

New Moon in Virgo Circle

Less criticism, embrace change-- Seizing the earth strong energy to cultivate new habits for the fall equinox and beyond

Agenda:

1. Astrology Aspects
 - a. What is the new moon?
 - b. Where is the new moon in your chart?
 - c. All about Virgo/6th House
2. Tarot- What do the hermit and the story of Virgo have in common? A search
 - a. Hermit Card and Virgo
3. New moon journal Tarot prompts '9 card spread – Looking above or beyond for lasting change
4. Reflection

Astrology Aspects

Sun & Moon in Virgo 14 Degrees= Hermit

(RX) Uranus in Taurus makes a trine to the Sun & Moon

Mercury/Venus in Libra

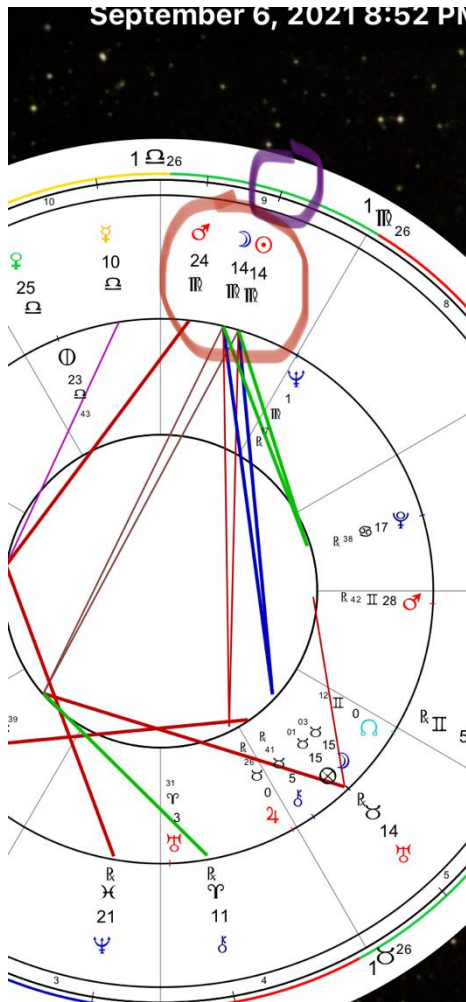
Mars in Virgo

(RX) Jupiter/Saturn in Aquarius

(RX) Neptune in Pisces

(RX) Pluto in Capricorn

- New moon are when the Sun and Moon in the same sign/degree— look for your Virgo house in your astrology chart example below its in the 9th house



- Absence of Fire – must push harder in the earth to plant and sew, Mars Opposite Neptune, the many RX plants also make resistance more pronounced
- Uranus in Taurus trine to the Moon/Soon = Expect surprise or twist in the normal straight forward Virgo ways using Taurus/Venus qualities
 - Example setting a new health intention to join a gym but instead of trying Plant Fitness, you upgrade to more luxury (Taurus quality) experience
 - Overdue for vacation due to work burn out, but you still don't want to take time off (being stubborn Taurus quality) but leveraging Uranus (aka the Fool Card), its bit more stable energy in earth sign - Take that trip jump of the fools cliff, seek out adventures

All about new moon?

Look in the sky you don't see anything shining at night? Mother Nature has given us darkness think of it as blank slate a new canvas what's the story going to be the next 30 days as we cycle towards full moon a culmination. Energetically this means it's the perfect time to be still, go inwards, and set new intentions for this new cycle.

About Virgo

- Virgo the Virgin, stands for purity cleanliness, also why ♍ Virgo glyph very closely resembles the universal medical symbol, rules the 6th house of health
- Virgo is the triple goddess – the maiden, the mother and the crone- INTEGRATION of all 3 to wholeness is the soul goal
- Mutable earth is unsettled that's why Virgo is anxious over thinking, anxiety, stress and rumination and destructive through its dualistic nature
- Planetary ruler Mercury – stand for quick thought, very mercurial, strong intelligent curiosity, analytical
- As a mutable sign (dualistic) its both the archetypes of Demeter (she's the task master, checking making sure things are right, preparing the land before fall starts, acting in perfectionist ways and Persephone (being of service, WORK, coming to terms with our shadow habits, desires)
- ♍ The glyph for Virgo is the letter M with a swirled loop at the bottom right corner. The loop is said to represent **three different paths, all of which end up circling back to the beginning. This can be interpreted as never-ending life and rebirth or simply the natural cycle of life.**
- Some believe Virgo's glyph reveals Virgo's rulership over the intestines. Where does worry manifest physical the stomach/solar plexus(seat of choices, will). However, it's also believed that the glyph depicts sexual organs, and the loop that wraps inward represents the shyness and sexual modesty that's inherent in Virgo
- Virgo is complex — it's the balance of "I know it all" (Demeter, Mercury) vs childlike naivety (the Maiden Persephone) vs I'm clean/perfect (aka virgin archetype) vs accepting not hiding natural carnal urges (integrating fall as decaying Earth)
- Virgo is the energy of figuring out what needs to be done before we can accept the balanced approach of the next sign LIBRA the scales

What do the hermit and the story of Virgo have in common? A search

Demeter (goddess of harvest and fertility), lost her daughter Persephone to the underworld (synonymous) to our shadows-- things that pull us down out of the light of the heavens/sky. Losing her daughter triggered into rage Demeter who stopped focusing on growing and nurturing the earth hence the start of fall. Low and behold her daughter away from mom, feeling liberated became Persephone: The Dark Queen.

The Hermit's search: As the 9th card he has wondered away in search of something....**that in which will make one feel complete.** 9's are for wrapping up a cycle. We have a seesaw'ing of energy Virgo is fast furious, but our Hermit is slow cautious – you must be in a cave with stalagmites and no light but your lantern – you journey is perilous. The Hermit lights the pathway= as Persephone helped her husband usher souls down into the underworld. It became her job and supported her soul maturation of triple goddess.

- The Hermit quest as a Myth of service: Though he was a gloomy and frightening god, the ancients never saw Hades as evil. He wasn't responsible for human death or suffering, merely charged with shepherding the souls once they had left their bodies—**a necessary, if melancholy, job.**
- According to Homer, the Underworld was located beyond the earth-encircling river of Ocean, at the far western end of the world. However, some other authors inform us that there were quite a few places within the known world one could use as portals to enter the kingdom of the dead:
 - A cavern near the ancient town of Tenarus. Situated at the tip of the middle promontory of Peloponnese (known back then as Cape Tanaerum, and called Cape Matapan today), the cave exists to this very day; it was **through this cave** that Heracles dragged Cerberus out of Hades and Orpheus tried to bring Eurydice back to the world of the living.

○ Source: https://www.greekmythology.com/Myths/Places/The_Underworld/the_underworld.html

Journal Exercise:
9 card spread – Looking above or beyond for lasting change

These questions are to help guide setting new intentions for the Virgo Moon cycle.

You can pull for all 9 cards or choose to work on above/below the hemisphere sets only--
(or wherever you may feel drawn).

5 above - Outward Changes (Feeding and Growing)

1. Analyze – Building our powers of healthy, constructive discrimination; Using the seeking/searching energies --What habits are supporting my current growth? && Preparation - Take inventory of your life, look around --What resources can support transformation?
2. Growth- Feeling good enjoying and watching where you have sowed. Where do you have the most yields and gains in terms of success? What areas in my life will you received continued abundance?
3. Fertilize- Think about harvest time, what's critical step for next year crops to grow is nurturing the soil before the season's transition. What changes to diet or health will I need to make that will be satisfying to the new lifestyle I am building?
4. Council- Council – The Hermit is our wise sage, teacher, monk, alchemist..How can I be guided?
**You can choose one option or all*
 - a. Moon – Message from the sub-conscious mind
What job are you doing for me behind the scenes?
 - b. Sun – Message from the light – My will meshes with the sun
Where am I expanding?
 - c. Uranus – Message from our higher mind – Change the unwanted thoughts circulating
How can I activate new habitual patterns?

4 below - Inner Work (Trimming and Evaluation)

1. Removal – Nines symbolize the closing of a cycle before we begin again. Using the energy of self-discernment -What needs to be cut from our lives like a scythe?
2. Vices- “because Persephone had eaten six pomegranate seeds, it was decided that for six months of each year, she must return to the underworld”. Slaying the juicy seeds that we can't resist. What do we need to know about changing our choices and responses?
3. Council – The Hermit is our wise sage, teacher, monk, alchemist..ask how can I be guided?
 - a. Message for seeing – I'm blinded right now please guide me **You can choose one option or all*
 - i. Dark Moon: Emotional blind spot
 - ii. Cave: Rising from the nadir (lowest point)
 - iii. Hades: Journeys we refuse to make/face
4. Rebirth- Virgo Season is the time to get our 'shi together before we rapidly descend into the end of the year busyness with holidays and other seasonal events. After receiving guidance from council and by shining light on our next evolutionary cycle.
Tell me all about the new person I'm becoming?

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Peace and Blessings
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