



NEW MOON IN GEMINI · SUNDAY, 17 MAY 2026

Virgo

This ritual is for career, ambition, and public life.

Ambition, tended with clarity and care, is among the most honest prayers a person can offer.

PREPARATION

Face east. Organize the surface in front of you with care and precision — no clutter, no distraction, because what you are building deserves a clear table. Silence all devices without hesitation. Pour a strong black tea or a small coffee, hold the cup in your hands and feel its sharpness, its readiness, and take one deliberate sip. Close your eyes and picture your professional life as it should be: the work that is seen, the effort that is recognized, the role you have earned and are moving steadily toward. Hear your name spoken in rooms you want to be in. See yourself doing the work with competence and direction. Open your eyes only when the ambition feels clean, not anxious. The ritual begins now.

THE RITUAL

Light the **brown candle** with a steady hand, knowing this flame marks the moment your **professional intention for this lunar cycle** becomes active and directional under the *New Moon in Gemini*.

Hold the **amethyst** between your palms and press them together firmly, channeling into the stone the exact professional outcome you are working toward — make it specific, make it real, give it the dignity of precision.

Roll a fresh sprig of **rosemary** between your fingers until the sharp, clarifying scent releases, then breathe it in slowly as an act of mental fortification, clearing away doubt and replacing it with **focused, grounded ambition**.

Set the **amethyst** on your work surface — your desk, your table, the place where the real effort happens — and place the **rosemary** beside it as a companion, so that every day this cycle you see them and remember what you have set in motion.

Return to the **brown candle**, sit straight, and let it burn for ten full minutes in silence as you hold your professional vision without softening or shrinking it, sealing the intention in the slow, sure warmth of the flame.

YOU WILL NEED

brown candle

amethyst

rosemary

♪ minimal focused ambient or slow ceremonial drumming