



# Astrological Insights

A QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

WINTER 2021

## Happy New Year 2021

We start the year with the Grand Conjunction of Jupiter and Saturn in Aquarius. This occurred on the Capricorn Solstice of 2020. Much has already been published by astrologers and astronomers about this and you can see it in the night sky.

Jupiter and Saturn are the social planets and Aquarius is the sign of the humanitarian, the rebel, the original thinker in the quest for freedom of expression. We can expect to see changes in our educational systems; some authoritarian issues (be aware and mindful here)—it's important to think for ourselves and do our own research into issues. Jupiter is the ruler of wisdom, knowledge, expansion, idealism & benefit. Saturn is a taskmaster, dealing with authority figures and issues, responsibility and structure. These two are quite a pair in Aquarius! We are doing our best recovering from 2020, a most challenging year. As we journey into the new year, we leave the past and get present in the now. What is ours to do both socially and personally? An important question as we inaugurate a new President and experience many changes still to come.

Speaking of the inauguration, the chart for this is quite challenging. We are all very aware of how the current resident of the White House does not want to leave and the chart shows this challenge with a full 12th house, which is the house that deals with behind-the-scenes activities. The planets are in a challenging (squaring) position to the tenth house which is the governing authority—the President! Pluto, the planet of transformation of what is so that something new can be born, is conjunct the mid-heaven (the governing authority)—meaning there will be transformation, but it will be hard-won and challenging.

## *Welcome to our first quarter newsletter!*

Neptune, the planet that is egoless and rules the spiritual aspects of life, is in its own sign Pisces which makes it very powerful in its own way. This planet is currently moving through, or transiting, the third house of the U.S.A. chart. The third house deals in communications of all kinds. Neptune can bring confusion as well as deception, so we must all be mindful of what the media—all forms of media—are telling us or not telling us! This truly is a time to think for ourselves and do our own research on the headlines and topics of the day.

Uranus, the unstable, rebel planet is in the sign of Taurus, a stable planet that rules money and financial matters! This match up is really something! Be sure to keep an eye on your investments and any financial matters as everything is going to change—maybe not all at once, but by the time Uranus is done in Taurus (in 2026), we will have an entirely new monetary system!

Pluto is still occupying the sign of Capricorn and will not move into Aquarius until 2024. The transformation of governments all over the world is still occurring and will continue until then. The Pluto in Aquarius generation will most certainly change the world to one of greater freedom, humanitarian values and an acknowledgment that we are all one.

We're living in a most interesting time! How does it all affect you? If you've never had your astrological chart done, this is a great time to do it or schedule an update. Call me at 610-296-2324 or send an email to [plutorising424@gmail.com](mailto:plutorising424@gmail.com) to schedule your first 2021 Zoom reading and kick off the new year with some insight!

**I look forward to hearing from you!**

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## Meet Sara Funk

Sara, in her 45+ years of practicing astrology, has studied notable astrologers such as Jeffrey Wolf Green, Liz Greene, Dane Rudyhar, Marc Edmond Jones, Steven Forrest, Robert Hand, psychologist Carl Jung, and many others. She has also attended many astrological conferences and workshops in the United States and published an article "Astrology and the Healthy Psyche" in Common Ground magazine. Sara has clients throughout the United States and Europe.

### Dates to Remember

Mercury retrogrades happen 3 to 4 times a year. It's a good time for reflection, introspection and study. It's not a good time to try to get things accomplished! Hold off on scheduling appointments, installing any new electronics or dealing with any type of communications.

Mercury is the communication planet. For those who don't believe in Mercury retrograde -- it's not a belief, it's a fact. When in retrograde, it's telling us to slow down, take a breath and spend time contemplating things you would like to occur once it goes direct again.

#### 2021 Mercury Retrograde Dates:

- January 30 - February 21 in Capricorn
- May 29 - June 22 in Taurus
- September 27 - October 23 in Virgo

Mark these dates on your calendar! Avoid planning things while Mercury is in retrograde—instead, work behind the scenes to avoid frustration.



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Look for Astrological Insights again in the spring! In the meantime, get your chart done to find out how all of this impacts you and what is important for you in the new year. In the dialogue that is created in a session with Sara, you'll experience the comfort and confirmation astrology offers. By participating in your private session you'll understand the spiritual significance of astrology.



#### NATAL CHART

A Natal Chart is the blueprint of the heavens at the time of your birth. This chart reveals your potential, your strengths and your weaknesses. It can help you understand your cycles of growth, your personal journey and your spiritual progress.



#### SOLAR RETURN / UPDATE

Every year the Sun returns to the same position it held at the time of your birth. A chart calculated for this time describes your major experiences in the year ahead combined with the update of Progressions and Transits, revealing the present cycles of activity.



#### COMPOSITE CHART

This chart is composed from two natal charts and defines the relationship of the two people. Multiple composites are also available.



#### CHILDREN'S CHARTS

These are natal charts and especially helpful for new parents in raising their children, for understanding their potential, strengths and weaknesses.



#### BUSINESS / CORPORATE CHART

Think of it as a "birth chart" for your business. This chart is created by using the date, time and place of incorporation for a business.

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