



GEMINI 2016 NEWSLETTER Compliments of Alice DeVille

When I want to talk politics or listen to an insightful debate, I phone a Gemini, this month's featured birthday honoree. Geminis love to have their brain picked and will devote hours to giving you all the information you need to make a good decision. While your calendar may be filled with diverse celebratory events to attend during late May and June, be sure to include witty Gemini individuals in your social plans. You'll enjoy their entertaining conversation and quick minds while you hold events to commemorate their birthdays.

IMPORTANT DATES

MAY 30: Memorial Day

JUNE 14: Flag Day

JUNE 19: Fathers' Day

June 20: Summer Solstice begins at 6:34 PM EDT

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Congratulations to RL for winning the 2016 Moon Sign Annual at the April drawing. **Happy 17th Anniversary to K&J.** **Happy 31st Anniversary to B&M!** The winner of May's client drawing will receive a copy of the 2016 Herbal Almanac. Winners receive notification via e-mail on the last day of the month. The drawing is open to all clients who schedule a consultation of one hour or more. June's drawing is a \$10 gift certificate to apply toward any consultation or report order.

Cyber Threats: Scammers are playing the odds that you have received new chip embedded credit cards and are contacting Internet users randomly saying they need more information from you to keep your account secure; they are using this tactic with bank accounts as well. Continue to avoid those pesky e-mail chain letter scams. **Do not open or respond to the e-mail - delete immediately.** Send to SPAM.

GEMINI and THE YEAR AHEAD: **Happy Birthday, Gemini!** Your Sun Sign rules the chest cavity, hands, arms and shoulders in the communication-oriented 3rd House of brothers, sisters, cousins and other relatives as well as neighbors, classes and workshops, communities, education, transportation (all forms including purchasing and repairing of vehicles), media interests and networks, (phones, computers, faxes,

Internet, social networks), writing and the diverse facets of your mind, especially how it works and the impact on your mental state. The 3rd house of the chart, regardless of Sun sign, describes your intellect and how you converse with others or form creative relationships; it's natural ruler is Mercury. Gemini's symbol is the Twins making you simultaneously an air and a mutable sign. Your deductive skills go a long way in helping you converse with people, analyze all types of problems and share your ideas. You have a great sense of humor and an abundance of information to share with others and enjoy the social scene to recharge your batteries. This year the Sun enters your sign on May 20 at 10:36 AM EDT and leaves on June 20 at 6:34 PM EDT.

Jupiter in Virgo is wrapping up a trip through your solar 4th house of home, family, stability, base of operation, relatives, especially parents where it remains until September 10, 2016. For many of you this transit of Jupiter means you are having greater than normal activity in the house, you may have taken on remodeling or redecorating tasks, added to the landscape, sold a home or will soon and some of you moved more than once often to a different locale. Add color to your décor with a fresh coat of paint. Seek advice of experts if you have important documents to sign. **When Jupiter moves to Libra in September it stays in your 5th House** of recreation, socializing, sports and children, themes which will emerge more profoundly on your horizon. You also have **Venus in Gemini moving** rapidly through your 1st house from May 25 through June 18 giving a boost to your social life as well as romance. Some of you could start a home-based business and entertain more than usual in your home. **Saturn is retrograde in Sagittarius and continues to focus on relationships in your solar 7th House of partners.** This house covers both business and intimate partnerships including spouses, roommates, significant others, personal relationships, advisors, legal and medical professionals and collaborators. Get to the heart of the matter if there is tension afoot. With Saturn here in the 7th you are either taking a serious look at a potential partner or looking for a way to bow out of a relationship that is just not working. Although you will have to level with a partner it does not have to be painful or make you feel guilty, especially if you tell the truth about your feelings. Enjoy what you have in common with dear ones and professional colleagues. Saturn sheds light on collaborative dynamics. **Mars is retrograde in Sagittarius in your 7th House and on May 28 goes into Scorpio and your 6th House of work and health. It gives you a break from dealing with testy partnership issues but will probably affect your work environment and any health matters that need attention.** While still in Scorpio Mars goes direct on June 29 and heads back to your solar 7th House on August 2 giving you a chance to release any anger related to partnerships and collaborations. Avoid impulsiveness, and erratic verbal exchanges especially during the Mercury retrograde period that ends on May 22. **Uranus in Aries most affects those of you born June 6-17** while it travels through your Solar 11th House all year. That house signifies friendships, associations, goals and wishes. Although a favorable transit for you that could bring a new group of friends, associates or even a new love interest, you may also have to contend with transiting Pluto in Capricorn in your 8th House of debt, intimacy, joint funds and depth of feelings. You can count on a few twists and turns and unexpected events during this cycle. Social activity may accelerate with big networking payoffs through October and beyond depending on the aspects in your chart. **Neptune in Pisces falls in your solar 10th House of career matters and relationships with higher authorities, those in charge, parents and family status and ambition or goals you desire at the present time. If you have entertained doubts about the career environment, or are questioning current direction, be**

prepared for a slow reveal. Those born May 27-June 4 experience the most change and probably the most confusion as you work out the details. Someone may not be telling the truth. Spiritual guidance emerges to help you solve problems, take you in a new work direction or give you a hand in changing the status quo. If you find yourself in a quandary over mission and vision it may be time to dust off your resume. Self-confidence leads the way to goal realization. **Pluto in Capricorn connects with Geminis born June 6-10 in your solar 8th House of finances, debt and money you owe, credit management, estate matters, joint assets, winnings, wills, sex, birth, death, regeneration, and psychological depth.** The intensity in this solar house has been around you since 2008 and gives you the resolve to meet your goals involving purchasing power, debt reduction, spending habits and investments. Pluto is at home in the 8th house, its natural habitat so the lessons are life changing. Intimacy and passion and for some coming clean about an affair may be part of the cycle especially since Pluto is still clashing with Uranus in Aries in your solar 11th House of friendships and associates. Be patient while you develop a strategy for success. Think about what you want to eliminate in your life. What would you put in its place? Your analytical prowess comes through for you leading to greater recognition that naturally attracts the celebrations and wins in your life. Balance is beautiful.

The first two eclipses that affect you in 2016 have already occurred. The first fell on March 8, a solar eclipse in Pisces in your 10th House of career and status and plays out through September 16. This Moon's theme suggests that you are undergoing new experiences related to your job, career, sense of responsibility or status in life. What a great time to land a plum assignment, move to a new location, retire or make cherished plans for your future. Enjoy the positive influence of individuals who value your talent and put it to work in the next phase of your career. Seek advice as you implement desired goals. **The second eclipse of the year is a full moon eclipse that fell on March 23 in Libra and has influence on your solar 5th House of romance, play time, recreation, social life and children through the end of September.** All eyes are on your children if you have them or on developing relationships. If you're single or recently found a new love, the partnership may become more permanent. Those of you who found all the flaws in existing connections may be making your grand exit in the next few months; for some of you the relationship was more of a business arrangement that did not pan out. Be on the lookout for some fascinating communicators at upcoming events and turn on the charm. **When the next solar eclipse hits, it activates your solar 4th House of home, foundation, family and base of operation on September 1 in Virgo.** An eclipse in this position inspires you to do a massive clean-up job on your home from top to bottom; to clean out closets and bag up your treasures for charity, execute another phase of remodeling your home or put it on the market for sale. This eclipse will call attention to domestic matters and to a variety of family members. This eclipse influences your chart through February 2017. **Many Geminis experience significant activity in the 10th House of authority figures, career, family, ambition, responsibility and transitions related to these themes when the September 16 full moon eclipse occurs in Pisces.** Any activity you put in motion back in March is likely to come to a head related to new ventures and a shift in direction. Sudden occurrences change your plans. You could be the recipient of much praise and recognition or find that others notice a difference in your attitude and behavior. If you take on a new leadership role, you will meet many dynamic new contacts. Shared dreams materialize. Enjoy the

rewards that are part of your birthday cycle. Remember that these passages may also apply to those of you with Gemini on the Ascendant.

Famous Geminis include: Miles Davis, John Wayne, Bob Hope, John F. Kennedy, Clint Eastwood, Colin Farrell, Marilyn Monroe, Angelina Jolie, Johnny Depp, Natalie Portman, Elizabeth Hurley, Courtney Cox, Ian McKellen, Paul McCartney, Kristen Alderson, Drew Carey, Bob Dillon, Paul McCartney, Anderson Cooper, Neil Patrick Harris, Kristen Scott Thomas, Naomi Campbell, John C. Reilly, Stevie Nicks, Joseph Fiennes, Mike Myers, Kylie Minogue, Barbara and George H.W. Bush, Pam Grier, Wynonna Judd, Cornel West, Alanis Morissette, Morgan Freeman, Heidi Klum, Kenny G, Mark Wahlberg, Sandra Bernhard, Liam Neeson, Prince, Tom Jones, Joan Rivers, Kanye West, Michael J. Fox, Tim Allen, Boy George, Helen Hunt, Joyce Carol Oates, Yasmine Bleeth, Newt Gingrich, Venus Williams, Kathleen Turner, Paula Abdul, John Goodman, Bill Moyers, and Nicole Kidman.

May 20-JUNE 20 PLANET ACTIVITY

Shifting Skies: As we start the Gemini cycle, **Mercury is retrograde at 14 degrees of Taurus** and goes direct at 9:20 AM on May 22. Several readers shared Mercury retrograde stories with me: missed appointments, contractors who did not show up as scheduled, ill-fitting contact lenses, missing mail, communications mix-ups, gifts misdirected, confusing correspondence - you know, the usual. If you played your cards right you were able to complete projects, do your homework, write letters and go through closets and drawers to purge what you no longer need. **Venus wraps up in late Taurus** on the 24th, speeds through Gemini and moves to Cancer on June 18. Enjoy a lively social life. **Mars is retrograde in a long passage through Sagittarius, moves to Scorpio** on May 28 and mostly affects the activity and energy patterns of late-born Scorpios in this cycle. **Jupiter in Virgo covers 13-15 degrees of the sign this month and most affects those of you born September 4-8; Jupiter favorably aspects Taurus born May 2-6, and Capricorn born January 3-7; and challenges Sagittarius born December 4-8, Pisces born March 2-6 and Gemini born June 2-7.** Jupiter moved direct on May 8 and favors purchasing big ticket items, homes or vehicles. Check with your astrologer before signing important papers or dealing with legal matters. Look for shifts in health matters or schedule needed surgery. **Saturn in Sagittarius is retrograde and most affects those born December 4-8,** Pisces born March 2-6, and Gemini born June 2-7 and Virgo born September 4-8. A Saturn-Neptune hard aspect on June 17 may cause temporary confusion or put a crimp in undertakings. Look for support from others from a variety of sources. Restructuring organizations is in the wind. **Uranus in Aries travels at 22-23 degrees** in harsh although diminishing aspect to Pluto in Capricorn; those born under the signs Aries, Cancer, Libra and Capricorn or with planets at the 22nd through 23rd degree could see unanticipated events occur out of the blue or find that major life changes emerge in the next several weeks - the aspect plays out all year especially due to retrograde activity of these planets. Be flexible and seek advice so you have options for solving dilemmas. Uranus transits are main players in weather patterns, especially thunder and lightning strikes, earthquakes, tornados, fires (occurring as I write this section), train crashes and taxing war games that affect the lives of citizens in the US and abroad.

As we move into the early days of Gemini, turf protection is in the wind and will be especially noticeable in political campaigns and negotiations. Mars, Pluto and

Vesta are at hard angles to one another so no one wants to bend. The Sun opposes Mars on the 22nd (and Mercury goes direct) so the energy that week is very heated and issues may not be resolved until the 28th and beyond. As we move closer to the end of the month and into early June we experience the calm before the storm. It could feel like dead energy before activities start rolling again. Mercury opposes Mars on the 9th so bite your tongue or be prepared for some heady exchanges. **Neptune in Pisces goes retrograde on June 13 and stays retrograde until November 19. The planet joins the Sun of Pisces born February 29-March 3. Enjoy the spiritual energy and romance yet be aware of deceptive energy especially around the 13th when Neptune squares Vesta, a moon wobble occurs (in the aftermath of Mercury direct that stirs up emotions) and focus is way off for many.** You will hear from individuals who are confused over what direction to take in life. The aspect shows up in the natal charts of con artists and schemers, so watch financial transactions or scheduling meetings with Ponzi scheme types. Enjoy planning trips, writing prose or poetry, taking in a summer flick or pursuing romantic relationships. **Pluto in retrograde motion during this cycle moves slowly in Capricorn on the Sun of members born at the 17th and 16th degrees of the sign, approximately January 9-7.** The transit reflects catharsis so anything you are ready to eliminate that is holding you back goes on the front burner for action. What would you like to have instead? Attract that vision. Enjoy any down time by doing research, reading mystery and adventure books, sprucing up your appearance and evaluating the doubts you bury inside. Get ready for a breakthrough in early summer. **Aries, Cancer and Libra with planets at 17-16 degrees also feel the transit.** From a global standpoint revelation is in the air while disclosures of a political and financial nature emerge. **Chiron in Pisces** is direct at 24 degrees although it will go retrograde at 25 degrees on June 28 just after we enter the sign Cancer. Release painful memories and opt for healing your past if you are Pisces born around the 13th - 16th of March. The truth sets you free; seek advice if you need more options. Then get ready for summer fun, adventure and family reunions.

LUNAR/SOLAR CYCLES

MAY 21: Full Moon in Sagittarius, 5:15 PM EDT, 1° 14'

JUNE 4: New Moon in Gemini, 10:59 PM EDT, 14° 53'

JUNE 20: Full Moon in Sagittarius, 7:02 AM EDT, 29° 32'

JUNE 20: Sun Enters Cancer, 6:34 PM EDT, Summer Begins

PEOPLE, PLACES, EVENTS, AND TOPICS IN THE NEWS

Dancing with the Stars heads for the last week of this season's exciting competition. The couples left standing are stellar performers. Voters narrowed down the field to include Capricorn **Ginger Zee** with her Aries partner **Val Chmerkovskiy**; Taurus **Nyle DiMarco** with his Aquarius partner **Peta Murgatroyd**; and Aries **Paige Van Zandt** and her Gemini partner **Mark Ballas**. Congratulations to all who competed in Season 22. Stay tuned. This newsletter will be posted on my website www.astrologyondemand.com.

Presidential Campaign: Tuesday's primaries brought the campaign frontrunners, Hillary Clinton and Donald Trump closer to accumulating the requisite number of delegates to clinch the nomination. They will be able to capture them by June 7. Then the fun begins as they head for their respective party conventions.

Alex Guarnaschelli: This celebrity chef is a Gemini born June 20 in New York City. Viewers know her from various Food Network Shows including Iron Chef America, All Star Family Cook-Off, The Best Thing I Ever Ate and Alex's Day Off. She is currently the Executive Chef at Butter, located in NYC. Her chart has an abundance of air and water placements making her a communicator, creator of unique recipes, a versatile chef and an excellent judge and food analyst (Saturn, Venus and Sun in Gemini, Mercury, Mars and South Node in Cancer, and Juno, Uranus and the Moon in Libra).

Prince: I always like to include someone with a birthday in the sign covered and Prince is a perfect fit. This multi-talented artist and performer stayed true to his roots, was born in Minneapolis, MN and still called it home until his death on April 21. News broke that he did not have a will and with all of the holdings he has and future income prospects it could be a while before his estate settles especially as new heirs come forward. It appears that drugs played a leading role in his death. Prince was a Gemini with a Scorpio Ascendant, Moon in early Pisces on his 4th House cusp, Pluto, his chart ruler in late Leo sat on his 10th House cusp (same 29th degree as the fixed star, Regulus, a fated tie - ask Donald Trump), and support for his Gemini Sun with Mercury and Vesta in Gemini showing his workaholic tendencies. He had a harmonious Sun trine Jupiter aspect that surely aided him in amassing great wealth for his talents and enterprises. The world will enjoy his gifts for years to come.

READERS' CORNER

Thank you for the many questions and comments you sent during the past month. Your responsiveness to both the self-employed individual and to the credit material was overwhelming. Several readers wanted to know how I knew so much about credit management - I am also a former realtor who counseled clients before we went house hunting on how to manage credit and handle credit inquiries through the house hunting process and beyond. Many readers want more information like this tied to charts. A number of readers reacted to the aggravation of the self-employed consultant, suggested that he not answer the phone when it wasn't convenient and to ignore the questions. One reader said if callers ask personal questions to just say "I'll pretend I didn't hear that question if you'll agree that I don't have to answer it." Here are matters of concern for this month's column.

Q. I want to know more about Mercury - not because it is inconveniently retrograde but in terms of my current relationship which has abundant communication issues. His Mercury is in Taurus and mine is in Gemini. Our approaches to problem-solving, making decisions and taking action are very different yet he is kind, patient and a good listener and has my heart most of the time. I know we are both frustrated with the increasing impasses. Is this a deal breaker?

A. I smiled on reading your note. With this relationship dynamic you probably feel Mercury is retrograde all the time. Your partner was **born** with Mercury retrograde so that energy seems normal to him and he likes to take his time in making decisions - wants to be sure and won't be pushed. His Mercury is also in a hard angle to your Moon in Leo so he may seem reluctant to take action or just doesn't fully understand what you mean at the time you say it. I'll bet you get lots of follow-up questions and you no doubt ask them yourself when you don't see results. Mercury in

Gemini has many interests, enjoys communicating, savors intelligence and gets bored (or edgy) if a topic keeps rebounding or goes nowhere. His Moon on your Venus in Cancer means he adores you yet you don't have as much in common as you would like. You crave variety and new experiences while he hangs on to the status quo until he sees a need to make a change. First begin by sitting down at an agreeable time and note what each of you likes about the other and what pushes the buttons. Write these items down and discuss. Then work on your relationship with a relationship astrologer or trusted advisor using your list as a starting point - should be very enlightening.

Q. Last year I ran into a couple I know at a social event who rent a condo in an area that is on my dream list. They told me they would be getting married in 2017 but were going to buy a home this year and would let me know so I could make arrangements to rent theirs. I was so excited because this location and everything about the condo is ideal for me. I thought about it every day and anticipated moving by June, even told my landlord I was probably going to move. I did not hear anything from the couple by the end of April so I phoned them to check on the timetable. They told me they were staying another year, wanted to save more so they could purchase a larger home, and had moved their marriage date to 2018. I am very angry that the couple never mentioned the change in their plans since we have seen each other at numerous social events. What do you see in my chart? Should I hang on longer in hope of renting this gem?

A. Next time don't say anything to the landlord until you actually have a deal. You are a Virgo with Gemini on the Ascendant and Virgo with Mercury (communication) as the ruler on the cusp of your 4th House of home and foundation. You have been experiencing eclipses through your 4th and 10th Houses during this cycle and the eclipse on March 8 was directly opposite Mercury in your natal chart indicating some type of shakeup in plans, agreements and contracts that affect living conditions and your status quo. You also have Jupiter in Virgo near your Sun and it just went direct so real estate deals are on the horizon. Don't waste your anger on the couple. On September 1 another eclipse will take place in your 4th house on your Virgo Sun indicating that a major shift is in the wind. I would drop the idea of getting that particular condo. Your chart looks ideal for taking action much sooner than in 2017. What I actually see here is that you will find another home in the same neighborhood that is probably going on the market in June or July and is an even better fit. It appears to be a sale rather than a rental. You will have an opportunity to move by the end of September. Happy House Hunting!

CONFIDENTIAL TO AGE GAP WHO HAS YET TO MEET THE PARENTS: You need to ask your 37-year-old Gemini why he is afraid to tell his parents that you are 11 years younger since he keeps postponing an introduction. Perhaps his real concern is that you may not make it as a couple. After his three failed relationships with other younger partners don't bother blaming his Leo Sun and Ascendant or your Taurus Moon for his reluctance to commit and get the families acquainted.

Thank you to all who sent in questions and comments about earlier newsletters. I appreciate your feedback on the Taurus issue and welcome your thoughts on this one.

QUOTE OF THE MONTH: "Love grows happy hearts." Unknown

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- Tuesday: 12-6 pm.
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Happy Memorial Day, Happy Fathers' Day to the Dads, and Congratulations to the Grads.

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