

# The Houses in the Natal Chart

**T**he birth chart is divided into twelve houses, based on the time and location of your birth. The houses in the natal chart represent specific areas of your life. The expressions of each house are the personal puzzle pieces.

Each of the twelve houses is ruled by one of the seven planets. The planet that rules the sign on the cusp of the house is the ruler of that house. When a planet rules a house, the Universal Puzzle Pieces of the planet fit with the personal puzzle pieces of the house.

In some cases, in addition to considering the planet that rules a house, you will also consider the almuten of that house. The almuten is the planet that has the most Essential Dignity for the degree of the sign on the cusp of the house.

## Practical Houses: The Real Houses of Astrology

Remember that context matters in astrology. The meanings of the houses change depending on whether you're viewing them using a telescope as a part of the **macrocosm** (things that exist outside of you) or you're viewing them through a microscope as a part of the **microcosm** (things that live inside you).

**Everything in the natal chart lives inside you.** What follows are the only valid interpretations of the houses in the natal chart. Do not include any other house meanings you may know from other types of astrology, under any circumstances.

The personal puzzle pieces associated with the houses have been selected to provide the most practical and comprehensive understanding of your life (and the life of your clients). These puzzle pieces will be more than sufficient 95% of the time.

## House Systems and House Cusps

The cusps are the dividing lines that mark the boundaries of the houses. **In this program, we will use the Koch house system.** When using Koch houses, there may be intercepted signs in the chart. Only the sign on the cusp of the house matters. If a sign is intercepted, then the planet that rules the intercepted sign will have less influence in the chart.

## Do not use any other house system with your charts until you have mastered the interpretation processes in this program!

Once you have completed the program, if you like, you can compare different house systems, but the only way to develop and become confident of your interpretation skills is if you do not have the

option to change the rulerships or placement of the planets in the chart by selecting different house systems.

### **The Koch house system is a quadrant-based system.**

The angles of the chart define the quadrants, with the **Ascendant (ASC)** marking the cusp of the First House, the *Imum Coeli (IC)* marking the cusp of the Fourth House, the **Descendant (DESC)** marking the cusp of the Seventh House, and the **Midheaven (MC)** marking the cusp of the Tenth House.

Both the **Koch** and the **Placidus** house systems are quadrant-based systems, and both use the angles to divide the chart into quadrants. The difference between the systems is how they determine the placement of the **intermediate house cusps**. The boundaries of the angular houses — the First, Fourth, Seventh, and Tenth Houses is the same in both Koch and Placidus. But the cusps of the rest of the houses will be different depending on which system you use.

In my extensive experience, I have found Koch houses to be more accurate in natal chart interpretation. I have developed this approach to interpretation using Koch houses, and I stand by its accuracy.

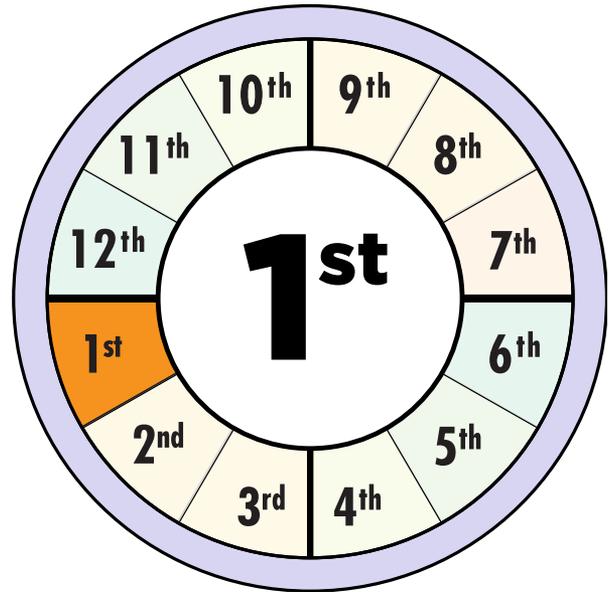
### **There is one exception to using Koch houses.**

Quadrant-based house systems work best for charts where the birth location is in the mid-latitudes. When calculating charts for people born at extreme northern latitudes, such as people born in Scandinavia, these systems are not practical. The extreme positioning of the angles can give you houses where more than one sign is intercepted.

In these cases, it's best to use an Equal House system. I recommend an Ascendant-based Equal House system, where the Ascendant is calculated, and then each house cusp is the same degree of the following sign.

# The First House

**T**he First House is all about you, personally. It's your health, your happiness, your personality, and how you show up and interact with the world. It is arguably the most important house in the chart because when you get right down to it, the only thing that really matters is happiness. The planet that rules the First House is the Ruler of the Chart, and this planet is the most important planet to you because it offers the most direct path to your happiness.



## Resources

The resources of the First House include your health, your happiness, your appearance, and your very identity.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your personality, your appearance, and your happiness.

## House Resource Description (Hrd)

... use your personal interests and happiness, and other people will notice this in your appearance and personality.

## The First House is your happiness.

The secret of happiness—or at least the secret of *your* happiness—lies in the First House. The planet that rules your first house is your happiness, and the first step towards becoming truly happy is to move into Right Relationship with that planet and let it guide you on your path. Happiness doesn't exist in the outer world, however. Happiness is an inside job. It's a consequence of your level of consciousness, and directly related to how well you embody the truth of your authentic Self. The planet that rules your first house will point you in the right direction.

When you look for happiness in the outside world, you base your happiness on getting what you want. If things don't turn out the way you expect, you won't be happy, and even when you *do* get what you want, the pleasure and satisfaction you experience don't last. The source of true happiness lives within you, and it's bulletproof. No matter what the conditions may be in your life, and no matter what emotion you may be experiencing, you are still happy. Happiness is a context that contains the full range of feelings, emotions, and experiences. The experience of happiness is better than you can imagine, but it doesn't feel the way you expect it to feel.

And happiness does not mean that you enjoy every moment of your life. The highs only have value when compared with the lows.

On a personal level, you associate happiness with your hobbies and interests because you experience pleasure when you engage in these activities. But consider that while you are happy when you pursue the things that interest you, the moment-to-moment experience of these pursuits is not always enjoyable. Struggle, frustration, obstacles, and any number of challenges are often associated with how you would like to spend your time and energy. But you welcome these when they're associated with your interests because the bigger context is happiness. When you learn to live the rest of your life from this context, you will experience true happiness.

### **Positive Experience of Happiness**

You recognize that everything in your life is perfect exactly as it is.

You feel truly happy.

You enjoy everything about your life.

### **Problem with Happiness**

You are not happy with your life.

You find it hard to experience pleasure or satisfaction.

Your life lacks joy, excitement, pleasure, or interest.

## **The First House is your avatar.**

Imagine if life were a giant video game. You navigate the virtual reality through an avatar — an animated surrogate that allows you to explore the world. You interact with other players in the game through their avatars. Your avatar is how you appear to the world. It's the qualities other people see in your personality, and it's your physical appearance. Think of your avatar as your online dating profile. It's the image that you project to the world in the hope that other people will find you attractive. Your avatar may be quite different from your authentic "Big S" Self (Sun) or your "little s" self, the character you play in the game (Mars).

You appear to the world as the embodiment of the expression of the planet that rules your First House. Other people see this quality most clearly in your personality. What other people *really* see is a reflection of themselves, because your avatar is a mirror. They project their issues and judgments about the planet that rules your First House on you. In a sense, the world tries to "gaslight" you, because other people often accuse you of exhibiting their problems. Of course, the more you are out of alignment with the planet that rules your First House, the more these judgments will bother you because your issues have a lot in common with their issues.

When you are in Right Relationship with the planet that rules your First House, other people are attracted to you. They tend to see your best qualities, and they have a good impression of you.

This is nice, but it's not something you can control. And what other people think about you is none of your business.

On a personal level, you can influence your physical appearance, including your choice of clothing, hair, grooming, hygiene, and personal style. To a lesser degree and over time, you can alter the appearance of your physical body through diet and exercise. Each of these elements affects how other people see you, but what matters the most is how you see yourself. If you don't like what you see in the mirror, other people won't like it, either.

### **Positive Experience of Your Avatar**

Other people have a good impression of you.

Other people find you attractive.

Other people like you and notice your best qualities.

You feel attractive and look your best.

### **Problem with Your Avatar**

Other people don't have a good impression of you.

Other people focus on your worst qualities and judge you for them.

Your appearance is sloppy and unkempt.

You look and feel unattractive.

# The Second House

**B**oth directly and indirectly the Second House is about money. It represents your financial resources, your salary, your earning potential, and your actual money. It also represents your skills and talents, which show how you can earn money. The planet that rules the Second House shows your attitudes towards money, and the skills that you have available to you to earn money.

## Resources

The resources of the Second House include your money, your personal possessions, and the skills and talents you have that can be used to earn money.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your money and resources.

## House Resource Description (Hrd)

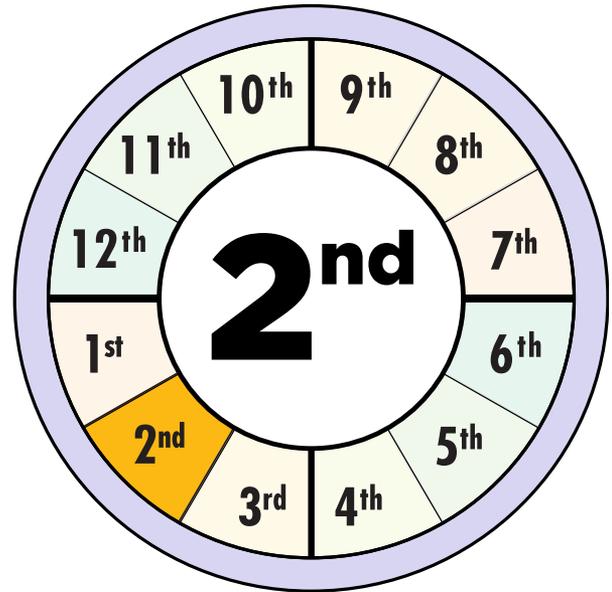
... spend your money and use your skills and talents.

## The Second House is your money.

The Second House is your money and resources. It's every tangible asset that you can call "mine." The planet that rules your Second House is your money. It determines your attitudes towards money, how you earn money, how you manage money, and how you spend money. Because money is such a major concern in your life, it's important to understand the truth about money. You confuse money with prosperity, which is what you really care about, and while they're related, they're not the same thing.

Prosperity is the experience of absolute sufficiency. When you are prosperous, all of your material needs are met. More importantly, prosperity means that you are able to enjoy the experience of sufficiency because all of your emotional, psychological, and spiritual needs are met as well. Money seems to be an essential part of prosperity because money seems to make it possible (or at least easier) to meet your material needs, and prosperous people always have plenty of money flowing through their lives. But the truth is that money is the *effect* of prosperity, not the *cause* of it. When you meet the needs and learn the lessons of the planet that rules your Second House, you create prosperity.

You don't care about money. You care about the things that money represents. Money is energy, and energy is infinite. Money often shows up as a conduit that facilitates the experiences



that you care about, just as electricity is a conduit that powers your appliances and charges your phone. You don't worry about how electricity works and you don't obsess about moving it from the power plant to the outlet to your television. Worrying about money is no different. Money is none of your business. Focus on the truth that you live in an infinite Universe, direct your attention towards the experiences you would like to create, and connect with your prosperity. The energy of money will flow freely through your life, and just like electricity, you'll be able to take it for granted, knowing when you need it, it will be there for you.

### **Positive Experience of Money**

You experience financial security.

Money flows easily through your life.

Your resources are sustained and replenished.

You experience prosperity.

### **Problem with Money**

The flow of money through your life dries up.

You experience financial lack.

Your resources run out.

Your financial outlook is bleak.

## **The Second House is your skills and talents.**

The Second House represents your skills and talents. Specifically, it represents skills and talents that you can use to experience prosperity and earn money. The skills that help you to experience prosperity are intangible skills that connect you with the truth and help you reject the appearance of lack, limitation, and competition in your reality. These skills involve mastering the expressions of the planet that rules your Second House. The skills that help you to earn money are tangible; they're the talents you brag about on your résumé. Just as money is the effect of prosperity, your tangible skills are the effect of your intangible skills.

No one is born talented. You develop skills by rewiring the brain and upgrading specific neural pathways. *The Talent Code*, by Daniel Coyle (a book I can't recommend highly enough), explores how we develop skills and become talented through a process called deep practice. Deep practice is slow and focused, and it also requires struggle. The struggle causes the brain to upgrade the neural pathway by wrapping it in myelin. Consistent struggle is a requirement to develop skills, and upgrading your neural network takes time. You won't notice any improvement in your tangible skills until you've finished upgrading the circuits, so you need something to motivate you to stay the

course. The needs of the planet that rules your Second House motivate you. They push you to stick with the deep practice and to endure the struggle and frustration until you see results.

### **Positive Experience of Skills and Talents**

You easily build your skills and become talented.

You develop new skills.

Your talents support you financially.

You create new opportunities for wealth and prosperity.

### **Problem with Skills and Talents**

You struggle to master your skills.

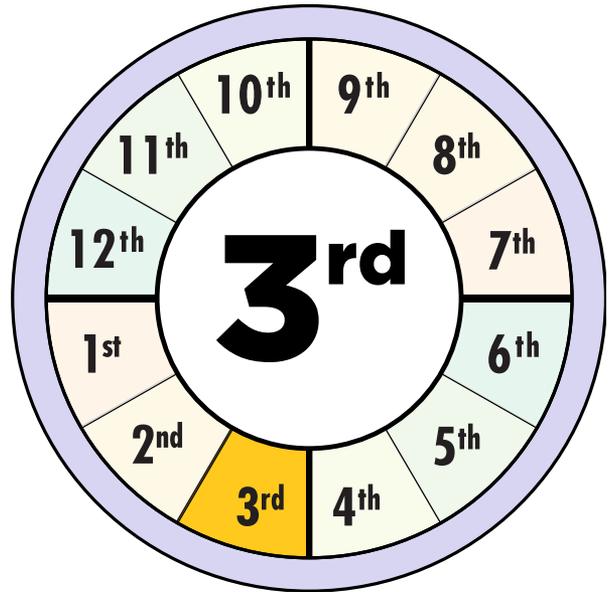
You are not able to use your skills to earn money.

Your talents are not recognized or appreciated.

You lack the inspiration and motivation to improve.

# The Third House

**T**he Third House contains all of your habits and routines. It's your neighborhood and your comfort zone. You don't have to be conscious of your choices or your actions because nothing in the Third House is new, unfamiliar, or unexpected. Because of this, triggers and disruptions to the Third House can show up as accidents and injuries— events that could have been avoided had you been paying closer attention.



## Resources

The resources of your Third House are all local, close, and familiar. You can communicate to your network to ask for support, but you will only call people you already know and have worked with before.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your comfort zone and your habits and routines.

## House Resource Description (Hrd)

... rely on your familiar habits and local resources and you will rarely consider new options.

## The Third House is your comfort zone.

The Third House is your comfort zone. It includes everything that is familiar to you, as well as anything that is local. It has a geographical component that includes your neighborhood and any physical location you know well enough to navigate without a map. It also includes comfortable (or at least familiar) relationships with siblings, cousins, neighbors, and the people you encounter as you go about your daily routine. There are no surprises in the Third House; you know it like the back of your hand. And that's not always a good thing.

Variety is the spice of life. Without the occasional surprise, life would be bland. Things can be familiar without always staying exactly the same. The trick with your comfort zone is to find just the right amount of new to keep you interested and engaged with your life but not so much new that your comfort zone stops being familiar. If you only focus on what's familiar, the walls of your comfort zone will close in on you and your world will get very small, very quickly. This can happen without your noticing because it's easy to take your comfort zone for granted. Your comfort zone is familiar, so you think you know everything about it, but that's not ever true. There's always

something new to discover. When you notice things you've overlooked in your comfort zone, or learn something new about your comfort zone, your comfort zone expands.

The planet that rules your Third House is your comfort zone. On the one hand, you are familiar with the shape of this Universal Puzzle Piece and you are comfortable expressing the needs of the planet and learning its lessons. But you must be careful not to take this planet for granted. You need to build on what is familiar to you, and explore new ways to express the needs of the planet. The shape of this puzzle piece is more subtle and more detailed than you know. You can always discover new ways that it can connect with your personal puzzle pieces. Every time you expand your comfort zone, you create a light bulb moment.

### **Positive Experience of Comfort Zone**

You feel relaxed and alert.

You easily monitor your familiar environment.

You know you can respond to any unexpected events.

You feel comfortable and safe.

You are free from worry.

You know what to expect.

### **Problem with Comfort Zone**

You are uncomfortable.

You can't enjoy your environment because you try to control it.

You feel unprepared to handle surprises or new information.

You become obsessed with trivial details.

## **The Third House is your habits and routines.**

The Third House is your habits and routines. These are the behaviors that you have performed so many times that you don't have to think about them unless something new comes along to disrupt the expected flow. They can be as simple as the route you take to work, or the way you order your coffee in the morning. They can be as complicated as how you organize your financial records to prepare to file your taxes, or how you organize your kitchen to prepare Christmas dinner for your family. The Third House also relates to the behaviors, habits, and routines that you might like to change—although changing these “bad habits,” is often difficult.

You use your habits and routines to make your life easier. Once something becomes a habit, you don't have to pay attention to it. The routine frees up time and energy and allows you to focus on

other things. One of the best examples of this is your daily commute to work. Whether you drive or take public transportation, you don't really notice your commute unless something unexpected disrupts it. You get to use that time to think about other things, and you trust that you'll know when you need to pay attention so you don't miss your exit. But routines can easily become ruts, and ruts can create problems. You can become so dependent on your habits and routines that you don't know how to function without them. You get so used to not having to pay attention that you don't notice when the conditions have changed, so you don't adjust your behavior in time. This can lead to mistakes and accidents that could have been avoided easily if only you were paying attention.

The planet that rules your Third House is your habits and routines. You have learned to automate how you meet the needs of that planet and let it run on autopilot, and most of the time, this works well for you and saves you time and effort. But be careful not to become too dependent on those habitual behaviors. If you don't pay enough attention to how you express the needs of the planet that rules your Third House, it will create problems for you.

### **Positive Experience of Habits and Routines**

You easily automate your life.

You free up time and energy to focus on things you care about.

The details in your life take care of themselves.

You can focus on the big picture.

### **Problem with Habits and Routines**

You fail to respond to new information.

You make avoidable mistakes.

You become dependent on your tools and lose your skills.

You can't function.

# The Fourth House

**T**he Fourth House is your foundation. It is the rock upon which you build your life. It represents your home, both literally (land, buildings, and real estate) and metaphorically (your private life and personal sanctuary).

## Resources

The resources of the Fourth House include your private and personal life, your home, real estate, tradition, and family connections.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your personal, private life and your sanctuary.

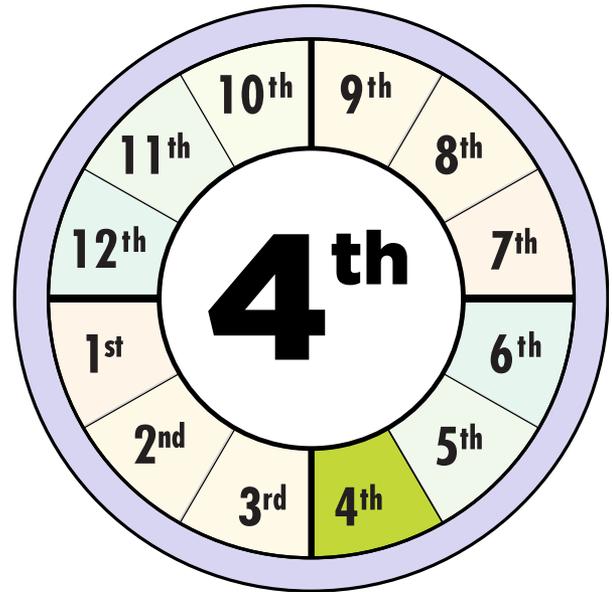
## House Resource Description (Hrd)

... use the resources of your external foundation, but also do your best to avoid being noticed because it's personal and private.

## The Fourth House is your foundation.

Your foundation is the bedrock of your life. It's the part of your life that must be squared away before you can devote any time or energy to anything else. When something shakes your foundation, you feel it in every part of your life. It's an earthquake, and all of your structures will be disrupted by the shock waves. If your foundation is not solid, or the disruption peaks at the top of the Richter scale, the structures of your life can come tumbling down, leaving you surrounded by rubble. Nothing can protect you from "the big one" if it hits, but a solid, stable foundation can help you to withstand quakes of smaller magnitude. You may emerge bruised, and things may fall off your shelves, but if your foundation is stable, you can escape without significant structural damage to your life.

The planet that rules the Fourth House is the foundation of your life. All that you hope to be, do, express, or create builds on this foundation. The expression of the planet is what your foundation is really about, but it may not be what you recognize as your foundation. When you look at the story of your life and your "little r" reality, your life has an external foundation. It could be your health, your home, your job, your relationship, your children, your finances, or your creative expression (to name only a few examples). It may be obvious to you, or you may not have given it much thought. But whenever anything disrupts the foundation of your life, you know it. The alarm sounds, and you feel the aftershocks everywhere. Addressing that



disruption becomes your top priority. Whatever the disruption appears to be about, it's really about an issue meeting the needs of the planet that rules your Fourth House.

### **Positive Experience of Foundation**

Your life has a solid foundation.

You feel stable and secure.

You are grounded and supported.

You are able to build and progress in your life.

### **Problem with Foundation**

You are shaken to the core.

You feel unstable.

Your entire life is disrupted.

The structures of your life collapse around you.

## **The Fourth House is your sanctuary.**

Traditionally, the Fourth House represents your home, but “home” doesn’t capture the importance of the Fourth House. The Fourth House is more than a shelter or a place where you can store your stuff. The Fourth House is your sanctuary. It’s the place where you can drop your defenses and be yourself without worrying about what anyone else thinks. Your sanctuary is where you go to rest, recover, and recharge your batteries. Your sanctuary is your sacred, private, personal space. You expect that what happens in your sanctuary will remain hidden from the world, known only to those who have earned the privilege of seeing you undefended, and who show you their undefended self in return. Your external sanctuary is your personal, private space. Unless you live alone, your sanctuary is likely to be a smaller part of your actual home, like your bedroom or office. The less privacy you have, the more critical it becomes that you protect and enjoy your internal sanctuary.

The planet that rules your Fourth House is your actual, internal sanctuary. When you meet the needs of that planet and maintain right relationship with it, you are able to meet your own needs and take care of yourself. You are able to find rest, protection, and nourishment, and recover from the demands of the world. Maintaining right relationship with this planet keeps you connected to your internal sanctuary. It’s what allows you to recharge your batteries on the fly, even if you can’t physically retreat from the world.

### **Positive Experience of Sanctuary**

You feel rested and recharged.

You are able to protect yourself from the world.

You are able to take care of your personal needs.

You manage your private and personal life.

### **Problem with Sanctuary**

You are unable to rest or recover.

Your batteries are drained and you lack energy.

You are not able to take care of your needs.

Your personal and private life are disrupted.

You can't hide from the demands of the world.

# The Fifth House

**T**he Fifth House is the house of fun and pleasure. It contains all forms of entertainment, amusement, and creativity, including sex and children. It's the house of gambling, luck, and risk (which, in a sense, also covers sex and children).

## Resources

The resources of the Fifth House include games, gambling, entertainment, art, creativity, and all forms of amusement and recreation.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your creativity and pursuit of fun.

## House Resource Description (Hrd)

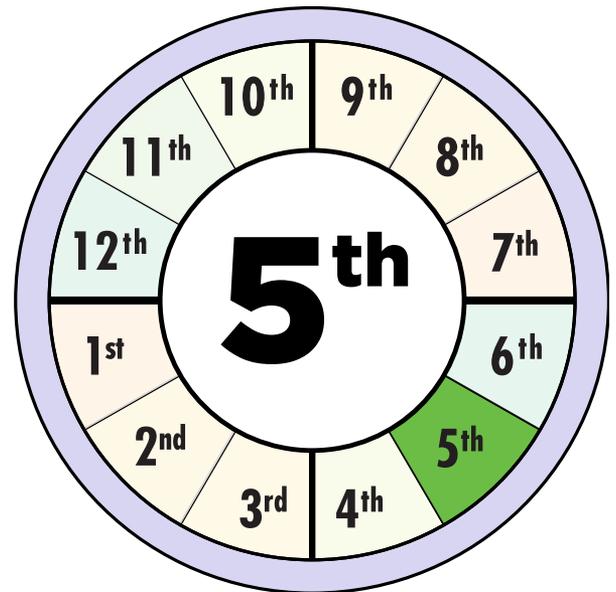
... take creative risks and expect to have fun in the process.

## The Fifth House is your creativity.

Creativity is the fundamental urge of all life. Biologically, you create through procreation. Your children carry your DNA, and through your children, a piece of your unique identity lives on in the world and has a life outside of you. But biology is only one way that you create, and it's one of the least important. Everything about your life is an expression of your creativity, whether you are conscious of it or not. When you think of creative expression, you probably think of different types of entertainment and art, such as painting, drawing, writing, performing, acting, singing, or dancing. Many people express their creativity in the kitchen, or through their hobbies. But it's important to expand your definition of creativity even further.

An artist may use oil paints as her medium for creative expression. A musician uses an instrument to create. A singer uses her voice to create. A dancer uses his body to create. But underneath these external creative expressions, the planet that rules your Fifth House is the actual medium of your creative expression. Meeting the needs of that planet requires that you tap into your creativity. You need to question everything about that planet, and view it from different contexts and environments. You are driven to explore a new relationship to the needs of that planet, and to share your discoveries with the world.

Remember that what you define as "art" is not the only way that you can express your creativity. You access your creativity every time you encounter the unknown or follow your curiosity. Creativity is how you solve problems and accomplish your goals. And if you're ready to consider the big picture, remember that your consciousness—the vibrational frequency of



your thoughts — creates your entire reality. Your very life is the expression of your creativity. And the more you become conscious of your creative energy and master the medium of your creativity, the more you can create a reality that you enjoy.

### **Positive Experience of Creativity**

You easily express your creativity.

You feel inspired.

You easily find new solutions to problems and challenges.

You share your unique perspective with the world.

You manifest your ideas and desires.

### **Problem with Creativity**

You don't care about anything in your life.

You feel stuck and limited.

You lack inspiration.

Your world is drab and monotonous.

## **The Fifth House is your recreation and risk.**

The Fifth House is your entertainment and amusement. The ruler of the Fifth House is your idea of fun. Fun is a subjective concept, and what amuses and entertains you may not be someone else's idea of a good time. As Mary Poppins sang, "In every job that must be done, there is an element of fun. You find the fun and snap, the job's a game." Deep down, you know that everything related to your Fifth House, and everything related to the needs and expression of the planet that rules the Fifth House is just a game. You can recognize the game and still take it seriously. Recognizing the game just allows you to enjoy the journey, the competition, and the challenges of pursuing the needs of the planet that rules the Fifth House. But knowing that it's *just* a game means you are more willing to take risks while playing it.

The Fifth House also represents your tolerance for risk. Taking risks, flirting with danger, and gambling with what you have for the chance to acquire much more is all a part of the fun of the game. You are willing to take risks with the needs of the planet that rules your Fifth House, and you are willing to take risks to further the agenda of that planet. And you are apt to have a much higher tolerance for risk with the affairs of that planet than you do in the rest of your life. Playing it safe is always an option, but playing it safe isn't much fun.

### **Positive Experience of Recreation and Risk**

You find the joy and humor in every situation.

You seize the day and grab every opportunity.

You live life to the fullest.

You are willing to take risks for bigger rewards.

You have fun with your life.

You appreciate the game of your life.

### **Problem with Recreation and Risk**

Your life lacks pleasure and joy.

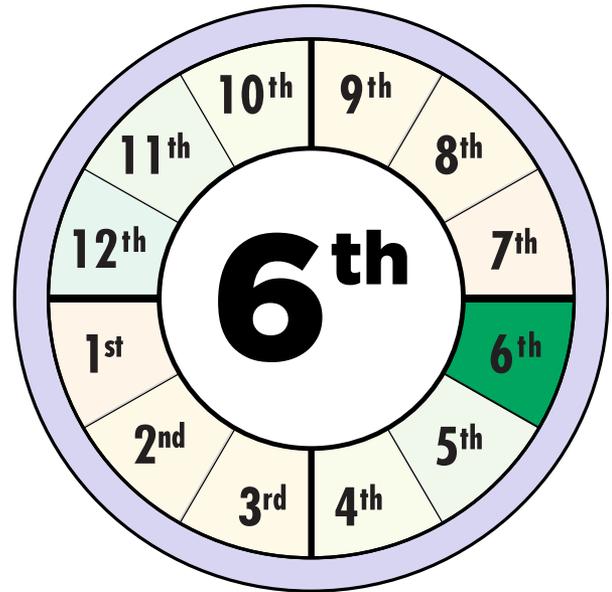
Your life is oppressive and serious.

You are too scared to take risks.

You pass up opportunities.

# The Sixth House

**T**he Sixth House is all work and no play. In modern usage, it's the house of service, but that glosses over the deeper themes. It's more accurate to call the Sixth House the house of *indentured* service, because fundamentally, it's the house of slavery. The Sixth House represents hard work you are obligated to perform, and for which you receive no recognition, prestige, or advancement. In other words, the Sixth House is your job. It's also the house of illness and disease (in contrast to the First House, which relates to your health).



## Resources

The resources of the Sixth House include hard work and selfless service, as well as servants, employees, and co-workers who can be enlisted to lighten your load or do the work for you.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your job, your workplace environment, and your relationships with your employees and coworkers.

## House Resource Description (Hrd)

... expect to have to work hard and not be recognized or rewarded for it, and you will look for opportunities to outsource it and hire someone else to do it for you.

## The Sixth House is your job.

The Sixth House is your job, but it's not exclusively your actual job and the work you do for a paycheck. The Sixth House is the work that you do because you have to do it, and you can't expect to receive any recognition or advancement for it. Your real job is to meet the needs of the planet that rules your Sixth House. Meeting those needs requires constant work and attention. You never get a break, much less a vacation, and waiting for other people to appreciate your efforts is a complete waste of time. The degree of effort required can fluctuate. Sometimes you are able to lighten the load so that the work itself is easy for you. Other times, it's a grind, and your only reward for your hard work is more work. But whatever your passing attitude is towards the work, deep down, you understand that the work matters to you, which is why you keep doing it. One of the secrets of the Sixth House is to view your work as selfless service. When you can view your job from this perspective and know that you are contributing

to something meaningful and much bigger than yourself, the work becomes easier, and you no longer care that you won't be recognized or appreciated for it.

This can be challenging to accomplish in your actual workplace. It's rare to feel empowered around your external job. You have to show up for work and put up with the workplace dynamic because you need your paycheck, but there are any number of ways you would rather spend your time. But consider that even in your external job, your real job is still to meet the needs of the planet that rules your Sixth House. If you engage with your job from this perspective, it becomes easier for you to find a higher purpose to it, which can then make your work experience less stressful. At least it can give you something to think about to get you through to lunch.

### **Positive Experience of Job**

Your job is easy.

You feel like you're performing a higher service.

You feel good about the work that you do.

Your workplace relationships are supportive.

You are able to lighten your workload when needed.

You like your job.

### **Problem with Job**

Your job is hard and exhausting.

Your workplace relationships are toxic.

You don't see the value in the work you do.

## **The Sixth House is your sickness.**

It's important to understand your sickness. Any physical or health-related problems you experience in your body are the effect of your sickness, but they're not your actual sickness. The physical problems are the result of imbalances in your life, and they can involve imbalance in any combination of your physical, emotional, mental, or spiritual dimensions. Your sickness is what causes the imbalances.

Everybody has a sickness. When you learn to manage and monitor it, you can limit the amount of actual physical sickness you experience. The planet that rules your Sixth House is your sickness. When you try to meet the needs of that planet, you have the most difficulty maintaining balance. You may put too much attention on those needs, which causes you to neglect or ignore other needs in your life. You may not pay enough attention to those needs. And it's also possible to swing from one extreme to the other. In any case, when you are out of alignment with the planet that rules

your Sixth House, you create imbalance in your life, and if you don't address those imbalances, they will eventually show up in your physical body as acute or chronic health challenges. Treating the symptoms doesn't address the problem. Healing requires you to address your sickness.

### **Positive Experience of Sickness**

You maintain balance in your life.

You listen to the messages from your physical body.

You pay attention to the effects of your behaviors.

You monitor your health and wellbeing.

You make supportive choices for your physical body.

Your physical body is free from discomfort.

### **Problem with Sickness**

You create imbalances in your life.

You ignore the warnings and create more serious challenges.

You neglect your health and wellbeing.

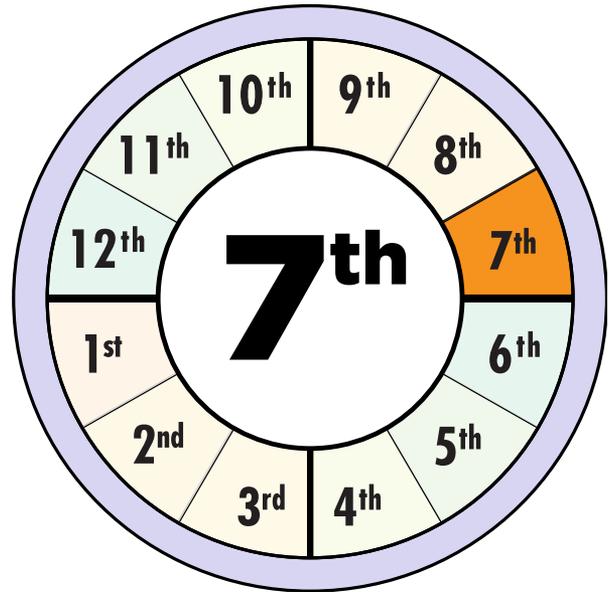
You will create problems with your physical body.

# The Seventh House

**T**he Seventh House contains the individuals you relate to. It may appear that the Seventh House involves other people, but in fact, when you engage with the Seventh House through relationship, what you're looking at is a mirror. Your partners in relationship reflect your own issues back to you.

## Resources

The resources of the Seventh House appear to be other individuals because you project everything associated with planets in your Seventh House on other people and you don't recognize that those qualities live in you.



## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your one-to-one relationships and your perceptions and expectations of other people.

## House Resource Description (Hrd)

... expect other individuals to handle it for you and you may blame them if they don't.

## The Seventh House is your partner and your adversary.

The Seventh House is your partner, and also your adversary. But the first thing to remember is that it's the planet that rules the Seventh House that is your actual partner and adversary. The individuals in your life who take on the role of your partner or your adversary play those roles because you are projecting the ruler of your Seventh House on them, and they are reflecting that planet—and its needs and lessons—back to you. You engage with the planet that rules your Seventh House through your one-to-one relationships. But it's always about the planet and never about the person who appears to embody the planet for you.

Your partner is like the proverbial angel on your shoulder. It's always with you, whispering advice and encouragement in your ear. Your partner wants to support you so that you can be happy. Of course, you have two shoulders, and your adversary sits on the other one. Your adversary also supports you, but it supports you by creating challenges and obstacles for you to overcome. The quality of the advice and support you receive from your partner and your adversary depends on whether or not you are in right relationship with the planet that rules your Seventh House. The goal is not to heed your partner and ignore your adversary (which is a good thing, because often it's hard to tell them apart). The goal is to make sure that

both your partner and your adversary support you effectively. If your adversary creates needless difficulties for you and your partner doesn't engage fully, you won't experience much happiness.

You can engage with your partner and your adversary through your one-to-one relationships. Remember that no matter what the issue appears to be in a relationship, if that person is playing the role of your partner or your adversary, it's really about the needs of the planet that rules your Seventh House. When you move into right relationship with that planet and begin to meet those needs, the quality of your one-to-one relationships will improve.

### **Positive Experience of Partner and Adversary**

The individuals in your life support you.

You receive good advice from your partners.

Your adversaries help you to improve and overcome challenges.

The individuals in your life care about your happiness.

You have supportive one-to-one relationships.

### **Problem with Partner and Adversary**

You experience conflict in your one-to-one relationships.

Your partner does not support or encourage you.

Your adversaries create problems for you.

The quality of your one-to-one relationships suffers.

## **The Seventh House is other people.**

Other people do not live inside you. However, other people do function as mirrors that reflect the ruler of your Seventh House back to you. Until you recognize that other people are mirrors, they will appear to embody the needs and qualities of the planet that rules your Seventh House. You project your unresolved issues, judgments, and expectations of the ruler of your Seventh House on other people, and for a while at least, you can pretend that those issues belong to other people and not to you. Eventually, you need to accept the truth that everything you see in other people, including all of the qualities you judge or disapprove of, lives inside you. This can be a lot more fun than it sounds.

When you walk past an actual mirror, you usually take a moment and check your reflection. You want to be certain that you look your best and that (both metaphorically and literally) you don't have spinach in your teeth. What if you did the same thing with other people? When you notice something about someone else's appearance, view it as if you just caught a glimpse of your own reflection. It's probably a distorted reflection, and what you see (and judge) in other people

may not be nearly as pronounced in you, but it still exists in you somewhere, and if you notice it in other people, it means that you need to give it some conscious attention in yourself. And if you're wondering what to look for, just remember that it will always have to do with the needs or expression of the planet that rules your Seventh House.

### **Positive Experience of Other People**

You see the good qualities in other people.

You find other people attractive.

Other people are friendly and supportive.

Other people inspire you.

### **Problem with Other People**

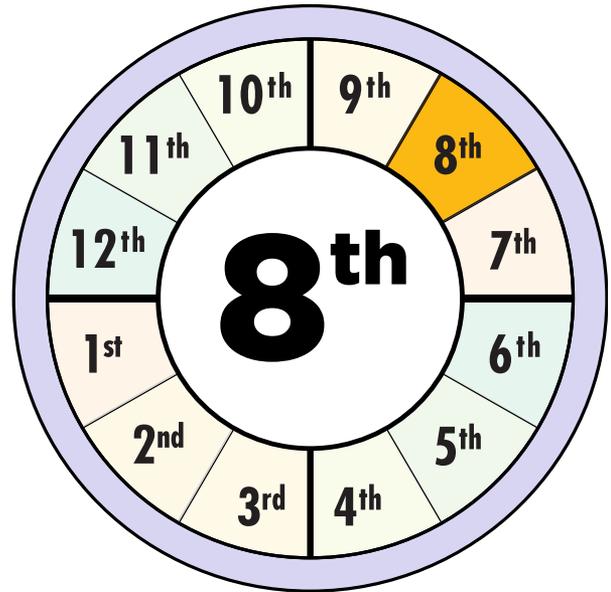
You judge other people.

Other people are not supportive of you.

You see the worst qualities in other people.

# The Eighth House

**T**he Eighth House is a house of loss. The loss is usually financial, and the most practical expressions of the Eighth House involve debt and other financial obligations. The money you make through the Eighth House comes from legacies and inheritances, so even these financial gains are the result of loss (i.e., death). The Eighth House is the house of your partner's money and resources. Where the Second House is "mine" and the Seventh House is "yours," the Eighth House is "ours."



## Resources

The resources of the Eighth house are other people's money, values, and opinions. This money is available to you in the form of loans, investments, or simply credit card debt.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your debts and your shared resources.

## House Resource Description (Hrd)

... collaborate, use shared resources, ask for favors, or use other people's money.

## The Eighth House is your debt.

If you're like most people, when you hear the word "debt" you immediately assume two things: it involves money and it's bad. Neither of those things is universally true, and adjusting your definition of debt and your judgments about it is an important step towards experiencing prosperity. Whatever the external expressions of debt may be, your actual debt is the planet that rules your Eighth House. The needs and expression of that planet are the Universal Puzzle Piece that connects to your personal experience of debt. You owe the expression of that planet to others. Meeting the needs of that planet carries an extra level of obligation for you. But remember that debt flows in two directions. Just as you owe the expression of the ruler of your Eighth House to others, other people also owe it to you. The most important lesson about debt is that it's an expression of the Law of Circulation. You both give and receive support.

And that's another important thing to remember about debt: it's evidence of support. When you owe someone, it means that they provided you with help and support when you needed it. Other people owe you because you provided them with help and support, and they will repay that support at some point in the future. The most appropriate attitude towards debt is gratitude.

That being said, the financial expression of debt is an important consideration. Debt is part of a bigger picture of your prosperity. It's important to be conscious of your financial obligations and the money you owe (as well as the money owed to you). It's an odd concept, but in the world of finance, debt can be viewed as an asset. Personal financial debt often feels like a burden, however, and it's important to manage it consciously. This becomes easier when you remember that even your credit card balances and your student loan debt are really about your relationship to the needs and expression of the planet that rules your Eighth House. When you manage the needs of that planet, you manage your debt.

### **Positive Experience of Debt**

You appreciate the support you have received.

You actively engage with the Law of Circulation.

You inspire and support other people.

You give and receive support easily.

You easily repay your debts.

### **Problem with Debt**

You feel burdened by your debts and obligations.

You worry that you can't repay your debts.

You refuse to accept support when it's offered or needed.

## **The Eighth House is your shared resources.**

You are responsible for your Eighth House, but you're not *exclusively* responsible for it. The Eighth House is like a joint bank account. You can make deposits and withdrawals from the account, but so can other people. You're still responsible for maintaining the minimum balance in the account, but you don't have full or complete control over it. The planet that rules your Eighth House is your shared resources, and the needs and expressions of that planet are joint bank accounts. On the plus side, other people can make deposits in those accounts, which means you often have more resources available to you than you expect, and meeting the needs of that planet is easy. But the down side is that other people can also make withdrawals from that account, which means there may be less available to you when you need it the most. The bottom line is that everything associated with the Eighth House—and the needs of the planet that rules the Eighth House—is a collaboration. To some degree, you will need to pool your resources and coordinate with other people to accomplish your Eighth House goals.

### **Positive Experience of Shared Resources**

You are willing to pool your resources and collaborate.

You take advantage of the support of the collective.

You form strategic partnerships for mutual benefit.

You benefit from sharing your resources.

The value of what you receive exceeds the cost of what you contribute.

### **Problem with Shared Resources**

You feel used and unsupported by the collective.

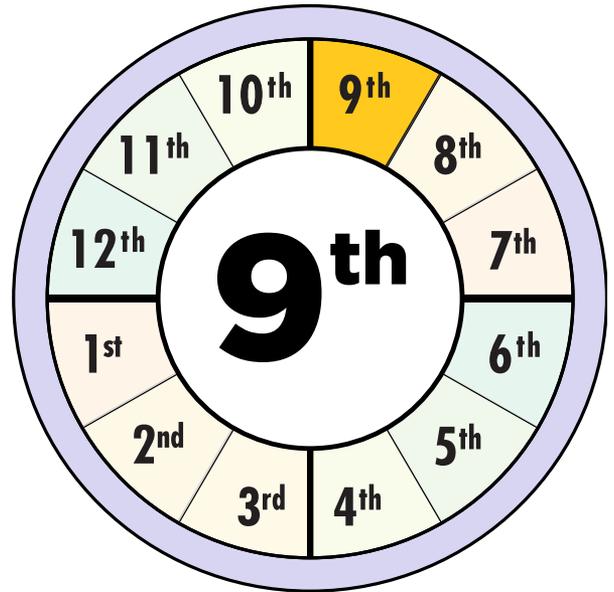
You do not receive the benefits of your shared resources.

You receive far less than you contribute.

In the external world, managing shared resources, such as joint checking accounts, shared food and supplies, or communal living spaces, has its own set of challenges. It's easier and more harmonious when everyone agrees on the rules and boundaries up front, so everyone contributes equally and shares in both the responsibilities and the rewards. This is not quite as easy in your internal world because other people don't actually agree to pool their resources to help you meet the needs of the ruler of your Eighth House. You can't hold them accountable for doing their part because it's not really their business in the first place. You can, however, limit access to your joint bank accounts. If someone isn't making regular deposits in your account, you can block their access.

# The Ninth House

**T**he Ninth House relates to everything that is foreign, distant, and unfamiliar. It's the house of religion, and by extension, it's become the house of wisdom and higher knowledge. As such, it relates to teachers, clergy, lawyers, and other experts, the guardians of wisdom, and the representatives of higher authority. Specifically, the Ninth House relates to your attitudes and expectations of these people and what they represent to you.



## Resources

The resources of the Ninth House are all foreign, distant, new, unfamiliar, and unknown to you. They include experts and authorities that can offer wisdom and knowledge, such as teachers, religious leaders, lawyers, and doctors.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your danger zone and your beliefs.

## House Resource Description (Hrd)

... require new information and may rely on the support of experts and authorities because what you already know is not sufficient.

## The Ninth House is your danger zone.

The Ninth House is your danger zone. Meeting the needs of the planet that rules your Ninth House always involves venturing into the unknown. Your Ninth House exists beyond the limits of your comfort zone, and because it's unknown and unfamiliar, it's always a little bit unsafe. Your danger zone has a geographical element: it includes distant travel to unfamiliar places, and cross-cultural experiences. But mostly, the Ninth House is full of surprises. You have no reference for it, and you don't know what to expect. It's a blank page. Everything about the Ninth House is new, and everything about it expands your awareness and your worldview. This can be enticing and exciting, but it's still potentially dangerous, which is why engaging with your Ninth House always makes withdrawals from your Safety Need Account.

Balance, as always, is the key. When you encounter your Ninth House, you have no frame of reference, and the only way you can understand it is to create a reference for it. The more time you spend in the Ninth House, the more familiar it becomes, and once it becomes

familiar, it's no longer new (or dangerous). A part of your Ninth House danger zone has moved to your Third House comfort zone.

The planet that rules your Ninth House is your danger zone. Every time you express this planet or try to meet the needs of it, you have to go beyond what you already know and discover something new. You don't have to reinvent the wheel every time. You can develop mastery with the ruler of your Ninth House. But you are always conscious that however much you know about that Universal Puzzle Piece, there is always more to learn. And each time you access or express the needs of the ruler of your Ninth House you need at least the spark of something new to ignite the fire.

### **Positive Experience of Danger Zone**

You are eager to explore the unknown.

You approach new experiences with an open mind.

You welcome any opportunity to try something new.

You seek out new information and experiences.

You have a sense of adventure and excitement.

### **Problem with Danger Zone**

You fear the unknown.

You are afraid to leave what is familiar.

You distrust new information.

You limit your worldview.

## **The Ninth House is your beliefs.**

The Ninth House is your beliefs. Not only do you believe in the expression and the needs of the planet that rules your Ninth House, but those needs—that Universal Puzzle Piece—influence what you choose to believe and how you create those beliefs. Beliefs shape your “little r” reality, so they're quite important. Beliefs influence your choices, and beliefs influence your expectations. And beliefs, like reality, have nothing to do with truth. You can believe in something and make it real, but if that belief lacks truth and can't be supported, it won't make you happy.

Critical thinking is one of the most important tools of the Ninth House. Critical thinking helps you to question and understand why you believe the things that you believe. It can't determine the level of truth behind a belief, but it can at least provide objective, rational, logical justification for the belief. Most of your beliefs originate with experts and authorities. Your parents program you with the basic operating system of your beliefs, and as you move through life, you accept the ideas

of your teachers, religious leaders, and other experts such as doctors and scientists. You adopt beliefs because you trust the expert, and at least at the time, you lack the tools to question and validate the belief for yourself. But you must be willing to question your beliefs, no matter how long you've held them. Your understanding of reality changes as you acquire new information and experiences. It's important that your beliefs support you rather than hinder you. And remember: You get to choose what you believe.

### **Positive Experience of Beliefs**

You are willing to question and test your beliefs.

You embrace critical thinking.

You allow new information to change your position.

You respect experts and authorities, even when they contradict your views.

You are willing to question experts and authorities.

### **Problem with Beliefs**

You become susceptible to misinformation and propaganda.

You reject any opinions that don't validate your own.

You listen only to experts who support your views.

You must defend and justify your beliefs.

# The Tenth House

**T**he Tenth House relates to your success, recognition, and professional advancement. It's your fame and your reputation, and your public image. And in the modern world, that often translates to your social media profile.

## Resources

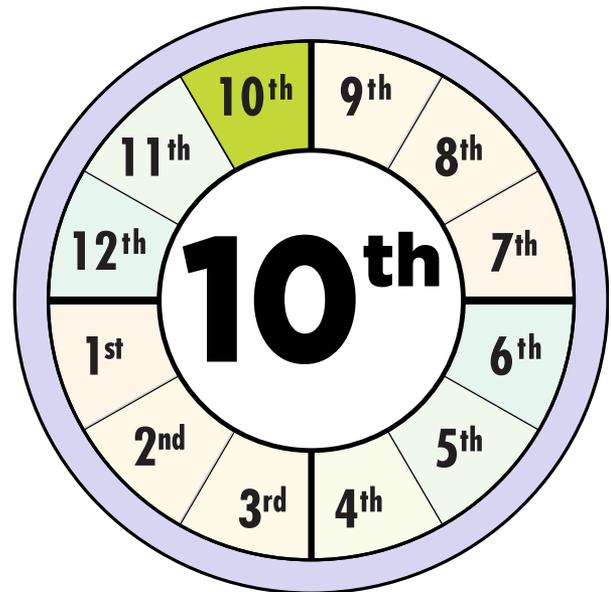
The resources of the Tenth House include your reputation, your public image, and the passwords to all of your social media accounts.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your public and professional image and your advancement.

## House Resource Description (Hrd)

... you broadcast it to the world and share it on social media because you want to be famous for it and believe it will contribute to your success and advancement.



## The Tenth House is your reputation.

The Tenth House is your reputation: it's how you are seen by society. It's your fame and your public image. It's also your presence on social media, both personal and professional. The planet that rules your Tenth House is what you are famous for. It's responsible for your greatest accomplishments and also for the gaffes you can never seem to live down or put behind you. Whether the world thinks favorably of you or not depends on how well you meet the needs and learn the lessons of the planet that rules your Tenth House.

Because of the advent of social media and the Internet, much of your life is public. If you have any presence online, whether it's Facebook, LinkedIn, or OkCupid, you have a brand that you present to the world. You have a certain degree of fame because people whom you have never met personally know about you, and they also have an opinion of you. How much you take advantage of this is up to you, but even if you keep a low profile in your life, it's important to keep control of your message. The planet that rules your Tenth House is both the message itself and also the carrier wave that broadcasts your message.

The world expects you to live up to the promise of the planet that rules your Tenth House. This is your brand, and if you don't meet those needs and handle that Universal Puzzle Piece with care, everyone will know about it. But the more skillful you are about

meeting those needs, the more control you have over the volume of your message. When you are in right relationship with the planet that rules your Tenth House, you can determine how public you want to be, and therefore have more influence over your privacy. But if you choose to, you can use the platform of your reputation to promote other interests. When you meet the needs of the planet that rules your Tenth House, the world will listen to what you have to say. When you don't meet the needs of that planet, you lose control over your message and the world (and the Internet) gets to decide on your brand, usually in the comments section.

### **Positive Experience of Reputation**

The world sees your best qualities.

The public has a good impression of you.

You are famous and recognized for your abilities.

You make a positive impression on the public.

You have strong brand recognition and good word of mouth.

### **Problem with Reputation**

The world sees your worst qualities.

The public has a poor impression of you.

You do not have control over your brand or your message.

You are famous for your mistakes and your shortcomings.

## **The Tenth House is your advancement.**

The Tenth House is also how you advance in the world, both socially and professionally. This is closely related to your reputation, because a good reputation is often essential for advancement, but it's not entirely the same thing. This expression of the Tenth House (and of the planet that rules your Tenth House) has to do with awards, honors, and promotion. It encompasses many of the things that you may associate with success. Your reputation relates to your relative level of fame, but advancement relates to the tangible, material rewards that come from that fame.

The cusp of the Tenth House is the most public and visible point in the chart, and the planet that rules your Tenth House is the vehicle that helps you attain the highest peaks in your life. Often, the accomplishments related to the Tenth House are professional and related to your career, but it's important not to view your life only in terms of your job or the things that you do to make money. When you look back on your life, you are the most proud of the accomplishments of your Tenth House. Often you are noticed, recognized, and honored by other people for these achievements, but

not always. These achievements always involve meeting the needs of the planet that rules your Tenth House and understanding how that Universal Puzzle Piece fits in your life. And even if you don't experience social or professional advancement, you definitely advanced as a person.

### **Positive Experience of Advancement**

You experience success in every dimension.

You are recognized and promoted.

You receive awards and honors for your work.

You are singled out for promotion.

### **Problem with Advancement**

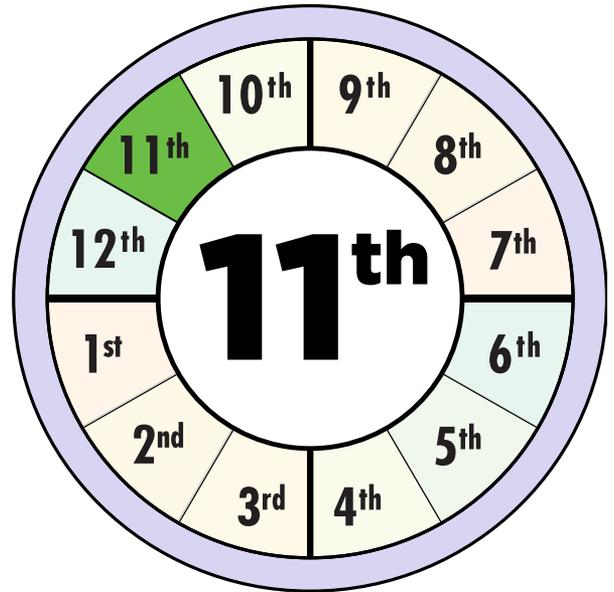
You are passed over for promotion.

You lack success.

You are not recognized or appreciated.

# The Eleventh House

**T**he Eleventh House is the house of acquisition. It contains all of the things you believe you need to obtain or acquire to be happy. It's the *pursuit* of happiness, but not the *experience* of happiness (which belongs to the First House). Friends are associated with the Eleventh House, but the original context of that term has shifted. Eleventh House friends are benefactors. These are the people who help you to reach your goals, attain your aspirations, and acquire what you think you need to be happy.



## Resources

The resources of the Eleventh House are your benefactors: friends, colleagues, and teammates who are in a position to support you and help you to acquire the things you believe will make you happy.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your ambitions and aspirations.

## House Resource Description (Hrd)

... you depend on the support of your friends and benefactors to help you acquire happiness.

## The Eleventh House is your aspirations and acquisitions.

The planet that rules your Eleventh House is what you believe you need to acquire to be happy. Your personal ambitions, aspirations, and dreams are really about embodying that planet, meeting its needs, and fully understanding how that Universal Puzzle Piece fits in your life. The first challenge is that you don't entirely believe that these qualities live inside you. You see them clearly in the outside world, and you believe that you need to go out and obtain them. Specifically, you believe that when you finally obtain those qualities, and realize your ambitions and your dreams, *then* you'll finally be happy. The Eleventh House is your pursuit of happiness; actual happiness belongs to the First House. But when you move into right relationship with the planet that rules your Eleventh House, you will realize that happiness is the journey, not the destination.

Everyone needs dreams. Dreams are what inspire you to take action. They can give your life meaning and purpose. Even impossible or unattainable dreams have value once you remember

that they're not all-or-nothing scenarios. Your dream of winning *American Idol* probably won't come true, but what that dream is really about is the inspiration to sing and to make music. If you follow that call and begin to sing because singing makes you happy, the path could lead you anywhere. As you follow the path, you will set new goals and discover new dreams, and those dreams will become progressively more attainable. But remember that what your dreams are really about is expressing and meeting the needs of the planet that rules your Eleventh House. When you follow that star, your dreams can come true.

### **Positive Experience of Aspirations and Acquisitions**

You live your dreams.

You pursue your goals and aspirations.

You go after the things that you want.

You enjoy the journey towards your goals.

### **Problem with Aspirations and Acquisitions**

You lack inspiration.

You don't pursue your dreams.

Your dreams are unattainable.

You don't see the point of your ambitions.

You don't believe you will ever acquire happiness.

## **The Eleventh House is your benefactor.**

The planet that rules your Eleventh House is your benefactor. A benefactor is more than just a friend; it's a friend with money. Benefactors are friends who are willing to invest in your happiness and your success. They provide material support to help you achieve your personal ambitions and aspirations. You experience your benefactors as other individuals, and often, the support they provide appears to come out of nowhere and to have nothing at all to do with you. But this is just the external appearance. Your real benefactor is the planet that rules your Eleventh House, and the amount of support and encouragement you experience depends on how well you meet the needs and learn the lessons of that planet.

You may not notice your benefactor because it doesn't always show up as a person, and the support you receive isn't always financial. Sometimes all you need to make progress towards your dreams and aspirations is to meet the needs of the planet that rules the Eleventh House. When you embody and

express that energy and master those lessons, you advance towards your goals and your dreams get a little bit closer. Other times, because you have tuned into that energy, other people will show up in your life and provide you with encouragement and support. When you are in right relationship with the planet that rules your Eleventh House, your friends genuinely want to see you succeed. That may not translate into dollars and cents, but that's because that kind of support is priceless.

### **Positive Experience of Benefactor**

You receive tangible support.

Other people support you to achieve your dreams.

You are supported and encouraged.

Other people give you financial assistance.

You receive advice, guidance, and connections.

### **Problem with Benefactor**

No one supports you in your dreams or ambitions.

Doors are closed and opportunities don't show up.

Your friends don't support or encourage you.

# The Twelfth House

**T**he Twelfth House is sorrow, adversity, self-sabotage, unconscious behavior, and hidden enemies. In almost every sense, the Twelfth House is your shadow. You can't see your own Twelfth House, but because it's above the horizon, it's visible to everyone else. Maintaining right relationship with the planet that rules the Twelfth House limits the challenges associated with this house.

## Resources

The resources of the Twelfth House include your hidden motivations, your unconscious programming, your shadow self, and your personal demons.

## House Resource Location (Hrl)

... your blind spot and your unconscious.

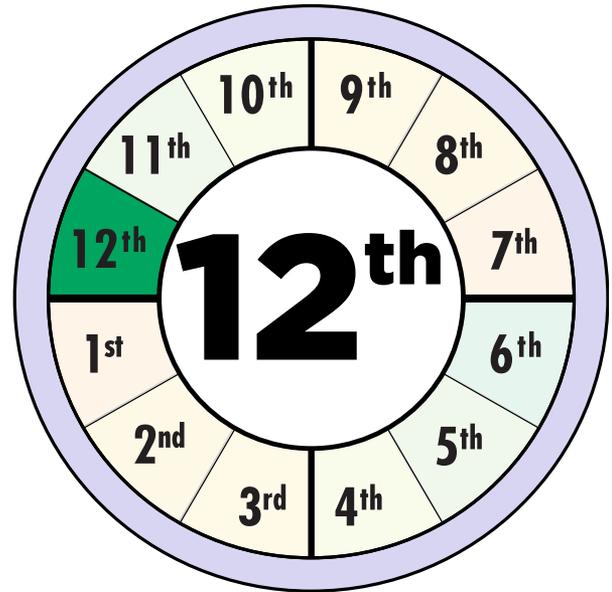
## House Resource Description (Hrd)

... you are not fully conscious of your motivations, and it often creates a mess and has unexpected consequences.

## The Twelfth House is the vehicle of your adversity.

The planet that rules your Twelfth House is the vehicle of your adversity. It means well, but whenever there's trouble in your life, it can usually be traced back to something you did that involved the needs, lessons, or expression of that planet. When you are out of alignment with this planet, it's how you sabotage yourself and create optional suffering in your life. Generally, the problems that result from this planet are unexpected and unintentional. You don't realize how much of a mess you make when you pursue the needs of this planet or try to understand how its Universal Puzzle Piece fits in your life. You can't help making the mess, but when you're in right relationship with the planet, you make the effort to clean up after yourself. This makes the unintended consequences less frequent and limits the impact when they do occur. But if you're out of alignment with this planet, you neglect the mess, and make every part of your life more difficult than it has to be.

The real challenge with the Twelfth House is that the planet that rules your Twelfth House is the vehicle of *all* of the adversity you experience in your life, and this is often difficult to accept. Many of the obstacles and challenges you experience seem to come from outside of



you and appear to be beyond your personal control or influence. You experience sorrow and defeat and difficulties and accept that they're just a part of life. But the truth is that you create everything in your "little r" reality through the Law of Attraction. Everything you experience is a match to the vibration of your consciousness, and that includes both the problems that you realize you created and the problems you can't believe that you could have created. When you work to maintain right relationship with the planet that rules your Twelfth House, you protect yourself from both types of problems. You don't notice the suffering you don't experience, and that's rather the point.

### **Positive Experience of The Vehicle of Your Adversity**

You avoid most optional suffering.

You clean up your messes before they cause problems.

You pay attention to the consequences of your choices.

You look for cooperative options to reach your goals.

### **Problem with The Vehicle of Your Adversity**

You create disruptions and difficulties in your life.

You create sorrow and adversity.

## **The Twelfth House is your blind spot.**

The Twelfth House, and the planet that rules your Twelfth House, is your blind spot. It lurks in your unconscious, just outside your field of vision, so you don't notice it until it's too late. Your behaviors and actions involving the planet that rules your Twelfth House create resentment in other people, and that resentment can turn friends into hidden enemies. They're not actively looking to harm you, but as their resentment builds, they unconsciously begin to look for any opportunity where they can trip you up or let you down when you most need them. If you don't address that resentment and clean up your mess, it will come back to bite you. You'll never see it coming, either. You'll be completely blindsided, and since their behavior was unconscious, the friendship will probably survive—and your hidden enemy will still be at large.

It requires extra effort to maintain right relationship with the planet that rules your Twelfth House. Blind spots are so dangerous not because you can't see them clearly, but because you forget they're there at all, so you don't check them regularly. When you express or try to meet the needs of the planet that rules your Twelfth House, you're going to cross boundaries and step on toes. That planet is just messy for you. That's why it's so important to check your blind spot. Identify when you've made a mistake, accept responsibility for it, and apologize. A simple "I'm sorry" can clean up a whole lot of resentment, and go a long way towards keeping your friends your friends.

### **Positive Experience of Blind Spot**

You check your blind spot.

You acknowledge your mistakes and apologize for them.

You limit the amount of resentment you create in others.

You apologize for crossing boundaries.

### **Problem with Blind Spot**

You turn your friends into hidden enemies.

You cause other people to resent you.

You get blindsided by avoidable problems.

# Building Your Interpretation Library

**T**his section of the workbook will help you to build your interpretation library. You will be compiling and completing fill-in-the-blank templates for a total of 336 individual identity statements, covering every possible combination of a Universal Puzzle Piece and a personal puzzle piece.

You will find instructions on how to structure the template on the next page, followed by an example of the completed templates for the Sun ruling the First House. For each template, you will fill in the blanks with one of the appropriate options for each planet or house-related variable. The interpretation library variables have been collected and reprinted for your convenience beginning on page 122.

Choose any appropriate option from the appropriate variable. You may need to alter or modify the words so that they make sense in the template. Remember, this is not about getting the “right” answer, it’s about wiring up connections so you can fully appreciate how the Universal Puzzle Pieces connect to the personal puzzle pieces.

## **Create a New Document for Each House**

The easiest way to organize your interpretation library is by houses. Create a separate document (using your favorite word processor) for each house. That document will contain the interpretation templates for all seven planets ruling that house.

## **Remember this is Deep Practice!**

Building your interpretation library is the first phase of deep practice. The struggle you experience is what creates a new neural network in your brain and gives you the ability to understand and interpret the connections between the Universal Puzzle Pieces and the personal puzzle pieces.

Spend a maximum of one hour a day working on your interpretation library, but no longer than that. This is a marathon, not a sprint.

## **You need a complete interpretation library to use the Natal Chart Interpretation Template**

Creating your complete interpretation library is a critical and essential step towards being able to interpret charts using this program. When you assemble your chart notes using the Natal Chart Interpretation Template, you will be copying the first two sentences for each identity statement from your interpretation library. You need to have your library completed before attempting to use the Natal Chart Interpretation Template. You can’t do both at the same time. Trust me on this.

# Interpretation Library Template Guide

## [PLANET] rules [HOUSE]

You will follow the format below for each of the four identity statements.

### Px is Hx; Hx is Px

This is the heading for the identity statement

The first two sentences will be copied into your chart notes.

The first sentence is the **PLANET is HOUSE** statement.

You will find those templates starting on page 115.

The second sentence is the **HOUSE is PLANET** statement.

You will find those templates starting on page 118.

The next section is the Archetypal Connections Template. You will complete this for your library (as deep practice and reference) but you will not copy it into your chart notes.

These are included in the **HOUSE is PLANET** templates. The **Px Ultimate** variable has already been replaced in these templates.

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The following pages illustrate the templates you would assemble to explore the Sun ruling the First House.

## Interpretation Library Variables

The variables you will choose from to complete the fill-in-the-blank parts of your library are collected and reprinted for your convenience beginning on page 122. Choose any of the appropriate options (at random) when completing your templates.

## INTERPRETATION LIBRARY TEMPLATE EXAMPLE

### The Sun rules the First House

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## First House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

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## Second House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Money

**Px** *itself* IS your money: it's hard currency and it can be exchanged for goods and services, and the more skilled you are with **Px**, the more money you manifest.

### Skills and Talents

**Px** *itself* IS your skills and talents: it is a skill, and you can develop your mastery of it, and it's also what motivates you to develop every other skill and talent.

## Third House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Comfort Zone

**Px** *itself* IS your comfort zone: it's so close and familiar to you that you take it for granted and only notice a fraction of it.

### Habits and Routines

**Px** *itself* IS your habits and routines: it runs on autopilot and you don't have to pay attention to it, and this means you may not be able to respond appropriately when conditions change.

## Fourth House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Foundation

**Px** *itself* IS your foundation: it is the bedrock of your life; it's also what matters about your external foundation, the actual components of your life that must be squared away for you to be able to function.

### Sanctuary

**Px** *itself* IS your sanctuary: you need it to be able to rest, recover, and recharge your batteries, and if it's disrupted or absent, you feel ungrounded, unstable, and vulnerable.

## Fifth House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Creativity

**Px itself** IS your creativity: you create using **Px** as the medium of your creative expression, and you are the most creative and open to new ideas when you pursue **Px**.

### Recreation and Risk

**Px itself** IS your recreation and risk: it's your personal idea of fun, it's where you glimpse the truth that life is a game, and you are willing to take the biggest risks with **Px** and in pursuit of **Px**.

## Sixth House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Job

**Px itself** IS your job: you have to work at **Px** every day whether you feel like it or not, and you can't expect anyone to notice or appreciate you for it.

### Sickness

**Px itself** IS your sickness: you either pay too much attention to it or not enough, but your approach to it is imbalanced and can eventually create challenges in your physical body.

## Seventh House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Partner and Adversary

**Px itself** IS your partner and your adversary: it's always present, either supporting you with advice or by creating challenges and obstacles, and individuals in your life will embody **Px** and reflect it back to you.

### Other People

**Px itself** IS other people: you project your own issues, judgments, and expectations of **Px** on other people and they reflect those projections back to you.

## Eighth House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Debt

**Px itself** IS your debt: you receive support with **Px** from others, and you must repay that debt of **Px**, and you support others with **Px**, and they owe you a debt of **Px** in return.

### Shared Resources

**Px itself** IS your shared resources: you pool **Px** with others to receive a smaller slice of a larger pie, and **Px** functions as a joint bank account.

## Ninth House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Danger Zone

**Px** *itself* IS your danger zone: it's foreign and unfamiliar and each time you encounter it, you expect something new and different.

### Beliefs

**Px** *itself* IS your beliefs: you believe in **Px**, and **Px** influences what you choose to believe, how you create those beliefs, and which experts and authorities you defer to with respect to **Px**.

## Tenth House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Reputation

**Px** *itself* IS your reputation: it is your personal brand and the image you project to the world through social media, and how well you manage **Px** determines whether the public has a good impression of you.

### Advancement

**Px** *itself* IS your advancement: it's what makes you stand out from the crowd and it's why you are recognized, honored, and promoted.

## Eleventh House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Aspirations and Acquisitions

**Px** *itself* IS your aspirations and acquisitions: you believe that it exists outside of you and that you must acquire it to become happy.

### Benefactor

**Px** *itself* IS your benefactor: it provides you with tangible support that helps you pursue your ambitions and personal aspirations.

## Twelfth House Templates (**Planet IS House**)

### Vehicle of Your Adversity

**Px** *itself* IS the vehicle of your adversity: when you pursue **Px**, it has unexpected, unintended, and unwelcome consequences.

### Blind Spot

**Px** *itself* IS your blind spot: your behaviors and actions involving **Px** create resentments in other people and can turn friends into hidden enemies.

## The Sun Templates (House IS Planet)

### Integrity

**Hx** IS your integrity: you encounter your Personal Standards of Integrity and are the most sensitive to violations of integrity when you engage with **Hx**.

### Authentic “Big S” Self

**Hx** IS your authentic “Big S” Self: you experience the most direct connection to your authentic “Big S” Self when you engage with **Hx**.

### Archetypal Connections for The Sun

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## The Moon Templates (House IS Planet)

### Subjective Safety Needs

**Hx** IS your subjective safety needs: you are prone to create attachments to **Hx**, and you rely on **Hx** to make deposits in your Safety Need Account.

### Emotional Guidance System

**Hx** IS your Emotional Guidance System: you are the most conscious of your feelings and emotions, the most prone to suppressing negative feelings when you are engaged with **Hx**.

### Archetypal Connections for The Moon

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If [out of alignment with Px], then [problem with Hx].

You want [positive experience of Hx] because you believe it will give you the experience of **Invulnerability**, and [Px positive experience]. But you really think that when [positive experience of Hx], it means [avoid negative experience of Px].

## Mercury Templates (House IS Planet)

### Understanding and Communication

**Hx** IS your understanding and communication: you speak the language of **Hx**, and use **Hx** to understand your reality.

### Story

**Hx** IS your story: it is one of the most dominant themes in your story, and your story about **Hx** creates the context of your experience of reality.

### Archetypal Connections for Mercury

If you want [positive experience of Hx], you need to [meet needs of Px].

If [out of alignment with Px], then [problem with Hx].

You want [positive experience of Hx] because you believe it will give you the experience of **Gnosis**, and [Px positive experience]. But you really think that when [positive experience of Hx], it means [avoid negative experience of Px].

## Venus Templates (House IS Planet)

### Validation Needs

**Hx** IS your validation needs: you want to be validated, loved, and appreciated for **Hx**, and you use **Hx** to express love and appreciation.

### Core Values

**Hx** IS your Core Values: you must learn to recognize the presence of your Core Values in **Hx**, and engaging with **Hx** can connect you to an experience of your Core Values.

### Archetypal Connections for Venus

If you want [positive experience of Hx], you need to [meet needs of Px].

If [out of alignment with Px], then [problem with Hx].

You want [positive experience of Hx] because you believe it will give you the experience of **Unity**, and [Px positive experience]. But you really think that when [positive experience of Hx], it means [avoid negative experience of Px].

## **Mars Templates (House IS Planet)**

### **Anger**

**Hx** IS your anger: when you engage with **Hx**, you have instant access to the energy of anger, and you are prone to directing your anger and frustration at **Hx**.

### **Ego**

**Hx** IS your ego: you define the character of your “little s” self in terms of **Hx**, and when you engage with **Hx**, you are the most comfortable and confident of the character you play.

### **Archetypal Connections for Mars**

If you want **[positive experience of Hx]**, you need to **[meet needs of Px]**.

If **[out of alignment with Px]**, then **[problem with Hx]**.

You want **[positive experience of Hx]** because you believe it will give you the experience of **Power**, and **[Px positive experience]**. But you really think that when **[positive experience of Hx]**, it means **[avoid negative experience of Px]**.

## **Jupiter Templates (House IS Planet)**

### **Growth**

**Hx** IS your growth: you grow and expand when you engage with **Hx**, and you evaluate your growth and progress using **Hx** as the metric.

### **Faith**

**Hx** IS your faith: you invest your faith in **Hx**, and you build and test your faith when you engage with **Hx**.

### **Archetypal Connections for Jupiter**

If you want **[positive experience of Hx]**, you need to **[meet needs of Px]**.

If **[out of alignment with Px]**, then **[problem with Hx]**.

You want **[positive experience of Hx]** because you believe it will give you the experience of **Freedom**, and **[Px positive experience]**. But you really think that when **[positive experience of Hx]**, it means **[avoid negative experience of Px]**.

## Saturn Templates (House IS Planet)

### Responsibility

**Hx** IS your responsibility: you are responsible for your experience of it, and you must also recognize what part of it falls within My Business and what part does not.

### Authority

**Hx** IS your authority: not only is it the source of your authority, but you also give your power away to it and make it your personal authority such that it governs your choices and options in life.

### Archetypal Connections for Saturn

If you want **[positive experience of Hx]**, you need to **[meet needs of Px]**.

If **[out of alignment with Px]**, then **[problem with Hx]**.

You want **[positive experience of Hx]** because you believe it will give you the experience of **Mastery**, and **[Px positive experience]**. But you really think that when **[positive experience of Hx]**, it means **[avoid negative experience of Px]**.

# Interpretation Library

## Variables

### The Sun

#### **Px1: Integrity**

##### **Px**

Your integrity

Your Personal Standards of Integrity

#### **Meet the Needs of Px1**

You live in integrity.

Your Personal Standards of Integrity guide your choices.

#### **Out of Alignment with Px1**

You are out of integrity for any reason.

Your Personal Standards of Integrity have become more restrictive and you have to adjust your behavior.

#### **Positive Experience of Px1**

You are free from worry because you know you can weather any storm.

You feel strong, stable, and confident.

#### **Avoid Negative Experience of Px1**

You won't experience the discomfort of being out of integrity.

You won't feel shame or embarrassment and feel the need to hide yourself from others.

#### **Planet Expression Need (Px1n)**

... align with your Personal Standards of Integrity.

# The Sun

## Px2: Authentic “Big S” Self

### Px

Your authentic “Big S” Self

### Meet the Needs of Px2

You embody and express your authentic “Big S” Self.

You connect to the truth of your authentic “Big S” Self.

### Out of Alignment with Px2

You are not connected to your authentic “Big S” Self.

You identify as your ego (the character you play) or your avatar (who other people think you are based on your appearance).

You lose your connection to your authentic “Big S” Self.

### Positive Experience of Px2

Nothing about the events in your life can disturb you because you know your authentic Self is eternal.

You occupy the eye of the hurricane and the storm of your life rages all around you without affecting you.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px2

You won't experience an identity crisis.

### Planet Expression Need (Px2n)

... connect to your authentic “Big S” Self.

# The Moon

## Px1: Subjective Safety Needs

### Px

Your subjective safety needs

### Meet the Needs of Px1

You maintain the minimum balance in your Safety Need Account.

You know the truth that in the Present Moment, you are completely safe.

### Out of Alignment with Px1

The balance in your Safety Need Account falls below the minimum level.

You experience your reality from First Kingdom/Victim Consciousness.

You create attachments and believe that the source of your safety (and survival) exists outside of you.

### Positive Experience of Px1

You feel completely safe.

You are able to respond to any challenge without dropping into Victim Consciousness.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px1

You no longer have to worry about protecting yourself.

You no longer have to worry about survival.

You will no longer create attachments that cause suffering.

### Planet Expression Need (Px1 n)

... manage your subjective safety needs.

# The Moon

## Px2: Emotional Guidance System

### Px

Your Emotional Guidance System

### Meet the Needs of Px2

You allow yourself to experience the full range of emotions without interference or resistance.

You feel your feelings and then choose the best-feeling thought currently available to you.

### Out of Alignment with Px2

You pursue only pleasurable feelings.

You avoid or suppress uncomfortable feelings.

You avoid feeling your feelings.

### Positive Experience of Px2

You easily choose the best-feeling thought currently available to you.

You know the truth that feelings can't hurt you.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px2

You won't have to suffer through negative, uncomfortable, or unpleasant feelings.

You won't be afraid that the negative feelings will never end.

### Planet Expression Need (Px2n)

... navigate towards better-feeling thoughts.

# Mercury

## Px1: Understanding and Communciation

### Px

Your understanding and communication

### Meet the Needs of Px1

You have a personal understanding of truth.

You communicate your personal understanding of truth.

### Out of Alignment with Px1

You do not understand the truth.

You look to other people to validate your perceptions of reality.

You lack understanding.

### Positive Experience of Px1

You understand the truth of your subjective reality.

Other people validate the truth of your reality and confirm your perceptions.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px1

You will understand everything.

You will no longer be confused.

Other people will no longer disagree with you.

### Planet Expression Need (Px1n)

... search for a personal understanding of truth.

... communicate with others and validate your perceptions of reality.

# Mercury

## Px2: Story

### Px

Your story

### Meet the Needs of Px2

You actively search for the deeper meaning of your story.

You pursue the truth within your reality.

### Out of Alignment with Px2

You accept the appearance of your “little r” reality.

You focus on the content of your “little s” story.

You fail to look for deeper meaning in your story.

### Positive Experience of Px2

You experience the excitement and adventure of living your “Big S” Story.

You become the hero of your own story.

You answer the call to your greatness and engage with the truth of your “Big S” Story.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px2

You won't be bored with the story of your life.

You won't feel trapped or limited by the appearance of your reality.

### Planet Expression Need (Px2n)

... question the reality of your “little s” story.

... pursue the truth of your “Big S” Story.

# Venus

## Px1: Validation Needs

### Px

Your validation needs

### Meet the Needs of Px1

You maintain the minimum balance in your Validation Need Account.

You experience and express love and appreciation.

### Out of Alignment with Px1

You fail to maintain the minimum balance in your Validation Need Account.

You don't feel loved or appreciated.

You rely on other people to meet your validation needs.

### Positive Experience of Px1

You feel connected to all of creation.

You experience boundless love and appreciation.

You have healthy self-esteem and self-worth.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px1

You will not experience rejection or abandonment.

You won't feel that you're unworthy of love.

You won't feel isolated or alone.

### Planet Expression Need (Px1n)

... meet your validation needs.

... experience and express love and appreciation.

# Venus

## Px2: Core Values

### Px

Your Core Values

### Meet the Needs of Px2

You experience the presence of your Core Values in all things.

You tune to the vibration of your Core Values.

### Out of Alignment with Px2

You are not connected to your Core Values.

You believe the illusion that your Core Values are absent from your reality.

You fail to notice your Core Values.

### Positive Experience of Px2

You remember the truth that you are the embodiment of these eternal qualities of the Divine.

You experience authentic happiness.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px2

You won't feel isolated and separate from the Divine.

You won't feel like your life lacks even the possibility of happiness.

### Planet Expression Need (Px2n)

... recognize the presence of your Core Values.

# Mars

## Px1: Anger

### Px

Your anger

### Meet the Needs of Px1

You channel the energy of anger in conscious and constructive ways.

You master your anger and use it as a springboard to jump out of Victim Consciousness.

### Out of Alignment with Px1

You repress, project, or lash out with your anger.

You fail to address your anger.

You let the energy of anger pull you into Victim Consciousness.

### Positive Experience of Px1

You access the energy anger whenever you need it to create positive experiences in your life.

You channel the energy of your anger to overcome obstacles and achieve your goals.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px1

You won't experience frustration or resentment.

You won't have to wait or jump through hoops to get what you want.

The world won't piss you off.

### Planet Expression Need (Px1n)

... channel the energy of anger.

# Mars

## Px2: Ego

### Px

Your ego

Your “little s” self (the character you play)

### Meet the Needs of Px2

You are confident of your identity.

You know what you want and why you want it.

### Out of Alignment with Px2

You are unsure of yourself.

You don't know what you want in life.

You have to defend your choices and prove that you are right.

### Positive Experience of Px2

You have unlimited self-confidence.

You know exactly what you want in life and how to get it.

You know that you are making the best possible choices for your life.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px2

You will no longer feel the need to defend your choices.

You won't have to prove that you are right and other people are wrong.

Other people won't challenge or attack you.

### Planet Expression Need (Px2n)

... be confident of who you think you are.

... go after the things that you want.

# Jupiter

## Px1: Growth

### Px

Your growth

### Meet the Needs of Px1

You grow and expand in all areas of your life.

You explore and realize your potential.

### Out of Alignment with Px1

Your growth is uneven so you are too much in some dimensions and not enough in others.

You don't make use of your potential.

You don't feel like you are growing or expanding.

### Positive Experience of Px1

The outer limits of your potential expand and create new opportunities for you.

You experience sufficiency because you are making use of your full potential.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px1

You won't feel stuck, limited, or restricted.

You won't feel like you are not enough.

### Planet Expression Need (Px1n)

... grow using your untapped potential.

# Jupiter

## Px2: Faith

### Px

Your faith

### Meet the Needs of Px2

You actively build your faith and access it on a regular basis.

You are willing to test your faith with a leap of faith.

### Out of Alignment with Px2

You are not willing to test your faith.

You lack a personal connection to your faith.

You lack faith.

### Positive Experience of Px2

You are completely supported by the Universe.

You know the truth that all of your needs are easily met.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px2

You won't have to worry about being betrayed.

You won't experience any more fear or lack.

### Planet Expression Need (Px2n)

... build and test your faith.

# Saturn

## Px1: Responsibility

### Px

Your responsibility

### Meet the Needs of Px1

You fulfill your responsibilities while staying within the limits of My Business.

You refuse to accept responsibility for anything that is not a part of My Business.

### Out of Alignment with Px1

You fail to meet your responsibilities for any reason.

You take on responsibility for things that are not a part of My Business.

### Positive Experience of Px1

You feel confident, capable, and qualified.

You experience the satisfaction and self-esteem of a job well done.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px1

You won't feel like a failure.

You won't be blamed for your mistakes.

### Planet Expression Need (Px1n)

... meet your responsibilities.

# Saturn

## Px2: Authority

### Px

Your authority

### Meet the Needs of Px2

You exercise your authority in appropriate ways, from within the limits of My Business.

You respect the legitimate authority of other people.

### Out of Alignment with Px2

You don't respect legitimate authority.

You abuse your authority and exceed the limits of My Business.

You attempt to control or influence other people's behavior.

### Positive Experience of Px2

You experience self-respect and confidence of your own expertise.

Other people respect you and your ideas and perceptions.

### Avoid Negative Experience of Px2

No one will question you or judge your choices or behaviors.

No one will try to control or limit you.

### Planet Expression Need (Px2n)

... embody your authority.

# First House

## Hx1: Happiness

### Hx

Your happiness

### Positive Experience of Hx1

You recognize that everything in your life is perfect exactly as it is.

You feel truly happy.

You enjoy everything about your life.

### Problem with Hx1

You are not happy with your life.

You find it hard to experience pleasure or satisfaction.

Your life lacks joy, excitement, pleasure, or interest.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

Seek happiness

Engage in your hobbies and interests

# First House

## Hx2: Avatar

### Hx

Your avatar

### Positive Experience of Hx2

Other people have a good impression of you.

Other people find you attractive.

Other people like you and notice your best qualities.

You feel attractive and look your best.

### Problem with Hx2

Other people don't have a good impression of you.

Other people focus on your worst qualities and judge you for them.

Your appearance is sloppy and unkempt.

You look and feel unattractive.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

Get other people to like you and appreciate your best qualities.

Improve your physical appearance and look your best.

# Second House

## Hx1: Money

### Hx

Your money

### Positive Experience of Hx1

You experience financial security.

Money flows easily through your life.

Your resources are sustained and replenished.

You experience prosperity.

### Problem with Hx1

The flow of money through your life dries up.

You experience financial lack.

Your resources run out.

Your financial outlook is bleak.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

Earn money

Create prosperity

# Second House

## Hx2: Skills and Talents

### Hx

Your skills and talents

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You easily build your skills and become talented.

You develop new skills.

Your talents support you financially.

You create new opportunities for wealth and prosperity.

### Problem with Hx2

You struggle to master your skills.

You are not able to use your skills to earn money.

Your talents are not recognized or appreciated.

You lack the inspiration and motivation to improve.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

Use your skills or develop your talents.

# Third House

## Hx1: Comfort Zone

### Hx

Your comfort zone

### Positive Experience of Hx1

You feel relaxed and alert.

You easily monitor your familiar environment.

You know you can respond to any unexpected events.

You feel comfortable and safe.

You are free from worry.

You know what to expect.

### Problem with Hx1

You are uncomfortable.

You can't enjoy your environment because you try to control it.

You feel unprepared to handle surprises or new information.

You become obsessed with trivial details.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

.... expand your comfort zone to protect yourself from the unexpected.

# Third House

## Hx2: Habits and Routines

### Hx

Your habits and routines

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You easily automate your life.

You free up time and energy to focus on things you care about.

The details in your life take care of themselves.

You can focus on the big picture.

### Problem with Hx2

You fail to respond to new information.

You make avoidable mistakes.

You become dependent on your tools and lose your skills.

You can't function.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

... automate your life by creating habits and routines.

# Fourth House

## Hx1: Foundation

### Hx

Your foundation

### Positive Experience of Hx1

Your life has a solid foundation.

You feel stable and secure.

You are grounded and supported.

You are able to build and progress in your life.

### Problem with Hx1

You are shaken to the core.

You feel unstable.

Your entire life is disrupted.

The structure of your life collapse around you.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

.... strengthen your foundation and stabilize your life.

# Fourth House

## Hx2: Sanctuary

### Hx

Your sanctuary

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You feel rested and recharged.

You are able to protect yourself from the world.

You are able to take care of your personal needs.

You manage your private and personal life.

### Problem with Hx2

You are unable to rest or recover.

Your batteries are drained and you lack energy.

You are not able to take care of your needs.

Your personal and private life is disrupted.

You can't hide from the demands of the world.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

.... protect your privacy and recharge your batteries.

# Fifth House

## Hx1: Creativity

### Hx

Your creativity

### Positive Experience of Hx1

You easily express your creativity.

You feel inspired.

You easily find new solutions to problems and challenges.

You share your unique perspective with the world.

You manifest your ideas and desires.

### Problem with Hx1

You don't care about anything in your life.

You feel stuck and limited.

You lack inspiration.

Your world is drab and monotonous.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

.... express your creativity.

# Fifth House

## Hx2: Recreation and Risk

### Hx

Your recreation and risk

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You find the joy and humor in every situation.

You seize the day and grab every opportunity.

You live life to the fullest.

You are willing to take risks for bigger rewards.

You have fun with your life.

You appreciate the game of your life.

### Problem with Hx2

Your life lacks pleasure and joy.

Your life is oppressive and serious.

You are too scared to take risks.

You pass up opportunities.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

.... have fun and take risks.

# Sixth House

## Hx1: Job

### Hx

Your job

### Positive Experience of Hx1

Your job is easy.

You feel like you're performing a higher service.

You feel good about the work that you do.

Your workplace relationships are supportive.

You are able to lighten your workload.

You like your job.

### Problem with Hx1

Your job is hard and exhausting.

Your workplace relationships are toxic.

You don't see the value in the work you do.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

.... lighten your workload and make your job easier.

# Sixth House

## Hx2: Sickness

### Hx

Your sickness

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You maintain balance in your life.

You listen to the messages from your physical body.

You pay attention to the effects of your behaviors.

You monitor your health and wellbeing.

You make supportive choices for your physical body.

Your physical body is free from discomfort.

### Problem with Hx2

You create imbalances in your life.

You ignore the warnings and create more serious challenges.

You neglect your health and wellbeing.

You will create problems with your physical body.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

.... mask the symptoms of your sickness so you don't have to change your behavior.

# Seventh House

## Hx1: Partner and Adversary

### Hx

Your partner and your adversary

### Positive Experience of Hx1

The individuals in your life support you.

You receive good advice from your partners.

Your adversaries help you to improve and overcome challenges.

The individuals in your life care about your happiness.

You have supportive one-to-one relationships.

### Problem with Hx1

You experience conflict in your one-to-one relationships.

Your partner does not support or encourage you.

Your adversaries create problems for you.

The quality of your one-to-one relationships suffers.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

... improve the quality of your one-to-one relationships.

...know that the individuals in your life care about your happiness.

# Seventh House

## Hx2: Other People

### Hx

Other people

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You see the good qualities in other people.

You find other people attractive.

Other people are friendly and supportive.

Other people inspire you.

### Problem with Hx2

You judge other people.

Other people are not supportive of you.

You see the worst qualities in other people.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

.... appreciate the good qualities in other people.

# Eighth House

## Hx1: Debt

### Hx

Your debt

### Positive Experience of Hx1

You appreciate the support you have received.

You actively engage with the Law of Circulation.

You inspire and support other people.

You give and receive support easily.

You easily repay your debts.

### Problem with Hx1

You feel burdened by your debts and obligations.

You worry that you can't repay your debts.

You refuse to accept support when it's offered or needed.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

.... repay your debts and discharge your obligations.

# Eighth House

## Hx2: Shared Resources

### Hx

Your shared resources

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You are willing to pool your resources and collaborate.

You take advantage of the support of the collective.

You form strategic partnerships for mutual benefit.

You benefit from sharing your resources.

The value of what you receive exceeds the cost of what you contribute.

### Problem with Hx2

You feel used and unsupported by the collective.

You do not receive the benefits of your shared resources.

You receive far less than you contribute.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

... merge your assets and manage your shared resources.

# Ninth House

## Hx1: Danger Zone

### Hx

Your danger zone

### Positive Experience of Hx1

You are eager to explore the unknown.

You approach new experiences with an open mind.

You welcome any opportunity to try something new.

You seek out new information and experiences.

You have a sense of adventure and excitement.

### Problem with Hx1

You fear the unknown.

You are afraid to leave what is familiar.

You distrust new information.

You limit your worldview.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

.... .. venture into the unknown to acquire new information.

# Ninth House

## Hx2: Beliefs

### Hx

Your beliefs

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You are willing to question and test your beliefs.

You embrace critical thinking.

You allow new information to change your position.

You respect experts and authorities, even when they contradict your views.

You are willing to question experts and authorities.

### Problem with Hx2

You become susceptible to misinformation and propaganda.

You reject any opinions that don't validate your own.

You listen only to experts who support your views.

You must defend and justify your beliefs.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

.... support and defend your beliefs.

# Tenth House

## Hx1: Reputation

### Hx

Your reputation

### Positive Experience of Hx1

The world sees your best qualities.

The public has a good impression of you.

You are famous and recognized for your abilities.

You make a positive impression on the public.

You have strong brand recognition and good word of mouth.

### Problem with Hx1

The world sees your worst qualities.

The public has a poor impression of you.

You do not have control over your brand or your message.

You are famous for your mistakes and your shortcomings.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

.... improve your reputation, increase your fame, and expand the reach of your brand.

# Tenth House

## Hx2: Advancement

### Hx

Your advancement

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You experience success in every dimension.

You are recognized and promoted.

You receive awards and honors for your work.

You are singled out for promotion.

### Problem with Hx2

You are passed over for promotion.

You lack success.

You are not recognized or appreciated.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

... to be recognized, promoted, and honored.

... to be successful.

# Eleventh House

## Hx1: Aspirations and Acquisitions

### Hx

Your aspirations and acquisitions

### Positive Experience of Hx1

You live your dreams.

You pursue your goals and aspirations.

You go after the things that you want.

You enjoy the journey towards your goals.

### Problem with Hx1

You lack inspiration.

You don't pursue your dreams.

Your dreams are unattainable.

You don't see the point of your ambitions.

You don't believe you will ever acquire happiness.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

.... pursue your dreams so you can acquire happiness.

# Eleventh House

## Hx2: Benefactor

### Hx

Your benefactor

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You receive tangible support.

Other people support you to achieve your dreams.

You are supported and encouraged.

Other people give you financial assistance.

You receive advice, guidance, and connections.

### Problem with Hx2

No one supports you in your dreams or ambitions.

Doors are closed and opportunities don't show up.

Your friends don't support or encourage you.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

... attract the support of friends and benefactors.

# Twelfth House

## Hx1: The Vehicle of Your Adversity

### Hx

The vehicle of your adversity

### Positive Experience of Hx1

You avoid most optional suffering.

You clean up your messes before they cause problems.

You pay attention to the consequences of your choices.

You look for cooperative options to reach your goals.

### Problem with Hx1

You create disruptions and difficulties in your life.

You create sorrow and adversity.

### House Expression Need (Hx1n)

... sabotage yourself.

# Twelfth House

## Hx2: Blind Spot

### Hx

Your blind spot

### Positive Experience of Hx2

You check your blind spot.

You acknowledge your mistakes and apologize for them.

You limit the amount of resentment you create in others.

You apologize for crossing boundaries.

### Problem with Hx2

You turn your friends into hidden enemies.

You cause other people to resent you.

You get blindsided by avoidable problems.

### House Expression Need (Hx2n)

... check your blind spot.

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