

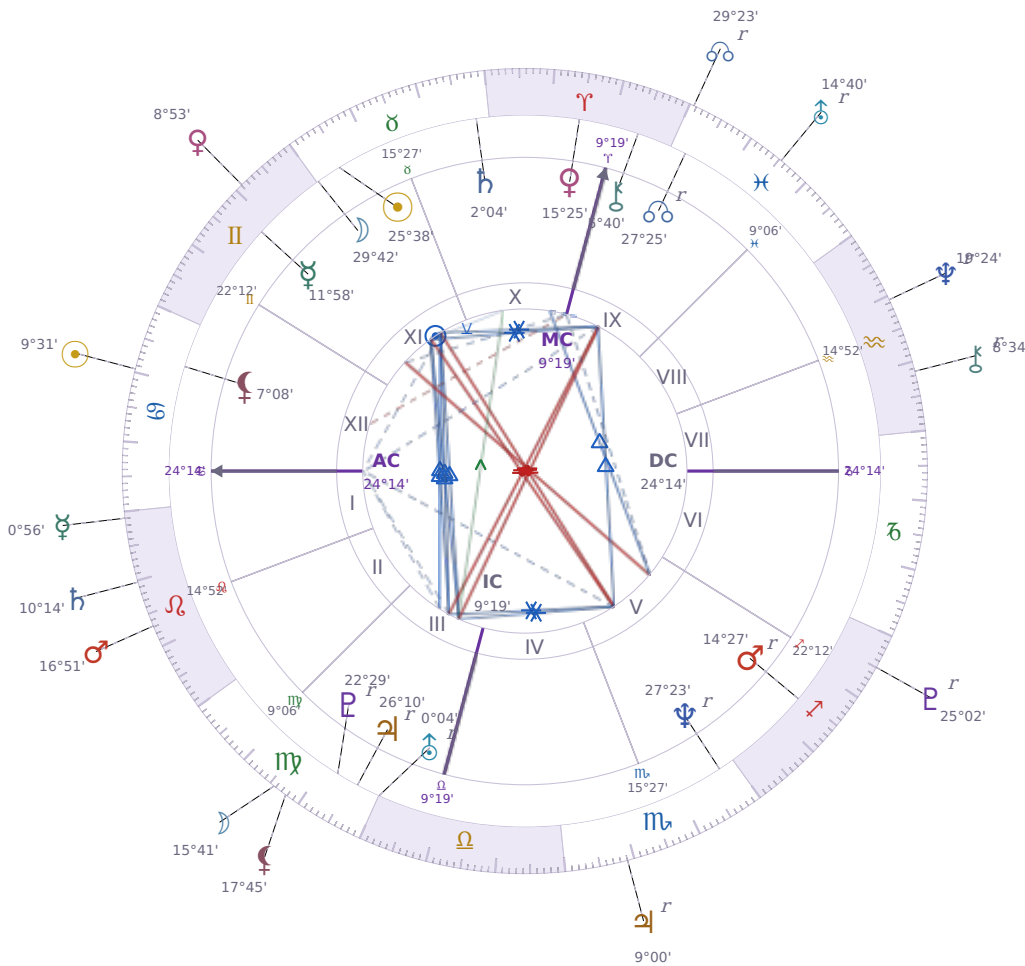
MONTHLY HOROSCOPE

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1 July - 31 July 2006



TRANSITS · 1ST OF JULY 2006

☉ Sun	in ♋ Cancer	9°31'26"
☾ Moon	in ♍ Virgo	15°41'50"
☿ Mercury	in ♌ Leo	0°56'51"
♀ Venus	in ♊ Gemini	8°53'50"
♂ Mars	in ♌ Leo	16°51'21"
♃ Jupiter	in ♏ Scorpio Rx	9°00'48"
♄ Saturn	in ♌ Leo	10°14'42"
♅ Uranus	in ♓ Pisces Rx	14°40'12"
♆ Neptune	in ♒ Aquarius Rx	19°24'46"
♇ Pluto	in ♐ Sagittarius Rx	25°02'33"
♁ Chiron	in ♒ Aquarius Rx	8°34'37"
♁ NNode	in ♓ Pisces Rx	29°23'08"
♁ Lilith	in ♍ Virgo	17°45'35"

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 TRANSIT FACTORS

### ♁ NNode \* Sextile ☾ natal Moon · peak 1 Jul ★

These days you're naturally **more comfortable opening up to people** about what you actually feel instead of keeping things hidden. Your emotional honesty tends to create real connection rather than awkwardness, and others respond by being honest back. Over the coming weeks, this straightforward way of relating makes your relationships feel less exhausting and more genuine.

### ♁ NNode △ Trine ♆ natal Neptune · peak 31 Jul ★

While this lasts, you find it easier to **trust your instincts** about people and situations without needing to analyze everything. Your imagination becomes more practical during these weeks, letting you spot creative solutions in ordinary problems at work or home. You naturally connect with what others need from you emotionally, so your relationships feel less strained and your social interactions run smoother than usual.

### ♁ NNode ☉ Opposition ♂ natal Uranus · peak 1 Jul ★

Right now you are caught between wanting to rebel against your routine and feeling pressure to stick with what works, which creates real friction in your decisions. **You swing between sudden urges to change direction and anxiety about losing stability**, making it hard to commit to anything. Over the coming weeks, people around you may find you unpredictable or erratic, because you genuinely do not know which version of yourself will show up.

### ♁ NNode ☉ Opposition ♃ natal Jupiter · peak 31 Jul ★

Over the coming weeks, you are likely to feel **blocked when you try to expand or take on more**. You want to say yes to opportunities, but practical limits keep showing up, which can feel frustrating and limiting. This tension between your appetite for growth and what is actually available right now is real, and working within those boundaries rather than fighting them will serve you better.

### ♁ NNode \* Sextile ☉ natal Sun · peak 31 Jul ★

Over the coming weeks, you find it easier to **say yes to opportunities that actually fit who you are**. People seem to notice your confidence and invite you into situations where you can be yourself without pretending. This is a practical window to take on roles or projects that match your actual strengths rather than what you think you should be doing.

### ♂ Mars △ Trine ♀ natal Venus · peak 1 Jul ★

Right now you find it much easier to **ask for what you want** without feeling guilty or defensive about it. Your social confidence is naturally higher, and people respond well to the directness and warmth you're putting out. Over these coming weeks, you might notice yourself saying yes to invitations or making plans you'd normally hesitate about, and things tend to go smoothly when you do.

### ♄ Uranus □ Square ♂ natal Mars · peak 15 Jul

These days you feel **restless and impatient with normal routines**, and you're more likely to act on impulses without thinking through the consequences. Your usual way of handling frustration stops working, so small annoyances trigger bigger reactions than they should. Over the coming weeks, this mismatch between what you want to do right now and what you actually should do will create real practical problems if you don't stay aware of it.

### ♄ Saturn \* Sextile ☿ natal Mercury · peak 15 Jul

Your thinking becomes clearer and more practical right now, letting you organize your thoughts in ways that actually work. You're naturally **more careful with details and less prone to overlooking things**, which helps your writing, planning, or problem-solving feel more solid. This is a good window to tackle anything that needs patience and precision, since your mind is working in your favor rather than against you.

### ♁ NNode ♂ Conjunction ♁ natal NNode · peak 31 Jul

You feel drawn toward people and situations that align with what you actually want, rather than what you think you should want. Your social instincts sharpen right now, and you **notice which relationships and opportunities feel genuinely important** versus which ones drain you. Over the coming weeks, you're likely to make clearer choices about where you spend your time and energy.

### ♄ Saturn △ Trine ♂ natal Mars · peak 31 Jul

Right now you're able to **push toward your goals without burning out**, because you have patience alongside your drive. You naturally pace yourself better than usual, finishing projects instead of starting ten new ones. Over the coming weeks, people notice you're reliable and steady, which builds real respect at work and in your personal life.

### ♇ Pluto ♂ Quincunx ☉ natal Sun · peak 1 Jul

These days you feel pulled to change something about yourself or your life, but the direction isn't clear yet. You might notice **restlessness in how you present yourself** to others, or a sense that your usual way of handling things no longer fits. Over the coming weeks, small adjustments to your routine or how you assert yourself will feel more natural than any dramatic overhaul.

### ♅ Uranus ∟ Semi sextile ♀ natal Venus · peak 1 Jul

You're noticing small but real shifts in how you present yourself socially these days. You feel a bit more willing to try a different style, say something unexpected, or connect with people outside your usual circle. This **gentle openness to change** in your relationships and self-expression comes without pressure, so you can experiment and see what actually fits.

### ♇ Pluto □ Square ♃ natal Jupiter · peak 1 Jul

Over the coming weeks, you're likely to feel blocked whenever you try to expand or move forward on something important to you. Your **impatience with limits** grows as obstacles appear exactly when you thought progress was guaranteed, making you push harder against resistance instead of stepping back. This period tests whether you can accept that some things need to shrink or transform rather than simply get bigger.

### ♄ Chiron \* Sextile ♄ natal Chiron · peak 31 Jul

Over the coming weeks, you find it easier to talk about your own past difficulties without getting stuck in them. You notice you can listen to others' problems and actually help instead of just feeling overwhelmed by what they are going through. This is a good time to **share what you have learned from your own hard experiences** in ways that feel natural and useful.

### ♁ Lilith ♂ Conjunction ♇ natal Pluto · peak 31 Jul

These days you are more willing to **say no to people and situations that drain you**, even if it upsets them. You feel less need to manage other people's reactions or keep the peace at your own cost. Over the coming weeks, this directness can improve your relationships because you stop tolerating what you actually resent.

### ♃ Jupiter Rx · ♏ Scorpio

Expansion in areas involving depth, transformation, and shared resources pauses for honest reassessment right now. Past investments — financial, emotional, or psychological — return to attention and require evaluation. Research and deeper understanding serve you better during this period than new initiatives.

*\* = natal resonance — this transit echoes your birth chart, amplifying its influence*

## LUNATIONS

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○ Full Moon · Monday, 10 Jul

### in ♑ Capricorn

career results, ambition tested, authority reviewed

### in H6 — Health & Service

A health situation or work matter is coming to a head. Something in your **daily routines, workplace dynamics, or physical wellbeing** can no longer be deferred — it needs attention and resolution. Overwork, health imbalances, or conflicts with colleagues become impossible to ignore under this full moon. This is the moment to address what your body has been signaling, complete a work project, or acknowledge a work dynamic that isn't sustainable.

● New Moon · Tuesday, 25 Jul

### in ♌ Leo

creative spark, self-expression, new confidence

### in H1 — Self & Identity

A new cycle is opening around your sense of self and how you present to the world. This is the right moment to redefine how you want to be seen and to take deliberate steps toward a fresh start in your personal goals. **Physical changes, new habits, and shifts in your self-image** are all supported now. What you begin under this lunation has a direct impact on your confidence and direction for the next six months.

## KEY DATES

**Sat, 1 Jul** ♃ NNode ✖ Sextile ☾ natal Moon

**Wed, 5 Jul** ☿ Mercury stations Retrograde

When *Mercury* stations retrograde, **communication breakdowns and misunderstandings** become noticeably more common in daily life. Emails get lost, conversations get tangled, and people often need to **repeat themselves or clarify** what they meant the first time around. Travel plans, contracts, and tech devices tend to **glitch or require fixes**, so most people find themselves troubleshooting problems they thought were already solved.

**Thu, 6 Jul** ♃ Jupiter stations Direct

*Jupiter* turning **direct again** means opportunities and decisions that felt stuck or unclear over the past months can finally move ahead with real momentum. What becomes **clearer now** is whether plans, applications, or deals are actually going to work — delays lift and you get actual answers instead of waiting. **Growth starts moving** in the areas where *Jupiter* sits in your chart, so watch for openings in money, work, relationships, or learning that were on pause during the retrograde.

**Mon, 10 Jul** Full Moon in Capricorn

**Tue, 11 Jul** ☿ Mercury enters ♋ Cancer

*Mercury* entering *Cancer* makes people **slower to speak** and more careful about what they say, especially when emotions are involved. In conversations at work or home, you'll notice folks **asking more questions** before jumping to conclusions, and they tend to remember details from past talks that seemed unimportant before. **Written communication** becomes warmer but wordier during this time, so emails and texts often include more personal touches or take longer to compose.

**Sat, 15 Jul** ♅ Uranus ☐ Square ♂ natal Mars

♄ Saturn ✖ Sextile ☿ natal Mercury

**Wed, 19 Jul** ♀ 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.

**Sun, 23 Jul** ☉ Sun enters ♌ Leo

♂ Mars enters ♍ Virgo

*The Sun entering Leo* brings a **shift toward more direct self-expression** — people tend to speak up more at work, take on visible roles, and want their efforts noticed rather than working quietly behind the scenes. In relationships and social settings, **confidence and attention-seeking increase**, which can mean more fun and boldness but also more friction if someone feels overshadowed or ignored. Over the next month, most people find themselves **more willing to take charge**, pursue what they actually want, and care less about blending in.

**Mon, 24 Jul** ♅ Uranus ☐ Square ♂ natal Mars

**Tue, 25 Jul** New Moon in Leo

**Sat, 29 Jul** ☿ 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.

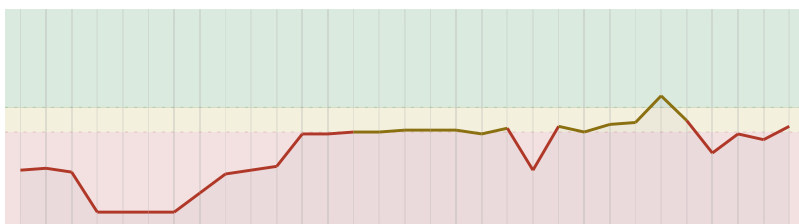
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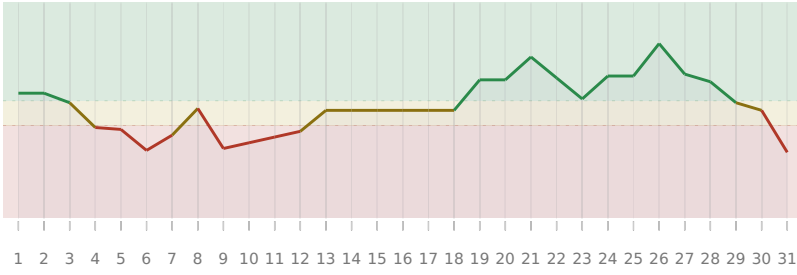
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## AREAS OF LIFE

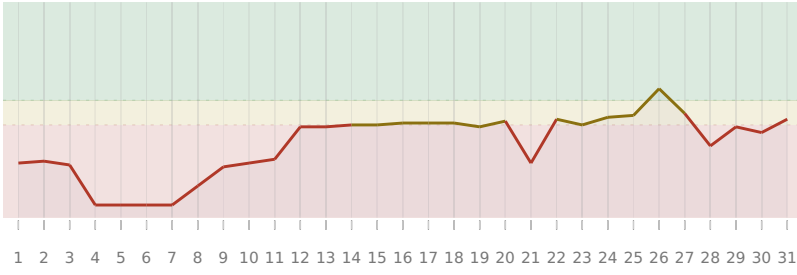
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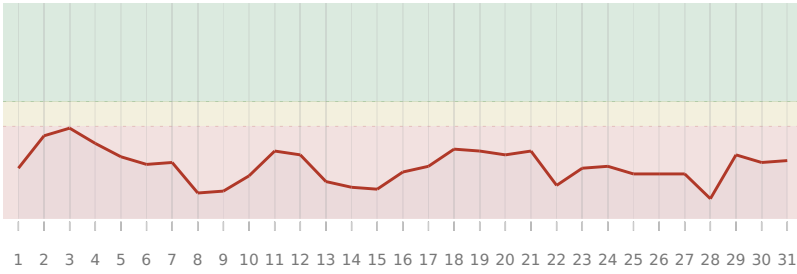
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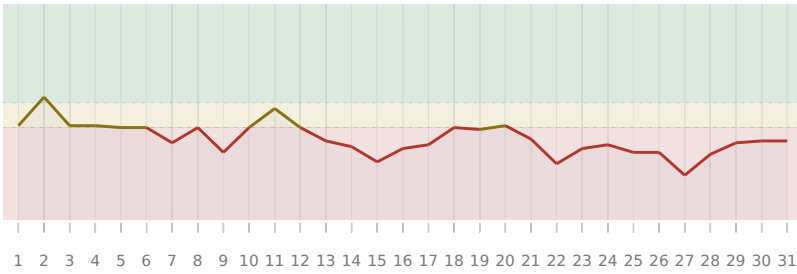
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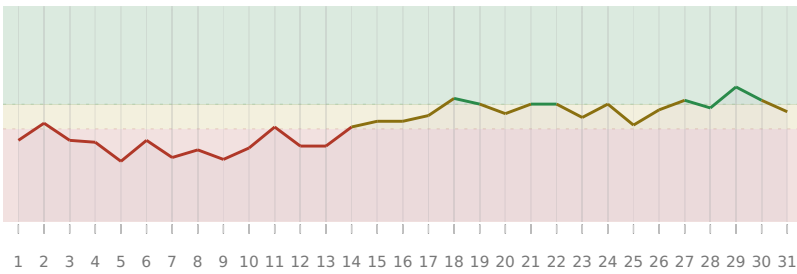
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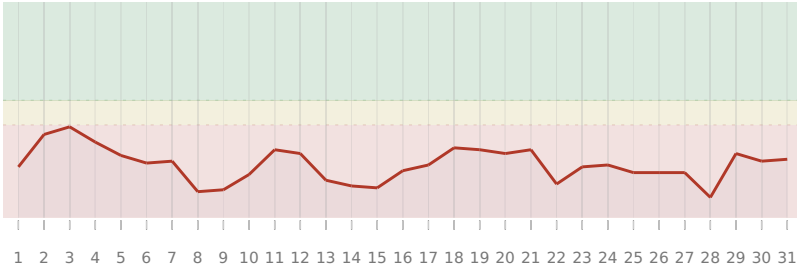
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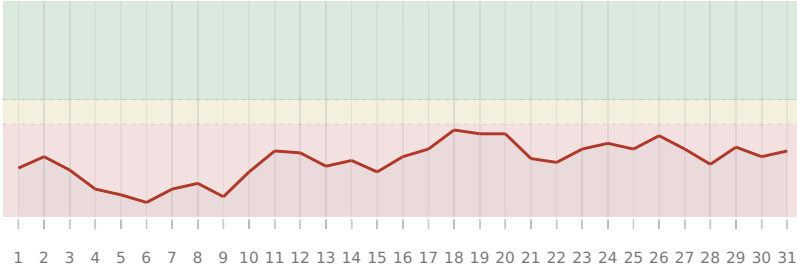
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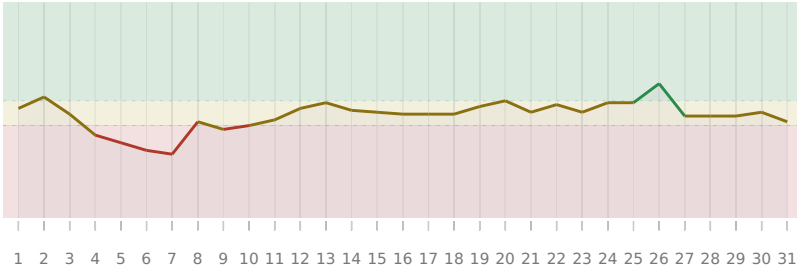
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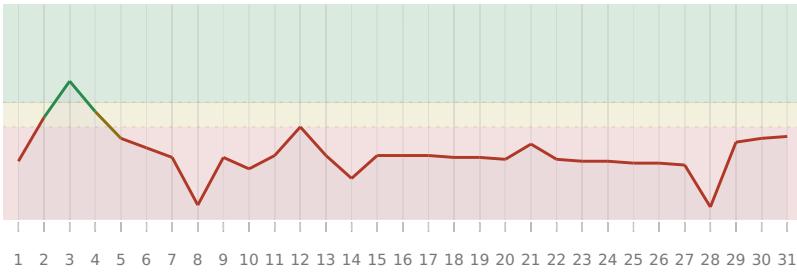
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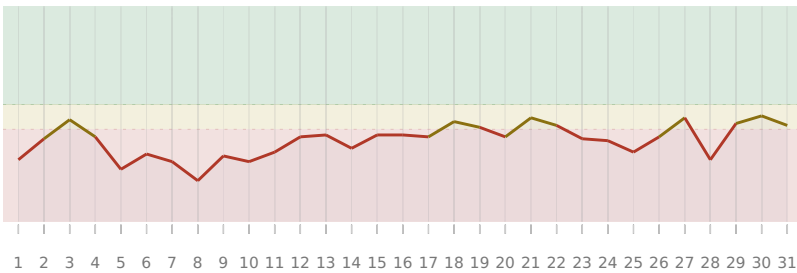
**Personal Growth** ★★★☆☆



**Communication** △ wait



**Contracts** ★★☆☆☆☆



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⇨ Jupiter Rx