



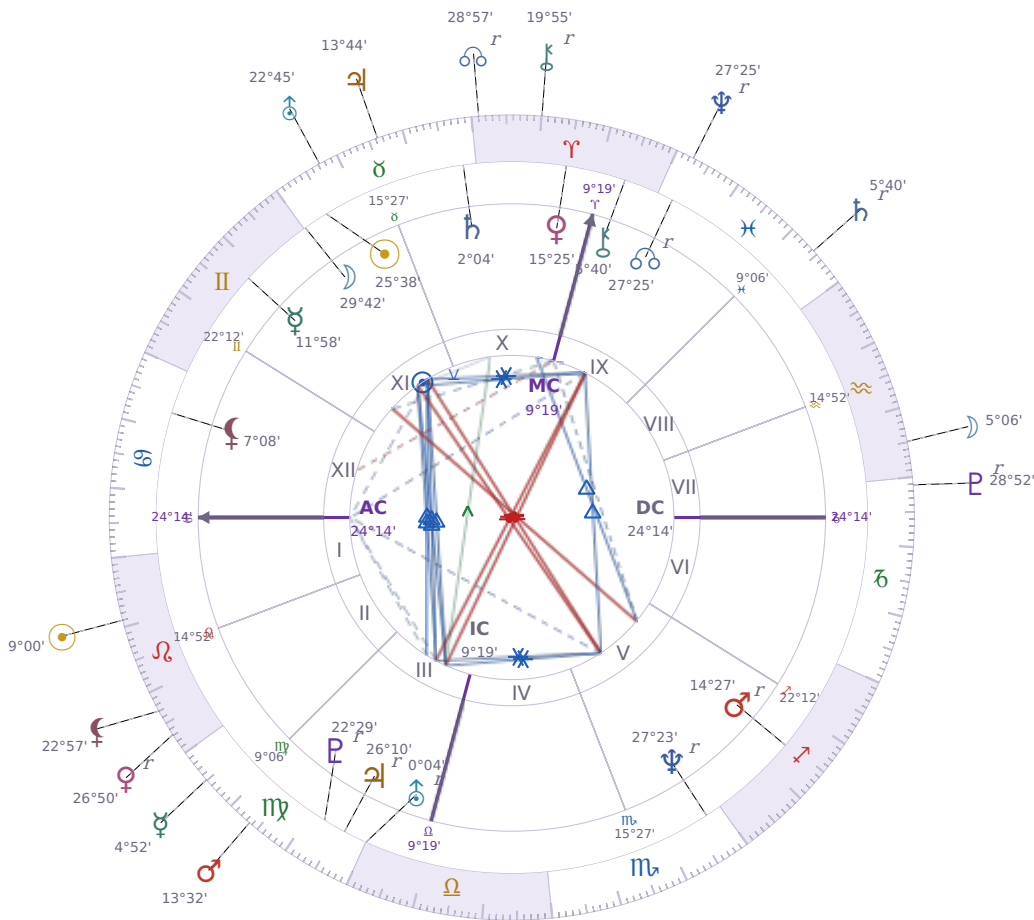
MONTHLY HOROSCOPE

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American political commentator (born 1969)

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1 August - 31 August 2023



TRANSITS · 1ST OF AUGUST 2023

☉ Sun	in ♌ Leo	9°00'12"
☾ Moon	in ♒ Aquarius	5°06'22"
☿ Mercury	in ♍ Virgo	4°52'48"
♀ Venus	in ♌ Leo Rx	26°50'38"
♂ Mars	in ♍ Virgo	13°32'45"
♃ Jupiter	in ♉ Taurus	13°44'06"
♄ Saturn	in ♓ Pisces Rx	5°40'53"
♅ Uranus	in	22°45'37"

♉ Taurus

♆ Neptune	in	♓ Pisces Rx	27°25'35"
♇ Pluto	in	♑ Capricorn Rx	28°52'54"
♄ Chiron	in	♈ Aries Rx	19°55'44"
♊ NNode	in	♈ Aries Rx	28°57'07"
♁ Lilith	in	♌ Leo	22°57'19"

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 31 Aug ★

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.

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

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.

♆ Neptune ♂ Conjunction ♊ natal NNode · peak 1 Aug

These days you find yourself **drawn to people and situations that feel meaningful without quite knowing why**. Your usual sense of direction gets softer, and you may second-guess choices you normally feel clear about. Over the coming weeks, pay attention to what actually pulls your interest—this is real information, even if it doesn't make logical sense right now.

♆ Neptune △ Trine ♆ natal Neptune · peak 3 Aug

Your intuition about other people becomes unusually reliable right now, and you find yourself understanding what others need without them having to explain it. You're also more comfortable sitting with uncertainty in practical situations instead of rushing to solve everything immediately. These small shifts make your relationships feel easier and give you permission to trust your gut more than usual.

♃ Jupiter ∟ Semi sextile ♀ natal Venus · peak 25 Aug

Over the coming weeks, you find it easier to say yes to social invitations and to express what you actually like about the people around you. **You're more generous with compliments and attention**, which tends to make conversations warmer and more genuine. This small shift in how you show up socially often leads to better connections and a quiet sense of contentment in your relationships.

♄ Saturn ∟ Semi sextile ♄ natal Chiron · peak 1 Aug

While this lasts, you're able to **turn your old wounds into practical wisdom** without getting stuck in the emotional weight of them. You notice yourself giving better advice to people who are struggling because you can draw on your own difficult experiences without reliving the pain. This period helps you build something solid and useful from what you've learned the hard way.

♊ NNode ∟ Semi sextile ♊ natal NNode · peak 30 Aug

Over the coming weeks, you'll find it easier to **connect with people who share your actual values and interests** instead of forcing relationships that don't fit. You're picking up on social cues more naturally right now, which helps you spot who genuinely has your back. This period supports you in building friendships and groups based on real compatibility rather than habit or obligation.

♊ NNode ♁ Quincunx ♃ natal Neptune · peak 30 Aug

These days you are noticing gaps between what you imagine and what actually works in your relationships or creative projects. You feel pulled toward **adjusting your expectations** because reality keeps bumping up against your daydreams. Over the coming weeks, this friction between fantasy and fact will push you to make small practical changes instead of waiting for perfect conditions.

♃ Jupiter ♁ Quincunx ♂ natal Mars · peak 9 Aug

Over the coming weeks, you may notice your usual drive and confidence don't quite match up with what's actually possible right now, leaving you **frustrated when plans don't move as fast as you want them to**. *Jupiter* is expanding your ambitions while *Mars* pushes for quick action, but the two are pulling in slightly different directions. You might waste energy on projects that start with excitement but need to be adjusted or abandoned halfway through.

♅ Uranus △ Trine ♇ natal Pluto · peak 1 Aug

You find yourself **taking practical action on changes you've wanted to make** without getting stuck in overthinking or self-doubt. This period brings a natural confidence that old patterns no longer serve you, so you move forward with less resistance than usual. Over the coming weeks, you're more likely to follow through on those shifts you've been planning instead of just talking about them.

♃ Neptune ♂ Opposition ♃ natal Jupiter · peak 31 Aug

Your usual confidence in your own judgment is shaky right now, and you are more likely to **ignore warning signs or minimize real problems** because you want to believe things will work out on their own. Over the coming weeks, your optimism can actually cost you money or damage relationships if you skip practical steps like checking facts, reading contracts, or having honest conversations. The challenge here is to slow down your natural tendency to assume the best and actually verify what people are telling you before you commit.

♊ NNode ∟ Semi sextile ♋ natal Moon · peak 1 Aug

While this lasts, you find it easier to **listen to what you actually need** instead of pushing through discomfort. People around you tend to respond well to you right now because you're more relaxed and genuine in conversations. Over the coming weeks, small emotional hurdles feel less like obstacles and more like things you can work through naturally.

♇ Pluto △ Trine ♋ natal Moon · peak 1 Aug

These days you find it easier to **act on what you actually feel** instead of hiding or dismissing your emotions. People around you notice you seem more direct and honest about what matters to you, and they tend to respond well to this straightforwardness. Over the coming weeks, situations that once felt emotionally stuck start to move forward because you're not holding back anymore.

♇ Pluto * Sextile ♊ natal NNode · peak 31 Aug

Over the coming weeks, you find it easier to **let go of habits that no longer fit who you're becoming**. People respond to a quiet confidence in you right now, and you naturally attract opportunities that align with what you actually want. This is a good time to make practical changes to your life direction without overthinking them.

♇ Pluto * Sextile ♃ natal Neptune · peak 31 Aug

While this lasts, you find it easier to **see through confusion and spot what's actually real** in situations that usually feel murky to you. Your intuition sharpens without becoming unreliable, so you can trust your gut feelings more than usual. This is a good time to make decisions about things you've been uncertain about, because you're cutting through the fog naturally.

♀ Venus Rx · ♌ Leo

The need for admiration and recognition in relationships surfaces more strongly right now, sometimes in ways that surprise you. Past romantic connections or unresolved questions about self-worth may return during this period. Examining what you genuinely offer in relationships is more useful than seeking external validation.

♄ Saturn Rx · ♋ Pisces

The limits that protect your energy, compassion, and creative focus are being reconsidered right now. Boundaries that have been dissolved in the name of flexibility or kindness may be creating hidden costs. Building more deliberate structure into the areas of your life that feel most diffuse rewards you more than continued openness.

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

LUNATIONS

○ Full Moon · Tuesday, 1 Aug

in ♒ Aquarius

social awakening, group dynamics, collective peak

in H7 — Partnerships

A significant relationship is reaching a turning point. Something between you and a **partner, collaborator, or significant other** is being fully illuminated — what's been working, what hasn't, and what needs to change. This full moon often brings a relationship decision to the surface: a commitment deepening, a conflict coming to a head, or a partnership reaching its natural conclusion. See clearly what's actually in front of you, not what you've hoped it would become.

● New Moon · Wednesday, 16 Aug

in ♌ Leo

creative spark, self-expression, new confidence

in H2 — Resources & Values

Your financial picture and sense of personal worth are entering a new chapter. This lunation plants seeds around **income, resources, and what you truly value** — it's the moment to start building something that will grow steadily rather than chasing quick results. A practical new step in managing money, establishing a skill, or clarifying what security means to you personally will have lasting effects over the coming months.

KEY DATES

Tue, 1 Aug Full Moon in Aquarius

♆ Neptune ♂ Conjunction ♋ natal NNode

♅ Uranus △ Trine ♇ natal Pluto

♇ Pluto △ Trine ☾ natal Moon

Thu, 3 Aug ♆ Neptune △ Trine ♆ natal Neptune

Mon, 14 Aug ♆ Neptune △ Trine ♆ natal Neptune

♅ Uranus △ Trine ♇ natal Pluto

Wed, 16 Aug New Moon in Leo

Wed, 23 Aug ☼ Sun enters ♍ Virgo

Sun in *Virgo* brings a shift toward **noticing details** that slipped past you before — at work, people start organizing their spaces and making lists, and conversations focus on what actually needs fixing rather than big ideas. In relationships and daily routines, there's more **interest in getting things right**, which can mean partners point out mistakes more often or you find yourself doing the same, and this period favors tackling tasks you've postponed. *Virgo* energy also makes people more **hesitant about committing** until they've checked all the facts, so decisions take longer but tend to be more solid.

Thu, 24 Aug ☿ 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.

Mon, 28 Aug ♂ Mars enters ♎ Libra

Mars in *Libra* shifts how people push for what they want — instead of charging ahead alone, you'll notice more **talking things through** and **weighing options** before acting. At work and in relationships, **compromise** becomes the move rather than winning outright, and people often spend extra time **getting agreement** before making decisions. The trade-off is real: you get **smoother partnerships** and fewer direct conflicts, but things take longer to actually start moving.

Tue, 29 Aug ♅ Uranus stations Retrograde

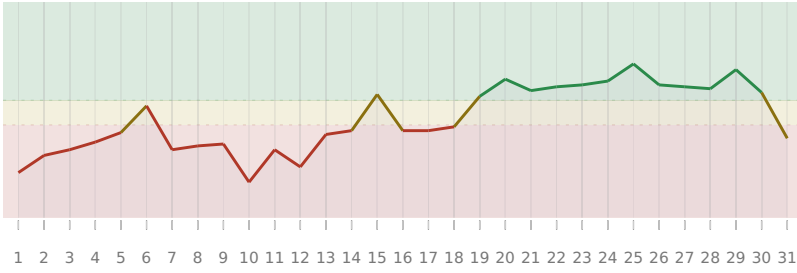
Uranus stationing retrograde typically brings **delays and reversals** in tech, internet connections, and unexpected plans that felt solid just weeks ago. Areas like innovation projects, group friendships, or sudden life changes often **pause or shift direction** — what looked like progress stalls, and people find themselves rethinking decisions they thought were final. In practice, this period favors **reviewing old ideas** rather than launching new ones, and you'll notice others becoming less willing to commit to radical changes or unusual partnerships.

Thu, 31 Aug ♇ Pluto * Sextile ♋ natal NNode

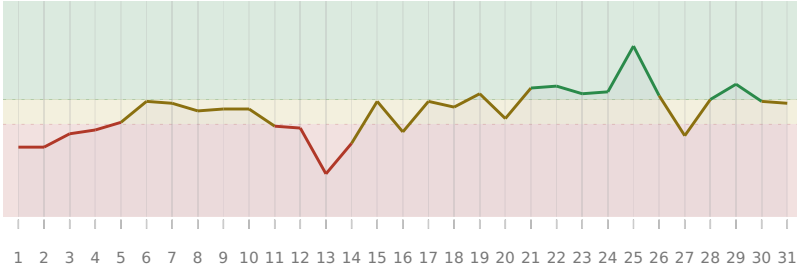
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AREAS OF LIFE

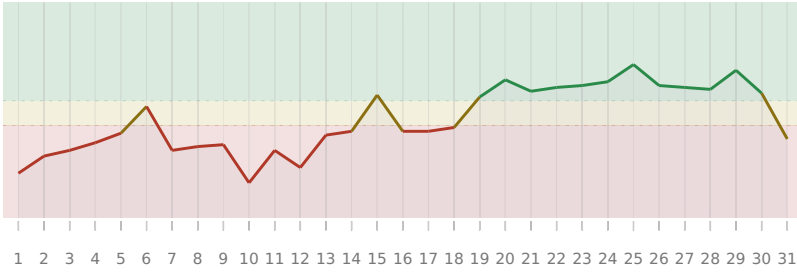
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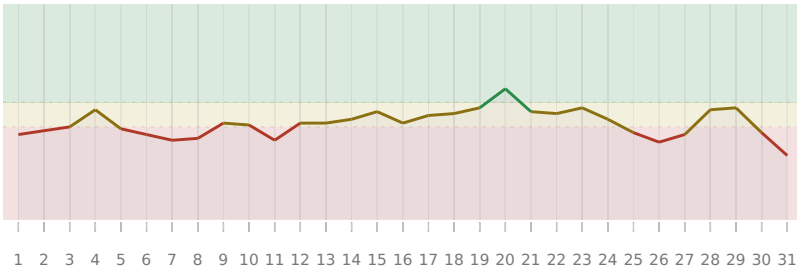
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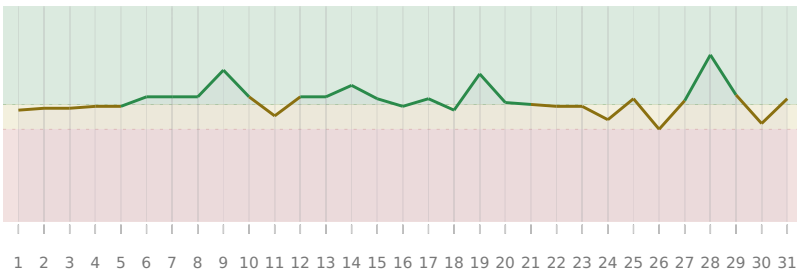
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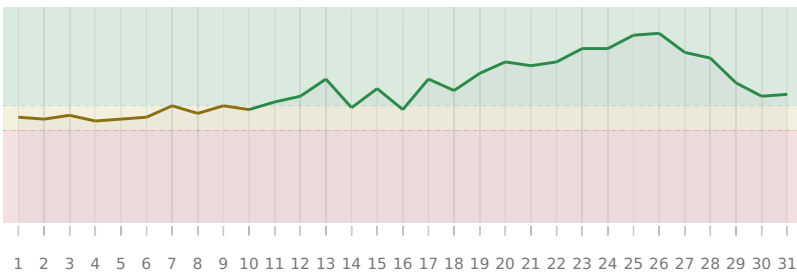
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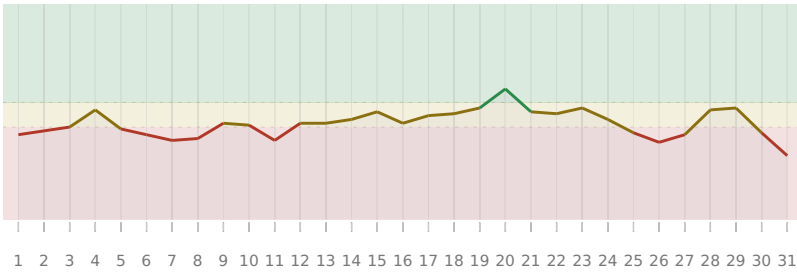
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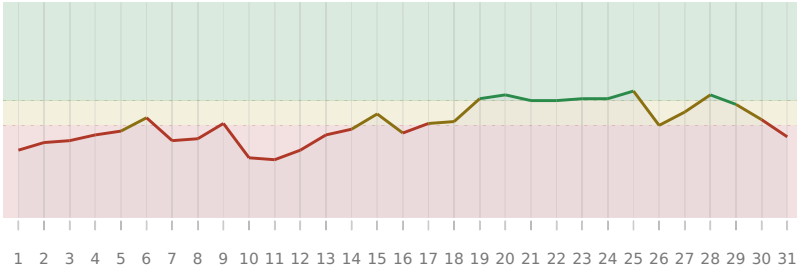
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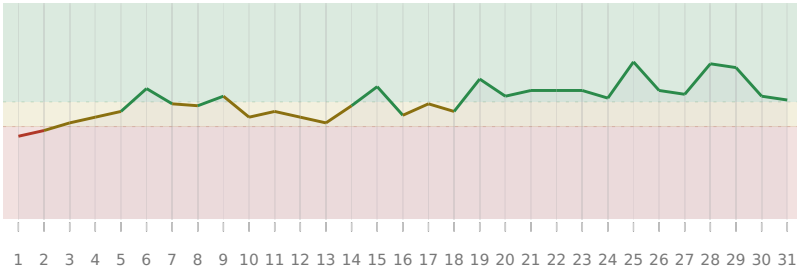
Travel ★★★☆☆



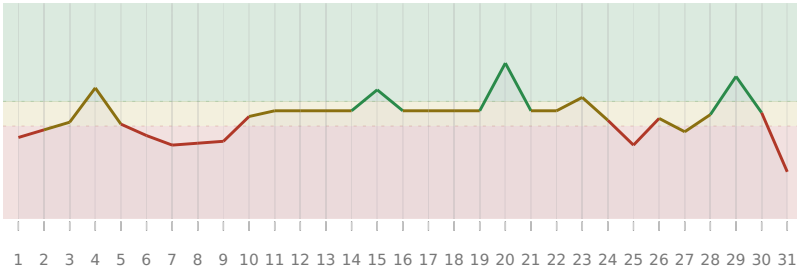
Career ★★★☆☆



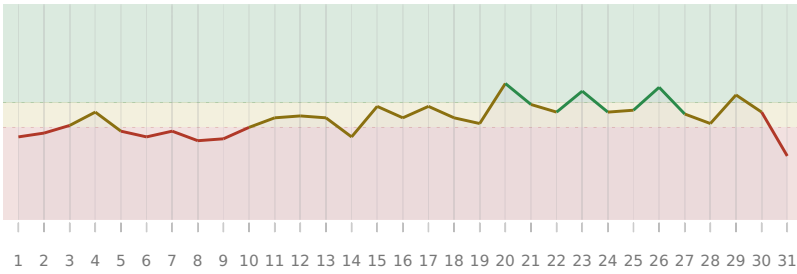
Personal Growth ★★★☆☆



Communication ★★★☆☆



Contracts ★★★☆☆



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☿ Venus Rx · ♄ Saturn Rx