



## VIRGO 2019 NEWSLETTER Compliments of Alice DeVille

The 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September falls on a Monday and honors America's workers on Labor Day. Right afterward, students across the nation begin the school year. Meanwhile, Virgo, the second Mercury-ruled sign proudly offers common sense and solutions for organizing the return to classes. The holiday celebrates the American labor movement and those who make contributions to the prosperity of our country. Enjoy this day off by relaxing while you honor productivity and work accomplishments. Virgo enjoys partying. Treat your favorite Virgo to a gourmet feast of fresh, tasty foods including dishes from summer's bounty, an appealing fruity punch and a decadent chocolate dessert. Your thoughtful remembrance appeals to the sentimental nature of Virgo's heart.

### Important Dates

September 2: Labor Day  
September 8: Grandparents' Day  
September 11: Eighteenth Anniversary of 9/11; Patriot Day  
September 23: Autumn Begins

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Happy birthday to JB and MB; happy anniversary to M&P

**Security:** Trending this month are credit monitoring breaches and credit card scams. Be sure to check credit bureaus for your annual free credit report to make sure everything you are doing has integrity and does not include transactions that are not yours. Run your computer protection programs often to make sure data is safe. Winner of the July client drawing was WC; August's drawing will be for a \$10 gift certificate to apply to your next consultation. Book a one-hour or more consultation to be eligible for the September drawing.

### VIRGO'S BIRTHDAY HIGHLIGHTS

**Happy Birthday, Virgo!** One of your most active houses this year is your 5<sup>th</sup> house of dating, children, romance, vacations, social events, speculation and entertainment. Not only are Saturn and Pluto moving through Capricorn in harmonious aspect to your Sun, but Jupiter joins them on December 3 giving you even greater opportunities to bond with important connections. Eclipses in Capricorn fall here now

adding unexpected twists and turns that carry forward into 2020. Uranus in Taurus shakes up awareness in your 9<sup>th</sup> House of long distance travel and the higher mind, and relationships get high visibility with Neptune transiting your 7<sup>th</sup> House of partners. You are the Mercury-led sign that has rulership over the 6<sup>th</sup> house of work, daily environments and routines, health consciousness, medical advice, pets, colleagues, alternative medicine, workouts, nutrition, certain medications, herbs, spices, your kitchen's utility, pets the size of dogs or smaller, vitamins, efficiency of output, body workers and assimilation of facts and information. A Virgo or an individual with well-placed planets in the 6<sup>th</sup> House probably thrives on work designed to organize practices or edit materials, often revising the operating guidelines to flow more efficiently. Mercury drives your mental state attracting you to employment in communication-oriented careers, fact-finding and research firms, libraries, think tanks, body working, health fields, publications (writing, editing, journalism and collaborative ventures), problem-solving or administrative support roles. Virgos enjoy taking charge and looking for whatever needs attention, using systems that keep them on top of work and social scheduling. Certain Virgos excel at space management and design. Other Virgos prefer healing modalities, massage, nursing, x-ray technician fields and veterinary medicine. Whether creating light fare, a full banquet or family feasts, you can cook with the best of them without sacrificing the nutritional value of food. The only issue that gets in the way is being too frugal in purchasing food so that quality suffers. Many a Virgo owns a restaurant or catering firm. A plus is that your sign understands planning processes and thrives on using them for daily balance. Virgo rules the bowels and intestines; digestion problems may pester you, while some Virgos are hypochondriacs, pop vitamins excessively, or can be germaphobes. You can be picky about certain people or life conditions and won't give a pass to those you dislike. Although known for preferring an orderly environment, certain Virgos avoid domestic chores like cleaning the oven, scrubbing the toilets and general housekeeping until the dirt piles up. With your exhausted eyes trained on the work environment, you might consider hiring a maid and spending down time relaxing your brain. This year the Sun enters your sign on August 23 at 6:03 AM EDT and leaves on September 23 at 3:51 AM EDT.

Your birthday year starts out with **Mars is in Virgo in your 1<sup>st</sup> house for the entire month giving you an energetic approach to problem solving and the passion for cleaning up the backlog of files, mail, laundry and household chores.** Enjoy the rebounding energy and vigor while you can. Develop new systems to streamline tasks. Work on your appearance if you desire a makeover. **Jupiter is in Sagittarius in its final months** in your solar 4<sup>th</sup> house of home, hearth, family, especially the nurturing parent, base of operation, end of matters, depth of emotional makeup, houses, land and personal space. If you have been looking to sell or buy a home, you have a good chance at a contract before Jupiter moves to your 5<sup>th</sup> house in Capricorn in early December. Due to work place changes, you may have been working from home more than usual this year enjoying a change of pace and quiet time to concentrate on details without disruption. The pressure is on to perform and so is the opportunity for rewards. A work schedule, travel or job change is possible for many Virgos. While Jupiter opposes Neptune most of September, identify and work through sources of stress and mixed messages. Be sure to schedule health and dental checkups. **Jupiter moves to Capricorn and your 5<sup>th</sup> House of romance, children, games, recreation, speculation and vacation on December 3, 2019,** indicating those you enjoy socializing with compete for your attention for the next year and you want to have fun

and relax. How is your entrepreneurial spirit? Could this be the year you start your own business or opt for freelance work? A family member or two may ask to join you on a pleasure trip this year and share lodgings. Enjoy team sports with the family, too. **Saturn in Capricorn is in a 2-1/2-year cycle in this sign and occupies your 5<sup>th</sup> House** of entertainment, romance, social life, vacations, recreation, fitness programs, sports, children, coaching, taking risks, self-employment and speculative ventures. Saturn isn't alone, either. Along with Jupiter who joins in early December, Pluto has been hanging out since 2008 and eclipses in Capricorn (3 this year) have made a statement as well putting pressure on you to change the dynamics of your leisure time and select activities that are not necessarily in your wheel house. Invitations come your way, yet other commitments preclude you from accepting as many as you would like. Sightseeing is both enjoyable and educational - take photos or videos. Those of you less flexible about eating out, might want to try a new venue every other month to stretch your comfort zone. With Saturn in the 5<sup>th</sup> House, a number of scenarios unfold that allow you to work from your home office instead of from the corporate environment. Enjoy the change. Virgos born September 6-23 see the most action through September 2020. Saturn ventures briefly into Aquarius from March 22-July 1 in the first few teaser degrees. **Enjoy the surprises you experience without fear of the new territory.** Keep plans flexible. **Erratic Uranus is fully vested in appeasement-oriented Taurus and connects powerfully with Virgos born August 25-September 4 in your solar 9<sup>th</sup> House of long-distance travel, higher education, spiritual interests, foreigners and their cultures, in-laws, politics, journalism and career moves.** Changes unfold out of the blue even though you try your best to control the energy. Core values undergo attitudinal shifts based on how relationships play out - new ones or existing connections. Disruptions reflect schedule modification and discussing details with others to work out the best solutions. Your travel schedule has less flexibility for the rest of 2019, but meetings, conferences and vacations elicit conversations that call for joint planning and coordination in 2020. Certain Virgos may move for a promotion, merger or company reorganization. Some of you enroll in a graduate program, study foreign languages or cultures, or negotiate a transfer to a new location. Loosen up the old garbage including psychological drama that keeps you from taking freeing risks. Seek advice to entertain workable options. Examine financial assets and plan for a secure future. **Neptune in Pisces contacts your Virgo Sun via opposition through the end of your 2019-20 birthday cycle in your solar 7<sup>th</sup> House of both business and personal partners, the public, marriage and roommate alliances, and cooperative ventures especially if you were born September 7-13.** When new romantic partners enter your life, if eligible, be sure to assess compatibility thoroughly and get to know the individual. Take similar precautions in your work life and determine viability with those you consider for a partnership or long-term collaboration. If considering a roommate, examine natal charts and do a credit check to make sure financial interests are on track. Romance is good for your soul when the timing and mojo are right. When confusion surfaces and has you wondering what you're missing, start asking questions and keep them coming if information is too vague. You can also be way too picky especially when you don't understand another's mind set. Be sure to listen and ask questions to clarify understanding instead of jumping to false conclusions or you'll drop contacts who care without considering their feelings. Get clear of Neptune's foggy thinking pattern and dissolve boundaries that attract negative energy and create confusion. Neptune's aura helps you loosen up, create trust and let others share your life. Clear vision rocks. Respect the true essence of others and select coaches and advisors with the utmost honesty. Neptune in Pisces

remains active until 2025 influencing your solar 7<sup>th</sup> House. **Pluto in Capricorn is in your solar 5<sup>th</sup> House of social and romantic life, sports, children, competition, risk taking, speculation, outdoor activity, vacation destinations and dating and resonates strongly with Virgos born September 12-17 through the next 12 months of your birthday cycle. Keep eliminating old and stale concepts while you embrace ways to increase your personal power. Pluto is in a positive trine aspect to your Sun and reveals ways to enjoy life and appreciate fun and adventure.** You have plenty of company in this house with transiting Saturn in Capricorn moving through it and in December, Jupiter enters Capricorn, along with another eclipse in summer 2020, making this one highly stimulated house in your chart. While you pride yourself on having superior organizational skills, you run into conflicts sticking to planned routines due to outside influences. Be sure to balance the work with down time and enjoyment. The 5<sup>th</sup> house represents creativity and play. Stay in touch with friends and relatives by phoning them or connecting on social media instead of hiding behind work-related excuses. Even if the volume of tasks has increased and will continue to do so with Saturn in Capricorn falling in this house for the next 2+ years, take time to reach out. You'll be glad you did. Build relationships with children and loved ones. Be on target with your life plans and embrace the feeling of love joyfully. Address potentially difficult family differences to avoid permanent rifts. Accept responsibility for changes that are unfolding and embrace progressive movement. If you have met a potential love partner, this relationship could lead to an engagement. While Pluto stays close in the next 6 years, explore adventures and savor the new insight.

The year 2019 has five eclipses that affect you through December 2019 and you have already experienced all but the last one. In 2020 6 more eclipses affect your chart; 4 before your 2019-20 cycle ends. The influence of eclipses can last up to 12 months or more and you sometimes experience changes that occur ahead of time. Although two eclipses occurred in January of 2019, only three of the remaining 2019 eclipses still apply to your chart as your 2019 forecast overview begins. They highlight several of your solar houses in this order: 11<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> and the 2020 eclipses fall in your solar 11<sup>th</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> houses in that order through your 2019-20 birthday cycle. The main emphases show how you are handling group involvement, friendships, goals and social events (11<sup>th</sup>); romance, children, sports, vacation and risk taking (5<sup>th</sup>); home, family, personality and foundations (4<sup>th</sup>). **The second New Moon eclipse of 2019 fell on July 2<sup>nd</sup> in Cancer in your 11<sup>th</sup> House of groups, friendships, the organization's resources, associations, humanitarian endeavors, goals, wishes, plans and dreams and affects you through January 10.** What goals and dreams drive your interests now? Those are the areas to look for establishing new relationships and embracing meaningful change. When others are in sync with your philosophy, you expand your outlook in life. Part of this cycle is identifying a new playing field and fitting in with new groups including those tied to your work organization. Enjoy reunions and unexpected encounters with people from your past. **A second lunar eclipse that affects your social life, romantic encounters, children and their activities, sports and entertainment occurred in Capricorn on July 16<sup>th</sup> in your solar 5<sup>th</sup> House and plays out through December 26<sup>th</sup> also in this house.** You could be high on the list of social demand with a profusion of invitations coming your way through June 2020. Enjoy surprise calls or visits from those you least expect. Enjoy getting out in the world and rubbing elbows in diverse realms. **The last solar eclipse of 2019 occurs on December 26<sup>th</sup> in your solar 5<sup>th</sup> House** of children, students, teams, sports, amusement, entertainment venues,

romance, speculation and vacation. If you feel like you have little down time in this nearly year-long cycle, you probably don't. For some of you, children's schedules take center stage; for others romantic interludes sparkle with a variety of interests; others deal with teams and music or show business. Discuss your challenges. If surgery is in the cards, allow sufficient time to recuperate. Many Virgos care for sick family and friends, while others recover from traumatic events; some attend funerals for people in their circle. Strong accolades for a stellar performance give Virgos a boost of confidence and in some cases a promotion or substantial bonus. By the end of 2019 you will have experienced significant change and met several goals. **In 2020, 6 eclipses occur and this writeup covers four of them which fall before your 2020 birthday. The first lunar eclipse of 2020 falls in Cancer on January 10<sup>th</sup> in your Solar 11<sup>th</sup> House of associations, groups, friendships, humanitarian matters, politics, goals, wishes, plans and leadership roles.** This eclipse position calls attention to your superior analytical skills and your interest in seeking out or joining new professional or political groups. Networking stands out during 2020 as you eliminate trite connections and opt to build new, more meaningful memberships. Limitations related to location occur; discuss expenses calling for reasonable solutions. **The second full Moon eclipse occurs in Sagittarius on June 5 in your solar 4<sup>th</sup> House of home, family, base of operation, foundation, end of matters, redecorating, gardening and landscaping.** What changes are you planning for your home - remodeling the interior or sprucing up the exterior with elegant plants, fresh veggies or stone walkways? Maybe you are adding a deck or patio to maximize entertainment options. Some of you have to resolve conflicts of interest with one or more family members who have style differences and ask for more input to plans. Be sure to negotiate so costs don't escalate due to design changes that could have been worked out beforehand. Take a breather to enjoy down time to meditate, read and relax. **The first solar eclipse of 2020 falls in Cancer on June 21, the day of the summer solstice, in your solar 11<sup>th</sup> House of associations, groups, friendships, humanitarian matters, politics, goals, wishes, plans and leadership roles.** This position places emphasis on your desire to set and implement goals, plans and lifetime dreams. You've been cleaning house in the group membership department and are busy choosing new options in organizations with a better fit for your emerging outlook. This eclipse leads to new professional connections or could also help you examine workplace assets. **The 3rd Full Moon eclipse of 2020 falls in Capricorn on July 5 in your solar 5<sup>th</sup> House, currently one of the most important departments in your chart with eclipses and three transiting planets located here - Jupiter (December 2019), Saturn and Pluto.** You have decisions to make about children and their interests, business investments, creative ventures, recreational pursuits and your social life and vacations. Single Virgos may get engaged or marry. Romantic partners appear with no apparent effort - at work, on vacation, at sport and entertainment events and even at PTA meetings. Children's interests bring fun and adventure while you make plans for recreational opportunities. Bonding with children is a strong priority for a number of Virgos by way of school interests and sports. If you have an entrepreneurial streak, new doors open. If you're game, you can market creative ideas and inventions or even start your own business. Publicity or acknowledgement of performance excellence is likely. Enjoy the exciting shifts these eclipses bring to heal, display happiness, uncover the predicaments and generate soul growth. The final two eclipses of 2020 occur in the fall and will be discussed in next year's Virgo update. This section may also be valid if your Ascendant or Rising Sign is in Virgo or you have multiple planets in the signs mentioned.

**Famous Virgos include:** Adam Sandler, River Phoenix, Hugh Grant, Amy Irving, Kobe Bryant, Rick Springfield, Melissa McCarthy, Steve Guttenberg, Dave Chappelle, Billy Ray Cyrus, Claudia Schiffer, Sean Connery, Rupert Grint, Chad Michael Murray, Jack Black, Regis Philbin, Gene Simmons, Rachel Bilson, Elvis Costello, Macaulay Culkin, Sarah Chalke, Paul Reubens, Jason Priestly, LeAnn Rimes, David Arquette, Pink, Colin Firth, Shania Twain, Michael Jackson, Cameron Diaz, Van Morrison, Joan Jett, Faith Hill, Pink, Richard Gere, Gloria Estefan, Mark Harmon, Lily Tomlin, Keanu Reeves, Charlie Sheen, Jada Pinkett Smith, Freddie Mercury, Marc Anthony, Guy Richie, Shannon Elizabeth, Ludacris, Salma Hayek, Beyoncé Knowles, Raquel Welch, Rosie Perez, Rachel Hunter, Michelle Williams, Lance Armstrong, Tyler Perry, Rachel Ward, Fiona Apple, Charles Kuralt, Ryan Phillippe, Virginia Madsen, Rachel Ward, Fiona Apple, Sam Neill, Leonard Cohen, Trisha Yearwood, Amy Poehler, Tommy Lee Jones, David Copperfield, Mickey Rourke, Jeremy Irons, Jimmy Fallon, Sophia Loren, Bill Murray, Luke Wilson, Faith Hill, Rose McGowan, Jason Alexander, Nicole Richie, Ricki Lake, Stephen King, Eric Stoltz and Scott Baio.

### **PLANETS POSITIONS AUGUST 23-SEPTEMBER 23**

Eclipses create opportunities in the houses or departments of life in which they occur. Most of the 5 eclipses in 2019 are in Capricorn; 1 occurred in Leo and 1 in Capricorn in January, another in Capricorn in July; one in Cancer in July. The last eclipse of 2019 is solar on December 26, in Capricorn. If you are a member of any of these signs, be sure you understand the impact of these eclipses in your chart. Taurus, Scorpio, Aries and Libra should also pay attention to the houses these eclipses visit.

The Virgo cycle begins with **Mercury wrapping up a tour in Leo on August 29 and then heading rapidly for Virgo territory through September 14 and finishing up the Virgo cycle in Libra.** The Messenger of the Gods planet reminds us to be direct and sincere in the way we communicate using excellent listening skills to receive accurate interpretations in return. **Venus starts out in Virgo, keeps your spending habits in check and then lands in partnership-oriented Libra on September 15 for the rest of Virgo's period.** Romance is in the air with a Mercury-Venus conjunction. Check the wording in both business and luxury goods contracts as well as in pre-nuptial agreements. Mercury is in harmonious aspect to Venus at least through September 15 giving your social and romantic life a boost and strengthening communication. **Mars is in Virgo throughout the Virgo sun sign cycle this year promising passion, love and solid financial dealings.** You might feel the vibes of a harmonious relationship with Uranus in Taurus if you are a Virgo born the first 8 days of your sign. Check the house in your chart where Mars is traveling; be prepared for heated discussions related to house issues if tension is circulating. Take action where appropriate and enjoy the relief from blocked energy. Four other planets are retrograde: Saturn (going direct on September 18<sup>th</sup>), Uranus, Neptune and Pluto as well as Planetoid Chiron. **Jupiter moves ahead in Sagittarius during this cycle most affecting those born December 5-10. Wherever you find transiting Jupiter you have opportunities for expansion in the house where it appears in your chart. Enterprises include spirituality, higher education, travel, journalism, writing, foreigners and other cultures. Medical and legal professionals and in-laws may be prominent especially for those born on the above dates as well as Aries, Leos, Libras and Aquarians born with planets at 14-17 degrees of their sign or of Sagittarius.** Other signs might pay attention to the house where Sagittarius falls in your chart especially if you have planets at these degrees. Develop travel plans for business and pleasure, enjoy career enhancing courses, and

consult with medical or legal advisers as necessary. Certain individuals will be challenged to change habits and seek solutions to financial problem, especially Gemini, Virgo, Pisces, Taurus or Cancer with planets at 14-17 degrees of their signs. **Saturn in Capricorn is retrograde until September 18, 2019. Currently Saturn challenges Capricorns born January 3-6 as well as Aries born April 2-5, Cancers born July 4-7, and Libras born October 6-9.** Individuals born May 3-6, September 5-8, November 5-8 and March 3-6 get a boost in prosperity, when action that is in limbo resumes especially after September 18. Celebrate and experience relationship growth. When **Saturn is on your Sun** take a close look at limitations at work, with money, legal matters, and various aspects of your health including energy, vision, bones or dental work. **Retrograde Uranus in Taurus stations at 6 degrees and visits the Sun of those born April 26-28.** Readers should check charts for fixed planets at 6 degrees which point to disruptive activity, unexpected anger outbursts, testy communication, sudden moves or abrupt decisions. The fixed signs Leo, Scorpio and Aquarius with this early degree are likely to encounter volatile conditions. Those with planets in early Capricorn, Cancer, Virgo and Pisces at 6 degrees may benefit from positive experiences via unfolding plans, surprise bonuses, new people, reunions with old acquaintances, especially via unanticipated situations. Be vigilant regarding disruptive and erratic weather patterns that take September by storm. Use caution around slick predators, perpetrators of consumer crimes and thieves using Internet and telephone scams that are after your information. Stay calm and aware of the need to monitor situations that aid in weathering planetary and personal storms. Keep your eye on hidden anger or hostility in relationships at work or at home. **Neptune now retrograde in Pisces stations at 17 degrees, so look at your chart to locate planets or points in Pisces at this degree; the house where Pisces resides shows what type of activity may be occurring. Identify stuck patterns and do what it takes to change them, especially if Neptune is on your Sun, Ascendant, a house cusp or a planet. While retrograde now Neptune affects those born March 7-9.** Others dealing with eye-opening truths or blocks include Virgos, Geminis and Sagittarians with planets at 17 degrees. What makes you apprehensive? Do some meditating to examine fears and identify anxieties you hang on to, especially looking at the relationship you have with yourself. Once you embrace change, the Big Picture emerges adding validity and clarity to the confusion. Individuals born with planets at this degree of Cancer, Scorpio, Capricorn or Taurus benefit from this transit by creating opportunities for personal and professional growth. Authorities recognize your accomplishments; rewards come in the form of bonuses, raises or promotions. Buy a lottery ticket or enter a sweepstakes. **Retrograde Pluto ambles through Capricorn in harmonious aspect to Neptune on the Sun of members of the sign born January 10-12 at 20 degrees of the sign; those with an Ascendant at that point or other key planets feel the vibes.** The rest of the signs should look at any planets or houses where we have this degree opposing or squaring Capricorn, especially Cancer, Aries, and Libra who are undergoing health, relationship, career, real estate and financial challenges that are both subtle and intense in nature. Taurus, Virgo, Pisces and Scorpio benefit from positive vibes from the trine or sextile to the Sun or other planets. Think of Pluto as the planet that sends in the karma cleaners to dissolve stuck places. What karmic conditions have you discovered? Address them to eliminate misunderstandings, improve communication and build good will. When Pluto makes contact in your chart, transformed energy affects conditions in the house where Pluto resides. Look for situations that need your personal attention. Watch the unfolding circumstances and make note of unfolding shifts through the end of the year. **Chiron is retrograde in**

**early Aries at 5-4 degrees of the sign** most affecting those born March 24-27 of Aries. Take a close look at the pangs in your heart and find opportunities to heal by identifying what is eating at you. Analyze the reasons for the lingering old wounds that result in suppressed or sad feelings. Use yoga, meditation, relaxation responses and quiet escapes to reflect on issues. The location of Saturn in Capricorn is affecting healing at this time adding impact and insight.

### LUNAR/SOLAR CYCLES

**August 23:** Sun Enters Virgo 6:03 AM EDT

**August 30:** New Moon in Virgo, 6:38 AM EDT, 6° 18' 46"

**September 14:** Full Moon in Pisces, 12:33 AM EDT, 21° 05'

**September 23:** Sun Enters Libra, 3:51 AM EDT, Fall Equinox

### PEOPLE, PLACES AND TOPICS IN THE NEWS

A number of readers who responded to this section have questions about the White House messages that continue to contain discouraging or fear-ridden content. The latest is the dreaded economic downturn. Economists are warning that a major recession is coming. Astrologically, the evidence of this is the approaching Jupiter and Saturn conjunction that occurs in Aquarius on December 21, 2020. Jupiter-Saturn conjunctions occur every 20 years; the last one was May 28, 2000 in Taurus when Uranus in Aquarius was in hard aspect to this conjunction. You can be sure that transiting Uranus in Taurus will be in on the mix in late 2020. People in the news also caught others' attention and readers have asked about the charts of entertainment, political, and infamous figures. That's what I'll focus on today.

**Freddie Mercury:** Since the hit movie, *Bohemian Rhapsody*, bombarded the screens this year, many have asked about birth information on the film's subject, leader of the stellar band, Queen. Freddie was a Virgo born September 5. He died of AIDS in November 1991 yet the legend of this charismatic showman with the amazing four-octave voice lives on and draws new fans every year. He created the 7-minute mock opera masterpiece *Bohemian Rhapsody* in 1975 for Queen's album, *A Night At the Opera*. Freddie was a double Virgo, Sun and Ascendant, with the Moon in another mutable sign, Sagittarius, flanked by Pallas and the Part of Fortune. He had 5 planets in Venus-ruled and music-oriented Libra, most of which received a trine aspect to Uranus in Gemini in his 10<sup>th</sup> house of career and fame. Mercury's legacy lives on with continued appearances by Queen and fronted now by the incredible Adam Lambert, an Aquarius, along with two original members of the band, drummer Roger Taylor and guitarist Brian May. When Queen arrives in town, as they did in Tampa last week, an abundance of gifted performers appears on the stage, bringing down the house and wowing the audience.

**Toni Morrison:** The American novelist, essayist, editor, teacher and professor emeritus at Princeton University was born on February 18, an Aquarius, in Lorain, Ohio and died on August 5 in New York City. She was a Nobel and Pulitzer Prize winning author. Toni won the Pulitzer Prize and American Book Award for *Beloved* in 1987 that was later made into a movie starring Oprah Winfrey, Danny Glover and Thandie Newton. In 2012 she received the Presidential Medal of Freedom from President Barack Obama. Toni's chart shows her humanitarian Aquarian Sun conjunct compassionate Moon in Pisces. Mercury in altruistic, intelligent Aquarius indicates that

she wrote what she felt about feminism, politics, race relations and peace. Her prolific body of work includes novels, children's literature, short fiction, plays, non-fiction, documentaries and film for which she received accolades, awards and much deserved nominations. Rest in Peace.

**Jeffrey Epstein** was an American financier and convicted sex offender who began his career as a teacher before holding various positions in the banking and finance sector. This power broker with highly placed connections was born January 20, an Aquarius, in New York City. He took his life in the Metropolitan Correctional Center in NYC on August 10, leaving many persons connected with his sex trafficking and pedophile cases in limbo with no opportunity to have their stories heard in a court of law. Epstein's chart shows his Sun in Aquarius, Moon in Aries and an Aries Ascendant along with other planets (several in the 12<sup>th</sup> House of self-undoing) in Aries, Taurus, Cancer Pisces, Capricorn, Leo and Libra placements. On January 5 an eclipse in Capricorn hit Chiron-Mercury in his 10<sup>th</sup> House of career in exact opposition to Uranus in Cancer in his 4<sup>th</sup> House of home and end of life. That was the beginning of the end - total exposure for past misdeeds. And his place of death, allegedly by his own hand, was close to home in NYC's correctional center. More to come.

## READERS' CORNER

Readers weighed in on two items in last month's newsletter about the couple who grew ambivalent about having children and the woman who seeded the investment in a restaurant with money she received as an inheritance from her grandmother. Readers voted overwhelmingly that the couple forget about having children unless they were sure of their feelings about raising them. Most readers felt the woman acted responsibly in discharging debts first before buying a restaurant and felt she made the right move to start a new career while she had the financial backing and energy to put lots of passion into growing it successfully. A few made comments about her husband not understanding the importance of the timing and felt she should not have to wait until her children were out of college to follow her dream. This month's mailbag brought several questions related to Uranus. I hope you enjoy the information. Thanks to all who contributed.

**Q. Why am I moving so much?** What can you tell me about the planets' activity in my chart for the last 5 years? I have moved 4 times for different reasons and hope to stay put for a while. The first time, the landlord sold the building; the second time, the owner sold his property to a land developer; the third time I moved because I got a new job and lived too far away from work. At first the new location seemed ideal, but I soon realized I had to contend with overwhelming transportation and road construction issues that kept me on the road between 2.5 to 3 hours a day. Finally, I moved in April and hope this is the last move. What do you see? Will I stay?

**A.** You are a late-born Aries with Aquarius on the Ascendant and your Sun in the 3<sup>rd</sup> House of neighborhoods and transportation. Your Moon falls in your opposite sign, Libra in your 9<sup>th</sup> House of travel along with Jupiter, Saturn and Pluto in Libra. Besides the Sun, you have Mercury and Mars in Aries (all in late degrees of Aries) and Venus in early Taurus, all in the 3<sup>rd</sup> House. What a picture this configuration paints! On March 6, Uranus finally left the 7-year passage of Uranus in Aries and moved into Taurus. One month later you moved for the 4<sup>th</sup> time. Uranus can mean multiple moves

based on the planets in the affected houses, the degrees they occupy and other factors that contribute to disruption in one's life, such as eclipses, that often trigger changes. Uranus bounced on your Cardinal sign Aries planets several times and each time an unplanned set of circumstances led to a move. Since 2014, eclipses have affected major houses and planets in your chart - first eclipse occurred in October 2014 in Aries in your 3<sup>rd</sup> house of local environments when the landlord sold the building; the 2015 eclipses that affected you occurred in April (Libra, 9<sup>th</sup> House) and late September (3<sup>rd</sup> House in Aries when you learned the owner of the property you lived in was selling to a land developer and you would receive notice about when to vacate the property); you did not leave the second property until after April 2016 when you found the new job and relocated to a third place you thought was fine until you realized it wasn't. The 2017 eclipses landed in your 1<sup>st</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Houses in Aquarius and Leo and indicated you were more focused on doing well in your new job than you were in showing concern for your living quarters, so you did not move that year. All this time, Uranus in later degrees of Aries was making you restless in the place where you lived. You kept waiting for the other shoe to drop. Leo and Aquarius eclipses continued to dominate in 2018 except that one of them surfaced in July, in Cancer, in your 6<sup>th</sup> House of daily environments and work. No doubt the traffic and travel inconveniences picked up in scope and laid the groundwork for why 2018 was so disruptive. And Uranus moved in a teaser few degrees into Uranus in May 2018 only to move back to late degrees of Aries for another 6 months before finally leaving your sign by March 6 of this year. In 2019, the dominant eclipses are in Cardinal signs, Capricorn and Cancer and are making aspects to your Cardinal sign planets in Aries and Libra in your 3<sup>rd</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> Houses and accelerating the tension with your Sun, Moon, Mercury and Mars. Venus in your chart is at 1 degree of Taurus. Not surprisingly, you moved to your 4<sup>th</sup> location in April 2019 when Uranus was at 1 degree of Taurus. Right now Uranus is not going to return again to the 1<sup>st</sup> degree during this 7-year cycle through Taurus, but it did enter your 4<sup>th</sup> House of home on July 4<sup>th</sup>, at 6 degrees, went retrograde at 6 degrees of Taurus on August 11 and will not go direct again until January 10 when it stations at 2 degrees and goes back over the early degrees and your 6-degree 4<sup>th</sup> House of home and foundation cusp. Don't rule out any more unanticipated moves; none will occur the rest of this year. In the meantime, be optimistic and have fun.

Thank you to all who sent in questions and comments about last month's newsletter. I'm glad you enjoyed Leo's issue and welcome your thoughts once again.

**Quote of the Month:** *"A grown woman did not need safety or its dreams. She was the safety she longed for."* ...Toni Morrison

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- Tuesday: 12-6 pm.
- Thursday: 12-6 pm.
- Saturday: 11 am-4 pm.
- All other hours by special arrangement. No Sunday hours.

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Enjoy the final days of summer,

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