

Planetary Forecast for December 22-28, 2008

In review...what to talk about first? Winter coming hard and harder knocking out power to tens of thousands across several states, and the second storm promising to add to the woes as the incoming Winter Solstice warns and plenty of Water energy confirms. Or the threatening "Gunfight at the OK Corral" atmosphere delivered by Illinois Governor Blagojevich, who refuses to step down from office as the Leo Moon quincunx with Mercury asserted? All this on the heels of the huge ponzi scheme hitting the fans as a financial consultant Madoff takes Hollywood, NYC, and individuals/groups from around the world for a ride bigger than Enron's debacle. The power-plays also continued re the auto manufacturers GM, Ford, and Chrysler. They'll get a "stay of execution" via the White House and the ski states get their snow as promised.

This week...Monday the 22nd and as Hanukkah begins we have only one aspect to deal with, the 4:23 a.m. EST, Capricorn Sun conjunction with Pluto (also in Capricorn) supported by Sunday's shift of Moon into Scorpio and Moon-Capricorn Sun sextile. This is a serious time to review, cull, and scrap. Anything done to enhance the overall health of the soul, business, and government will pay dividends down the road.

Tuesday, the 23rd is busier starting with the 4:19 a.m. EST Scorpio Moon sextile with Mercury (in Capricorn). Analysis or detective work brings results. At 5:39, Moon then squares with Venus (in Aquarius). In twelve minutes, Moon then squares with Chiron (also in Aquarius). A message delivered is not received well. The Caylee Anthony Case comes to mind, but also political situations left unanswered in Washington. At 8:02, Venus conjuncts with Chiron. In nine minutes, Moon trines with Uranus (in Pisces). Weather will own the news since so many will be traveling. But pause until 1:34 p.m. EST to adapt and then Scorpio Moon sextiles with Saturn (in Virgo) bringing double Water energy and another headache regarding the frozen or flooding stuff wherever Low Pressure prevails in force. Travel could really be treacherous if not deadly now. At 2:33, Moon squares with Neptune (in Aquarius). Keep this as low key a day as possible to not test Fate.

Wednesday the 24th and Christmas Eve and at 12:29 a.m. EST, Scorpio Moon sextiles with Jupiter (in Capricorn). There's help to get things done and people rescued. Christmas spirit is alive and profound. At 6:13, Moon shifts into Sagittarius. There's a bit of do or die stuff going on and it's not necessarily about rescue. Take care. At 11:33, Mercury (in Capricorn) sextiles with Uranus (in Pisces) and I could accept this as a simple winter storm if not for Thursday's aspects. Just take care while traveling and shopping.

Thursday the 25th and Christmas has only two aspects which are both worrisome. At 6:33 p.m. EST, Sagittarius Moon sextiles with Chiron (in Aquarius) and at 8:46 p.m. EST, Moon squares with Uranus (in Pisces). It could only be a residual feeling of neurotic tension, but don't let your guard down completely. There are some who would think an opportunity to be hero/martyr for a cause would be well serviced here. Also watch for electrical fires, and natural lightning-caused fires. If you don't have to fly/drive/travel don't.

Friday, the 26th and at 12:22 a.m. EST, Sagittarius Moon sextiles with Venus (in Aquarius) for at least the attempt of sweetness and peace. At 2:10, however, Moon squares with Saturn (in Virgo). Watch for overseas news of a base strike or some sort of border attack. An airline catastrophe is also not out of the question. At 3:14, Moon then sextiles with Neptune (in Aquarius). This could even pertain to a hijacking under the circumstances due to the brainwashing/deception going on. At 6:37, Mercury (in Capricorn) trines with Saturn (in Virgo). It's almost twelve hours later that Sagittarius Moon conjuncts with Mars (in Sagittarius). This is virtual triple Fire energy triggering something that could end painfully

and/or without good logic and planning. Keep your head about you when traveling and avoid situations that don't seem right to you. Weather-wise, we can all say a prayer for those caught in extremes. It's all visible right now if not completely clear. Follow instincts. Moon shifts into Capricorn at 6:56. At 7:31, Venus then forms a quincunx with Saturn. Then at 9:07 we close with the Moon conjunction with Pluto (in Capricorn). Okay, so some will decide on divorce and others will amicably split because of financial reasons, but there's still tension in the air, so be careful of situations where things could get explosive. Frankly, I don't like this atmosphere, but since we're dealing with conjunctions and not squares, I'll hope for the least damage. Perhaps we're looking at more corporate changes than physical bloodletting. We also can't discount this is a primo election cabinet change period going on and there's mucho tremors shifting the underbellies of many places.

Saturday, the 27th and at 2:30 a.m. EST, Mars joins Moon and Sun in Capricorn. Agaom. this is year end "pink slip" and hardcore trim time, but also ambition time. At 7:22, Capricorn Moon conjuncts with Capricorn Sun. Earth energy is primo as the New Moon energy launches. I wouldn't discount significant earthquake activity even without the Moon's maximum pull. In six minutes, Venus (in Aquarius) then conjuncts with Neptune (in Aquarius). This is honestly a question mark for me. Call it creative thinking time and a serious magnitude of behind-the-scenes going on.

Sunday, the 28th and at 9:46 a.m. EST, Capricorn Moon sextiles with Uranus (in Pisces). At 3:02 p.m. EST, Mars (now in Capricorn) conjuncts with Pluto (in Capricorn). Watch for forceful closures or endings. In two minutes Moon then trines with Saturn (in Virgo). At 10:53 we close with Moon conjunct with Mercury (also in Capricorn). A message has been delivered. Is it good or bad? Helpful or harmful? I have to admit this week does feel like a big question mark to me. Regardless, continue to scrutinize and plan for the future.
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