



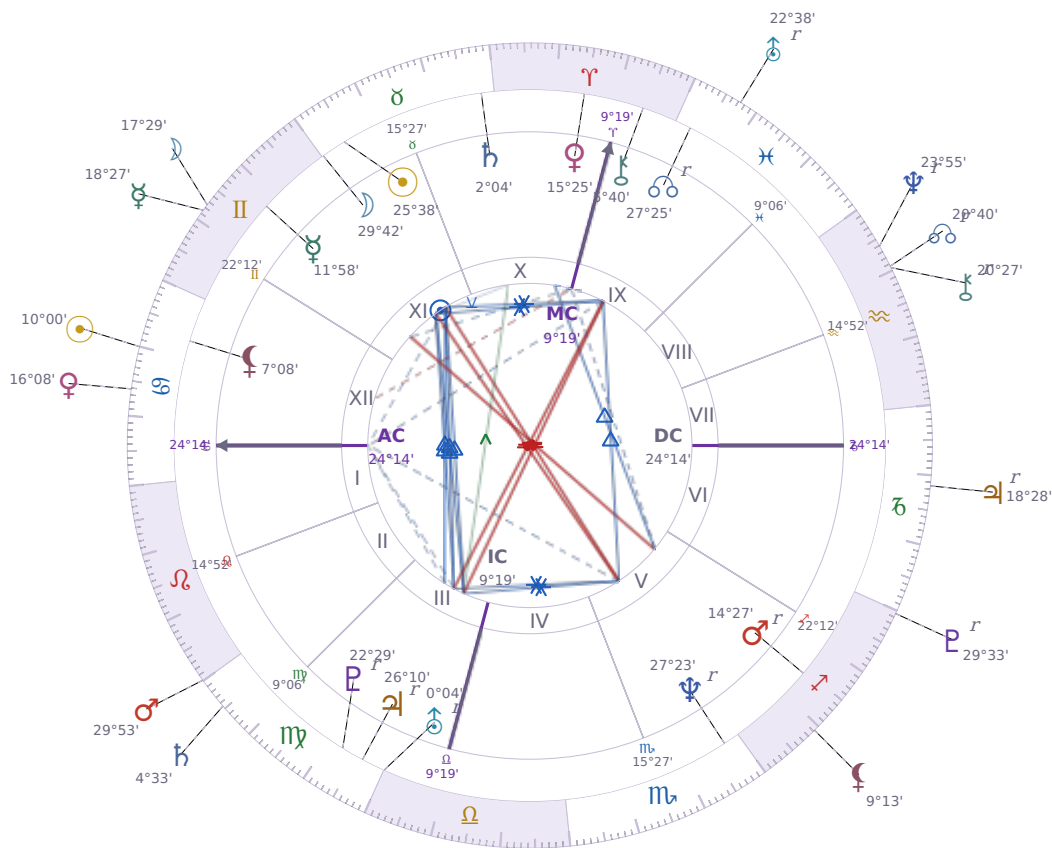
MONTHLY HOROSCOPE

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American political commentator (born 1969)

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1 July - 31 July 2008



TRANSITS · 1ST OF JULY 2008

☉ Sun	in ♋ Cancer	10°00'53"
☾ Moon	in ♊ Gemini	17°29'59"
☿ Mercury	in ♊ Gemini	18°27'34"
♀ Venus	in ♋ Cancer	16°08'14"
♂ Mars	in ♌ Leo	29°53'31"
♃ Jupiter	in ♐ Capricorn Rx	18°28'12"
♄ Saturn	in ♍ Virgo	4°33'28"
♅ Uranus	in ♓ Pisces Rx	22°38'54"

♆ Neptune	in ♒ Aquarius Rx	23°55'31"
♇ Pluto	in ♐ Sagittarius Rx	29°33'17"
♄ Chiron	in ♒ Aquarius Rx	20°27'06"
♁ NNode	in ♒ Aquarius Rx	20°40'45"
♁ Lilith	in ♐ Sagittarius	9°13'21"

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

♀ Venus △ Trine ♂ natal Mars · peak 24 Jul ★

These days you find it easier to ask for what you want without coming across as aggressive or demanding. Your **natural confidence** is backed by genuine warmth, so people respond well when you take initiative in social or romantic situations. Over the coming weeks, this combination of directness and charm works in your favor, making it simpler to move forward on practical goals while keeping relationships smooth.

♅ Uranus ♂ Opposition ♇ natal Pluto · peak 17 Jul

You're running into situations where you feel your control slipping away, and it makes you uncomfortable. **You push harder to regain power** in exactly the areas where you have the least influence, which only creates more conflict with others. Over the coming weeks, you'll need to notice when you're fighting to keep things the same instead of accepting what you cannot change.

♃ Jupiter □ Square ♀ natal Venus · peak 25 Jul

Right now you are **overestimating what others feel about you**, which makes you push harder for approval or affection than is actually welcome. You may spend more money on gifts or experiences hoping to win someone over, or say too much too soon in a new relationship because you feel so confident about the connection. When the other person does not respond with the same enthusiasm, you feel rejected and confused about where things went wrong.

♄ Saturn qx Quincunx ♄ natal Chiron · peak 13 Jul

Over the coming weeks, you may notice that **old wounds or insecurities surface when you face practical limits**—especially around work, deadlines, or things you cannot control. This happens because *Saturn* is making you take a hard look at what you've been managing poorly or avoiding, and it feels uncomfortable. The shift you need is to stop protecting yourself and instead be honest about where you actually need help or training.

♇ Pluto qx Quincunx ☾ natal Moon · peak 1 Jul

These days you feel like your emotions don't quite fit the situation, so you keep adjusting how you respond to people without really understanding why. Your instinct is to **control how much you show of yourself**, which can leave you feeling disconnected even in conversations that matter. Over the coming weeks, noticing this pattern of holding back will help you figure out what you actually need rather than just managing what others might think.

♃ Jupiter ∟ Semi sextile ♂ natal Mars · peak 31 Jul

Over the coming weeks, you'll notice yourself **taking action on plans you've been sitting on** without the usual self-doubt. You feel more confident when you push forward on practical tasks, and small wins come easier than usual. This is a good time to start that project or have conversations you've been putting off, because your natural momentum is working in your favour right now.

♅ Pluto ☐ Square ♅ natal Uranus · peak 1 Jul

Right now you feel a strong urge to break free from something in your life, but the harder you push for change the more resistance you meet. You become **impatient with rules and frustrated by limits**, which can make you act rashly or damage relationships you actually want to keep. Over the coming weeks, focus on understanding what you really want to change before you make moves you cannot easily take back.

♆ Neptune ♃ Quincunx ♅ natal Pluto · peak 31 Jul

Over the coming weeks, you may notice that **your usual methods for handling difficult situations stop working quite the way they used to**. You might feel unsure about how much control you actually have in situations that once seemed straightforward, and old strategies for dealing with pressure start to feel off somehow. This is a practical adjustment period where you'll need to experiment with different approaches rather than pushing harder with the ones you know.

♅ Pluto ☐ Square ♃ natal NNode · peak 31 Jul

Right now you're questioning whether you're on the right track in life, and this doubt feels unusually intense and hard to ignore. You may **withdraw from people or activities** that once felt important to you, as if you need to strip things down to what actually matters. Over the coming weeks, expect to feel pushed to make real changes in how you spend your time and who you spend it with, even though the process feels uncomfortable and unclear.

♅ Pluto ∟ Semi sextile ♆ natal Neptune · peak 31 Jul

You find it easier right now to **notice patterns in situations that confused you before**, especially in relationships or creative projects where things felt murky. Your practical judgment sharpens, letting you spot what's actually happening underneath surface appearances rather than getting lost in assumptions. This clarity lasts only a few weeks, so it's a good time to make decisions about situations you've been uncertain about.

♆ Neptune ☐ Square ☉ natal Sun · peak 1 Jul

Your usual sense of who you are feels fuzzy and unreliable right now, making it harder to trust your own judgment about what matters to you. You may find yourself **second-guessing decisions** you thought were solid, or feeling pulled toward things that don't actually fit your real goals. This confusion can show up practically as poor timing in work or relationships, since you're not reading situations clearly while *Neptune* squares your *Sun*.

♃ NNode ♃ Quincunx ♅ natal Pluto · peak 1 Jul

Over the coming weeks, you may feel pulled in two directions when it comes to control and letting go. You want to move forward in a new direction but find yourself **reluctant to release old patterns** that feel familiar. This discomfort is real, and pushing too hard to change things quickly will only create more friction with yourself.

♁ Lilith ♂ Conjunction ♂ natal Mars · peak 31 Jul

Right now you're more willing to act on what you actually want instead of what you think you should do, and this shows up as **pushing back against rules or expectations that don't fit you**. You might say no more often, stand your ground in conversations, or make choices that feel personally true even if they upset someone else. These days this directness can feel good and necessary, though others may find you harder to manage than usual.

♄ Chiron ♃ Quincunx ♅ natal Pluto · peak 1 Jul

You feel pulled between wanting to fix something about yourself and realizing you can't force the change right now. This mismatch shows up as **restlessness in situations where you normally feel in control**, whether at work or in close relationships. Over the coming weeks, the discomfort itself is actually useful—it's pointing you toward a part of your life that needs a different approach than you've been taking.

♆ Neptune ♃ Quincunx ♃ natal Jupiter · peak 1 Jul

Over the coming weeks, you may find that your usual confidence about what's possible gets pulled in different directions, making it hard to commit to plans or decisions. You might notice yourself second-guessing opportunities that normally excite you, or feeling unclear about whether to expand something or hold back. These contradictions are temporary, and the practical thing to do is stay flexible and avoid locking yourself into major commitments while this lasts.

♃ Jupiter Rx · ♄ Capricorn

Ambitions and long-term structures built on optimistic assumptions are being tested right now. Career growth or institutional commitments that seemed on track may require more realistic adjustment than you had planned. Reviewing what is genuinely working in your long-term strategy before continuing to build is the most productive use of this period.

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

PROGRESSED MOON

○ Progressed Moon in ♏ Scorpio 5.3° H4

○ Progressed Moon ♃ Quincunx ♄ natal Chiron

LUNATIONS

● New Moon · Thursday, 3 Jul

in ♋ Cancer

emotional reset, home, inner security

in H12 — Inner Life & Solitude

A new cycle is beginning in the hidden, private areas of your life. This lunation brings **inner work, spiritual renewal, and a clearing of old burdens** to the foreground. What you choose to let go of, process, or release over the coming weeks will free up significant inner resources. Solitude, contemplation, and honest self-examination are more productive than external activity right now. Trust what surfaces from beneath the surface — it's asking to be acknowledged.

○ Full Moon · Thursday, 17 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.

KEY DATES

Tue, 1 Jul ♅ Pluto ☐ Square ♄ natal Uranus

Wed, 2 Jul ♂ Mars enters ♍ Virgo

Mars in *Virgo* pushes you to focus your energy on **details and efficiency** rather than big dramatic moves, so you'll likely find yourself fixing things, organizing workspaces, or solving small problems that pile up. At work and in relationships, this transit brings a **critical eye** — people become more direct about what isn't working and more willing to **do the unglamorous tasks** that actually get results. When *Mars* lands here, impatience with sloppy work or vague plans shows up quickly, so **clear systems and practical action** tend to win over charm or wishful thinking.

Thu, 3 Jul New Moon in Cancer

Sun, 6 Jul ♄ Uranus ♂ Opposition ♅ natal Pluto

Fri, 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.

Sun, 13 Jul ♀ Venus enters ♌ Leo

Venus in *Leo* brings a **shift toward directness in how people show affection** — instead of hints or subtlety, you'll notice clearer compliments, more obvious flirting, and straightforward declarations of interest. At work and in social settings, there's a natural **pull toward attention and admiration**, so people tend to dress differently, speak up more, and take on visible roles rather than staying behind the scenes. In relationships, this transit typically creates a **need for appreciation and genuine recognition**, which means partners who feel overlooked now actively seek out situations where they matter or stand out.

Mon, 14 Jul ♅ Pluto ☐ Square ♄ natal Uranus

Thu, 17 Jul Full Moon in Capricorn

♄ Uranus ♂ Opposition ♅ natal Pluto

Tue, 22 Jul ☼ Sun enters ♌ Leo

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.

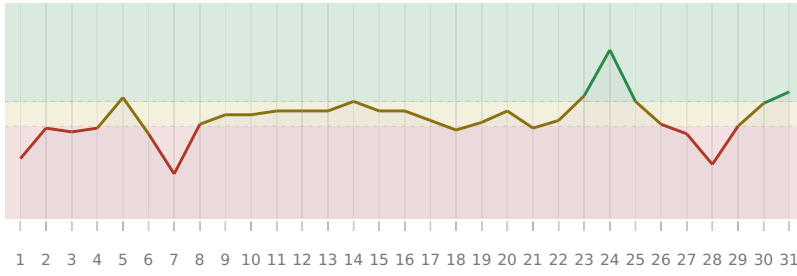
Fri, 25 Jul ♃ Jupiter ☐ Square ♀ natal Venus

Sat, 26 Jul ☿ Mercury enters ♌ Leo

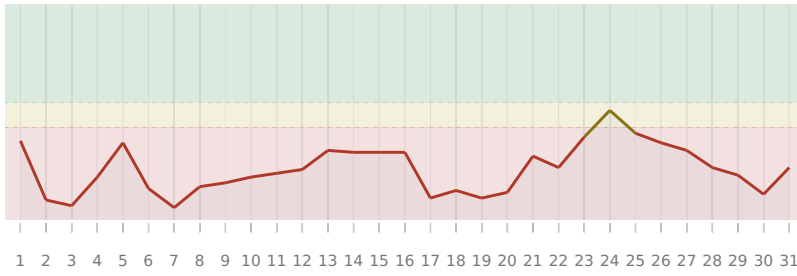
Mercury in *Leo* makes people talk more **directly and with confidence**, so conversations at work or home tend to feel bolder and less cautious than usual. When someone speaks up during this transit, they usually **want to be heard** and remembered, which means they pick words for impact rather than softness. In practice, this shows up as **clearer requests, firmer opinions**, and less apologizing—though it can also mean people interrupt more or push their point when they should listen.

AREAS OF LIFE

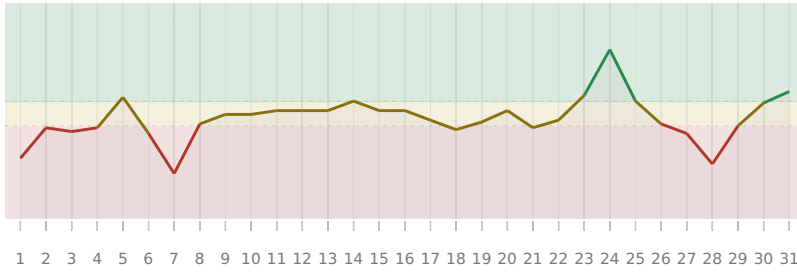
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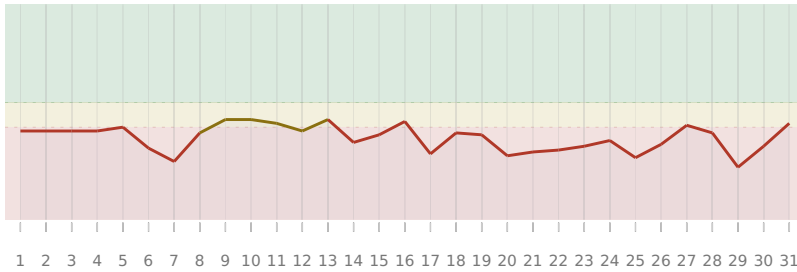
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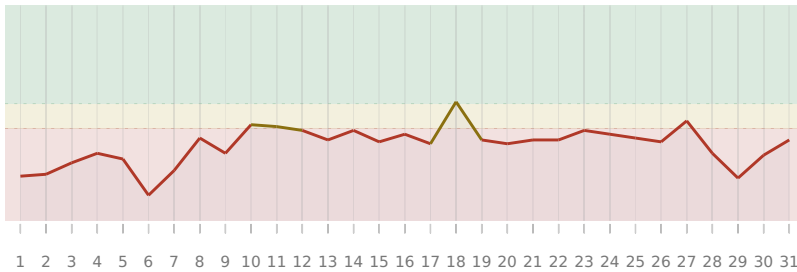
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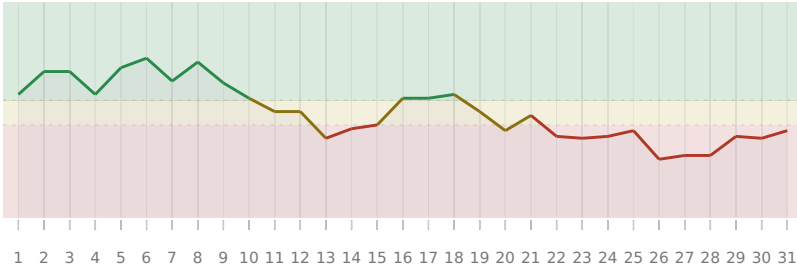
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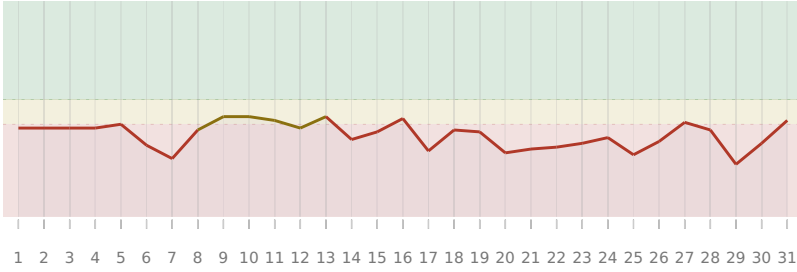
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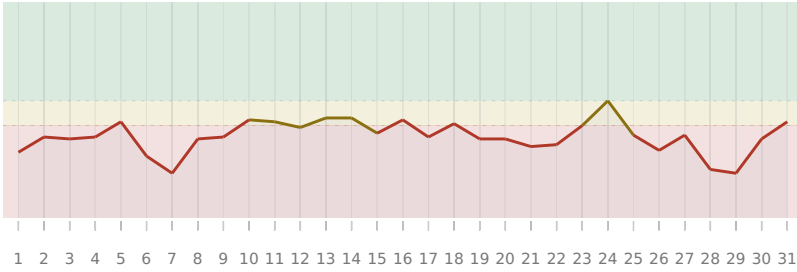
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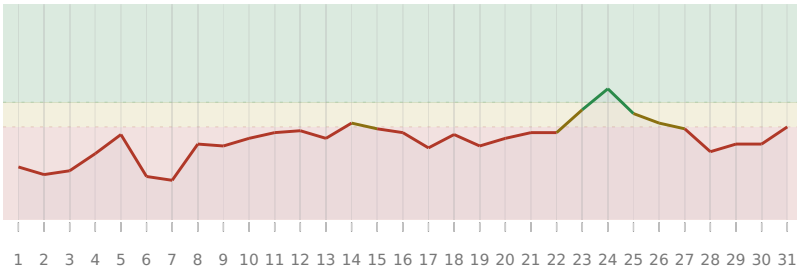
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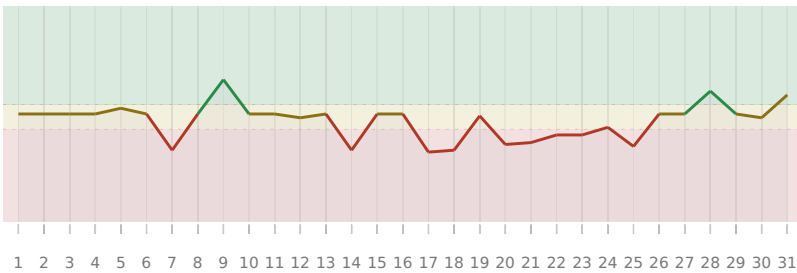
Career ★★☆☆☆



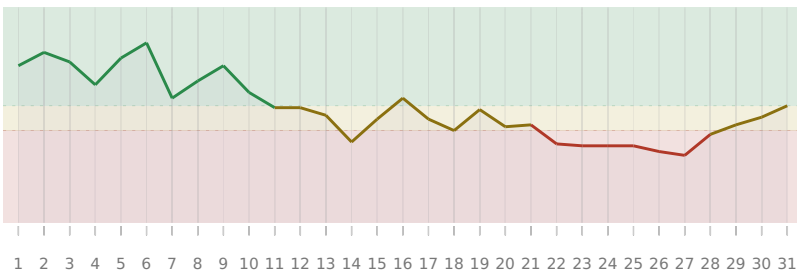
Personal Growth ★★☆☆☆



Communication ★★★☆☆



Contracts ★★★☆☆



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☞ Jupiter Rx