

Planetary Forecast for October 6-12, 2008

*In review...*the world of finances and fantasies owned the week news-wise and a bailout was finally passed. To understand how precarious our economy is just look at the bill and see how the Democrat-led congress decided to tack on funds for children's wooden arrows and racetrack spending to recognize that Washington D.C. still doesn't get "it." Obviously some still believe it's still "only money."

*This week...*Monday, October 6th and we wake to the reminder that Mercury is zooming in "reverse" right now and we continue to be bogged down in old messes that are not easily fixed, sent into false directions due to miscommunication and data-electrical-mechanical error, and simply stymied. At least there's a hint of reprieve; it's all temporary. Unless we continue to feed China our debt like children gobbling Halloween candy. Otherwise, the first aspect is the 2:40 a.m. EDT, Capricorn Moon sextile with Mars (in Scorpio). We're feeling energized and may believe we have a good portion of the fiscal situation all figured out. Do *not* rush into commitments/new deals/projects yet. At 12:52 p.m. EDT, Libra Moon squares with Jupiter (in Capricorn). As the saying goes, the devil is in the details. The 4:53, Moon conjunction with Mercury (also in Libra) may give a deceptive spin on things. It would be safer and thriftier to bide one's time before signing onto something that could cost X-times it's value later. (That goes for relationships, too.)

Tuesday, the 7th will have us scrambling and strategizing for economic, political, and relationship position beginning with the 1:42 a.m. EDT, Venus (in Scorpio) sextile with Saturn (in Virgo). This is harmony and respect for structure and dedication to the law and/or lessons learned. At 3:04, Capricorn Moon then squares with Mercury (also in Libra). Some still don't get it and that's what Moon is announcing. But by 3:50, Moon conjuncts with Jupiter (also in Capricorn). What has been said or tweaked that allows the funding or goodwill to continue? This is worthy of note because at 5:04, Moon squares with Libra Sun. This is akin to saying, "There will be no corporate Christmas banquets, there will be no bonuses of any kind, there will be no Dr. Seuss Roast Beast on our table, either." At 6:02 Venus (in Scorpio) squares with Chiron (in Aquarius). Water and Air don't think alike, and while that can still hold opportunity for brainstorm breakthroughs, in this case it's a wet blanket blowing in the wind. Expect a good deal of moisture to make us shiver were Low Pressure systems linger, too. At 8:11, Moon then trines with Saturn (in Virgo), the repeat of necessary "toeing the line of order and law." At 8:51, Moon sextiles with Venus (in Scorpio). Someone's house is finally in order? At least it looks good on the surface of things. Future conduct is another matter. That's it until the 3:37 p.m. EDT, Capricorn Moon sextile with Uranus (in Pisces). There may be some eleventh hour deals to make some situations more palatable for the big players.

Wednesday the 8th sees Moon shifting into Aquarius at 12:03 p.m. EDT. Notice the 18-hour stretch between aspects. This tells you there's plenty of angst and adjustment needed for whatever (old or new) that has been going on. It's 5:46 before Saturn (in Virgo) forms a quincunx with Chiron (also in Aquarius). At 6:22, Aquarius Moon squares with Mars (in Scorpio). We end with the 10:34, Libra Sun trine with Chiron (in Aquarius). This could be a serious day when some may pull something citing long and abiding injury. The atmosphere is right for the "October surprise" threatened by terrorists, or an individual dealing with a divorces and financial difficulty could take a desperate stand to where the public is innocently drawn in.

Thursday the 9th and Yom Kippur launches with a 9:31 a.m. EDT, Aquarius Moon trine with Mercury (in Libra). That's all until 7:28 p.m. EDT, when Moon conjuncts with Chiron (also in Aquarius). This is a carryover from Wednesday's sobering and difficult atmosphere. At

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Friday, the 10th and at 1:48 a.m. EDT, Venus (in Scorpio) trines with Uranus (in Pisces). Relationships and finances may need creative tweaking. If you can live with the results without feeling entrapped or diminished, lucky you. At 2:08, Aquarius Moon squares with Venus. Along with more Water/storm worries for places where Low Pressure resides, be on the watch for someone selling you down the river with a costly idea. At 5:50, Moon conjuncts with Neptune (also in Aquarius). This double Air energy could make one person very successful and happy and a thousand (or millions) miserable or envious. At 7:13 p.m. EDT, Moon sextiles with Pluto (in Sagittarius). When Pluto is the answer at the end of the day, I end up thinking of ye olde submarine strategy, “Dive, dive, dive!” At 9:31, Moon enters Pisces. It’s time to meditate, dream, heal.

Saturday, the 11th and at 6:35 a.m. EDT, Pisces Moon trines with Mars (in Scorpio). At 2:09 Moon forms a quincunx with Mercury (in Libra). At 4:20 p.m. EDT, Venus (also in Scorpio) squares with Neptune (in Aquarius). At 11:35, Pisces Moon sextiles with Jupiter (in Capricorn). To best use this atmosphere, go to a county or state fair, indulge in a brainstorming session with friends or creative partners, or finish up projects in preparation for the Aries Moon energy and forward motion of Mercury on the horizon.

Sunday, the 12th and at 3:35 a.m. EDT, Pisces Moon opposes Saturn (in Virgo). That’s not common sense coming from Moon, but typical when a “whiny” version of Pisces is in control. At 8:51, Libra Sun forms a quincunx with Uranus (in Pisces). Within three minutes Moon then forms a quincunx with Libra Sun. At the same time Moon conjuncts with Uranus (in Pisces). There’s a 2:26 p.m. EDT, Moon trine with Venus and Mercury enters its next storm period preparing for next week’s return to direct motion. This may be a day of lessons again. Don’t let your guard down yet in any arena. Otherwise, keep an eye on paperwork, appointments, and be careful with electronics.

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