

*Transit MERCURY conjoined natal Pluto ♀ ♂ ♀
Jul 21 through Jul 23, 2013*

Information, ideas and activities may be directly related to gaining some kind of personal power these days. Under this influence you may, for example, be given instructions or develop strategies on diet and physical fitness that will help you gain more control over your body. Information and activities may relate to finance and investment, organization and methods for accomplishing work, or developing some aspect of greater self-discipline. If you are involved in research, investigation, psychoanalysis, renovation, or property assessment this is a period to watch for increased information or communication, perhaps even travel connected with these matters.

*Transit JUPITER square natal Mercury ♄ □ ♀
Jul 21 through Jul 21*

Progress during this period may be delayed by frustrating obstacles caused by a variety of annoyances; too much of one thing and not enough of another, wrong information, paying too much or too little attention to details, having so much time that nothing gets finished or having too little time to adequately accomplish something. Tardiness or mechanical failure can be the cause of frustration in travel. The truth is that, in spite of

whatever snags develop, much can actually be accomplished, especially if you avoid jumping to conclusions, acting with too much haste, or believing you already know the answers. Patience and a prudent manner in dealing with information and communications will be rewarded with more progress in many situations than you thought could be accomplished when you first started out.

Transit MARS square natal Mercury

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Jul 21 through Jul 21

Too much haste or aggressiveness causes tempers to flare. Expect to encounter argumentative males, aggressive drivers, and frustration when trying to put ideas into action or implement new work methods. Check your work place for faulty wiring and possible fire hazards. Wrong directions, bad weather, and other physical obstacles can slow you down when traveling or interfere with the flow of information and other communications. During this period caution is advised to prevent possible burns or cuts, especially to your fingers and hands. In spite of all these potential problems, there is abundant and stimulating energy available. Even if initially aroused by anger or frustration, this energy can, with just a little effort, be rechanneled into positive accomplishments.

*Transit URANUS square natal Pluto
Jul 21 through Aug 21*



This influence is likely to be felt as a generational change rather than something that specifically impacts your personal life. It is likely to bring circumstances or movements in the outer environment that disrupt the source of power; political, economic, or physical. For most people born in the 1930's and 1940's there were at least two outstanding examples in the early 1970's. The energy crunch that occurred resulted in greater awareness and government action toward conserving the resources that create physical power. The scandal of Watergate led to President Nixon's loss of the most powerful position in the United States. This influence disrupts and causes adjustments but does not usually destroy. The government of the United States was not destroyed by the forced resignation of its president. The energy problems forced adjustments in the thinking and life-style of many people.

Transit VENUS trine natal Sun



Jul 21 through Jul 23, exact on Jul 22

If others are ever to be impressed by your honesty, integrity, and worth as an individual, this is the time for you to demonstrate these qualities. If you ever wanted others to take note of your leadership ability, or even if all you want is to prove to yourself that you possess some

measure of it, this is the time to go out of your way to seek situations that exhibit this trait. Unless negative circumstances also happen to occur to spoil the otherwise fortunate influence, this can be a very lucky time. Your inner vitality and self-image thrive. You are more generous to others, and others will tend to treat you in similar fashion. The situations and interactions with others you experience during this period are likely to give you reason to be proud of yourself. You may find yourself quite an enthusiastic entertainer or host. Social events, such as banquets and other formal affairs, in which you participate are apt to be joint ventures. There is also potential that such activities will be held in your honor, or in honor of the efforts of a partner or other allies, superiors, and other authority figures in your life.

Transit SUN square natal Sun



Jul 21 through Jul 23, exact on Jul 22

Circumstances during this period are likely to test your self-confidence and willpower. Success may depend simply on your ability to withstand the demands of others, especially those in positions of authority. You may have to cope with situations that cause you to doubt that you are right or that you will be successful in what you are doing. Under this influence failure is not necessarily meant to be the outcome. It suggests that you can and will be able

to accomplish what you set out to do, but not without first overcoming frustration or discouragement. You may be particularly busy at this time living up to promises or commitments that you have made or that others have made for you.

Transit MERCURY trine natal Venus

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Jul 21 through Jul 26, exact on Jul 24

Planning social events, discussing redecorating projects, devising diplomatic maneuvers, negotiating contracts, and taking legal actions are favored during this period. It is also a fortunate time for the sale or purchase of art, music, flowers, jewelry, clothes, and luxury items. Under this influence travel is more pleasurable. You'll benefit from instructions in art or music and succeed in exhibits of arts and crafts. You are apt to be more inspired than usual when it comes to knowing just the right thing to say and who to say it to. Engendering cooperation among people, or between yourself and others, should be an easy matter. Joint ventures and discussions with partners and allies concerning common goals are apt to be highly successful. Counseling, whether you are the giver or receiver, has excellent results.

Transit SUN trine natal Mercury



Jul 26 through Jul 28, exact on Jul 27

This is a favorable time to travel; whether it involves running errands in your own neighborhood or long distance trips for business and pleasure. It is also a good time for the purchase, sale or repair of equipment. Work that involves your mechanical or design skills is favored, as are business transactions, contracts and negotiations. Writing, teaching, study, and communication are other areas of potential success under this influence. Relationships with co-workers, neighbors, and siblings are encouraged. Attending meetings and other group activities gives a chance to exchange ideas and information as well as to make contacts that may later prove very valuable.

Transit MARS conjoined natal Pluto



Jul 31 through Aug 3, exact on Aug 1

The vitality in the people and situations you encounter now is likely to be of an intense and purposeful nature. And it is also true that they may be of the sort to inspire you to be a good deal more forceful than usual in expending your own energy. This is a time, for example, when you can successfully tackle projects that require more than the usual amount of patience and concentration. From a negative point of view, your

interaction with others can cause you to become deeply jealous and vengeful, perhaps with truly perilous results; and thus, it would not be wise to confront or provoke a hostile situation. Several positive uses for this influence include rejuvenating certain aspects of your life; bringing out your hidden talents; finding new uses for old things; assessing and investing assets of all kinds; and conducting research and investigation, especially concerning the mysteries of the science and nature.

Transit VENUS sextile natal Pluto

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Aug 1 through Aug 2, exact on Aug 2

Interactions during this period, even on a casual basis, are apt to stimulate deeper responses than usual. They may lead to closer examination of your reactions and motivations in dealing with other people, though you may or may not choose to share the results of this self-analysis with anyone. Current circumstances may engender inclination and opportunity to measure how much, or how little as the case may be, personal influence and control you exert in a partnership and other alliances and with other people in general. This is an excellent time to test your ability to plan, control, and execute every detail of social events, negotiations, debates, diplomatic overtures, and legal matters.

MERCURY transit House Seven

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Enters on Aug 2

The focus of your ideas and discussions these days is likely to concern lawyers and legal matters, debates, contract negotiations, partnership or other alliances, and joint ventures of any kind. There is increased potential under this influence for meeting with various consultants and for sharing spontaneous conversations with retail clerks, bank tellers, those waiting in line with you at the super market, and other people you happen to meet.

Transit VENUS opposed natal Venus

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Aug 2 through Aug 4, exact on Aug 3

During this short period do not expect to encounter too many people who agree or even sympathize with your proposals, opinions, or reactions, especially with regard to romantic, diplomatic, and artistic endeavors. On the other hand, in some cases having others maintain an altogether different or even hostile position may have a certain stimulating effect in helping you more clearly define your own. This is a good time to see the other side of the coin when it comes to other people, even if you can't accept or agree with them. Partnership, other alliances, and joint ventures in which you are involved may be plagued by opposing views and other conflicts. However, determination to resolve differences may

eventually result in generating a better understanding of individual needs as well as establishing or reestablishing common goals.

Transit MARS trine natal Venus

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Aug 1 through Aug 4, exact on Aug 3

Unless negative circumstances also happen to occur and strongly indicate caution, this is an excellent time for a haircut, beauty treatment, dental work, or cosmetic surgery. Under this influence your actions and gestures are likely to be more graceful and elegant; literally as well as figuratively. The social scene is abuzz and everyone is animated and attractive. Romance, partnership, and other alliances flourish. This is a time to do things with others-- cooperative efforts may be able to accomplish what you have not been able to do by yourself. Activities that involve art, design, music, jewelry, flowers, the beauty business, debate, and legal matters are favored.

Transit SUN conjoined natal Moon

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Aug 3 through Aug 5, exact on Aug 4

Determination and ego catch up with emotional desires-- and you are not to be denied. Success on this day is likely to be viewed as an incredible achievement, while failure causes bitter disappointment. You take everything that

happens in a very personal way. You are more aggressive and certain than usual in the expression of your creativity and imagination. Negative potentials include indulging in self-centeredness, stubborn pride, and encountering difficulties with supervisors or authority figures. Dealing with women, babies, handling domestic matters or participation in family activities are apt to be on your schedule. Today may mark the beginning of a new venture that you either initiate for yourself or one in which you play a prominent part.

Transit MERCURY trine natal Saturn

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Aug 4 through Aug 5, exact on Aug 4

You may really begin to appreciate the organization you have tried to impose and the knowledge you have managed to acquire. Others may reward you handsomely for your advice and consultation. During this period information and ideas you receive will be a valuable addition to what you have already learned, and you may acquire knowledge or develop basic skills you were unable or unwilling to learn when you were younger. Under this influence others will support your promotion or increased authority. Attempts to find practical, long-lasting solutions are successful, as are endeavors related to social security, insurance, taxes, and government officials or similar authority figures.

Transit MERCURY trine natal Uranus

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Aug 6 through Aug 7, exact on Aug 6

Information, ideas, and activities you encounter during this period are apt to deal with larger societal issues that have nothing much to do with your personal affairs.

However, since this is a favorable influence, you may be able to turn such otherwise impersonal ideas or situations to some personal advantage. It is an excellent time, for example, to attend meetings or organizational activities. Unexpected personal benefits may be gained either through the information you pick up, or as a result of the people you impress with your knowledge or ideas. Discuss hopes and aspirations, join organizations, and expand your circle of friends. You may be successful at this time if you are involved with scientific and technical projects, computers, travel by air, international finances, and sociological issues.

VENUS transit House Eight

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Enters on Aug 6

Joint income and social status, acquired either through marriage or business partnership, are two issues likely to surface for one reason or another during this period. Common goals and values are also apt to play no small part in the circumstances that occur. Under this

influence you are likely to feel more intense with regard to social contacts as well as romance or sexual encounters, especially from the standpoint of psychological motivations and behavior patterns involved in these relationships. This can be a productive period to participate in group therapy. Pleasures are bound to be more deeply felt, though a certain lightheartedness may be missing. If there are no obvious impediments to prevent you from doing so, this is a good time to ask for loans or favors as well as to collect on those that you are owed.

Transit MERCURY square natal Sun



Aug 8 through Aug 9, exact on Aug 8

There is likely to be some problem or frustration in connection with information or ideas that come your way during this period. You will be offended if what you read or hear happens to be in the form of criticism. Even if it wasn't meant to be taken personally, you may tend to react to it that way. Those who give you instructions or directions must be careful not to impinge on your authority or damage your ego. On the other hand, if you refuse to let ego or stubbornness interfere with your willingness to accept the ideas, methods, or information you are given, and patiently overcome any other obstacles that turn up along the way, progress is possible.

Transit MERCURY trine natal Mercury



Aug 10 through Aug 11, exact on Aug 11

Unbiased information and ideas lead the way right now. Devoid of emotional need or egotistical input, the ideas and information you apply and the activities in which you are involved make rapid progress. There is an easy exchange of talk and assistance at meeting and discussion groups. Mechanical projects proceed smoothly and so does travel. A good time for running errands, answering correspondence, gathering information, and launching neighborhood activities.

Transit VENUS sextile natal Saturn



Aug 11 through Aug 12, exact on Aug 11

Current circumstances may offer opportunity to successfully mix business with pleasure. Since people are likely to be more impressed by your maturity and experience it is to your advantage to grab every opportunity to purposely emphasize these assets. Introducing some aspect of tradition, structure, and substance to the individuals, artistic endeavors, and social situations you encounter leads to one happy result or another. Interjecting the same elements to diplomatic gestures, counseling, public relations, partnership, and

joint ventures may also lead to future success in these areas.

Transit SUN opposed natal Mars



Aug 12 through Aug 14, exact on Aug 13

Under this influence many of your physical efforts may be undone, perhaps through laziness or careless behavior on your part or that of others. The point is that you should not try too hard to accomplish much since it may be a lost cause. Some vital force seems to be missing. Though you may or may not be able to point to exactly what it is, you'll be frustrated if you try to stir things up to correct the situation. There is no pleasing anybody now, including yourself. Open confrontations are likely to turn into disasters and solve nothing in the bargain. A good time for quiet mental pursuits.

Transit VENUS opposed natal Uranus



Aug 13 through Aug 15, exact on Aug 14

Under this influence people are out of synch with each other and with you. You may feel the need for the company of others, and then, when other people are around, you want to be alone. During this period your values are apt to clash with those of a different generation or background. This is not an auspicious time for participating in organizational meetings, social

events, or activities with friends. One of the worst mistakes is trying to be different just to be different-- and if you do not make this mistake, you may nevertheless find yourself unhappily dealing with those who do. Prejudice rears its ugly head, and it may belong to you. Temptation to judge the many by the sins of one can make interactions unfair and not worth trying to salvage, at least for the time being.

Transit SUN conjoined natal Neptune ☉♁♆

Aug 13 through Aug 15, exact on Aug 14

Spiritual matters, fantasies and ideals are the main factors in your present environment. You may, for instance, visit those who are sick or confined or volunteer assistance to charitable causes. Be careful in whatever you do however. You are inclined to conveniently lose sight of reality , or, it may be that others purposely or mistakenly hide the truth from you.

MARS transit House Seven ♂ in 7th

Enters on Aug 14

Energy and enthusiasm these days center around partnership and other alliances, cooperative efforts, and interaction with others in general. The inspiration you gain while in the company of others stimulates you to physical action. You can ignore this type of energy focus

of course, or other factors may prevent you from taking advantage of it. However, there is every likelihood that getting things done will be more difficult to accomplish by yourself than it might be with a partner or partners. Even if you want to be left alone, other people will find a way to physically intrude, or current circumstances make it necessary for others to intrude. Under this influence, you are apt to find that in most situations other people make the first move, leaving you to react. More than one open confrontation is apt to occur, but the potential itself does not necessarily indicate that such encounters will be hostile.

Transit MERCURY conjoined natal Moon ♀ ♂ ☽
Aug 14 through Aug 15, exact on Aug 15

There is greater likelihood of spontaneously taking a trip or getting in touch with people or having others contact you. Expect increased interactions with neighbors and siblings. Under this influence neighbors or relatives may offer transportation, you may take a trip with them or have to travel or run errands on their behalf.

Information you give or seek these days is apt to primarily concern home, family members, the education of children, and domestic items or activities. Business transactions involving the purchase or sale of a residence, domestic items, or family property may be on your

agenda. Discussions or meetings involve dietary or health needs, childhood conditioning, and the past. This is also a period when you strongly identify with thoughts and ideas that describe or reflect your feelings.

Transit SUN opposed natal Jupiter



Aug 14 through Aug 16, exact on Aug 15

Others will not be inclined to recognize your intellectual efforts or projects. It may be for reasons of their own pride or jealousy; whatever the cause, you are likely to be wasting your time if you try to arouse their interest or admiration. Situations and people you encounter under this influence may be pompous, all show and no substance. There is no productive way to expand your mental horizons or increase your personal status in this atmosphere. An unfavorable time for publishing, religious or political activities, advertising, long-distance travel, and court decisions. The most constructive thing to do is to stay put in your own sphere of influence and attend to routine business.

Transit SUN square natal Saturn



Aug 16 through Aug 18, exact on Aug 17

This is a time when hard work, organization, and planning will stand you in good stead. If you have not previously conducted your affairs in this manner, you

may now wish that you had. You may not initiate or be in control of the events and circumstances that occur under this influence, but you will nevertheless be called upon to measure up, to take a responsible position in some way. Life may be, or seem to be, more somber than usual. Your timing is off and you are more easily discouraged by problems you may usually regard as minor annoyances. The answer is to forge ahead. Forget instant gratification. Wait for the rewards or real enjoyment to come later.

Transit URANUS trine natal Moon

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Jul 21 through Aug 22, exact on Aug 18

Your emotional life may be greatly improved by circumstances and people that you encounter during this period. However, you are not likely to be able to control or manipulate the circumstances that bring your good fortune, nor is such luck likely to occur in expected ways. You tend to be more attracted to what appears new or unique, and thus there may be something of the unorthodox or unusual in your emotional attachments, emotional commitments, or your domestic environment during this time. However strange or unexpected the circumstances turn out to be, they are nevertheless favorable, and their final outcome, though it may not occur for many years, may not be the one you anticipate.

Transit MERCURY opposed natal Mars



Aug 18 through Aug 19, exact on Aug 19

Information and ideas may lead to incorrect actions during this period. Either the information itself is erroneous or you misinterpret what it means. You are apt to go out and do exactly the opposite of what you have been told--or having correctly followed instructions, it turns out you should have done exactly the opposite. Either way the results are not likely to be happy or successful. You tend to act too rashly or fail to ascertain certain details which results in equally undesirable consequences. This is not a favorable time for the purchase or sale of a car and electrical or mechanical equipment, nor is it fortuitous to take a trip. Under this unfortunate influence potentials for travel include physical danger, equipment breakdown, and delays or cancellation.

Transit JUPITER conjoined natal Pluto



Aug 19 through Aug 22

Under this influence you may develop more personal magnetism or attain a position of greater power and control. What is more, you may accomplish these things without working hard to achieve them or else by receiving valuable assistance in such efforts. Whatever happens, you can gain a much greater knowledge of your

own potential during this time. Your personal resources expand. Unless other factors destroy the otherwise positive potential of this influence, success will accompany your efforts, especially those that involve psychological analysis, research and investigation, and the assessment or distribution of monetary assets and raw materials.

Transit MARS trine natal Saturn

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Aug 17 through Aug 21, exact on Aug 19

You are apt to have more patience during this period. If you require more time to accomplish a certain task, it will be granted. Maturity and experience behind your actions is one of the keys to the successful results they bring. If you fail to apply such wisdom in a given situation, you may nevertheless benefit from the actions of those who do. This is one of the most favorable of influences-- not only for the potential success of your efforts but because they are likely to be meaningful, long-lasting accomplishments. It is an auspicious time to initiate projects that are geared toward bringing benefits at a later time in your life.

Transit MERCURY conjoined natal Neptune

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Aug 19 through Aug 20, exact on Aug 19

Under this influence it may be hard to grasp the true

meaning or accuracy of the information you receive. Trying to get to the bottom of a mystery or any situation may end in confusion and raise more questions than it answers. Misplacement of keys, reading materials, paper work, or correspondence is a potential. Ideas and information tend to be taken or understood in a very mystical or spiritual sense, whether or not that is the intended result of presenting them. During this time you may seek information concerning spirituality, mysticism or the occult. Other discussions and activities in your present scenario are apt to be related to charitable institutions, prisons, or hospitals. Travel now may involve going by water or over water.

Transit MERCURY opposed natal Jupiter ♀ ♂ 4
Aug 19 through Aug 20, exact on Aug 20

Resist signing up for continuing education, do not send away for books and other reading material, postpone long-distance travel, and avoid scheduling religious, political and cultural activities during this period. Of course, any real choice of whether or not to engage in any of these things may be nonexistent since opposing forces may come along at this time to effectively cancel such efforts, or make it next to impossible to carry them out successfully. Under this influence ideas and activities you encounter are not calculated to enhance your growth and

expansion in any way-- and that includes your involvement in get-rich-quick schemes and so-called "promising" opportunities of any kind.

Transit VENUS opposed natal Mercury



Aug 19 through Aug 21, exact on Aug 20

Rudeness or total lack of communication is a viable potential during this period. Presenting your thoughts and ideas to others is not a good idea. You are likely to encounter vigorous opposition, and at the very least you will waste your time. Conciliatory gestures are meaningless and perhaps even insulting, or least taken as insults. Do not expect to find others agreeable or willing to compromise. Commercial transactions are difficult. Failure to agree on a mutually satisfactory price or to resolve other conflicting opinions is apt to stymie progress. This is a time when the words don't go with the music. Concentration and learning are likely to suffer from too many distractions, mental laziness, or both. Not an auspicious time for success in art and design projects, or to purchase books, luxury items and subscription concert or theater tickets. Traveling is not apt to put you in the company of congenial companions. If it should happen that situations proceed more smoothly than the potential indicates, count yourself fortunate. The best

advice is to realize what the negative potentials are and sidestep them whenever and wherever you can.

Transit MERCURY square natal Saturn

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Aug 20 through Aug 21, exact on Aug 21

You may not know exactly what to do with the information, ideas, or methods you encounter during this period. A particular item may seem very interesting and even valuable but trying to use or apply it, you run into difficulties or restrictions of one kind or another. It may simply be a case of not being able to put the idea or method to practical use for the time being, perhaps even for a long period of time, but someday it will come in handy. Under this influence attempts at organization and planning may be hampered, either by too much perfectionism or lack of time. Even if you are usually very efficient and organized, the very document, book, or other item you need cannot be located. You may be required to redo or complete a task you thought was finished. Eventually everything will get straightened out and you will have some progress to show for your efforts.