

MOON CYCLE – 3/30/18

The Full Moon occurs on Saturday, March 31st. At the Full Moon, the Sun and Moon sit opposite each other in the sky, challenging us to integrate what may seem like polar energies. The Sun in Aries highlights individuality, will, action, selfishness, forward-movement, instinct and defense. With the Moon in Libra, the focus is on values, relationship, justice, harmony, beauty, partnership and balance.

This combination asks us to strike a balance between our individual needs and the need to live in harmony with our neighbors and loved ones. Aries is ruled by Mars, the God of War, and Libra is ruled by Venus, the Goddess of Love. With these two energies in opposition, we're all being asked to fight for justice, defend beauty, take action to create harmony and drive forward in the direction of partnership and balance. In short, how can you become a "warrior for peace and love?"

At the Full Moon, Mars and Saturn are squaring everything, amplifying that warrior energy, but also bringing in authority, maturity, hard work, morality and an ability to build something new and stable.

SYMBOLS FOR THIS CYCLE:

MOON - emotions/subconscious

"A PROFESSOR PEERING OVER HIS GLASSES AT HIS STUDENTS."

Problems attending the transmission of knowledge in a special cultural setup.

In order to meet the demands of the turbulent youth, the teacher in a sense has to look above his knowledge and to see his students simply as human beings. INSTRUCTION — a process not to be confused with "education."

SUN - ego/conscious self

"THE RULER OF A NATION."

The power resulting from the format integration of the collective desire for order.

The ruler at this social-political and mental level of integration is often the one who is being ruled by collective pressures. At this ego level, laws and the restrictive power of a police force are dominant features.

It indicates a CENTRALIZATION OF POWER at the level of a rigidly structured consciousness.

MARS - will, instinct, independence, defense

"IN A SUN-LIT HOME DOMESTICATED BIRDS SING JOYOUSLY."

The wholesome happiness which subservience to the ideals and patterns of a well-established culture brings to those who accept them unreservedly.

How we can enjoy our life condition by allowing the spiritual values it embodies to fill our consciousness. In every condition provided by a healthy culture — which hardly refers to our present chaotic world — human beings can find ENJOYMENT in the roles they are born to play.

SATURN - discipline, building, structure, order, tradition, masculine principle

"AN ANGEL CARRYING A HARP."

The revelation of the spiritual meaning and purpose at the core of any life situation.

Heaven is within us. All we have to do is to be open and listen to the total harmony of life, a harmony in which we play a part that is necessary to the completeness and meaning of the whole. In order to do this we have to surrender our separative ego- consciousness and flow with the universal current which, to the religiously minded person, is the Will of God. ATTUNEMENT to the rhythm of universal life.

What do these symbols mean to you? How are these energies influencing your life?