

Planetary Forecast for March 17-23, 2008

*In review...*as expected the power players of the political and financial world owned our attention this week. Everything from the presidential race, to the NY gubernatorial “spice” and its glaring hypocrisy, to the latest congressional budget, and Fed’s rescue of Wall Street proved many who run our government and financial institutions are making horrendous decisions, exactly as forecasted due to this “fuzzy thinking” atmosphere and some stressful aspects. On an individual basis, a mother left her father’s car at a Dallas, Texas gas station and tossed her two small sons over the overpass onto the interstate, then jumped herself, while in Mississippi a domestic crisis at a bank ended with four dead including the shooter. And an Air National Guard pilot thought he’d dropped a bomb on a training mission over a rural area artillery test site, but “somehow” it was released on an apartment building in Tulsa, Oklahoma. An investigation is underway. Ya think?

*This week...*on St. Patrick’s Day, aka Monday the 17th there will only be three aspects. We could use the break, although how much of one we get is debatable, since the increased Water energy portends some strong precipitation concerns in areas where Low Pressure Systems prevail; plus the mix of Mars in Cancer and Leo Moon’s relentless pushing could fray already unraveling nerves. So...at 2:56 a.m. EDT, Leo Moon forms a quincunx with Mercury (in Pisces). At 5:47, Mercury opposes Saturn (in Virgo). At 7:00 a.m., Moon forms a quincunx with Venus (in Pisces). It’s likely that some will challenge if not ignore treaties and boundaries to promote some goal—and not necessarily a logical or honorable one. This sets the scene for a broadening momentum for headaches and problems. Sidestep the crazy makers, tell the irrepressible opportunists to love your phone number and focus on staying solvent and productive.

Tuesday the 18th and we begin with the 6:09 a.m. EDT, Leo Moon quincunx with Jupiter (in Capricorn). Within the hour Moon opposes Chiron (in Aquarius). At 7:37 Moon then forms a quincunx with Uranus (in Pisces). At the same time Mercury (in Pisces) trines with Mars (in Cancer). At 2:38 p.m. EDT, Moon opposes Neptune (in Aquarius). Again, the energy is there for tough thunderstorms and trying to adapt in order to keep to a schedule and agreements. Take one thing at a time, avoid those wanting to turn a lost button into World War III. Those who aren’t in victim mode should even surprise themselves with their accomplishments and clarity.

Wednesday the 19th and we begin with the 1:34 a.m. EDT, Leo Moon quincunx with Pisces Sun. Moon is about to be in void course, so how successful she is at drawing out the assets of this prophetic, but tricky sign is a question. At 3:25, Moon shifts to Virgo easing the push-pull momentum. At 5:26, Virgo Moon trines with Pluto (in Capricorn) putting an end to certain situations or relationships that are not healthy or otherwise detrimental to a matter. At 9:33, Moon conjuncts with Saturn (in Virgo) bringing double Earth energy and focus on order, law, and straightening out messes. At 1:38 p.m. EDT, Moon sextiles with Mars (in Cancer) bringing Earth and Water energy together increasing some precipitation concerns as the Low Pressure System continues east. At 4:29, Moon opposes Mercury (in Pisces) and there’s something that’s not translating well communication-wise. Not surprisingly, at 7:31, Moon then opposes Venus (in Pisces) indicating a door being slammed or wallet zipped. Before imploding, consider why? The reasons may be valid or valuable.

Thursday the 20th and it’s Spring Equinox time! At 1:48 a.m. EDT, Sun enters Aries. This is new beginnings time for flora and fauna. Get outside and get the iPod out of your ear to enjoy the trees and wildflowers blooming, and birds singing. If that doesn’t spawn hope,

nothing will. At 2:30 p.m. EDT, Virgo Moon trines with Jupiter (in Capricorn) and that's more benevolence and profit. At 2:49, Moon conjuncts with Chiron (in Aquarius). Some will champion what they attempt to take on, but as Moon opposes Uranus (in Pisces) at 3:38 shows, don't get crazy and risk too much. At 10:39, Moon forms a quincunx with Neptune (in Aquarius) indicating it's imperative to keep thinking clearly and stay grounded.

Friday, the 21st is Full Moon time and Good Friday. At 4:38 a.m. EDT, Aries Sun squares with Pluto (in Capricorn) bringing troubling Fire and Earth atmosphere. Watch for fires where dry and windy conditions persist, earthquakes, and volcanic activity. At 11:45 Moon shifts into Libra--this is the Air energy that could complicate the fire aspects. At 1:52 p.m. EDT, Libra Moon squares with Pluto (in Capricorn) and that's more concern. Libras prefer harmony and for Moon to take on a Pluto challenge now, something has to be dire. Be extremely aware of your surroundings, and where and how you are traveling/commuting. Make sure the timing is right for whatever decision is made. At 2:40, Moon opposes Aries Sun and here's a hint that maybe something is moving too fast or energetically for Moon's peace of mind. This energy continues into tomorrow and I wouldn't be surprised if sleep is minimal.

Saturday, the 22nd and at 12:14 a.m. EDT, we begin with the Libra Moon square with Mars (in Cancer) and while some will probably see thunderstorms where Low Pressure exists, the quincunx at 9:15 between Moon and Mercury (in Pisces) suggests some harsh communications will occur as well. At 10:44, Moon forms a quincunx with Venus (in Pisces). Yes, this is definitely relationship driven and quite drawn out, so nothing that is happening will be a surprise, but resolving it quickly or cheaply may be a challenge.

Sunday the 23rd and it's Easter Sunday with Libra Moon squaring with Jupiter (in Capricorn) at 12:34 a.m. In nine minutes Moon trines with Chiron (in Aquarius). At 1:22 Moon forms a quincunx with Uranus (in Pisces). At 4:01 Aries Sun forms a quincunx with Saturn (in Virgo). At 8:41 Moon trines with Neptune (in Aquarius). At 10:06 Moon enters Scorpio. As some shut the door on charity and stumble from wounds, try not to lash out recklessly. Stick to the high ground and focus on what can be achieved in the moment. We may not be up to deep, intellectual projects right now, but success can be claimed if we avoid acting overly sensitive and thin-skinned. Double Air energy (Moon and Neptune in Aquarius) will dry out tears and allow us to see the hint of a rainbow. Moon shifting into Scorpio will give us the Phoenix Rising determination. How timely on Resurrection Day.
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