



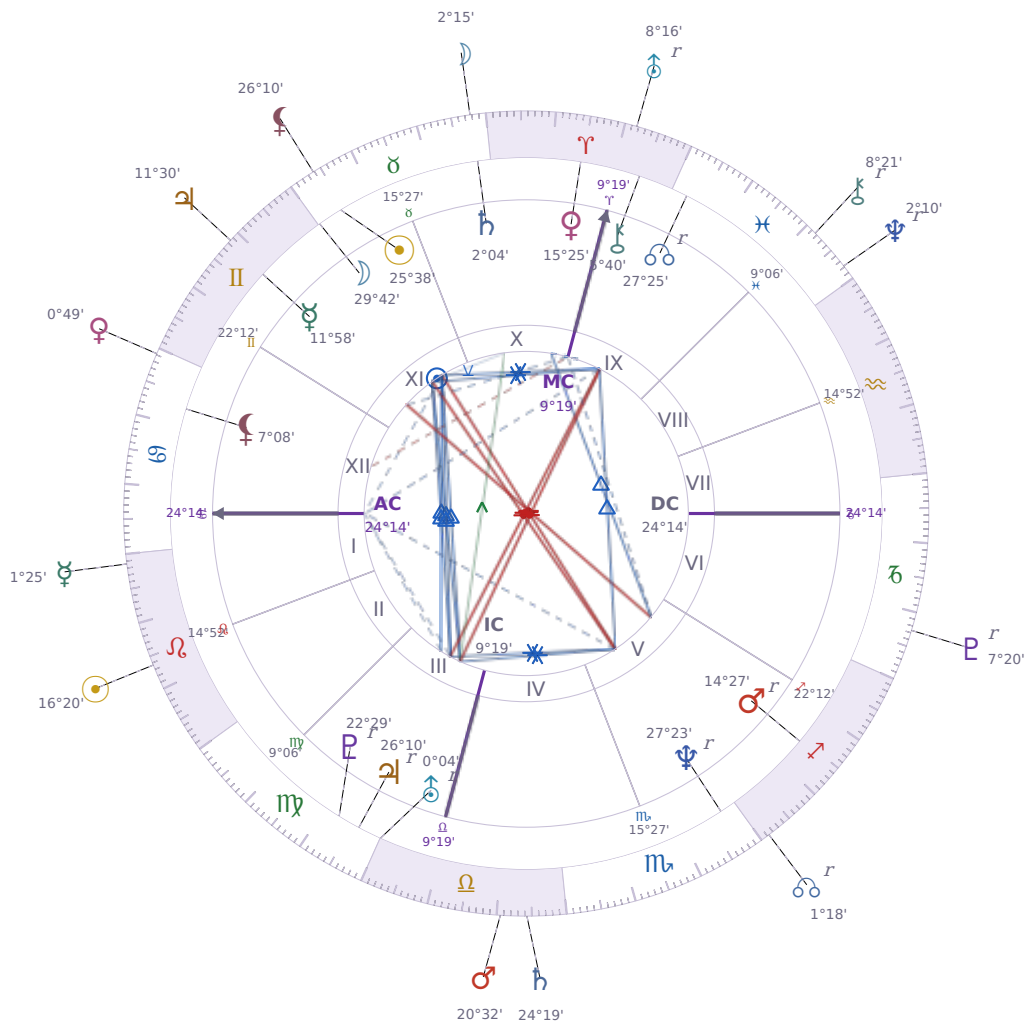
DAILY HOROSCOPE

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**Wednesday, 8 August 2012**



**TRANSITS FOR TODAY**

☉ Sun	in ♌ Leo	16°20'14"
☾ Moon	in ♉ Taurus	2°15'54"
☿ Mercury	in ♌ Leo	1°25'50"
♀ Venus	in ♋ Cancer	0°49'55"
♂ Mars	in ♌ Libra	20°32'19"
♃ Jupiter	in ♊ Gemini	11°30'01"
♄ Saturn	in ♌ Libra	24°19'14"

♅ Uranus	in ♈ Aries Rx	8°16'24"
♆ Neptune	in ♓ Pisces Rx	2°10'32"
♇ Pluto	in ♐ Capricorn Rx	7°20'55"
♁ Chiron	in ♓ Pisces Rx	8°21'03"
♁ NNode	in ♐ Sagittarius Rx	1°18'10"
♁ Lilith	in ♉ Taurus	26°10'08"

## NATAL PLANETS

☉ Sun	in ♉ Taurus	25°38'16"	XI
☾ Moon	in ♉ Taurus	29°42'46"	XI
☿ Mercury	in ♊ Gemini	11°58'12"	XI
♀ Venus	in ♈ Aries	15°25'00"	X
♂ Mars	in ♐ Sagittarius	14°27'19"	V Rx
♃ Jupiter	in ♍ Virgo	26°10'12"	III Rx
♄ Saturn	in ♉ Taurus	2°04'36"	X
♅ Uranus	in ♎ Libra	0°04'09"	III Rx
♆ Neptune	in ♏ Scorpio	27°23'30"	V Rx
♇ Pluto	in ♍ Virgo	22°29'00"	III Rx
♁ Chiron	in ♈ Aries	5°40'23"	IX
♁ North Node	in ♓ Pisces	27°25'37"	IX Rx
♁ Lilith	in ♋ Cancer	7°08'35"	XII

## KEY DATE

### ☿ Mercury stations Direct

*Mercury* stationing direct means **conversations and decisions that felt stuck** will start moving again, and you'll notice **clarity returning** to emails, plans, and talks that were confusing before. At work and in daily life, **miscommunications often resolve themselves** once this station passes, and people tend to follow through on things they'd postponed. Over the next few days, **information you've been waiting for** usually arrives, and you'll feel ready to **commit to choices** you'd been sitting on.

### ♀ Venus enters ♋ Cancer

*Venus* in *Cancer* makes people **more careful about who they let close**, and they often notice themselves wanting **deeper emotional connection** instead of surface-level interaction. In relationships and work, this shows up as spending more time with people who feel **safe and familiar**, while casual friendships might feel less interesting. Most people find themselves **expressing care through practical actions** — cooking, checking in, remembering details — rather than grand gestures or words.

## KEY TRANSIT FACTORS

### ♆ Neptune \* Sextile ♄ natal Saturn

Right now you find it easier to **organize vague ideas into actual plans** without getting lost in details. Your practical side is working well with your imagination, so you can sketch out a direction and know roughly how to get there. Over the coming weeks, this steadiness means you can trust your instincts about which dreams are worth the effort.

### ☾ Moon ♂ Conjunction ♄ natal Saturn

These days you are more aware of what you actually need rather than what you think you should want. You feel **realistic and serious about your responsibilities**, and you are less likely to act on impulse or emotional whim. This clarity can feel heavy at first, but it often pushes you to make practical decisions you have been avoiding.

### ♃ Jupiter ♂ Conjunction ☿ natal Mercury

You're thinking more expansively right now and your mind feels faster than usual. You're likely talking more, asking bigger questions, and finding it easier to explain your ideas to others. This is a good window to pitch a proposal, write something you've been putting off, or have conversations you've been avoiding because your confidence in what you're saying is genuinely higher.

### ♁ Lilith ♂ Conjunction ☉ natal Sun

Over the coming weeks, you feel less interested in fitting in or softening your opinions to keep the peace. You're more likely to say what you actually think and **push back against rules or expectations that feel fake**. This directness can clear the air in relationships, but it may also create friction if people around you aren't used to seeing this side of you.

### ♃ Mercury ☐ Square ♄ natal Saturn

Your thinking feels slower and more critical right now, as if your mind is working against you instead of for you. You second-guess yourself constantly, rewrite emails before sending them, and **struggle to say what you actually mean**. These delays and self-doubt can make practical tasks like paperwork, contracts, or explaining yourself to others feel exhausting and unnecessarily hard over the coming weeks.

### ☉ Sun \* Sextile ♂ Mars

Right now you find it easier to **take action on things you actually want** instead of sitting with them in your head. Your motivation and your confidence are aligned, so when you decide to do something, your body follows without the usual resistance. This is a practical window for starting projects, having difficult conversations, or pushing through work that needs momentum.

### ☉ Sun \* Sextile ♃ Jupiter

These days you feel more **willing to take reasonable risks** and try things you've been putting off. People around you seem more generous with their time and help, making it easier to move forward on practical goals. This period brings a straightforward boost to your confidence without the pressure to overcommit or perform.

### ☾ Moon ☐ Square ♃ Mercury

Right now your **feelings and thoughts are working against each other**, making it hard to say what you actually mean. You might feel irritated or misunderstood because your emotions are moving faster than your ability to explain them. These days conversations tend to go sideways even when you're trying to be clear, because *Moon* and *Mercury* are pulling in opposite directions.

## LUNAR DAY

Moon in ♉ Taurus · Day 21 / 30 · Waning Gibbous

**The pace slows considerably** during this transit as comfort and familiar surroundings take priority over efficiency. Resistance to change hardens, and any disruption to routine tends to provoke stubborn pushback.

## CLOTHING & JEWELRY

Wednesday · ♃ Mercury · Venus in Aries

Wednesday answers to Mercury — bright yellow, amber, or golden tones sharpen the mind. Tiger's eye as a bracelet or pocket stone supports communication and mental clarity.

## AREAS OF LIFE

♥ Love	★★★★☆
△ Home	★★★★☆
✦ Creativity	★★★★☆
✦ Spirituality	★★★★☆
♡ Health	★★★☆☆
\$ Finance	★★★★☆
➔ Travel	★★★★☆
▲ Career	★★★★☆
🌱 Personal Growth	★★★★☆
✉ Communication	★★★★☆
➡ Contracts	★★★★☆

Wednesday · ♃ Mercury

**Colors:** Yellow

**Stone:** Tiger's Eye

**Number:** 5