Chapter 5

What Your Sign's PLANET Means to You

PLANETS

Planets in astrology are relative of the constellation (zodiac sign) to which it belongs. Astrological characteristics associated with any particular planet are used to define each constellation by the characteristics that are representative of that planet's constellation (zodiac sign). By astrological description, these characteristics reveal the "what of," how you interact, and the "about you" in response to society.

Though there are nine planets, throughout this book, we are focusing on your how your sun + moon + rising sign (which is your ego + id + spirit)-influence you however, we will show you how living through your rising/spirit sign is where you reach transcendence: your highest spiritual potential in order to fulfill your karma mission and purpose in life (see page XIX-the passage in italics).

Astronomically speaking, although the sun is a star, and not a planet, and the moon is not a planet, or a star; they both are still considered "planets" (when discussing planets, only) because they are celestial nonetheless. The *Sun* and the *Moon* reveal our emotional natures, willpower, energies and life forces, and as well, the nine [actual planets] reveal the strengths and characteristics within the following constellations to which they belong:

Mercury (reveals our capacity to communicate, and think-our mental triggers) Venus (reveals our capacity to love, romanticize, and conduct our relationships) Mars (reveals our drive, self-assertiveness, basic energies and personal interests)

Jupiter (reveals our capacity to expand, learn, project, and use knowledge) Saturn (reveals our capacity to focus, persevere, and utilize) Uranus (reveals our individual, humane, and societal natures) Neptune (reveals our imagination, and heightened awareness capacities)

Pluto (reveals our regenerative, personal power, and transforming natures)

So, again, although this book's focus is sun sign + moon sign + rising sign only, because the sun and moon *do* reveal our emotional nature, willpower, energy and life force; it is important for you to understand how the nine planets *do* influence us (celestial bodies' influence over us-terrestrial beings).

SUN-> Sun's strengths & characteristics. Constellation: Leo. Leo's characteristics----->YOU MOON->Moon's strengths & characteristics. Constellation: Cancer. Cancer's characteristics-->YOU

PLANETS -> (their strengths & characteristics) -> their constellations -> (characteristics) ----> YOU

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MERCURY-> Mercury's strengths & characteristics. Constellation: Gemini & Virgo's characteristics->YOU
VENUS-> Venus' strengths & characteristics. Constellation: Taurus & Libra's characteristics->YOU
MARS-> Mars' strengths & characteristics->Constellation: Aries & Scorpio's characteristics->YOU
JUPITER-> Jupiter's strengths & characteristics->Constellation: Sagittarius & Pisces' characteristics->YOU

SATURN-> Saturn's strengths & characteristics->Constellation: Capricorn & Aquarius' characteristics->YOU URANUS-> Uranus' strengths & characteristics->Constellation: Aquarius' characteristics->YOU

 $NEPTUNE \hbox{-}\!> Neptune \hbox{'s strengths \& characteristics-}\!\!>\!\!Constellation: Pisces \hbox{'characteristics-}\!\!>\!\!YOU$

PLUTO-> Pluto's strengths & characteristics->Constellation: Scorpio & Aries' characteristics->YOU

THE PLANETS & CONSTELLATION'S RELATIONSHIP in the CELESTIAL

Mercury is the first planet closest to the sun representing the constellations Gemini (and "partially" Virgo).

Venus is the second planet that is closest from the sun representing the constellations Taurus (and "partially" Libra).

Earth-the third planet from the sun is where we: (Aries through Pisces) live. Unlike the heavens in space (which contain no oxygen) earth's atmosphere contains oxygen so that plants, animals and humans can live. All planets revolve around the earth.

Mars is the fourth planet, representing the constellations Aries (and "partially" Scorpio).

Jupiter is the fifth planet, representing the constellation Sagittarius (and "partially" Pisces); too far from the sun to have life there.

Saturn is the sixth planet, representing the constellations Saturn (and "partially" Aquarius); too far from the sun to have life there.

Uranus is the seventh planet, representing the constellation Aquarius (alone), too far from the sun to have life there.

Neptune is the eighth planet, representing the constellation Pisces (alone), too far from the sun to have life there.

Pluto is the ninth planet, representing the constellations Scorpio (and "partially" Aries), too far, too distant, and too cold to have any life there whatsoever.

Personal Planets

Personal planets derive energy from personal relationships privately and intimately. Personal planets are called "personal" because they are closest to the sun. Their planets and constellations/signs are:

Mercury- rules Gemini and Virgo

Venus-rules Taurus and Libra

Earth-rules (all life form: you, me, plants and animals)

Mars-rules Aries and Scorpio

Social Planets

Rather than privately and intimately, social planets derive energy from social relationships with the outside-as a group or whole and are midways from the sun. Their planets and constellations/signs are:

Jupiter-rules Sagittarius and Pisces

Saturn-rules Capricorn and Aquarius

Transpersonal Planets

Rather than privately, intimately or as a group or whole, transpersonal planets derive energy from far and beyond. Their planets and constellations/signs are:

Uranus-rules Aquarius

Neptune-rules Pisces

Pluto-rules Scorpio and Aries