



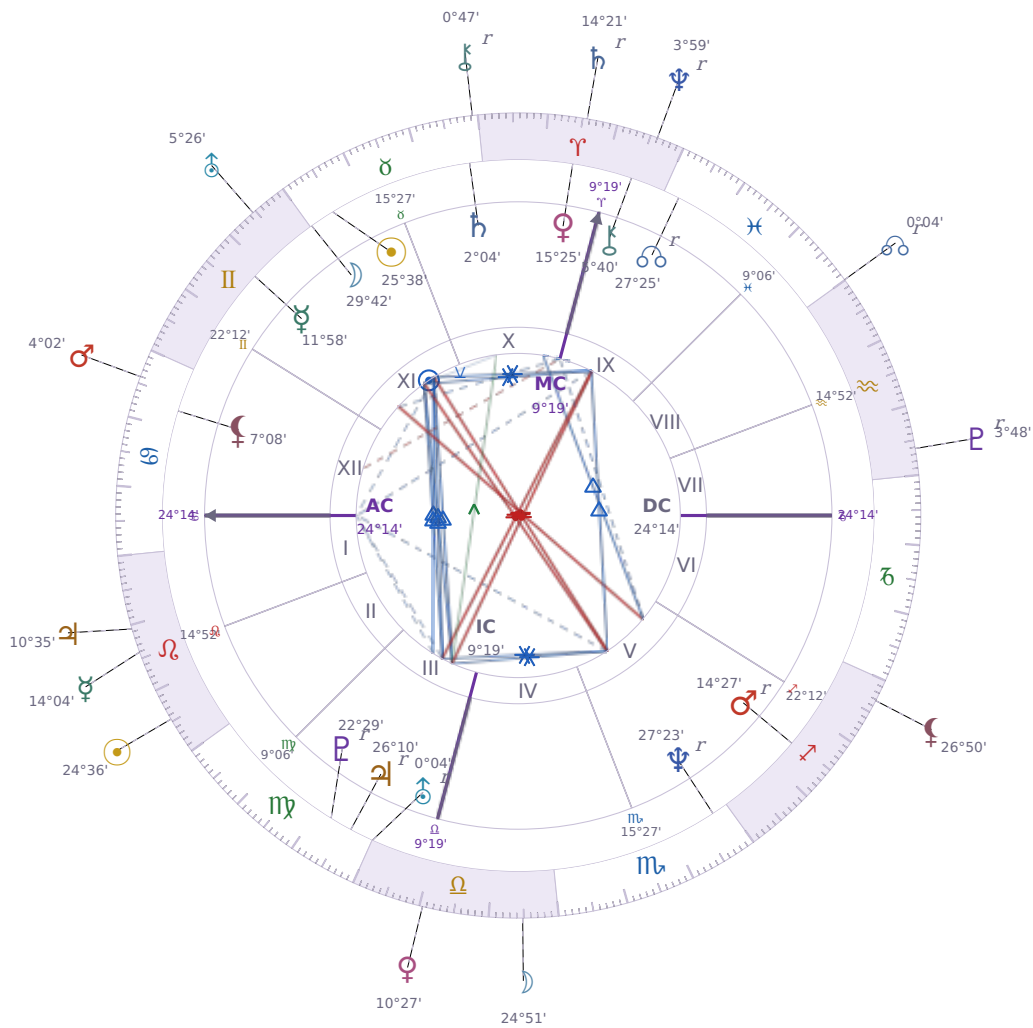
WEEKLY HOROSCOPE

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American political commentator (born 1969)

♉ Taurus May 16, 1969 10:07 San Francisco

**17 August - 23 August 2026**



**TRANSITS · WEEK OF MON, 17 AUG**

☉ Sun	in ♌ Leo	24°36'47"
☾ Moon	in ♌ Libra	24°51'11"
☿ Mercury	in ♌ Leo	14°04'01"
♀ Venus	in ♌ Libra	10°27'52"
♂ Mars	in ♋ Cancer	4°02'54"
♃ Jupiter	in ♌ Leo	10°35'35"
♄ Saturn	in ♉ Aries Rx	14°21'16"

♅ Uranus	in	♊ Gemini	5°26'52"
♆ Neptune	in	♈ Aries Rx	3°59'19"
♇ Pluto	in	♈ Aquarius Rx	3°48'06"
♁ Chiron	in	♉ Taurus Rx	0°47'01"
♁ NNode	in	♊ Pisces Rx	0°04'19"
♁ Lilith	in	♐ Sagittarius	26°50'51"

## 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 ☿ Quincunx ♅ natal Uranus · Monday 17 Aug

Your usual way of handling change feels awkward right now, like your instinct for independence is out of sync with what you actually need to do. You might notice yourself wanting to break free from something at the same time you're supposed to be working within a system or commitment. **The mismatch between your need for freedom and your practical obligations** creates low-level friction that makes decisions harder than they should be, and this typically settles down over the coming weeks.

### ♁ NNode ☐ Square ☾ natal Moon · Sunday 23 Aug

You are feeling **emotionally pulled in two directions** right now, wanting to stay comfortable while something pushes you toward unfamiliar social or practical territory. Your gut reactions clash with what people around you seem to expect, leaving you irritable and confused about what you actually need. Over the coming weeks, you will have to choose between repeating old emotional patterns or accepting that some relationships and routines no longer fit who you are becoming.

### ♃ Jupiter \* Sextile ☿ natal Mercury · Sunday 23 Aug

Your mind works faster and more clearly right now, making it easier to see solutions you usually miss. You find yourself **explaining things well** and picking up new information quickly, whether at work or in conversations. This is a practical window to tackle writing projects, learning, or any discussion that matters to you.

### ♄ Saturn △ Trine ♂ natal Mars · Monday 17 Aug

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.

### ♅ Uranus \* Sextile ♁ natal Chiron · Sunday 23 Aug

You find it easier right now to talk about past difficulties without getting stuck in them, and people actually listen differently when you do. Your **ability to explain what hurt you in a practical way** opens doors to real conversations instead of arguments. This period gives you a chance to turn old pain into something useful that helps both you and others move forward.

### ♁ Chiron ☿ Quincunx ♅ natal Uranus · Sunday 23 Aug

You feel uncomfortable with your usual ways of doing things, even though you can't quite explain why. These days you notice yourself wanting to break free from routines that normally work for you, which creates **practical friction between your need for stability and your urge to change direction**. Over the coming weeks, small adjustments in how you handle independence or unconventional choices will feel necessary, even if they don't come naturally to you right now.

♄ Chiron ∟ Semi sextile ♃ natal Moon · Sunday 23 Aug

These days you find it easier to **talk about your feelings without getting stuck in them**, which helps you connect with people who matter to you. Your emotional vulnerabilities feel less like private wounds and more like honest things worth sharing. Over the coming weeks, this gentle openness tends to draw supportive responses from others, making your relationships feel more real and less lonely.

♄ Saturn ♂ Conjunction ♀ natal Venus · Monday 17 Aug

You are more cautious about what you want from people right now, and you may pull back from social situations that feel superficial or demanding. Your **standards for who and what you let close become stricter**, which can feel isolating but also clarifies what actually matters to you. Over the coming weeks, relationships either deepen through honest conversation or naturally fade as you stop overextending yourself.

♄ Chiron ♂ Conjunction ♄ natal Saturn · Monday 17 Aug

Over the coming weeks, you become more aware of the **limits you've accepted without questioning them**. You notice old rules and boundaries that once felt necessary but now feel outdated or overly rigid. This period invites you to examine what you've built your stability on and whether those foundations still serve you.

♅ Pluto □ Square ♄ natal Saturn · Sunday 23 Aug

You feel **trapped by your own rules** right now, as if the structures you built to keep yourself safe are suddenly too tight. You become more rigid and defensive about how things should be done, pushing back hard against anyone or anything that challenges your system. Over the coming weeks, you will likely experience real friction at work or in relationships because you cannot bend, even when bending would help.

♄ Saturn Rx · ♈ Aries

Structures built on impulse rather than genuine foundation are being tested right now. Rules and commitments that felt constraining may now feel simply necessary. This period asks you to distinguish between the discipline you are avoiding and the limits that are genuinely serving your growth.

KEY DATES

Wed, 19 Aug ♁ NNode enters ♒ Aquarius

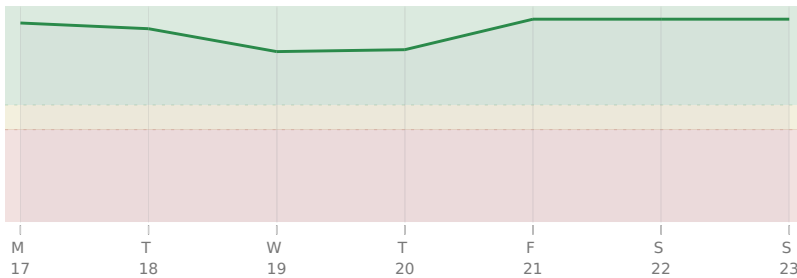
Sun, 23 Aug ☉ Sun enters ♍ Virgo

♃ Jupiter \* Sextile ♀ natal Mercury

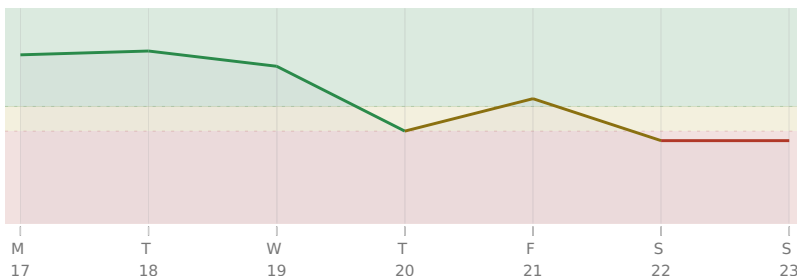
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AREAS OF LIFE

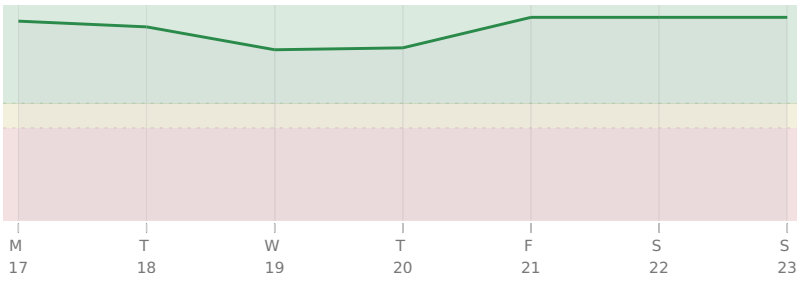
Love ★★★★★



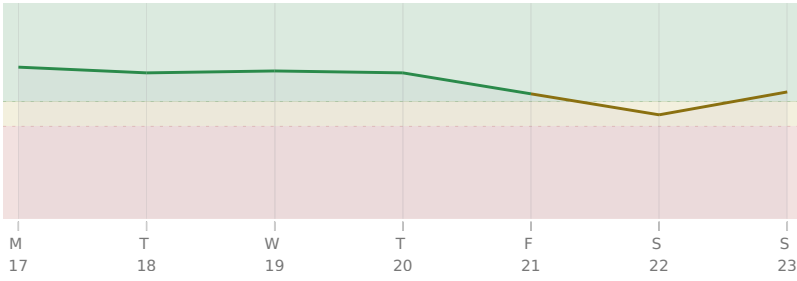
Home ★★★★★☆



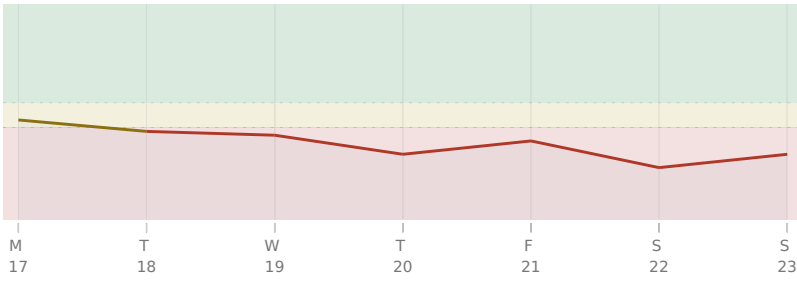
Creativity ★★★★★



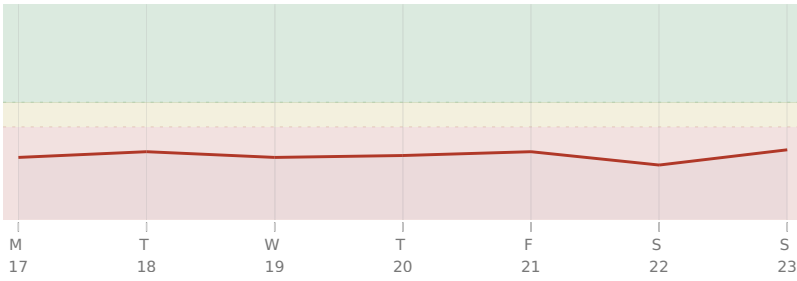
**Spirituality** ★★★★★



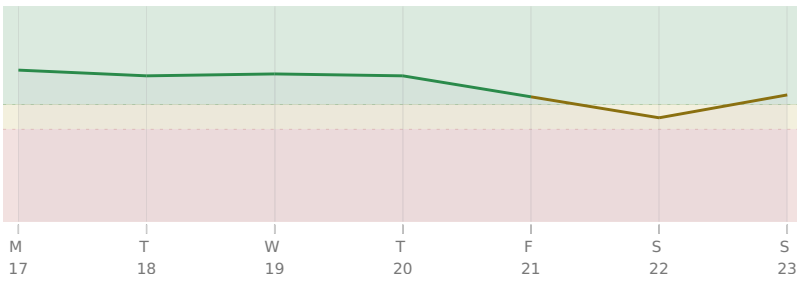
**Health** ★★☆☆☆



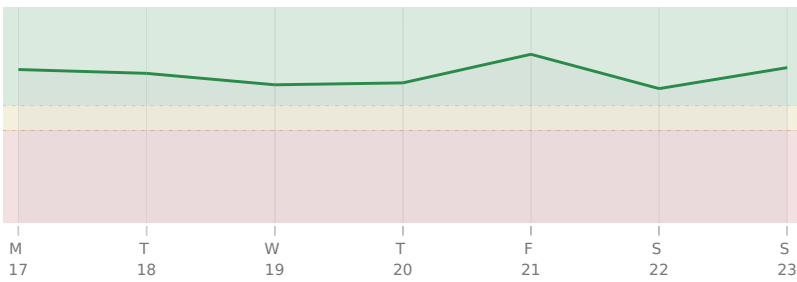
**Finance** ▲ wait



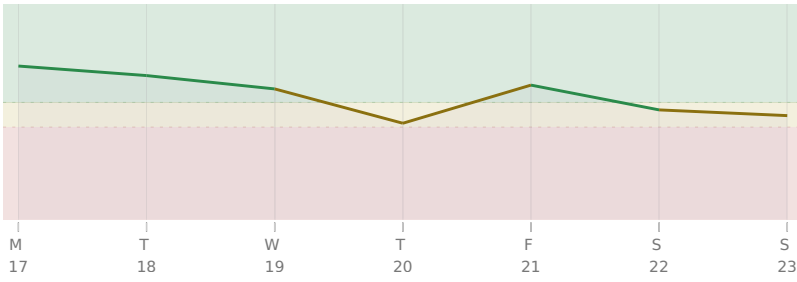
**Travel** ★★★★★



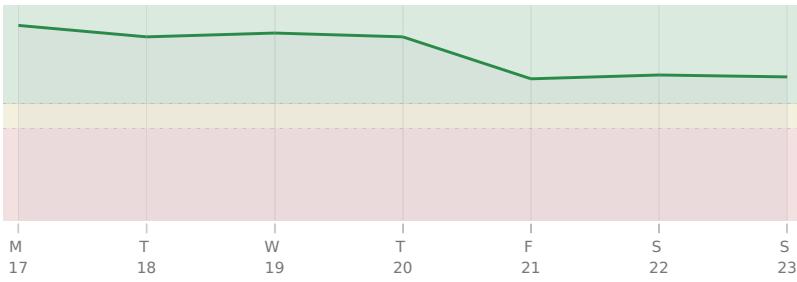
**Career** ★★★★★



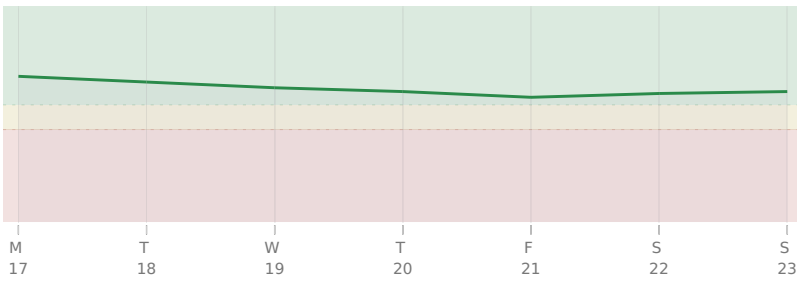
**Personal Growth** ★★★★★



**Communication** ★★★★★



**Contracts** ★★★★★



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