



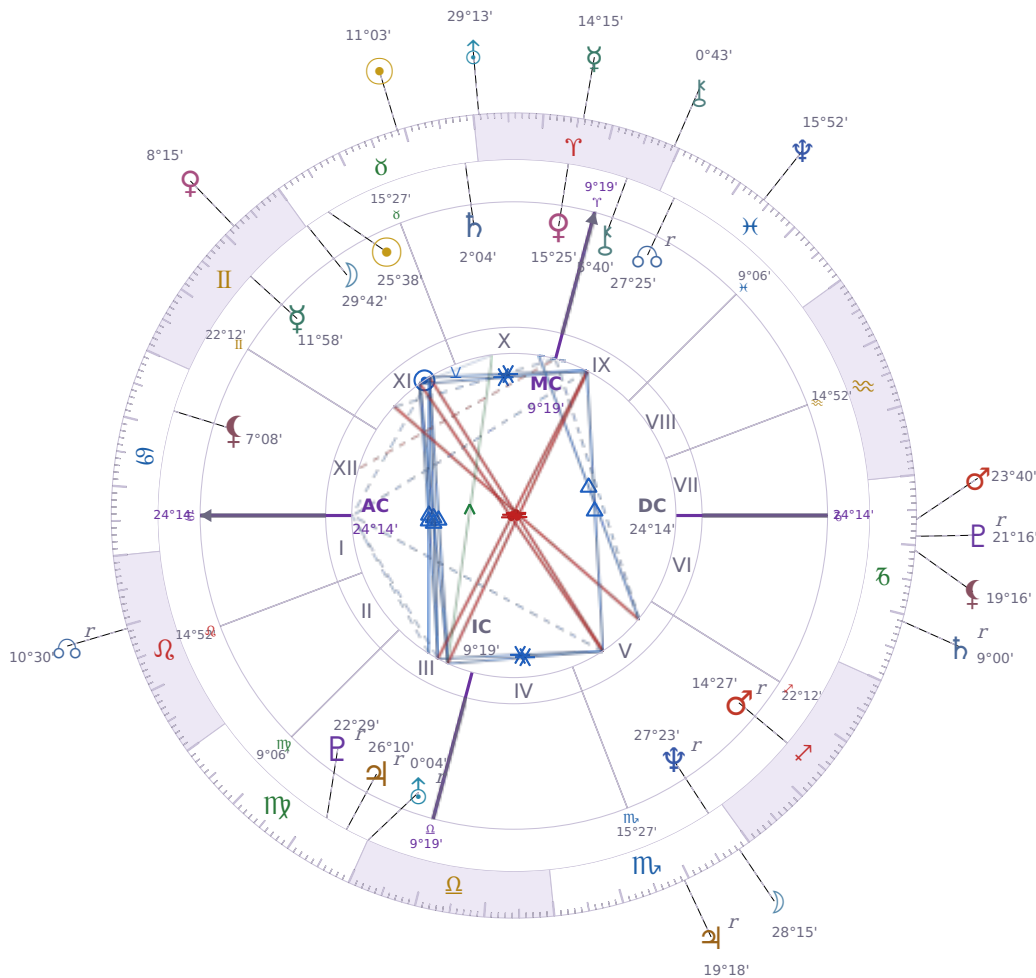
MONTHLY HOROSCOPE

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American political commentator (born 1969)

♉ Taurus May 16, 1969 10:07 San Francisco

1 May - 31 May 2018



TRANSITS · 1ST OF MAY 2018

☉ Sun	in ♉ Taurus	11°03'52"
☾ Moon	in ♏ Scorpio	28°15'40"
☿ Mercury	in ♈ Aries	14°15'41"
♀ Venus	in ♊ Gemini	8°15'46"
♂ Mars	in ♐ Capricorn	23°40'16"
♃ Jupiter	in ♏ Scorpio Rx	19°18'32"
♄ Saturn	in ♐ Capricorn Rx	9°00'10"
♅ Uranus	in	29°13'18"

♈ Aries

♆ Neptune	in	♓ Pisces	15°52'10"
♇ Pluto	in	♑ Capricorn Rx	21°16'04"
♄ Chiron	in	♈ Aries	0°43'43"
♁ NNode	in	♌ Leo Rx	10°30'54"
♁ Lilith	in	♑ Capricorn	19°16'25"

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

♇ Pluto △ Trine ☉ natal Sun · peak 1 May ★

Right now you feel **less afraid to make real changes** in your life, and people respond to this quiet confidence. You stop waiting for permission and start acting on decisions you've been sitting with for months. Over the coming weeks, you'll notice doors opening because you're finally moving forward instead of second-guessing yourself.

☉ Sun ♂ Conjunction ☾ natal Moon · peak 20 May ★

Your **emotional needs feel more visible to you right now**, and you're less willing to hide what matters to you. People pick up on this shift and may respond differently—some drawn closer, others put off by your directness. Over the coming weeks, you'll notice whether you've been keeping your real feelings locked away or letting them show naturally.

♅ Uranus ∟ Semi sextile ☾ natal Moon · peak 10 May

Over the coming weeks, you notice yourself willing to **try new routines without getting attached to them**, which makes daily life feel less rigid. Your emotional responses shift just enough to give you a little breathing room when you'd normally feel stuck in the same reactions. This gentle loosening helps you handle small changes at home or in your personal habits with more ease than usual.

♅ Uranus ♂ Quincunx ♅ natal Uranus · peak 16 May

You feel restless about routines that used to work for you, and small changes in your daily structure suddenly feel important to make. Your usual way of staying independent or rebelling against rules gets awkward or misaligned, like you are not sure whether to stick with what you know or push against it. Over the coming weeks, you might experiment more with how you organize your time or your space, testing what actually fits you right now.

♄ Chiron ∟ Semi sextile ♄ natal Saturn · peak 31 May

Over the coming weeks, you find it easier to **accept your own limitations without harsh judgment** — what you could not do before feels less like failure and more like simple fact. This practical shift means you stop wasting energy fighting against real constraints and start working within them more skillfully. Your relationships benefit because you become less defensive about your weaknesses and more honest about what you actually need from others.

♃ Jupiter ♂ Quincunx ♀ natal Venus · peak 31 May

Right now you're noticing that what you want socially or romantically doesn't quite fit with what you're actually doing about it. You might feel **pulled in opposite directions**—generous impulses clash with practical limits, or you're generous in ways that don't land the way you hoped. Over the coming weeks, small adjustments to how you show up in relationships will feel more natural than pushing harder in any one direction.

♆ Neptune ∟ Semi sextile ♀ natal Venus · peak 1 May

Right now you're feeling more **generous and open-hearted** in your relationships without much effort. People around you respond well to this softness, and you find it easier to listen and connect without agenda. Over the coming weeks, this gentleness helps you strengthen bonds that matter most, as you naturally give more attention to what you actually care about.

♄ Chiron ☌ Opposition ♅ natal Uranus · peak 1 May

Right now you feel caught between wanting to break free and being afraid of what happens if you do. Your usual ways of handling independence stop working, leaving you frustrated and looking for an escape route that does not exist. Over the coming weeks, this friction forces you to see exactly where you have been avoiding responsibility for your own choices instead of blaming outside limits.

♄ Chiron * Sextile ☾ natal Moon · peak 1 May

Right now you find it easier to talk about things that usually upset you, and people actually listen instead of dismissing your feelings. Your **emotional honesty** becomes something others trust rather than fear, and that creates real closeness in your relationships. This window won't last forever, so these are good weeks to have the conversations you've been putting off.

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

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 △ Trine ♇ natal Pluto · peak 1 May

You feel more **willing to let go of things that no longer serve you**, whether that's old habits, relationships, or ways of thinking that have held you back. This shift happens naturally rather than through force, and you find yourself making practical changes without the usual resistance or drama. Over the coming weeks, you'll notice you have clearer sight of what actually needs to change in your life and the patience to follow through.

♅ Uranus ♂ Conjunction ♄ natal Saturn · peak 31 May

You feel a sudden urge to break free from routines and structures that have been holding you in place, even the ones you built yourself. **You become restless with rules and schedules** — whether at work or in your personal life — and you start questioning why you've accepted certain limits. Over the coming weeks, you'll likely make at least one practical change to how you organize your time or responsibilities, and it may feel both liberating and slightly uncomfortable at the same time.

♆ Neptune □ Square ♂ natal Mars · peak 1 May

Right now your usual drive and confidence feel blurred, making it hard to know what you actually want versus what you think you should do. You may **start projects you abandon halfway through, or lose the will to push forward on things that normally matter to you**. This fog around your own direction lasts a few weeks and can leave you frustrated with yourself for lacking the usual clarity.

♁ NNode * Sextile ☿ natal Mercury · peak 1 May

Over the coming weeks, you find it easier to say what you actually think instead of holding back. Your conversations feel more natural and people seem to listen better when you speak. This period supports **clearer communication**, especially about topics that matter to you, as *the North Node* smooths the way for *Mercury* to work at its best.

♅ Uranus ∟ Semi sextile ♁ natal NNode · peak 1 May

Over the coming weeks, you find yourself drawn toward people and situations that feel genuinely new and different from your usual circles. Your **natural curiosity about unconventional ideas** is stronger than usual, and you notice yourself asking better questions instead of accepting the first answer. These small shifts in how you explore the world are quietly putting you in contact with opportunities that align more closely with what you actually want to become.

♃ 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.

♄ Saturn Rx · ♑ Capricorn

Ambitions, career structures, and long-term goals are under the most rigorous review possible during this period. Work that has been sustained through discipline alone may now reveal where genuine motivation is missing. This is a demanding but genuinely clarifying period for honest assessment of your long-term direction.

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

PROGRESSED MOON

○ Progressed Moon in ♋ Pisces 14.8° H9

○ Progressed Moon □ Square ♂ natal Mars

LUNATIONS

● New Moon · Tuesday, 15 May

in ♉ Taurus

material foundations, slow build, stability

in H11 — Community & Goals

A fresh cycle is opening around **friendships, group affiliations, and your hopes for the future**. This is the right time to join a new community, strengthen bonds with people who share your values, or clarify what you truly want from the years ahead. Social connections formed under this lunation often turn out to be meaningful and lasting. A dream or long-term goal that's been forming in the background is ready to move from the conceptual stage to the practical.

○ Full Moon · Tuesday, 29 May

in ♐ Sagittarius

beliefs tested, freedom vs commitment, peak optimism

in H5 — Creativity & Romance

A creative work, romantic situation, or matter involving children is reaching its peak. What began months ago in your love life or creative endeavors is now **ready for a culmination** — a relationship becoming more defined, a project completing, or a moment of genuine joy or heartbreak making itself felt. The full moon here amplifies feelings of passion and desire. Be honest about what and who actually brings you happiness, rather than what you think should.

KEY DATES

Tue, 1 May † Chiron ♃ Opposition † natal Uranus

Mon, 14 May † Mercury enters ♉ Taurus

Mercury moving into *Taurus* shifts how you **communicate and think** — you'll notice yourself speaking more slowly, choosing words with care instead of rushing through sentences. At work and in conversations, people tend to **focus on practical details** and want concrete facts rather than abstract ideas, which means discussions about money, plans, or decisions take longer but reach clearer agreements. This transit makes most people **stick to their positions** once they've decided something, so expect less back-and-forth and more people digging in on what they actually believe.

Tue, 15 May New Moon in Taurus

Wed, 16 May † Mars enters ♒ Aquarius

† Uranus enters ♉ Taurus

Mars in *Aquarius* pushes people to **act on ideas** rather than emotions, so you'll notice a shift toward logical problem-solving and less patience for traditional ways of doing things at work or in groups. In relationships and conversations, this transit brings **directness about independence** — people tend to state what they want without softening it, which can feel refreshing or blunt depending on who you're talking to. The pattern is that **group projects and teamwork** become more appealing than solo efforts, even though *Mars* here makes people more willing to disagree with the group if they think something's wrong.

Sun, 20 May † 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.

Mon, 21 May † Sun enters ♊ Gemini

Sun in *Gemini* brings a **shift toward curiosity and talking things through** — you'll notice people asking more questions, starting conversations they'd normally skip, and wanting to understand how things work. At work and in relationships, **communication becomes easier and faster**, though the downside is that people scatter their attention across more projects and topics than they can actually finish. **Short trips, emails, and quick decision-making** pick up noticeably during this month, so if you've been putting off organizing your schedule or catching up with contacts, this is when that restless energy makes it feel natural.

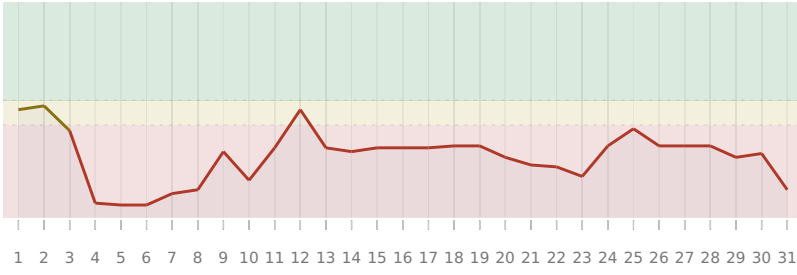
Tue, 29 May Full Moon in Sagittarius

Wed, 30 May † Mercury enters ♊ Gemini

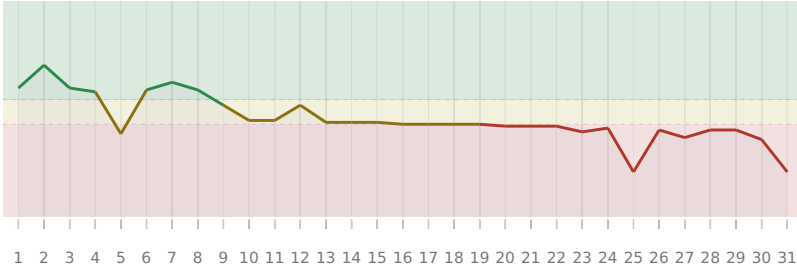
Mercury entering *Gemini* sharpens your ability to **pick up details** and **connect ideas quickly**, so conversations at work or home tend to move faster and cover more ground. People often notice they're **more curious** about how things work and less patient with slow explanations, which can make learning something new feel easier but also make waiting for others frustrating. At work and in daily tasks, **short-form communication** — texts, quick calls, bullet points — becomes more natural than long emails, and your mind jumps between topics more readily.

AREAS OF LIFE

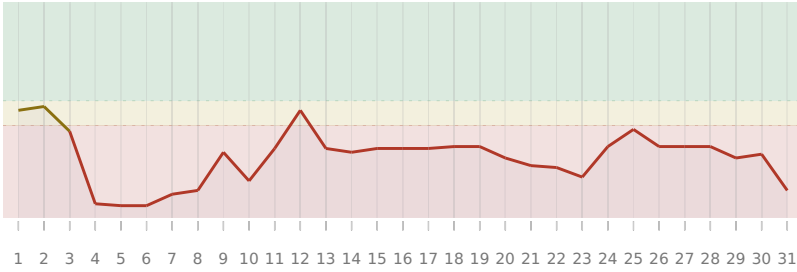
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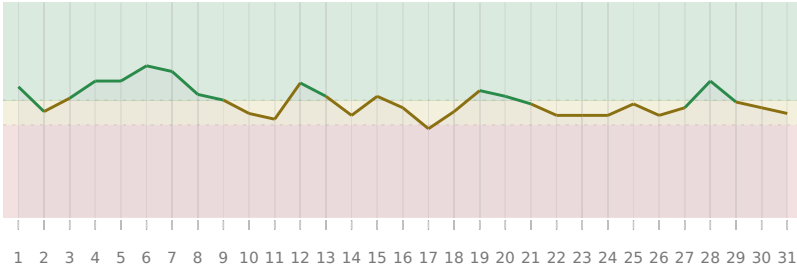
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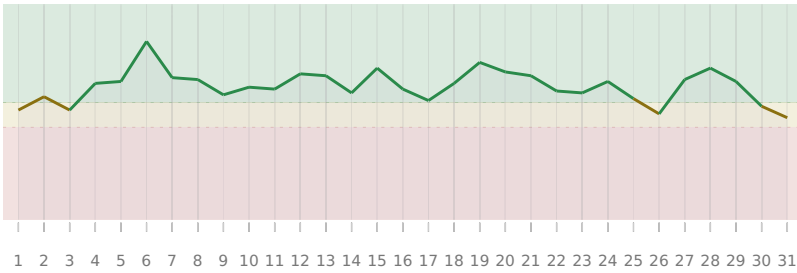
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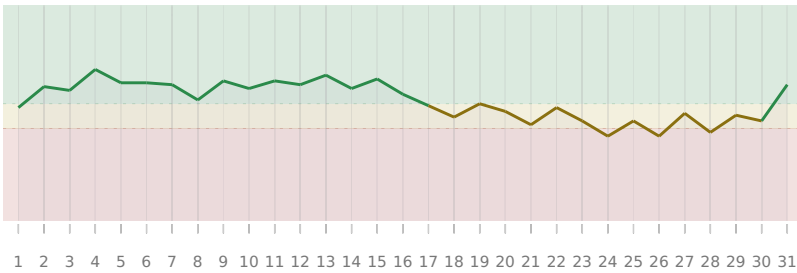
Spirituality ★★★★★



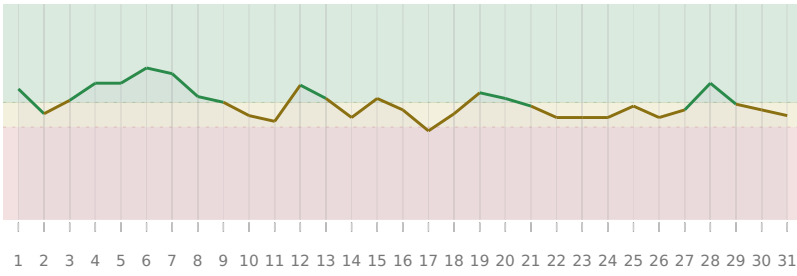
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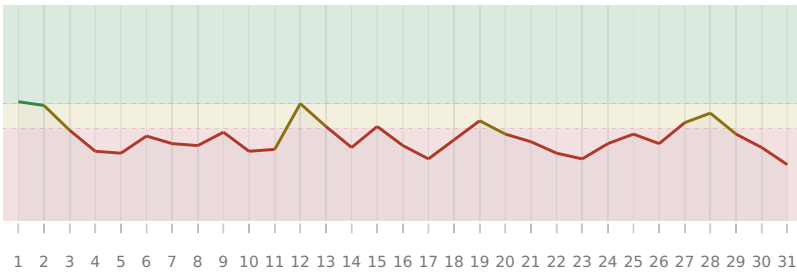
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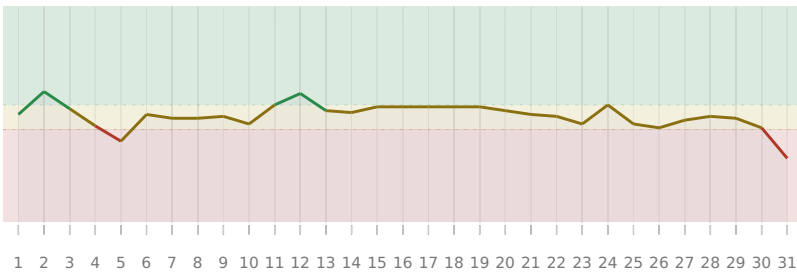
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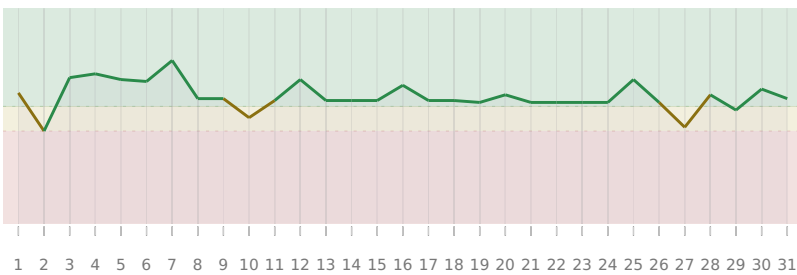
Career ★★☆☆☆



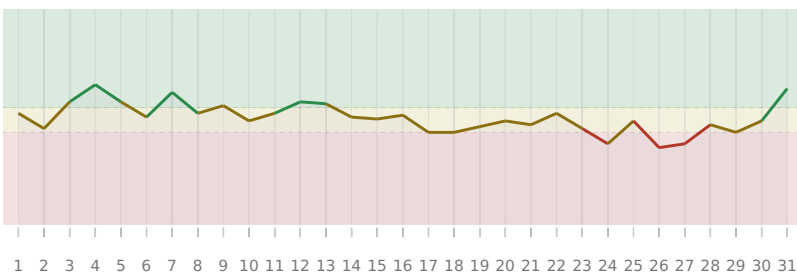
Personal Growth ★★★☆☆



Communication ★★★★★



Contracts ★★★☆☆



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☿ Jupiter Rx · ♄ Saturn Rx