ideas or actions are under criticism, to the point of feeling that someone has offended social acceptability. Be thoughtful about situations, because problems you face in your life may only exist in your own mind, stopping you from having fruitful relationships because of a lack of trust or because of a failed relationship in your past. You may need to feel forgiven or you may need to forgive someone else. Relationships can be held in abeyance until all the facts come to light. Things resolve themselves as time goes by.

Unacceptable principles. People kept apart because of circumstances. Relationships feel like jail sentences. Staying too long. The law. Karma to be worked out. Judge and juries.

The Caution: Refusing to conform to society. Sabotaging relationship values. Feeling stuck, unable to move. Telling tales. Handcuffs and manacles. Severe judgments.

THE NORTH NODE

1ST DEGREE OF CANCER

ON A SHIP THE SAILORS LOWER AN OLD FLAG AND RAISE A NEW ONE

This Symbol implies a time of dropping the old whilst adopting the new. To 'Lower an Old Flag and Raise a New One' marks real turning points in one's life. Something is changing, possibly dramatically, and the transformation should be taken seriously. Something that once was useful or valuable in your life has ended and something brand new is beginning. There needs to be a symbolic gesture or expression of the change of allegiance. It may be a good idea to run any new ideas or plans up the "flagpole" to see if anybody salutes them. You're likely to change countries, professions, relationships or other significant parts of your life in very significant moments.

Changing loyalties. Turning points in obligations or duties. Announcing new standards.

Letting go of old allegiances and taking up new ones. Divorces, marriages, shifts.

The Caution: Quickly rejecting the old just for the sake of change. Fickleness. Not sticking with things long enough to win the rewards of longevity or loyalty. Mutiny.

THE ASCENDANT

20TH DEGREE OF ARIES

A YOUNG PERSON FEEDING BIRDS IN WINTER

This Symbol shows the ability to help those in need of help, to provide safety, security, nourishment or emotional support, especially to those who may not know how to solve their problems. There are those that stubbornly resist moving on or changing their habits, even if it is to their detriment, and providing them with a safe harbor can bring many rewards.

Nonjudgmental attitudes can move you to help them and lead them to trust.

Nurturing innocence. Feeding energy to situations that feel cold, hopeless and lost. Small efforts bringing their own rewards. Counseling. Taking time out for others.

The Caution: Trying to win approval. Creating a reliance that has to be maintained. Feeling bleak, lost and alone. Relying on codependent relationships. Lack of boundaries.

THE MIDHEAVEN

14TH DEGREE OF CAPRICORN

AN ANCIENT BAS-RELIEF CARVED IN GRANITE REMAINS A WITNESS TO A LONG-FORGOTTEN CULTURE

This Symbol shows the ability, or the need, to learn from the past, or to see the beauty and meaning inherent in ancient civilizations, their monuments and cultures. Some things never fade; they stand as reminders of ancient eras, bringing messages to us from the past.

Information and revelations may be found in these reminders (the “Remains”) about the stability and longevity of the foundation of your society, or possibly some other society, distant in time or space. You’ll find satisfaction in things that are not so much superficial display, but those things that represent the longevity and stability of the foundation or backdrop of your society. The trick is not to get stuck in the past or become unchangeable or unbendable.

Anonymous immortality. Things carved in stone or concrete. Permanent records. Laws. Inscriptions. Museum pieces. Relics. Permanent records. History and who writes it.

The Caution: Old and outworn things. Unchanging and unbending minds. Being intense. Stubborn. Feeling stuck, like no growth is possible. Obsession with the past. Frigidity.