

Major Arcana - The Fools Journey

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Stage one, from The Magicians to The Chariot, represents our social self.

This is the time when we experiment with identity and our relationships with others, navigating our power (The Magician) the pros and cons of structure (The Emperor), our connection with sensuality and relationships (The Empress) and our intuition (The High Priestess.) This is a time where we interact deeply with the archetypes of the mother, father, lover, emperor, priest, and priestess, among others.

The guiding questions are "who am I?" and "how do I fit into the world?"

Stage two, from Strength to Temperance, opens things up to a moral realm where we must confront how our actions influence others.

Here we grapple with ethics and difficult questions. Our ideas and values are put to the test and we try out different ways of being - solitude, risk-taking, self-control, and surrendering control.

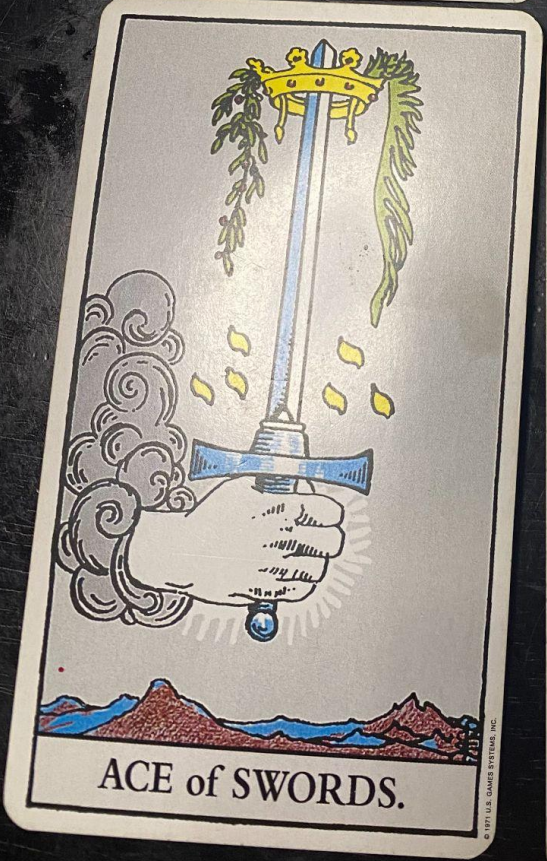
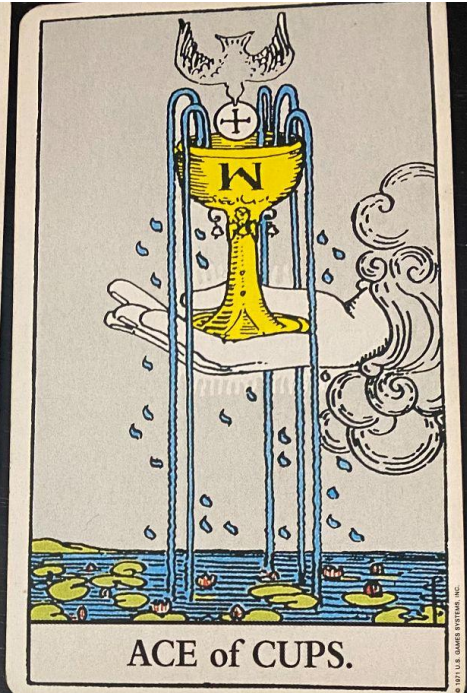
Key questions during this phase are "What do I believe in?" and "How do I want to be in the world?"

Stage three, from The Devil to The World, opens things up to a cosmic scale.

These cards see us dealing with our spiritual identity as we figure out our place in the universe. Yes, it's deep stuff! Our lessons become grander and the boundaries and challenges less clearly defined. We learn to listen to our inner clarion call as well as to follow our spiritual path in whatever form it takes. Dealing with temptation (The Devil) and dramatic misfortune (The Tower) allows us to heal ourselves and amplify our powers on our path towards opening up fully to life (The World.)

Important questions during this time are "What is my greater purpose?" and "How do I open up to the universe?"

Aces= 1-new beginnings of something...initiating new excitement, a gift energy to be cultivated



Twos-2 - balance or standstill, harmony



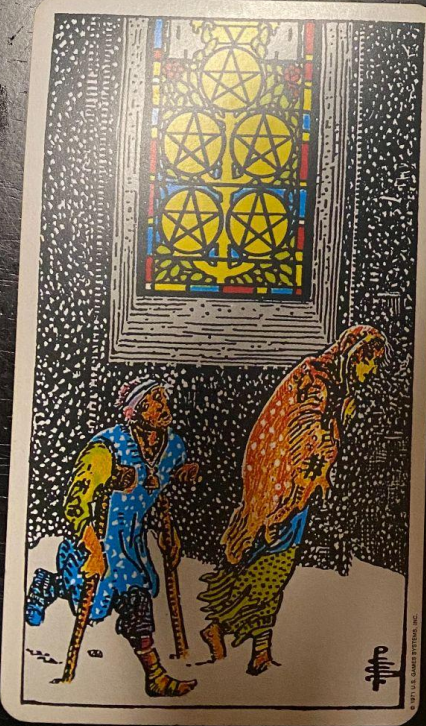
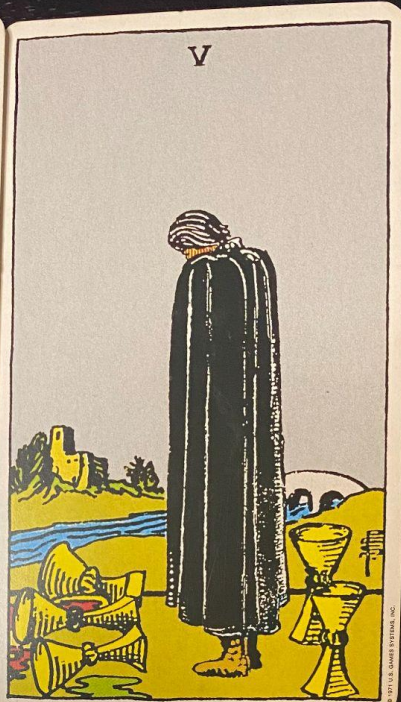
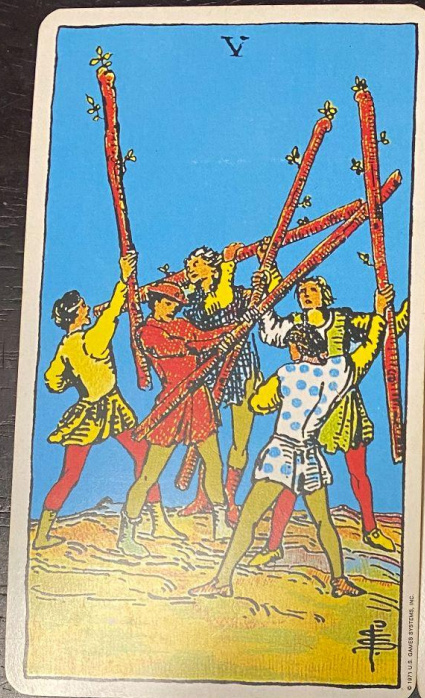
Thees- 3- growth or upset moving on from the 2; sacred number holy trinity action still going, consideration, communication



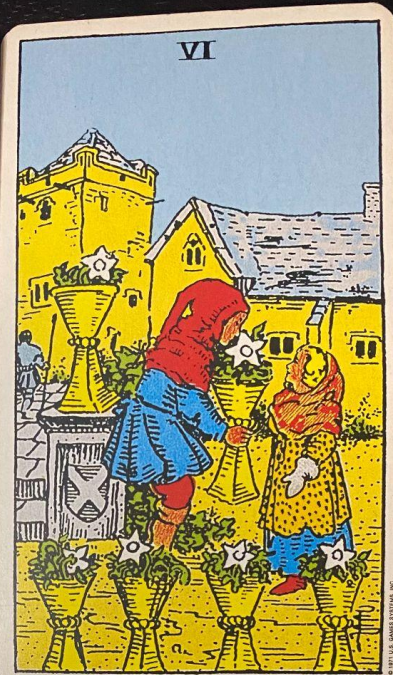
Fours- at rest (think of rolling a cube), structure (seeking solid ground) stability, self-control



Fives- action, change - free spirit,



Sixes- harmony ; balance, love compassion towards close knit, hearth/home



Sevens- decision / warning ; fork in the road; something may have to end, association with knowledge anc changes



Eights- power, balance, fortitude, will to achieve, goals, number of success, karmic



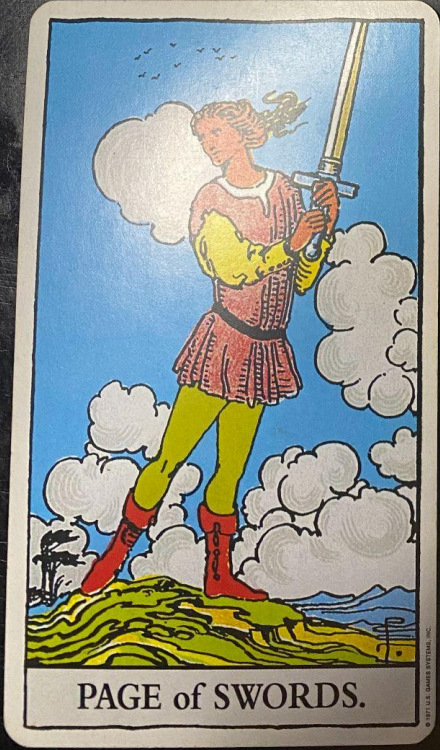
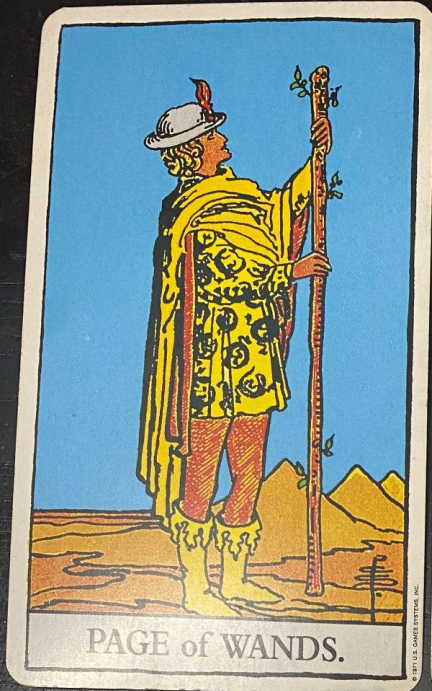
Nines-Completion 3x3, experienced, philosophical, opposite of the 6 = global



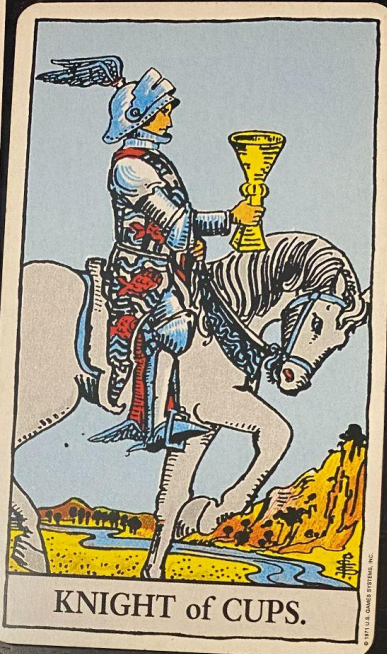
Tens - represents 1+0; Finality- The number 10 is a combination of the 1 and 0 vibrations. The 0 tones down the number 1 to make for independence that isn't as harsh as that of the number 1



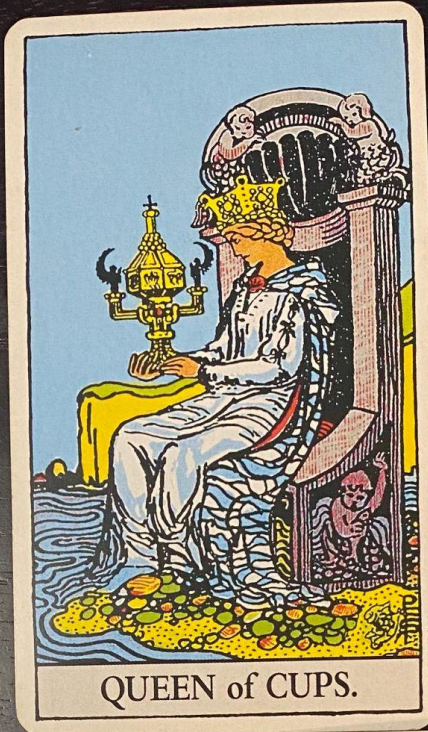
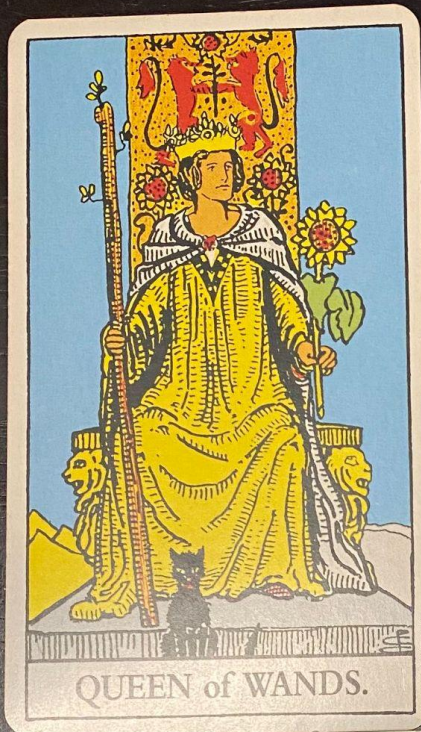
Pages- Messengers, Quick moving, learning fresh eyes



Knights- Engagement, teenager energy, risks, learning by doing



Queens- Maturity, open and vast, using abilities, less patience its time to show up, inward (power behind the throne)



Kings- Authority, Leadership, Outward, Mastery



KING of WANDS.



KING of CUPS.



KING of SWORDS.



KING of PENTACLES.