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The dwadasamsa [dwad] sign tells us what the person wants, what he is growing towards in the present lifetime, what qualities he will develop as he grows and fulfills his evolutionary process (dharma). - David & Gina Cochrane

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~ Dwads (Dwadasamsas) ~

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DWADS

Our Inner Resources

The inner man is the substantial reality; while the other one is only an apparition. - Paracelsus

Dwads are like another Zodiac within each horoscope sign. And a very interesting Zodiac! Although dwads are an underlying influence, they do not just emphasize radix placements, they also add a whole lot of new content to all your astrological interpretations. Dwads can be seen as sub-types of horoscope signs describing deep inner characteristics you are trying to develop and express through your Sun-Sign and through your whole birth chart. If you manage not to express those inner resources, you may then project them onto others and sort of live your own dwads through them.

Traditionally the Zodiac is first divided into 12 signs and then each of these signs into twelve dwads (from the Sanskrit dwadasamsa). Each dwad is two and one half degrees. The first dwad in each sign is ruled by the sign itself, the second by the next sign and so on. Thus, for instance in Aries the first dwad is ruled by Aries, the second by Taurus, the third one by Gemini... Likewise in Taurus: the first dwad is ruled by Taurus, the second one by Gemini, the third one by Cancer... See the Dwad table below.

Although dwads reflect deeper inner potentials than your birth chart, they have a way of influencing your outer life and personality as well, even the way you look. Dwads are often extremely useful in rectification, because quite often the first impression we have of someone may be more influenced by her or his Ascendant’s dwad than by anything else. The first impression is kind of gut feeling, it comes from deep within, from dwads. When we have more time to study the person we meet, then we begin to react to her or his Ascendant.

And dwads are in no way weaker because of their inner nature, on the contrary, they can be strikingly powerful especially in inner-oriented types and in creative personalities. Often they become more powerful and also more visible with advancing age when most of us become more inner-oriented. The
older you get, the more you may also become aware of the way your dwads are influencing you and working out in your life.

In relationships dwad can be very powerful. We do not only find people who truly resemble our dwads, often we unconsciously project dwads on our partners, sometimes without them having any resemblance at all. Dwads' unconscious power is sometimes quite remarkable in making us blind to our own projections which, of course, makes the relationship quite frustrating for the partner who may feel that he or she is not seen at all. The partner lives then in a same kind of situation than many a Neptunian with her or his invisible identity. The more intensive and powerful the relationship is, the more enlightening dwads usually are...

For studying your dwads you need, of course, your birth chart. If you don't have it yet, choose an astrologer and ask her or him to cast your birth chart. You will then have an exciting journey inwards - you may not only study dwad-signs of all the planets and angles, we may even cast your dwad chart, which gives you a whole new astrological picture of yourself, within and without. "For according to the outward man, we are in this world, and according to the inward man, we are in the inward world... Since then we are generated out of both worlds, we speak in two languages, and we must be understood also by two languages." (Jacob Böhme)

Any time you wonder how two people with quite similar horoscopes can be so different, look at their dwads. You may see how one of your Leonian friends is truly a pure Leo (Sun in Leo's Leo-dwad) and yet another Leonian friend is more like a Virgo wit all her or his critical talents (Sun in Leo's Virgo-dwad), and the third one is extremely sensitive and compassionate (Sun in Leo's Pisces-dwad). Or why a Scorpio you know has such a talkative and light personality (Sun in Scorpio's Gemini-dwad). And so on.

If you want to take an even deeper journey inwards, you can also calculate so-called super-dwads by dividing each dwad further into twelve parts - and then using your super-dwads to study an even deeper layer of your personality. Just remember that for good results with super-dwads your birth-time must be almost exact. Happy journey inwards!

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Why dwads?

Seek not abroad, turn back into thyself, for in the inner man dwells the truth. - St. Augustine

I have often been asked: Why dwads? Mostly because dwads tell the inner story: they show us what is happening deep within, in the unconscious mind, and not only in each of us as individuals, but also what is happening between us, in our relationships. As I see it, no other astrological technique reaches similar depths in showing us our inner wishes and desires, as well as problems and complexes. Anything that what motivates us from deep within. For me, dwads talk about things the radix leaves sometimes almost totally in the dark.

Originally I found dwads more than twenty years ago through a series of dreams. As a Neptunian (Sun conjunct Neptune in the radix, Mercury conjunct Neptune in dwads) I am used to following and also listening to my dreams. As I don't often dream about astrology these dreams felt remarkable and exceptional. They did not use the word 'dwads', in fact it took years before I found the word in literature. Yet my dreams showed the technique (which is simple enough) very clearly and, as I understood, recommended it for my use. As a curious Gemini-rising type I began to experiment.

It was love at first sight! If didn't take long before any chart without dwads felt like a torso. Or at least superficial as it leaves out a large part of what is happening deep within in all of us and in life in general. For me dwads opened up a new world, but I do not claim that dwads would work as well for everyone. We all have our individual ways of approaching things, and thus different techniques appeal to different types. As there are a lot of techniques in astrology, I feel that the wisest course is to experiment a while and then choose a technique that fits your temperament and - then stay with it. Using your favorite technique you will then begin to see things you would never see using several techniques. I still use some other techniques from time to time, but mostly all I need in addition to the radix are dwads for studying the inner world.

Thus, if you are an inner-oriented type, and less interested in what your next transits might 'promise' and more interested in psychological and /or spiritual astrology,
dwads may be the right technique for you. I don't say 'esoteric' astrology, because for me there is nothing esoteric in real spirituality, it is all here and now, in this life. The better you understand what is constantly happening in inner worlds, in the deep recesses of the mind, the better you will understand what is happening in the outer world. If you are interested in having a deeper vision of life than conventional astrology offers, try dwads, if you haven't already! You'll get a whole new perspective on what is happening in your life and relationships.

The more faithfully you listen to the voice within you, the better you will hear what is sounding outside.... - Dag Hammarskjold

Neptunia, In June 2003

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Cats are a mysterious kind of folk. There is more passing in their minds than we are aware of. - Sir Walter Scott

We cannot, without becoming cats, perfectly understand the cat mind, said St. George Mivart. But studying our cat's astrological chart we may yet get quite a good approximation of what is happening in a cat's mind. And also what is happening between our cats and ourselves. As different cats fit into our lives in many different ways, their astrological maps may give us an in-depth view of what to expect with any particular cat.

Some people even use astrology in choosing their cats. For instance lady Hester Lucy Stanhope (Pisces, Sun opposite Neptune) like a true Neptunian loved animals, especially horses (dwad-Sun in Sagittarius) and cats. At at one time she had forty-eight cats, all of them chosen for the harmony of their stars with her own.

As in all relationships comparative Moon conjunctions are excellent aspects for mutual compatibility, especially for those who live in the same household. Usually the Sun individual takes the initiative and the leadership role, the Moon individual creates feelings of belonging and ease and often has a calming effect on the Sun person. Thus in relationships with cats the best Sun-Moon to have is usually the cat's Moon with the owner's Sun. Remembering the deep and mystical nature of cats it is natural that dwad-charts are essential in all chart comparisons. For instance cat-breeder's dwads are often clearly reflected in all their cats, especially Dwad-Moon (cat-breeder) conjunct Radix-Moon (cats) is a common aspect.

Katarina with her four cats is an excellent example of dwads in cat-synastry. Katarina's cats were not chosen because of astrological reasons, yet they all had a Moon on Katarina's dwad-Sun: In two cases it was the Radix-Moon, in two other cases the Dwad-Moon. It is remarkable that the aspected point was Katarina's Dwad-Sun, not her Radix-Sun, because at that time Katarina lived a solitary life in search for her inner self. All those Moons on her Dwad-Sun gave Katarina just what she
then needed: a strong feeling of companionship on the level of her inner self, of being loved as she was deep within.

When these cats became old and left this world for the rainbow bridge, a phase in Katarina's life ended. Having found her inner self she now wanted to "return" to the outer world. Her next cat reflected the change with a strong stellium falling on Katarina's tenth house and with many aspects to Katarina's radix, now her Dwad-Sun was no longer aspected. Thus the new cat - like the previous four cats - in its own way by its very presence strengthened Katarina's new orientation towards the outer world...

Often all the cats of the same owner reflect the owner's strongest configuration, in many cases, if there are no special reasons like the inner search in Katarina's case, there seems to be little difference between radix and dwad contacts. For instance if the cat-owner has a strong hard Venus-Saturn angle in the Radix, all her or his cats may have hard Venus-Saturn angle either in the Radix or in the Dwad-Chart. Or at least Saturn in a Venus sign (Taurus or Libra).

In addition to such similar configurations and good Sun-Moon or Moon-Moon contacts, any strong dwad-conjunction or stellium in a cat's Dwad-chart falling on a sensitive spot on the owner's radix may be an excellent indication of a deep and mutually rewarding and loving friendship. The charming Neptunian cat referred to in Invisible identity has a tight Moon-Mercury-Venus-Ascendant conjunction in dwads exactly on the owner's Mercury-Venus in the Radix. No wonder then that the owner sees this particular Neptunian cat as the loveliest thing she ever knew. And judging from the cat's affectionate behavior the cat feels the same way.

Thus if you ever study astrologically your relationships with your cats or other pets, don't forget dwads. They tell an inner story that you can't find in any other way. It has been said that we do not choose our cats, they choose us. "A cat does not want all the world to love her - only those she has chosen to love", said Helen Thomson. This choice apparently goes deeper than we understand, cats have their own mysterious ways of finding the owner with whom they have, astrologically speaking, meaningful deep inner dwad-contacts. Such contacts often create wonderful long-lasting and warm friendships between cats and their owners.

God is present in everything.
When a woman suddenly met her cat at the well and the cat met her mistress.
It was a great joy for both of them, but the greatest joy was that God had brought them together and wanted them to have this wonderful friendship ... - Edith Södergran, Finnish poet
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THE DWAD-CHART

The Hindus were the first to divide each sign into 12 equal parts - dwads or dwadasamsas - for separate study. As each of the twelve signs has twelve dwads, there are 144 dwadasamsas or "dwads" in the complete zodiac. In the Hindu system the main interest was in the signs in which the dwad planets fall, dwads were seen as sub-influences of sign placements.

Ancient Greek astrologers knew dwads - and they also used individual degrees in their dwad-studies. In this way you can cast a new chart, the dwad-chart, by first treating each dwad as a mini-zodiac, then magnifying it and getting that way dwad placements for all the significant points in the birth chart (or in any other chart). Sometimes the accuracy of birth time is not good enough to be quite sure of the Dwad Ascendant, unless the chart is well rectified. On the other hand, dwads are often excellent in rectifying the birth chart.

CALCULATING DWADS

For any chart factor look at first look its dwad sign in the dwad-table, because the following calculation gives you just the numeric value (degrees and minutes) of the dwad, not its sign.

Multiply first each chart factor by twelve and then convert the result back to degrees and minutes to get the numerical value for the dwad-planet (but not the sign). Use this numerical value and the dwad sign you got from dwad table in drawing your dwad chart.

An example:
- The Sun in Virgo 28d 14m (28 degrees 14 minutes)
- The dwad for this Virgo degree (as seen in the dwad table) is in Leo.
- Then multiply 28d 14m by 12 and the result is 338d 48m. - Subtract from this result 30 degrees as many times as you can (in this case altogether 330 degrees) - and you get the numerical value of the dwad = 8d 48m. - As the sign for Virgo 28d 14m Sun is Leo, the Sun in the dwad chart will be at Leo 8d 48m. - Repeat this calculation for every chart factor.
In practice you will soon learn to find approximate dwad values even without the above mentioned calculation. Just remember that each dwad in the radix is two and one half degrees = 150 minutes. In other words 150 minutes in the radix corresponds to a whole sign of 30 degrees in the dwad-chart. Dividing 150 minutes with 30 degrees, you get 5. Thus 5 minutes in the radix is one degree in the dwad chart, 10 minutes is two degrees, 15 minutes is 3 degrees and so on.

In casting the dwad-chart just move along the dwad sign you found in the table (Leo in this case) as much as is needed, that is one degree for each 5 minutes in the radix. Because in most cases an accuracy of one degree is all you need, round the amount up to the nearest 5 minutes. In this case: As Virgo's Leo-Dwad begins at 27d 30m and the Sun is at 28d 14m, the distance is 44 minutes (28.15 - 27.30 = 44), rounded up to 45 minutes. Dividing this with 5 you know that in the dwad-chart the Sun is at Leo 9 degrees. When you get used to this method, casting a dwad-chart is quite easy.

CASTING A DWAD CHART

There are two ways to cast a dwad chart: After calculating dwads you can enter them into the radix horoscope as auxiliary positions of the planets, for instance putting them near the inside of the wheel. This makes it easy to see conjunctions and oppositions in the dwad-chart - the most important aspects in any chart - and also interaspects between dwads and the radix. It's also easy to see the houses into which dwad planets fall in the radix.

Another way is to draw a separate dwad chart, which makes it easier to see larger aspect configurations in the dwad-chart. And also to evaluate the dwad-chart as a whole. The dwad-chart is then interpreted like any other chart, using both aspects in the dwad chart and interaspects between the dwad positions and the radix positions.

To avoid clutter it's usually wise to forget small aspects and concentrate on the strongest aspects (conjunctions, oppositions, aspect configurations like T-squares and Grand trines). Even unaspected dwad-planets are significant if they fall on a radix planet or angle. Dwad-planets do not just emphasize radix planets and houses, they also add new content, change the way the radix works. Sometimes they can be more powerful than the radix planets they touch.

ON INTEPRETATION

Dwads are excellent in studying what happens deep within, what motivates and activates you without your conscious knowledge and awareness. Dwads can have a surprisingly strong influence, they are by no means dumb notes even when unaspected. You could say that as they are forever seeking an outlet they represent inner dynamic forces constantly at work, although we may at times be blissfully
unaware of them. Sometimes other people see the workings of our dwads better than we do because we act them out without necessarily seeing that we do so. But others see it.

Dwads may not always tell you what will happen outwardly, instead they will reflect the inner side of things, they describe why you act like you do. Many irrational thinking and behavior patterns, both in individual cases and in synastry, are very clearly reflected in the dwad-chart. If you think that your partner doesn't listen to you - or sees you in a strange way - look at your partner's dwads. The answer may be clear: the partner may be projecting her or his inner contents - dwads - on you. Or he may react something you are not aware of - your dwads. In deep emotional relationships dwads often override radix influences.

Our dwad-charts often become more and more powerful in later years as we become more inner-oriented. This may mean new creative abilities, or perhaps a whole new outlook on life. Some even change their occupations when their dwad-charts begin to become more active as they need an outlet for their new creative dwad-urges.

If you are not interested only in what happens, but always keep wondering why things happen, what secret energies are working below the surface, in inner worlds, give your dwad-chart a try! You will not be disappointed. After having worked with dwads for years or years I can say that, at least for me, no other astrological technique - and I have experimented with quite a few - has given me nearly as much insights as dwads. Nowadays I would not even imagine of drawing up a chart without dwads.

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Pluto in Action

... and Neptune as a Defendant

*When I am me, I am well. But when I am what you say I am, I am\* uneven. - Anonymous

The essence of any relationship is a mystery, which may never be found reflected in the horoscope. Yet the horoscope may shed some light on existing relationships and their problem areas. When Pluto shows its tendencies to manipulate and control, and Neptune is forced into the role of the target of Plutonian projections, much is happening beneath the surface without neither of them being consciously aware of who is doing what and what belongs to whom. Yet the dwad-chart can often shed much light on inner happenings.

Traditionally, if one end of the aspect has not been accepted, it may be projected and then appear as someone else. But as dwads reflect the inner world where everything is connected with everything, where energies touch and blend with each other, things are not that simple. In dwads often whole aspect configurations are projected, sometimes the whole dwad chart. This happens especially with outer-oriented persons who avoid deeper contact with their inner world.

PLUTO OVERPOWERING NEPTUNE

*Plutonians don't form relationships, they take hostages!* - Donna Cunningham

All the planets can be involved in projections, but in most cases Pluto is the major culprit, as the whole phenomenon of projection - getting rid of something - is a typically Plutonian process. As can be expected, Neptunians are often easy targets for intensive Plutonians. Especially in dwad projections Neptune is a suitable projection carrier, because Neptunians live close to their inner worlds and even to collective unconscious. This closeness to inner levels has an influence on others as well = in the presence of a Neptunian the inner life of others becomes activated.

But those other people may not recognize that it is the question of their own inner energies, they think that those uncomfortable inner feelings all belong to the Neptunian. Thus they project their own unconscious contents - their activated dwad
configurations - on to the Neptunian, who as an open and receptive type may have a hard time in warding off the Plutonian projection, or even noticing what is happening. Often the Neptunian just gets confused, without having any idea why the Plutonian sees her or his own characteristics or other strange things in the Neptunian.

If the projector's Pluto is strong, the Neptunian target may feel overwhelmed, possessed, almost forced into nonexistence, in danger of losing her or his own self. Sometimes the Pluto person actually forces the partner to act out the projection. Or at least the Neptunian experiences it that way. Even with otherwise very good synastry strong Pluto projections (from dwads) may create havoc because of the unconsciousness involved, neither of the partners seems to know what is happening, why everything just goes awry between them.

A NEPTUNIAN AS A TARGET

_A desire to resist oppression is implanted in the nature of man._ - Tacitus

Amy has a strong Sun-Neptune conjunction, thus her psychic boundaries are not very firm, which makes her a potential target for all kinds of projections. It is like those looking for a suitable target would sense her weak boundaries and immediately know that she is an easy target. Amy herself became very conscious of her Neptunian vulnerability, when a friend of hers began - in a very Plutonian way - to claim that Amy was a 'Plutonian'. And all the adjectives her friend used to describe Plutonians were very strange to Amy. As a typical Neptunian Amy had never even imagined that somebody could see her that way.

Amy experienced her friend's almost obsessive claims as an attempt to override her painfully won self-image, to change her into something she was not. Often in similar situations the Neptunian target succumbs to Plutonian pressure and fails to keep her self-image intact. But although Amy was a Neptunian on the radix level, she was an Arian in dwads. And no one walks over an Aries. Besides, Amy knew that succumbing to such a pressure - which for Amy felt like an attempt of brainwashing and real mental violence - might gradually make her lose her sense of identity. Thus she was going to resist...

Two things came to her rescue: First she noticed that her friend had many Plutonian friends, thus she probably expected all her friends to be Plutonians and thus couldn't see Amy as different. Secondly, dwads revealed that her friend's own inner self was extremely Plutonian: she had a strong Sun-Pluto conjunction opposing the Moon. Apparently the friend was trying to disown her own Plutonian inner self by projecting it onto Amy, her friend was even doing it quite compulsively, thus in a very Plutonian way. Both those Pluto aspects are known to have manipulative and
controlling tendencies:

"Many people with Sun/Pluto aspects are compulsively drawn to controlling or manipulating the individual expression of other people", writes Jeff Green. And Frances Sakoian and Louis S. Acker write about similar tendencies in Moon opposition Pluto: "This opposition indicates a tendency to control and remake family and friends". Even on the radix-level Moon-Pluto oppositions are often known to be projected, in this case the friend's dwad-Moon fell into Amy's first house, thus she was a suitable target.

PROTECT YOUR SELF-IMAGE....

A simple avoidance... is always open to us, without either suspicion or ill-will. - Marcus Aurelius (Neptune conjunct Ascendant)

"If a person is perpetually the target for someone else's unconscious qualities, and if he lacks the self-knowledge to discern what is happening, he will, in time, begin to resemble the projection", wrote Liz Greene. As Pluto often has a real desire to suppress or possess, even discerning may not always be enough to protect a receptive Neptunian type. The Neptunian may still find it hard to ward off an intensive Plutonian projection.

Yet it is in Neptune's nature that whenever the oppression of the psyche becomes too strong, some evasive Neptunian tendencies begin to function. For some time the only way Amy could protect her psyche, was an obstinate refusal to talk about herself or about Pluto. She made it clear that she would not listen to any comments on herself or on Pluto, no matter what. She needed time and space to decide what to do next. Later on she told her friend how she interpreted her friend's dwad configurations as showing that the friend was projecting her own inner characteristics on Amy. That helped to ease the situation somewhat.

Even when the Neptunian target discerns what is happening, she may sometimes begin - unwillingly but being unable to resist - to act out the projection. The Neptunian may even realize that this kind of acting out may be harmful in the long run, yet she may find no other way to get rid of all those strange energies projected on her. "We human beings are so closely interwoven that one man may do what the other one imagines", said Pekka Ervast, a Finnish theosophist. It is difficult to live close to someone, who imagines that you are something you are not.

Dwad-charts do not only reveal projections, they also show possible "hooks". As hooks often foster projections, knowing them is a big help in itself. One hook between Amy and her friend may have been a Mercury-Neptune conjunction they both had in dwads. It was apparently a strong identification point, but it also made it
easier for the friend to project even her Pluto-configurations onto Amy, although Amy had no similar configurations.

In all relationships strong dwad-aspects (especially conjunctions or oppositions) in charts of both partners often create a strong unconscious identification, or even a real sizeable psychic overlap between two individuals. This may cause a condition where other configurations - without any hooks or similarities - are projected as well.

Thus whenever you feel being a target of a projection - or suspect that you yourself may be doing some projecting - remember dwads. They are often invaluable in revealing both unconscious identification points and dissimilarities as well as hooks, thus making you more aware of what belongs to whom and thus less prone to indiscriminate projecting. And they also help you to accept and to appreciate differences between you and your friends.

*Much of the vitality in a friendship lies in the honoring of differences, not simply in the enjoyment of similarities.*--- James L. Fredericks

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Dwad Creativity

~ Know Your Own Creativity ~

Everyone has inside of him a piece of good news. The good news is that you don't know how great you can be! How much you can love! What you can accomplish! And what your potential is! - Anne Frank

If you want to find your creativity - and thus your own piece of good news - dwads can be an invaluable help. Dwads will show you your own hidden creative energies and thus you will be more able to use your creative potentials even in your practical life. Even if you know nothing about your dwads, the energy involved in dwads is still there, but as it is left unused, somebody else may use it...

On the radix level you may have firm ego boundaries, you may control all that is yours. On the creative dwad-level there are no such firm boundaries, there energies blend with other people's energies. If you leave your inner psychic dwad-energies unused and open, they either create problems in your personal life as they pour at random. Or somebody else 'steals' them and uses them. And consequently you lose your own creativity.

In other words: if you do not use your good news, those news may travel elsewhere. And often without your awareness - you may then never know how much creativity you had in you...

CREATIVE PROJECTING

A vivid thought brings the power to paint it; and in proportion to the depth of its source is the force of its projection. - Ralph Waldo Emerson

A vivid thought can be painted by its creator, but it can also be unconsciously projected outwards and be painted by someone else. This is what often happens if you do not know your own creative potentials. In some cases, people form partnerships in which they - either by mutual inner consent or even with outer
agreement - create a common creative energy field, in which the dwad-person acts like a muse, or the originator of the ideas, the radix-person like the artist who makes creative products out of those ideas. In some cases they even switch their roles at times.

Anyone leaving her or his creative potentials unused, may find herself surrounded by creative people willing to use those energies and to create something out of them. They sort of draw their creative powers partly from those who do not use their energies in their own creative work. If you do not want this to happen to you, get acquainted with your inner energies, with your dwads. Using your dwad-energies makes you strong enough to resist any 'energy thieves'.

Many people who do not know all their own creative potentials have noticed that sometimes in getting involved in a new relationship, they lose a part of they former creative powers, at least for some time. One reason may be that they become interested in new things and thus their energies are used for other purposes, but sometimes their abilities seem to 'travel' elsewhere = they notice that the other person begins to create things they used to create, it looks like he or she got creative powers you had. In such cases you often get your creative abilities back when the relationship ends.

KNOW YOUR OWN CREATIVITY

_Man is a creature who wins his own creation inch by inch from the nest of the cosmic dragons. Or else he loses it little by little, and goes to pieces._ - D H Lawrence, Sun in Virgo conjunct dwad-Saturn

The better you know your inner creative potentials, your dwads, the better you can use them even in your practical life. The more your creativity happens within your head - like in thinking, imaginative writing, philosophizing - the more important this is. In more physical types of creativity - like dancing or sculpting - the radix may be more important than dwads. In many types of creativity the radix doesn't show some of our best creative abilities, but dwads depict them well.

A good example of this is Isaac Newton. C.E.O. Carter wondered why "even so great a thinker as Sir Isaac Newton had not a particularly strong Mercury". That is true only on the radix-level. Newton's dwad chart shows him as a typical Mercury-person: In dwads he has Sun conjunct Ascendant in Gemini, Mercury and Jupiter in the third house, Mercury sextile the Sun, square Uranus. Even his dwad-MC is in Gemini, because in dwads MC - as a point, not as a house cusp - can fall into any sign or house, even to the Ascendant sign as it does in Newton's case. Thus Newton had both his Sun, his dwad-Ascendant and his dwad-MC in Gemini. How much more Mercurial a person could be?
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Dwad Synastry

~ What belongs to whom ~

Until you can experience how your projecting energies are affecting others, you will NEVER understand how their projections are affecting you in turn. - Edwin C. Steinbrecher

Projection is, in fact, a kind of primary psychological method used by everyone to some degree, albeit mostly quite unconsciously. Through projections our unconscious contents get manifested in the outer life; the less we know about our inner life, the more likely it is that we will see it partly in the outer world around us. Astrologically dwads are excellent for studying how projections work in our relationships.

Every astrological planet and point can sometimes be projected, but the likelihood of projection is many times stronger in dwads than in radix. A Dwad-chart often gives such an excellent picture of how projections are working in our lives that it could as well be called the chart of projections. If you want to know, for instance, how your relationships look and work below the surface, draw dwad-charts and compare with each other and with radix charts. Many strange behavior patterns become crystal clear.

SEEING ME IN YOU

The projection of the soul-image is a release from concern with the inner processes, so long as the behavior of the other corresponds to the soul-image. - Carl G. Jung

The less we are in touch - or less we want to be in touch - with our inner selves, the more likely we will see our own inner selves in others. Projecting our inner contents on some one else may release us from us from strong inner pressures, but the relief is usually quite illusory and impermanent. It also make us dependent on the target, losing the target we would immediately get our inner contents back...
We can project our dwads onto anyone who 'offers' a good outlet - a strong radix-planet in conjunction with our dwad-planet, especially if the target's first house is involved. With a strong aspect configuration (especially a conjunction) you often surround yourself with people having the same configuration in the radix. This may mean instant mutual sympathy based on real similarity between the inner you and the outer self of the other person. Or vice versa. In best cases the dwad-person gets to know his inner self through the other, the radix-person feels that he has finally found someone who truly understands...

But dwad projections do not always work out that smoothly, they can also reflect difficult conflict situations. A strong dwad-configuration without an outlet in your own radix may create such an inner pressure that you unconsciously project it onto anyone, even without any outlets on the other person's chart. The target may then feel overwhelmed with strange 'vibes', perhaps even forced to act out strange energies or to live out your inner pressure..

In abusive projections both get frustrated in the long run. How the projection technically happens, depends on your radix outlets. With a strong dwad-configuration with Mars as the radix-outlet, the target of your projections may feel your aggressions and hostility; with Pluto as an outlet you may totally overpower the other person or to manipulate him. If you project your dwads through Venus you may be using kid gloves but it is a projection still, and often harder to resist than, for instance aggressive Martian projections.

INVISIBLE LEADERSHIP

The urge to form partnerships ... is perhaps the oldest, strongest, and most fundamental force in nature. There are no solitary, free-living creatures: every form of life is dependent on other forms... - Lewis Thomas

In abusive projections power struggles usually prevail, one partner trying to force the other person to act as wanted. And then perhaps blaming the partner for all kinds of imaginary things if the projection fails. In benign projections - which are quite common in many creative partnerships - targets are not overpowered or changed by the projection, they are allowed to be themselves, because there is enough similarity between projectors and targets.

Often the dwad-person is the idea man, the radix-person the one who carries out those ideas. The dwad-person holding invisible reigns in the
relationship may work well out in boss-employee relationships. The dwad-boss knows deep within how he wants things done, the radix-person carries them out. If they have strong mutual aspects, the employee often knows exactly what the boss wants, without the boss having ever to verbalize his wants. The employee is then the right-hand man the boss could not do without.

A good example is Vilho (not his right name) who worked as a general manager in a commercial media company. Vilho had a very strong Saturn-Neptune opposition in dwads - and so did the company. When Vilho needed a new assistant there were several applicants with excellent references, but none of them seemed to be what Vilho was looking for. Finally, he asked recommendations from his business acquaintances. This way he got a new applicant whom he hired on the spot, although the new applicant had much less experience and references than the others.

When asked why he chose this person, Vilho said that he just had a very strong gut feeling that there was something very special in this person. And there was: the new assistant had a very strong Saturn-Neptune opposition on the radix level, just as strong as Vilho’s opposition in dwads. That was an excellent radix-dwad synastry for creative partnership as Vilho’s Saturn-Neptune dwads opposition was from Virgo to Pisces, the assistant’s radix Saturn-Neptune opposition from Pisces to Virgo.

Apparently Vilho had found someone who could work out his inner ideas (dwads) and company ideals (dwads) on the practical level (radix). They worked well together, Vilho had never had an assistant he could rely so much on, the assistant seemed to know exactly how to put Vilho's ideas in practice even before Vilho expressed them. As Vilho delegated more and more tasks to the assistant, the assistant felt that he had finally found a boss that really could appreciate his abilities. Radix and dwads worked well together.

**DWADS CHALLENGING RADIX**

*It is hard to fight an enemy who has outposts in your head.* - Sally Kempton

Radix-dwad partnerships can be the best relationships ever - if there is enough common aspects. But if there isn’t as comfortable: seeing some of your own dwad aspects in the radix person without true similarity can create, for example, rivalry or power struggles, which can sometimes be on the even level, especially for the dwad-person, almost fatal, because he or she may be driven by unconscious pressures to act quite irrationally.
A good example of dwads challenging radix - and then losing the resulting power struggle - is the 'famous sport' between two clergymen, Charles Kingsley and Cardinal John Newman. Cardinal Newman has Sun-Pluto conjunction in Pisces, Charles Kingsley has the same conjunction in Aquarius, but in dwads.

Kingsley once wrote and published some very harsh words about Newman claiming that Newman said something he actually did not say. There followed a correspondence between two clergymen, and then Kingsley printed an apology, but later on Cardinal Newman still suddenly published their correspondence. This way the 'famous sport' became public and continued...

Kingsley (Sun-Pluto conjunction in dwads) had originally a strong personal antipathy to Newman (Sun-Pluto conjunction in radix). It is relatively common for the dwad-person to hate the radix-person with the same configuration = one hates in the other person something one hates unconsciously in himself: "Newman stood for the things that Kingsley most disliked and feared in himself", wrote Susan Chitty.

In a fight between radix and dwads the dwad-person pouring out his powerful unconscious contents may be so overwhelmed by his inner resentments that it's like he or she wouldn't see the outer reality at all. This happen in this case too, Cardinal Newman, the radix-person, emerged victorious from the fight, his career even benefited from it. Charles Kingsley - the dwad person - was publicly confounded, because - as was commonly said - he 'crossed words' with one who was too strong for him.

Thus, strong dwad configurations can make you quite blind to outer level reality; so much so that you begin to act against your own best interests, for instance keep fighting when all the signs of defeat are already there. With a true split between the radix and dwads, the native can sometimes act out his dwad-chart like it were a true secondary personality. The core personality (the radix) may be quite unaware of what her or his secondary dwad-personality is doing. Just like it happens in multiple personality disorders in which the core personality is often unaware of the existence of secondary personalities.

An unconscious projection of such a secondary dwad-personality onto others may make true relating quite difficult, if not impossible, making you completely misinterpret the other person. You may see similarity that really doesn’t exist, or you may see all the characteristics you hate in yourself in the partner. And the partner may just wonder whatever you see in her or
him. There is no real contact.

*The effect of projection is to isolate the subject from his environment.* - Carl G. Jung

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Soul Mates in Dwads

~ Identification in Depths ~

There comes that mysterious meeting in life when someone acknowledges who we are and what we can be, igniting the circuits of our highest potential. - Rusty Berkus

We are often attracted to people who manifest in their personalities some characteristics that we have within us without having been able to express them. Those people, by their mere presence, activate our own inner resources, thus unexpressed potentials in our dwad-charts. Often dwads reveal the inner magnetism between people, sometimes even truest soul bonds ever found, but because of their unconscious nature dwads may also reflect projections that can create illusory expectations.

Any time you see very irrational behavior between two people, look at their dwads, and it may not feel so irrational anymore. You could also look at dwads when your friends - or even your pets - show some strange behavior patterns. If for instance your cat is more attached to one of your friends than to any other, compare your cat's dwads with your friend's dwads, and you'll often know why. The radix may show the behavior, but not necessarily what motivates the outer behavior. Dwads show what drives you from within, and also how you are connected with others beneath the surface.

FIND YOUR SOUL MATES

If you look seriously and scientifically you'll see there's a great deal more than you suspected in all this affinity and soul mate craze, for instance. Not that I care much for the words "soul mate" and "affinity" particularly; they have been so VULGARIZED, somehow. The Best People don't use those terms any more. Psychic harmony is the new term. - Don Marquis,

Dwads often reflect characteristics we meet again and again, in all our relationships, the more so the less we are aware of our own dwads. It's like we were all the time
searching for others who reflect what we have deep within, thus our dwads. We somehow instinctively feel that in the company of people with strong dwad-aspects to our own charts we will be able to learn more about ourselves. And that really happens, dwads often reflect true psychic harmony, inner similary between people, they sho us those who are our 'soul mates'...

And perhaps also our 'soul enemies' so to speak. Thus they also show kind of fake soul mates, which we ourselves create by projecting unconsciously our dwads onto others without any true similarity. These fake soul mate contacts can often be recognized because of their compulsive nature, there is fascination, we feel drawn to them even if we do not want to. They somehow overpower us without intending to do so. In true soul mate contacts there is no compulsion, just natural and spontaneous affinity and intense communion.

Friends who resonate with your dwads express something deep within you. There is usually a strong attraction and mutual identification between people who have either mutual dwad-conjunctions or dwad-radix conjunctions. But there are even other ways dwads can influence your sympathies. Strong dwad-conjunctions on your own dwad-chart often create sympathetic feelings towards the planetary type in question, for instance with Sun-Mars in your dwads, you will have a natural sympathy for Arians or Sun-Mars types in general, with Sun-Pluto in dwads for Scorpions, with Sun-Venus for Taureans or Librans...

Classical Sun-Moon combinations are often stronger if either Light is in dwads. Especially dwads Sun-Moon combinations can create a very strong and deep mutual identification. For instance Maija Isola, Finnish textile designer, has both her Sun and Moon conjoined with Armi Ratia's corresponding lights in dwads: "I think that I design all my cloths for Armi [Ratia]. She was my public, and she paid... When Armi died, they showed my cloths on television. It felt strange. Which one of us actually died?"

A Finnish theosophist, Pekka Ervast had a similar synastry with Annie Besant. Ervast said that he had a corner in his room where he used to sit and philosophize. On one wall there was a painting with Väinämöinen and Aino (figures in Kalevala, The Finnish national epic), on another wall there was a large picture of Mrs. Besant. "Every morning I greet her with a nod and wish her good morning. I never stopped loving her..."

Often the radix person admires the dwad person, for instance Peter Sellers' (Virgo) ideal was Stanley Kubrick (dwad-Virgo) and George S. Scott (Libra) admired Bette Davis (dwad-Libra) more than any other actor. It may also go the other way around - dwads admiring the radix but often with mixed feelings: [Edmond Rostand, Aries] is the only man I'm capable of admiring even though I detest him. - Jules Renard (dwad-Aries)
IDENTIFICATION IN DEPTHS

What a wonderful thing it is to have a good friend. He identifies your innermost desires and spares you the embarrassment of disclosing them to him yourself. - LaFontaine

When you meet someone with dwad-Sun conjunct your own dwad-Sun, it may feel like you met your inner soul mate, often there is immediate mutual understanding. For instance, Vita Sackville-West, who had this conjunction with her husband, Harold Nicolson, said that her husband understood her in everything.

People with this conjunction usually have a similar way of expressing their creativity, thus their 'recognize' themselves in each other's creative products. For instance Anais Nin, who had her dwad-Sun in conjunct with Edith Wharton's dwad-Sun, wrote after reading Edith Wharton's book: It appealed to me because it is written exactly as I would like to write ..

Dwad-Sun conjunctions create intensity, often kind of either-or contacts, indifference is very rare. Because of the unconsciousness involved they can also create strong obsessions as happened, for instance, between Truman Capote and Andy Warhol. Capote and Warhol had their dwad-Suns in conjunction. When Warhol came to New York he used to stand outside Capote's house waiting for Capote to come out. "He nearly drove me crazy", wrote Truman Capote.

SOUL LEVEL IDENTIFICATION

What is a friend? A single soul dwelling in two bodies. - Aristotle

We do not often meet people who resonate with us both on the spiritual and on the soul level, but when we meet such persons, we never forget them. They stay forever in our inner lives, we feel good in remembering them. The more we know such people, the more lovelier we create our own inner world. They are people who share our deepest longings, who find meaning in same things we do... They make us feel more alive than ever. And in their company we really are more alive...

"A soul mate is someone who has locks that fit our keys, and keys to fit our locks. When we feel safe enough to open the locks, our truest selves step out and we can be completely and honestly who we are; we can be loved for who we are and not for who we're pretending to be. Each unveils the best part of the other." - Richard Bach

One strong astrological indication of such a contact is the Sun and Moon conjunctions in dwads mentioned above. Bertrand Russell and Joseph Conrad had this dwad conjunction. In their first meeting the conversation became more and
more intimate, says Russell, who had never experienced anything of the kind. They felt like sinking deeper and deeper until each one found the inner fire. They looked at each other, half terrified, half dazed in being together on such an area. The feeling was all-encompassing and as strong as a passionate love. Afterwards Russell was confused and had difficulties in adapting again to daily life.

If you add Neptune to dwad-contacts, you get deepest inner contacts possible. Carlyle and Tennyson had Sun-Neptune contact both in the radix and in dwads: Carlyle's Sun was on Tennyson's Neptune, Tennyson's dwad-Sun on Carlyle's dwad-Neptune. They used sometimes to sit for hours without a word, they just smoked their pipes. Only their eyes reflected their inner happenings. The first time they spoke was when they thanked each other for a nice evening and agreed to meet again.

Such rare deep inner encounters are refreshing and spiritually uplifting for both partners, they are able to kindle each other's inner spirit. And also enhance their creative abilities or otherwise support each other's best qualities. But, of course, there are also cases in which such a deep contact may activate indiscriminately every impulse they have deep within, perhaps even the worst qualities, unless they are not aware of what is happening between them. Knowing your own dwads gives you an unique chance to peek into the inner side of your relationships - and to find and to recognize those rare people that really are your soul mates.

_In everyone's life, at some time, our inner fire goes out. It is then burst into flame by an encounter with another human being. We should all be thankful for those people who rekindle the inner spirit._ - Albert Schweitzer

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Setting Up a Dwad-Chart

~ Easy-to-follow Instructions ~

The formula for calculating the dwad-chart is a bit cumbersome, but there is another - and a more simple - way to set up a dwad-chart, without any complicated calculations. This is the way I do it after years and years of using dwads.

FIVE RADIX-MINUTES = ONE DWAD-DEGREE

These practical instructions I first wrote as an answer to a letter I got from Terhi. As Terhi understood the idea immediately - and even suggested that I should put these easy-to-follow instructions into Anyara - here they are for all of you. Thank you, Terhi, for a good suggestion.

To make it easy all you have to remember is one basic rule:

five radix-minutes converts to one dwad-degree

Later on you will probably automatically learn to remember also that one degree in the radix (60 minutes) converts to 12 degrees in dwads, but even that is not necessary now.

For any planetary placement, first look up the dwad-sign in the Dwad table below and then move along the dwad sign from the beginning in equal one-degree steps - one step for each five-minutes in the radix - take as many steps as you need to get to the exact radix position - and you will have the dwad-degree you are looking for. Try it using the example below - and you will soon notice that with a little practice you will be able to convert radix-position into dwads very quickly, almost automatically - and all within your head, without any cumbersome calculations.

AN EXAMPLE:
Find the dwad-position for Terhi's Sun in Virgo 17.58 (17 degrees 58 minutes)

Using plain numbers (17.58), without especially mentioning that you are using degrees and minutes, be careful not to mix them up with decimals. Thus when you are talking about degrees and minutes 17.50 means 17 degrees and 50 minutes, not 17 and a half degrees (which would be 17.30).

First look up the dwad sign for the Sun in Virgo 17.58 in the dwad-table. The dwad-sign is Aries: the Aries-dwad in Virgo begins at 17.30 (17 and a half degrees). Now remembering that five radix minutes equals to one dwad-degree, you can think it like this:

17.30-17.35 = 1x5 minutes > 1. dwad degree
17.36-17.40 = 2x5 minutes > 2. dwad degree
17.41-17.45 = 3x5 minutes > 3. dwad degree
17.46-17.50 = 4x5 minutes > 4. dwad degree
17.51-17.55 = 5x5 minutes > 5. dwad degree
17.55-18.00 = 6x5 minutes > 6. dwad degree (= the Sun at Virgo 17.58 will be at the 6th Aries dwad-degree )
18.01-18.05 = 7x5 minutes > 7. dwad degree and so on
...
19.55-20.00 = 30x5 minutes > 30. degree.

Getting familiar with dwads you will soon get used to counting quickly five-minutes steps in your head:
From Aries 17.30 forward: >35 > 40 > 45 > 50 > 55 > 60 = six steps (six times five minutes)
thus the degree you are searching for is the 6th one. If you had been searching for a later degree, you would have just moved farther along.

If you had been searching for instance Virgo 20.20 - you would have done the same in the next dwad - the Taurus dwad beginning at Virgo 20.00: 05 > 10 > 15 > 20 = equals five steps each five minutes, thus Taurus 4 would have been the result.

In practice you will soon learn to remember that every radix-degree (12 times five minutes) converts to 12 dwad-degrees, and 2 radix-degrees to 24 dwad-degrees, thus you have less five-minute steps to convert one by one.

To make the process easier it is usually wise to round up the radix position (degrees and minutes) to the nearest degree. Then just enjoy your dwad-studies, dwads can give you a surprisingly accurate (depth-)psychological profiles you can get in no other way.
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Jenny T. wrote a letter about dwads to Linnunrata (a Finnish astrology discussion group). As I thought that her excellent insights might be of interest to all new dwad-users, I asked Jenny for permission to print extracts from her letter here in Anyara together with my answers. Find more dwad information based on user feedback here: Setting up a dwad-chart

JENNY T. ON DWADS

"I have been reading about dwads in Anyara's pages. Dwads were said to be associated with the inner motivation of the person and perhaps with characteristics that we project onto others in our relationships. I set up my dwad-chart. The chart wasn't in any way strange compared with my radix-chart as the dwad-planets were making conjunctions, thus emphasizing the planets in my radix. As an independent whole the dwad-chart seemed not to be very strange either, thus as my first impression I would be ready to accept some ideas from it as motivating me from beneath the surface.

It was very interesting to notice that the emphasis and the signs on my dwad-chart resemble the chart of a friend I have seen as doing openly, in the broad daylight, things I am hiding within myself. My questions are: Have you been using the dwad-chart? And what about your experiences with dwads, how did the dwad-chart work out for you? How should you interpret it? Should you see it as an independent whole or should you compare it synaestrically with the radix?

The dwad-chart made me think of an old science magazine article about fractals and another article about how snow flakes have a definite number of points (five or six?) because one snow flake molecule has the same number of parts. When we study dwads, are we then going sort of "deeper, to layers beneath the surface?"

Jenny T.
As Jenny got an answer to her letter with some suggestions that were quite far off, I also wrote my comments to her - read them here:

NEPTUNIA TO JENNY:

You have very good insights into dwads, Jenny, your way of associating dwads with fractals and snow flake molecules creates an excellent image of dwads. It's just like you are suggesting: in studying dwads we go deeper, we go beneath the surface?

Dwads are working in all us deep within, below the surface, but those who are not aware of the inner side of life, often try to find some special area where to use the dwad-chart, like somebody on the list did suggesting Indian astrology and its karmic interpretations about hereditary influences from father's side. But dwads do not reflect just some special area of life, they reflect the whole life, just like the radix does. Dwads are the inner side of life. And dwads are not karmic - or if they are, only in the same sense as the radix is - or as anything is.

Neither should dwads be associated with the 12th harmonic chart as someone also suggested. As each sign begins with its own dwad, dwads do not create a continuum around the Zodiac like true harmonics do.

Although dwads are 'dwadasamsas', you cannot still draw a parallel to Indian astrology, because at least according to Robert Hand, in India, at least most of the time, only dwad signs are studied, not degrees and houses. I am not very familiar with the Indian astrology myself, but as far as I know they have several ways of dividing the Zodiac that can be associated with true harmonic charts, but there are three exceptions: decanates (1/3), so-called chatturthamsas (1/4) and dwadasamsas (dwads) (1/12).

The background of dwads, used the way I use them, is to be found in Greek astrology as the Greeks did not use only signs, they also used houses and aspects with exact degrees. For the Greeks dwads were a type of so-called dodekatemoria. Associating dwads falsely with the twelfth harmonic chart may originate from the Greek thinking, because they had even a type of dodekatemoria that created a true harmonic chart, but it was the thirteenth harmonic, not the twelfth. At least Vettius Valens has examples of dodekatemoria.

Thus the dwad-chart isn't a karmic chart, nor does it reflect any special area of life, it reflects - just like the radix-chart, the life as a whole, but its inner side. The more inner-oriented you become, the more important and revealing the dwad-chart will be for you. Yet even those who are not consciously aware of the inner workings of their charts, will be influenced by dwads - and they often act them out unconsciously.
Or they may project them onto others, sometimes very forcefully. You might say that although they may not have Neptunian rose-colored glasses, they have their very own dwad-glasses. And sometimes unbelievably strong dwad-glasses. If somebody, for instance, stubbornly keeps seeing something in you that you absolutely cannot recognize, before you are ready to believe that it is just something you are not aware of, look at the other person's dwad-chart. Surprisingly often you will find the answer there.

When you say that your dwad-planets are in conjunction and thus emphasizing your radix-planets, I assume that you have excellent potentials to get deep insights into your own motives and inner experiences. And also to express your inner workings in outer life.

Dwads often reflect amazingly well unconscious interaction between people. Strong dwad-conjunctions with appropriate radix-planets can give you an excellent ability to understand what happens in the inner lives of other people, because in those inner worlds boundaries between people are not as clear as they are on the outer world. Through your own dwads you can sometimes see into dwads of others if you have ability to do so.

You said that your dwad-chart resembles the chart of your friend doing outwardly things you hide within. This is exactly how dwads work, many others experience relationships in a similar way. I think that you have excellent insights into dwads. In general, if you have problems in being conscious of your inner life - as we all do sometimes - you can see your inner life reflected in those of your acquaintances who have a radix chart similar to your dwad-chart. Try it everyone! Studying your inner workings through the dwad-charts of your friends can be truly enlightening.

And all of you, forget suggestions of karmic interpretations and of associating dwads with harmonics. Just follow Jenny's excellent insights, use dwads to see deeper, beneath the surface. And enjoy dwads, they offer you surprisingly accurate (depth-) psychological profiles of yourselves and others as well.

Neptunia, in October 2003

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Aries-dwads

Aries / Aries
Nobody can imitate me. You can always see impersonations of Katharine Hepburn and Marilyn Monroe. But not me. Because I've always drawn on myself only. - Joan Crawford

Aries / Taurus
Childbirth is more admirable than conquest, more amazing than self-defense, and as courageous as either one. - Gloria Steinem

Aries / Gemini
Writing is one of the few professions left where you take all the responsibility for what you do. It's really dangerous and ultimately destroys you as a writer if you start thinking about responses to your work or what your audience needs. - Erica Jong

Aries / Cancer
One may have a blazing hearth in one's soul and yet no one ever come to sit by it. Passersby see only a wisp of smoke from the chimney and continue on the way. - Vincent van Gogh

Aries / Leo
What a man can be, he must be. - Abraham Maslow

Aries / Virgo
A tart temper never mellows with age and a sharp tongue is the only edged tool that grows keener with constant use. - Irving Washington

Aries / Libra
I am a woman meant for a man, but I never found a man who could compete. - Bette Davis

Aries / Scorpio
We feel that we are greater than we know. - William Wordsworth

Aries / Sagittarius
As is our confidence, so is our capacity. - William Hazlitt
Aries / Capricorn
We confide in our strength, without boasting of it; we respect that of others, without fearing it. - Thomas Jefferson

Aries / Aquarius
I never think of sailing as a sport. It is an aesthetic experience. A heightening of awareness ... an adventure of the spirit. I don't think of myself so much as a pioneer, but a searcher. - Clare Francis

Aries - Pisces
It's exciting to live in an age of confusion... - Thornton Wilder

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Taurus-Dwads

Taurus / Aries-dwad
Few people can be happy unless they hate some other person, nation, or creed. - Bertrand Russell

Taurus / Taurus-dwad
In all beautiful art the essential thing is the form. - Immanuel Kant

Taurus / Gemini-dwad
Just as eating against one's will is injurious to health, so study without a liking for it spoils the memory, and it retains nothing it takes in. - Leonardo da Vinci

Taurus / Cancer-dwad
From my grandfather's father, [I learned] to dispense with attendance at public schools, and to enjoy good teachers at home, and to recognize that on such things money should be eagerly spent. - Marcus Aurelius

Taurus / Leo-dwad
If it be a duty to respect other men's claims, so also is it a duty to maintain our own. - Herbert Spencer

Taurus / Virgo-dwad
When I´m not thanked at all, I´m thanked enough. I´ve done my duty, and I´ve done no more. - Henry Fielding

Taurus / Libra-dwad
Love looks not with the eyes, but with the mind. - William Shakespeare

Taurus / Scorpio-dwad
Without fanaticism we cannot accomplish anything. - Evita Peron

Taurus / Sagittarius-dwad
I have to tell you something. I cannot help being happy. I´ve struggled against but no good. Apart from an odd five minutes here and there, I have been happy all my life. There is, I am well aware, no virtue whatever in this. It results from a combination of heredity, health, good fortune and shallow intellect. - Arthur Marshall
Taurus / Capricorn-dwad
So long as the great majority of men are not deprived of either property or honour, they are satisfied. - Niccolo Machiavelli

Taurus / Aquarius-dwad
Art is meant to disturb. Science reassures. - Georges Braque

Taurus / Pisces-dwad
The circumstances of the world are so variable that an irrevocable purpose or opinion is almost synonymous with a foolish one. - William Henry Seward

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Gemini-dwads

Gemini / Aries dwad:
Let no one say that I have said nothing new... the arrangement of the subject is new. When we play tennis, we both play with the same ball, but one of us places it better. - Blaise Pascal

Gemini / Taurus dwad:
I rather like the world. The flesh is pleasing and the Devil does not trouble me. - Elbert Hubbard

Gemini / Gemini dwad:
After thinking it for fifty years I can now say that the world is a word. - Samuli Paronen

Gemini / Cancer dwad:
Trust your instinct to the end, though you can render no reason.- Ralph Waldo Emerson

Gemini / Leo dwad:
He was a simple soul who had not been introduced to his own subconscious. - Warwick Deeping

Gemini / Virgo dwad:
Be curious, not judgmental. - Walt Whitman

Gemini / Libra dwad:
I'm not bored by things. I'm just bored by people who are bored. - Marilyn Monroe

Gemini / Scorpio dwad:
Never try to reason the prejudice out of a man. It was not reasoned into him, and cannot be reasoned out. - Sydney Smith

Gemini / Sagittarius dwad:
Beautiful thoughts hardly bring us to God until they are acted upon. No one can have a true idea of right until he does it. - William R. Inge
Gemini / Capricorn dwad:
Our society, like decadent Rome, has turned into an amusement society, with writers chief among the court jesters - not so much above the clutter as part of it. - Saul Bellow

Gemini / Aquarius dwad:
If I read a book that impresses me, I have to take myself firmly in hand before I mix with other people; otherwise they would think my mind rather queer. - Anne Frank

Gemini / Pisces dwad:
In every corner of my soul, there is an altar to a different god. - Fernando Pessoa

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Cancer-Dwads

Cancer / Aries-dwad
Attacking is the only secret. Dare and the world always yields; or if it beats you sometimes, dare it again and it will succumb. - William Makepeace Thackeray

Cancer / Taurus-dwad
I want to be understood by my country, and if I am not - never mind, I will pass over my native land sideways, as a slanted rain passes. - Vladimir Mayakovsky

Cancer / Gemini-dwad
No matter what anybody tells you, words and ideas can change the world. - John Keating (Robin Williams)

Cancer / Cancer-dwad
Fantasy is the golden gift of a lyric poet, but also the most dangerous one, dangerous to the poet himself. - Aaro Hellaakoski, Finnish writer

Cancer / Leo-dwad
Men are like trees, each one must put forth the leaf that is created in him. - Henry Ward Beecher

Cancer / Virgo-dwad
I have a number of other people's printed collections of poetry and I have used a pen to correct them ... I study this way. - Toivo Laakso, Finnish poet

Cancer / Libra-dwad
Art is not a study of positive reality, it is the seeking for ideal truth. - George Sand

Cancer / Scorpio-dwad
Do we live to abolish death? No we live to fear it and then again to love it, and just for death's sake it is that our spark of life glows for an hour now and then so brightly. - Hermann Hesse

Cancer / Sagittarius-dwad
The most beautiful thing in the world is, precisely the conjunction of learning and inspiration. Oh, the passion to research and the joy of discovery! - Wanda
Cancer / Capricorn-dwad
Patience and passage of time do more than strength and fury. - La Fontaine

Cancer / Aquarius-dwad
Television hangs on the questionable theory that whatever happens anywhere should be sensed everywhere. If everyone is going to be able to see everything, in the long run all sights may lose whatever rarity value they once possessed, and it may well turn out that people, being able to see and hear practically everything, will be specially interested in almost nothing. - E. B. White

Cancer / Pisces-dwad
When I hear music, I fear no danger. I am invulnerable. I see no foe. I am related to the earliest times, and the latest. - Henry David Thoreau

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Leo / Aries-dwad
One hour of life, crowded to the full with glorious action, and filled with noble risks, is worth whole years of those mean observances of paltry decorum. - Sir Walter Scott

Leo / Taurus-dwad
Too much of a good thing can be wonderful. - Mae West

Leo / Gemini-dwad
He who purposes to be an author, should first be a student. - John Dryden

Leo / Cancer-dwad
The closer one is to oneself, the closer one can be come others. - Arthur Janov

Leo / Leo-dwad
Excesses are essentially gestures. It is easy to be extremely cruel, magnanimous, humble, or self-sacrificing, when we see ourselves as actors in a performance. - Eric Hoffer

Leo / Virgo-dwad
Excellence is never granted to man but as the reward of labor. - Joshua Reynolds

Leo / Libra-dwad
I am full of mother love
my kindness has always
been my curse
a tender heart is the cross I bear. - Don Marquis

Leo / Scorpio-dwad
There is too much sex on the screen. ... I'm no prude, but sex is something to be enjoyed not sniggered over or gaped at. - Peter O'Toole

Leo / Sagittarius-dwad
But the decision not to travel is also a departure. - Gösta Ågren, Finnish poet

Leo / Capricorn-dwad
It is untrue that equality is a law of nature. Nature has no equality. Its sovereign law is subordination and dependence. - Vauvenargues

Leo / Aquarius-dwad
I have no riches but my thoughts,
Yet these are wealth enough for me. - Sara Teasdale

Leo / Pisces-dwad
Man is like an iceberg - the more important part is hidden under the water. It interests me to dive down to the most hidden places. - Fernando Arrabal

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Virgo-dwads

Virgo / Aries-dwad:
Each self is unique, and therefore incomparable... it can never be comprehended by any other self. - D. H. Lawrence

Virgo / Taurus-dwad:
No more than one man in ten, at least in the United States, is really a master of the trade he practises. The rest take money for doing what they are quite incompetent to do, and thus live by false pretenses... - H. L. Mencken

Virgo / Gemini-dwad:
I'm more of a writer than a storyteller. I like playing with words, and writing things down... - Lisa Tuttle

Virgo / Cancer-dwad:
To be happy at home is the ultimate result of all ambition, the end to which every enterprise and labor tends... - Samuel Johnson

Virgo / Leo
Fools make researches and wise men exploit them. - H. G. Wells

Virgo / Virgo
I can't write five words but that I change seven. - Dorothy Parker

Virgo / Libra
The learner always begins by finding fault, but the scholar sees the positive merit in everything. - Hegel

Virgo / Scorpio
Our passions are true phoenixes: as the old burn out the new straight up rise up from the ashes. - Goethe

Virgo / Sagittarius
I have always been so lucky that I have never come to doubt the existence of God. - Oiva Paloheimo, Finnish writer

Virgo / Capricorn
Wherever we find orderly, stable systems in Nature, we find that they are hierarchically structured, for the simple reason that without such structuring ... there could be no order and stability - except the order of a dead universe filled with a uniformly distributed gas. - Arthur Koestler

Virgo / Aquarius
Nobody has ever been more alive than I! I am like an unpopular electric eel in a pond full of flatfish. - Edith Sitwell

Virgo / Pisces
The desire for universal welfare ... is that which we call God. - Leo Tolstoy

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Libra Dwads

Libra / Aries-dwad
I'm not the Beatles. I'm me. - John Lennon

Libra / Taurus-dwad
It takes courage to love, but pain through love is the purifying fire which those who love generously know. - Eleanor Roosevelt

Libra / Gemini-dwad
Love's joy, like the joy of the intellect, is to feel itself alive. - Oscar Wilde

Libra / Cancer-dwad
I've always had great luck with the things that really matter in life. I should imagine an unhappy marriage would simply kill a man. - P. G. Wodehouse

Libra / Leo-dwad
The amused observation of one's own self is a veritable gold mine whose surface has hardly yet been scratched. - Logan Pearsall Smith

Libra / Virgo-dwad
What's terrible is to pretend that ... that you don't need love when you do; or you like your work when you know quite well you're capable of better. - Doris Lessing

Libra / Libra-dwad
I can get a better grasp of what is going on in the world from one good Washington dinner party than from all the background information NBC piles on my desk. - Barbara Walters

Libra / Scorpio-dwad
I should find it very stimulating to have several women fall in love with me ... and I should be very sorry for them, too. - T S Eliot

Libra / Sagittarius-dwad
Cure yourself of the condition of bothering about how you look to other people. Be concerned only...with the idea God has of you. - Miguel de Unamuno
Libra / Capricorn-dwad
Be really reserved with everybody, and seemingly reserved with nobody; for it is disagreeable to *seem* reserved, and dangerous not to be. - Lord Chesterfield

Libra / Aquarius-dwad
The world is a tragedy to those who feel, but a comedy to those who think. - Horace Walpole

Libra/Pisces-dwad
The range of what we think and do is limited by what we fail to notice. And, because we fail to notice that we fail to notice, there is little we can do to change until we notice how our failing to notice shapes our thoughts and deeds. - R. D. Laing

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Scorpio-Dwads

Scorpio / Aries-dwad
Every revolutionary ends up either by becoming an oppressor or a heretic. - Albert Camus

Scorpio / Taurus-dwad
It is far better to grasp the Universe as it really is than to persist in delusion, however satisfying and reassuring. - Carl Sagan

Scorpio / Gemini-dwad
To be too conscious is an illness - a real thorough-going illness. - Dostoevsky

Scorpio / Cancer-dwad
The Holy Scriptures are our letters from home. - St. Augustine

Scorpio / Leo-dwad
He who has not forgiven an enemy has not yet tasted one of the most sublime enjoyments of life. - Johann Casper Lavater

Scorpio / Virgo-dwad
Confession is always weakness. The grave soul keeps its own secrets, and takes its own punishment in silence. - Dorothy Dix

Scorpio / Libra-dwad
What loneliness is more lonely than distrust? - George Eliot

Scorpio / Scorpio-dwad
Thee jealous are troublesome to others, but a torment to theeselves. William Penn

Scorpio / Sagittarius-dwad
You have no idea how much nastier I would be if I was not a Catholic. Without supernatural aid I would hardly be a human being. - Evelyn Waugh

Scorpio / Capricorn-dwad
A man who is 'of sound mind' is one who keeps the inner madman under lock and key. - Paul Valery
Scorpio / Aquarius-dwad
Every sin is a result of collaboration. - Stephen Crane

Scorpio / Pisces-dwad
The great mystery is not that we should have been thrown down here at random between the profusion of matter and that of the stars; it is that from our very prison we should draw, from our own selves, images powerful enough to deny our nothingness. - Andre Malraux

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Sagittarius-Dwads

Sagittarius / Aries-dwads:
If people would dare to speak to one another unreservedly, there would be a good deal less sorrow in the world a hundred years hence. - Samuel Butler

Sagittarius / Taurus-dwads:
Our grand business is undoubtedly not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand. - Thomas Carlyle

Sagittarius / Gemini-dwads:
Don't get it right, get it written. - James Thurber

Sagittarius / Cancer-dwads:
The principal thing in this world is to keep one's soul aloft. - Gustave Flaubert

Sagittarius / Leo-dwads:
It must require an inordinate share of vanity and presumption, too, after enjoying so much that is good and beautiful on earth, to ask the Lord for immortality in addition to all. - Heinrich Heine

Sagittarius / Virgo-dwads:
We should not be so taken up in the search for truth, as to neglect the needful duties of active life; for it is only action that gives a true value and commendation to virtue. - Cicero

Sagittarius / Libra-dwads:
Beauty and the lust of learning have yet to be allied. - Sir Max Beerbohm

Sagittarius / Scorpio-dwads:
Man is a being born to believe. And if no church comes forward with its title-deeds of truth to guide him, he will find altars and idols in his own heart and his own imagination. - Benjamin Disraeli

Sagittarius / Sagittarius-dwads:
I have the happiness of the passing moment, and what more can mortal ask? - George Gissing
Sagittarius / Capricorn-dwads:
Progress imposes not only new possibilities for the future but new restrictions. - Norbert Wiener

Sagittarius / Aquarius-dwads:
The world is a tragedy to those who feel, but a comedy to those who think. - Horace

Sagittarius / Pisces-dwads:
The best way to cheer yourself up is to try to cheer somebody else up. - Mark Twain

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Capricorn-Dwads

Capricorn / Aries-dwad
Help yourself and you help the world, for you are the world. - Ramana Maharshi

Capricorn / Taurus-dwad
The beauty of the world and the orderly arrangement of everything celestial makes us confess that there is an excellent and eternal nature, which ought to be worshipped and admired by all mankind. - Cicero

Capricorn / Gemini-dwad
Democracy means government by discussion, but it is only effective if you can stop people talking. - Clement Richard Attlee

Capricorn / Cancer-dwad
Generosity is giving more than you can, and pride is taking less than you need. - Kahlil Gibran

Capricorn / Leo-dwad
I would have made a good Pope. - Richard Nixon

Capricorn / Virgo-dwad
I write for no other purpose than to add to the beauty that now belongs to me. I write a book for no other reason than to add three or four hundred acres to my magnificent estate. - Jack London

Capricorn / Libra-dwad
From birth to age eighteen, a girl needs good parents. From eighteen to thirty-five, she needs good looks. From thirty-five to fifty-five, she needs a good personality. From fifty-five on, she needs good cash. - Sophie Tucker

Capricorn / Scorpio-dwad
If you do what you should not, you must bear what you would not. - Benjamin Franklin

Capricorn / Sagittarius-dwad
What I care about most is the freedom of man, the liberation of the individual man
from the network of moral and social convention in which he believes... - Federico Fellini

Capricorn / Capricorn-dwad
Culture is acquainting ourselves with the best that has been known and said in the world, and thus with the history of the human spirit. - Matthew Arnold

Capricorn / Aquarius-dwad
To know all is not to forgive all. It is to despise everybody. - Quentin Crisp

Capricorn / Pisces-dwad
Most of us swim in the ocean of the commonplace. - Pio Baroja

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Aquarius Dwads

Aquarius / Aries-dwad
What good are vitamins? Eat four lobsters, eat a pound of caviar - live! If you are in
love with a beautiful blonde with an empty face and no brain at all, don't be afraid,
marry her - live! - Arthur Rubinstein

Aquarius / Taurus-dwad
The man in whom Tao
Acts without impediment ...
He does not struggle to make money
And does not make a virtue of poverty.
He goes his way
Without relying on others... - Thomas Merton

Aquarius / Gemini-dwad
One may not have written it well enough for others to know, but you’re in love with
the truth when you discover it at the point of a pencil. That in and by itself is one of
the few rare pleasures in life. - Norman Mailer

Aquarius / Cancer-dwad
If we have anything kind to say, any tender sentiment to express, we feel a sense of
shame. - Ugo Betti

Aquarius / Leo-dwad
Flattery is all right - if you don't inhale. - Adlai Stevenson

Aquarius / Virgo-dwad
It is only by labour that thought can be made healthy, and only by thought that
labour can be made happy. - John Ruskin

Aquarius / Libra-dwad
It's all right to hesitate if you then go ahead. - Bertolt Brecht

Aquarius / Scorpio-dwad
Am I not destroying my enemies when I make friends of them? - Abraham Lincoln
Aquarius / Sagittarius-dwad
One main factor in the upward trend of animal life has been the power of wandering.
- Alfred North Whitehead

Aquarius / Capricorn-dwad
Authority intoxicates,
The fumes of it invade the brain,
And make men giddy, proud, and vain. - Samuel Butler

Aquarius / Aquarius-dwad
Those who will not reason, are bigots, those who cannot, are fools, and those who
dare not, are slaves. - Lord Byron

Aquarius / Pisces-dwad
I love the people, I hate their oppressors; but it would be a perpetual torture for me
to live with the people... I had, and I have still, the most aristocratic tastes. I would
do everything for the happiness of the people, but I would sooner, I believe, pass two
weeks every month in prison, than live with shopkeepers. - Stendhal

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Pisces Dwads

Pisces / Aries-dwad:
A man can surely do what he wills to do, but he cannot determine what he wills. - Arthur Schopenhauer

Pisces / Taurus-dwad:
Keep away from physicians... They leave it to Nature to cure in her own time, but they take the credit. As well as very fat fees. - Anthony Burgess

Pisces / Gemini-dwad:
Among scientists are collectors, classifiers, and compulsive tidiers-up; many are detectives by temperament and many are explorers; some are artists and others artisans. - Peter Medawar

Pisces / Cancer-dwad:
It is unfair to take advantage of anyone's emotional vulnerability. - John Irving

Pisces / Leo-dwad:
I pray God to keep me from being proud. - Samuel Pepys

Pisces / Virgo-dwad:
Only a poet could prepare a questionnaire for God. - Stanislaw Jerzy Lec

Pisces / Libra-dwad:
I am for lifting everyone off the social bottom. In fact, I am for doing away with the social bottom altogether. - Clare Boothe Luce

Pisces / Scorpio-dwad:
And this is the way a novel gets written, in ignorance, fear, sorrow, madness, and a kind of psychotic happiness as an incubator for the wonders being born. - Jack Kerouac

Pisces / Sagittarius-dwad:
Only a life lived for others is a life worthwhile. - Albert Einstein

Pisces / Capricorn-dwad:
The most useful members of a church are usually those who would be doing harm if they are not doing good. - Charles Haddon Spurgeon

Pisces / Aquarius-dwad:
I care not whether a Man is Good or Evil; all that I care Is whether he is a Wise man or a Fool. Go! put off Holiness and put on Intellect. - William Blake

Pisces / Pisces-dwad:
I think that dreams which so far have helped me to live, will be my only guide. - Anais Nin

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I had spent a good deal of time in solitude, isolation, and confinement studies on myself. These experiments were done in darkness, total darkness, in total silence, floating in neutral buoyancy in a tank of water. - John Lilly, Water grand trine in dwads, including both Sun, Moon and Mercury-Pluto.

Sun in Capricorn in Cancer-dwad
One can keep 'tape loops' from earliest childhood going in one's body-muscle-brain circuits. Some of these tapes are fixated orders to stay out of good spaces. They are 'ego functions' or 'downer' orders...

Moon in Virgo in Pisces-dwad
All the average person has to do is get into the tank in the darkness and silence and float around until he realizes he is programming everything that is happening inside his head. You are free of the physical world at that point, and anything can happen inside your head ...

Mercury in Capricorn in Cancer-dwad
At age sixteen, in my prep school, I wrote an article for the school paper called "Reality," and that laid out the trip for the rest of my life...

Venus in Sagittarius in Capricorn-dwad
Some people stay around me for a while and run away. I can't keep a woman here. They all get frightened sooner or later.

Mars in Capricorn in Taurus-dwad
Tremendous energy is locked up in these old programs or what Jung called "autonomous complexes." You can release this energy if you get enough distance from your emotional involvement in the programs...

Jupiter in Aquarius in Scorpio-dwad
I call God ECCO now. The Earth Coincidence Control Office.

Saturn in Gemini in Taurus-dwad
The higher states of consciousness and the means of reaching them are an economic asset worth more money than one can currently measure.

Uranus in Aquarius in Gemini-dwad
I left the Catholic Church when I was thirteen, when I decided that the whole mystical thing - God, angels, afterlife - was all childish nonsense. I went full speed into science.

Neptune in Cancer in Gemini-dwad
*These inner realities can have virtually infinite domains*, unlimited by current or past concepts of languages, of logics, of mathematics, of philosophies, of beliefs, or of metabeliefs previously learned-experienced...

Pluto in Cancer in Cancer-dwad
There can exist in addition to the aware self, other hidden systems of control of the organism, which can programme thinking, can programme feeling, can programme action, towards destruction of that particular organism.

MC in Scorpio in Capricorn-dwad
If you really want to experience what it is to be in the tank, don't read any of my books, don't listen to me, just go in there and be.

Ascendant in Capricorn in Aries-dwad
In my own opinion, only those who have been there can help by direct teaching, by example, by writing and by confirmation.

Dr. John C. Lilly, born on January 6, 1915, 7:30 AM, St. Paul, MN, is a physician, psychoanalyst and a scientific explorer who invented the Isolation Tank Method. Dr. Lilly's pioneering research has resulted in new insights into inner and outer realities, sensory deprivation, interspecies communication and many other subjects.

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Carl Rogers

Carl Rogers, American psychologist who pioneered client-centered therapy and helped found the human growth movement, was born on January 8, 1901 in Oak Ridge, Ill., USA. This quote profile the radix position is mentioned first, then the dwad.

Sun: Capricorn / Leo
Experience is, for me, the highest authority. The touchstone of validity is my own experience.

Moon: Capricorn / unknown dwad
I was brought up in a home marked by close family ties, a very strict and uncompromising religious and ethical atmosphere, and what amounted to a worship of the virtue of hard work.

Mercury: Capricorn / Virgo
The basic idea behind teaching is to teach people what they need to know.

Venus: Aquarius / Capricorn
I find I am more effective when I can listen acceptantly to myself, and can be myself.

Mars: Aquarius / Aries
It does not help to act calm and pleasant when actually I am angry and critical. It does not help to act as though I know the answers when I do not. It does not help to act as though I were a loving person if actually, at the moment, I am hostile.

Jupiter: Capricorn / Libra
Evaluation by others is not a guide for me. The judgments of others, while they are to be listened to, and taken into account for what they are, can never be a guide for me. This has been a hard thing to learn.

Saturn: Capricorn / Leo
The degree to which I can create relationships which facilitate the growth of others as separate persons is a measure of the growth I have achieved in myself.
Uranus: Sagittarius / Cancer
I have found that when another person has been willing to tell me something of his inner directions this has been of value to me, if only in sharpening my realization that my directions are different.

Neptune: Gemini / Taurus
I have learned that my total organismic sensing of a situation is more trustworthy than my intellect.

Pluto: Gemini / Sagittarius
In fact I have found that when I have followed one of these unconventional paths because it felt right or true, then in five or ten years many of my colleagues have joined me, and I no longer need to feel alone in it.

North Node: Scorpio / Pisces
The more I am open to the realities in me and in the other person, the less do I find myself wishing to rush in to fix things.

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Sun in Capricorn's Gemini dwad
We have multiplied books and spread information to an extent unequalled in history, but mere information, mere factual knowledge, is infinitely divisible and may increase by self-analysis without any important growth in quality or actual content.

Moon in Virgo's Capricorn dwad
They taught you as a child to feel guilty ... I am not going to say that you shouldn't but I say that if you do, don't worry about it. And if you want to say, 'But I can't help worrying about it,' I'm going to say, Okay, go ahead and worry about it.

Mercury in Capricorn's Cancer dwad
Knowledge of the infinite Reality is immediate, and cannot be approached through deduction and logic.

Venus in Sagittarius' Capricorn dwad
One might well ask, 'Why do you want to love God?' And the answer is invariably, because God is the most powerful ruler, and it is always best to be on the side of the big battalions. Most often that is the real reason why people believe in God...

Mars in Capricorn's Taurus dwad
The hallucination of being a separate ego will not stand up to biological tests.

Jupiter in Aquarius' Scorpio dwad
The goal of religion is salvation, which means membership in a community, only possible through accepting and internalizing the conventions of the community. Unfortunately, people become hypnotized by conventions and think they are laws of nature.

Saturn in Gemini's Taurus dwad
We cannot be more sensitive to pleasure without being more sensitive to pain.
Uranus in Aquarius' Gemini dwad
A scientific astrology, if it could ever be worked out, would have to be a thorough description of the individual's total environment - social, biological, botanical, meteorological, and astronomical - throughout every moment of his life.

Neptune in Cancer's Gemini dwad
Mystical ecstasy is simply an analogy of intellectual knowledge in terms of feeling, and is in no way essential to metaphysical realization.

Pluto in Cancer's Cancer dwad
What's so great about going back to the womb? There we are regressed to the place that psychologists don't really like to talk about, and they may say that in the womb the baby feels omnipotent, but this is of course a fantasy.

MC in Libra's Gemini dwad
So the darkness shall be light, and the stillness the dancing.

Ascendant in Sagittarius' Cancer dwad
When you feel that you are a lonely, put-upon, isolated little stranger confronting all this, you are under the influence of an illusory feeling, because the truth is quite the reverse. You are the whole works, all that there is, and always was, and always has been, and always will be.

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Uranus-Dwads

~ Scientists on Science ~

Uranus in Aries-dwad (in Virgo)
The difficulty lies, not in the new ideas, but in escaping the old ones, which ramify, for those brought up as most of us have been, into every corner of our minds. - John Maynard Keynes, economist, Gemini

Uranus in Taurus-dwad (in Scorpio)
The more we get out of the world, the less we leave, and in the long run we shall have to pay our debts at a time that may be very inconvenient for our own survival. - Norbert Wiener, mathematician, Scorpio

Uranus in Gemini-dwad (in Sagittarius)
Natural science does not simply describe and explain nature; it is part of the interplay between nature and ourselves; it describes nature as exposed to our method of questioning. - Werner Heisenberg, physicist, Sagittarius

Uranus in Cancer-dwad (in Sagittarius)
Each suburban housewife spends her time presiding over a power plant sufficient to have staffed one palace of a Roman emperor with a hundred slaves. - Margaret Mead, anthropologist, Sagittarius

Uranus in Leo dwad (in Capricorn)
The improver of natural science absolutely refuses to acknowledge authority, as such. For him, scepticism is the highest of duties and blind faith the one unpardonable sin. - Thomas Henry Huxley, biologist, Taurus

Uranus in Virgo-dwad (in Virgo)
The whole of science is nothing more than a refinement of everyday thinking. - Albert Einstein, physicist, Pisces

Uranus in Libra-dwad (in Taurus)
Scientists, therefore, are responsible for their research, not only intellectually but also morally. - Fritjof Capra, physicist, Aquarius
Uranus in Scorpio-dwad (in Sagittarius)
We do not believe any group of men adequate enough or wise enough to operate without scrutiny or without criticism. We know that the only way to avoid error is to detect it, that the only way to detect it is to be free to inquire. We know that in secrecy error undetected will flourish and subvert.
- J. Robert Oppenheimer, physicist, Taurus

Uranus in Sagittarius-dwad (in Cancer)
I was taught that the way of progress is neither swift nor easy. - Marie Curie, chemist, Scorpio

Uranus in Capricorn-dwad (in Gemini)
Increasing knowledge lessens the sphere of the supernatural. - Edward Alexander Westermarck, anthropologist, Scorpio

Uranus in Aquarius-dwad (in Scorpio)
A scientific man ought to have no wishes, no affections, a mere heart of stone. - Charles Darwin, naturalist, Aquarius

Uranus in Pisces-dwad (in Aries)
Science is not only compatible with spirituality; it is a profound source of spirituality. - Carl Sagan, astronomer, Scorpio

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Pluto in Dwads

Quotations by Psychologists and Psychiatrists

Pluto in Aries-dwad (in Taurus)
I must SEARCH FOR BEING if I want to find my real self. But it is not till I fail in this search for intrinsic being that I begin to philosophize. - Karl Jaspers, Pisces

Pluto: Taurus-dwad (in Leo)
Many benefit from [therapy], but it doesn't help everybody and for some it may mean more harm than good. - Ben Furman, Finnish psychiatrist, Libra

Pluto: Gemini-dwad (in Taurus)
Not I, but the poets discovered the unconscious. - Sigmund Freud, Taurus

Pluto: Cancer-dwad (in Cancer)
It is curious how there seems to be an instinctive disgust in Man for his nearest ancestors and elations. If only Darwin could conscientiously have traced man back to the Elephant or the Lion or the Antelope, how much ridicule and prejudice would have been spared to the doctrine of Evolution. - Havelock Ellis, Aquarius

Pluto: Leo-dwad (in Gemini)
... Our ego does not want to see the things which would destroy it. Its resistance against conquest of the unconscious is a struggle for survival. Only an objective helper, a psychologist, a modern father-confessor, can overcome this resistance. - Fritz Kunkel, Virgo

Pluto: Virgo-dwad (in Cancer)
Formerly, when religion was strong and science weak, men mistook magic for medicine, now, when science is strong and religion weak, men mistake medicine for magic. - Thomas Szasz, Aries

Pluto: Libra-dwad (in Gemini)
Love cures people both the ones who give it and the ones who receive it. - Karl Menninger, Leo
Pluto: Scorpio-dwad (in Aries)
Seek out that particular mental attribute which makes you feel most deeply and vitally alive, along with which comes the inner voice which says, This is the real me, and when you have found that attitude, follow it. - William James, Capricorn

Pluto: Sagittarius-dwad (in Cancer)
I would rather define self as the interiorization of community. - James Hillman

Pluto: Aquarius-dwad (in Taurus)
Science is the tool of the Western mind and with it more doors can be opened than with bare hands. It is part and parcel of our knowledge and obscures our insight only when it holds that the understanding given by it is the only kind there is. - C.G. Jung, Leo

Pluto: Pisces-dwad (in Gemini)
Finding the center of strength within ourselves is in the long run the best contribution we can make to our fellow men. - Rollo May, Taurus

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HOROSCOPE SIGNS AND APHORISMS

The aphorism is cultivated only by those who have known fear in the midst of words, that fear of collapsing with all the words. - E.M. Cioran, Aries

There are aphorisms that, like air planes, stay up only while they are in motion. - Vladimir Nabokov, Taurus

The only way to read a book of aphorisms without being bored is to open it at random and, having found something that interests you, close the book and meditate. - Prince de Ligne, Gemini

APHORISM, n. Predigested wisdom. - Ambrose Bierce, Cancer

The great writers of aphorisms read as if they had all known each other well. - Elias Canetti, Leo

The wisdom of the wise and the experience of the ages is preserved, into perpetuity, by a nation's proverbs, fables, folk wisdom, maxims, aphorisms and quotations. - William Feather,
Virgo

In the mountains the shortest route is from peak to peak but for that you must have long legs. Aphorisms should be peaks, and those to whom they are addressed should be big and tall of stature. - Friedrich Nietzsche, Libra

The young people who come to me in the hope of hearing me utter a few memorable maxims are quite disappointed. Aphorisms are not my forte, I say nothing but banalities... I listen to them and they go away delighted. - Andre Gide, Scorpio

All of us encounter, at least once in our life, some individual who utters words that make us think forever. There are men whose phrases are oracles; who can condense in one sentence the secrets of life; who blurt out an aphorism that forms a character, or illustrates an existence. - Benjamin Disraeli, Sagittarius

I love quotations because it is a joy to find thoughts one might have, beautifully expressed with much authority by someone recognized wiser than oneself. - Marlene Dietrich, Capricorn

For aphorisms, except they should be ridiculous, cannot be made but of the pith and heart of sciences; for discourse of illustration is cut off; recitals of examples are cut off; discourse of order and connexion is cut off; descriptions of practice are cut off. So there remaineth nothing to fill the aphorisms but some good quality of observation. - Sir Francis Bacon, Kauris

Aphorisms are essentially an aristocratic genre of writing. The aphorist does not argue or explain, he asserts; and implicit in his assertion is a conviction that he is wiser or more intelligent than his readers. For this reason the aphorist who adopts a folksy style with "democratic" diction and grammar is a cowardly and insufferable hypocrite. - W. H. Auden, Kala

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HOROSKOOPPIMERKIT JA AFORISMIT

Aforismeja viljelevät vain ne, jotka ovat tunteneet sanoja ympäröivän pelon, pelon joutua kadoksiin kaikkien sanojen joukossa. - E.M. Cioran, Oinas

On aforismeja, jotka lentokoneiden tavoin pysyvät ilmassa vain ollessaan liikkeellä. - Vladimir Nabokov, Härkä

Ainoa tapa lukea ikävystymättä aforismikirjaa on avata se satunnaisesti ja löydettyään jotain kiinnostavaa sulkea kirja ja mietiskellä. - Prince de Ligne, Kaksonen

APHORISM, n. Predigested wisdom. - Ambroce Bierce, Rapu

Suuria aforismien kirjoittajia lukiessaan tuntuu kuin he olisivat kaikki tunteneet toisensa hyvin. - Elias Canetti, Leijona

Viisaiden viisaus ja aikakausien kokemus säilytetään ikuisesti kansakunnan sananlaskuina, taruina, kansan viisautena, maksiimeina, aforismeina ja sitaatteina. - William Feather, Neitsyt

Vuorilla lyhyin reitti on huipulta huipulle, mutta sitä varten sinulla on oltava pitkät sääret. Aforismien tulisi olla huippuja ja niiden, joille ne on kohdistettu tulisi olla suuria ja tasokkaita. - Friedrich Nietzsche, Vaaka

Nuoret, jotka tulivat luokseni toivoen, että lausuisin muutamia ikimuistoisia maksiimeja, pettyivät täysin. Aforismit eivät ole minun alaani, en lausu muuta arkipäiväisyyksiä.... - Andre Gide, Skorpioni

Kaikki kohtaamme ainakin kerran elämässämme jonkun ihmisen, joka lausuu sanoja, jotka saavat meidät pysyvästi ajattelemaan. On ihmisiä, joiden lauseparret ovat oraakkeleita; jotka voivat
tiivistää yhteen lauseeseen elämän salaisuuden; jotka lausuvat aforismin, joka muuttaa ihmisen tai selittää olemassaalon. - Benjamin Disraeli, Jousimies

Rakastan sitatteja, koska on ilo löytää sellaisia ajatuksia, jotka itselläkin voisi olla, kauniisti ilmaistuna sellaisen henkilön arvovallalla, joka on tunnetusti itseä viisaampi. - Marlene Dietrich, Kauris

Mikään aforismi ei kestä tieteellistä tarkastelua - ja sanoo silti totuuden! - Aarne Kinnunen, Vesimies

Aforismit ovat olennaisesti aristokraattinen kirjoittamisen laji. Aforistikko ei väittele tai selitää, hän vakuuttaa; ja hänen vakuutteluihinsa sisältyy vakaumus, että hän on viisaampi tai älykkäämpi kuin lukijansa. Tästä syystä aforistikko, joka omaksuu kansanomaisen tyylin käyttäen "demokraattista" esitystapaa ja kielioppia on pelkuri ja sietämätön teeskentelijä. - W. H. Auden, Kala

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