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## Natal Fixed Star Report

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For

**Albert Einstein**

**Born Friday 14 March 1879**

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On the day you were born, you not only gained the magic of your horoscope, you also gained the myths and meanings of a sky full of stars. Not all the stars, just those that formed links to your natal planets via what is called parans. By considering the star parans in your life you will be encountering a whole new (though very old) layer of myth and meaning to your chart. Welcome to your Stars.

Each star has a unique and wonderful pattern of visibility for any given place on earth. Some stars will be visible for a period in the night, yet later in the year they will fail to appear and be lost to the view of stargazers. Others will also rise or set at night, but instead of disappearing from view altogether, they will lose touch with the horizon and spend the whole night being visible in the starry sky. Yet both these sorts of stars will eventually return to rising or setting during the night, with each individual star doing so on a particular date of the year. However, there is also another set of stars that do not partake of this dance and are always visible, and never sink beneath the horizon, spending every night circling around the pole.

To the Egyptians the stars were deities and so these annual star patterns had strong religious significance. The never setting circumpolar stars were considered to be the Immortals for these are the deities that never died, the stars that never set. But the stars that rose or set during the course of the year were the deities who moved between the world of humans and the world of the Immortals, or the Underworld, the place the stars journeyed when they disappeared from view. These were the deities who communed with humans, the deities who were approachable and open to prayer.

Such stars would, according to their unique rhythm, reappear at set calendar dates. If they reappeared from the Underworld, they would rise just before, or with, the

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rising sun and be called the Heliacal Rising Star. This star was considered the ruling deity for a period of time until the next star in the annual cycle re-emerged from the Underworld. Or, if the star came back from the realm of the Immortals and once again touched the earth, they would appear to set just before, or with, the rising sun and be called the Heliacal Setting Star. This star can also be considered the ruling deity for a period of time until the next star in the cycle appears to descend from the Immortal realm. So important were these times of the return of a star that the Egyptians based their religious calendar around such events and built temples designed to capture the returning star's light onto the altar of the deity.

Thus, there will be at least two stars that rule the period of time and place in which you were born. One star will be the most recent to have returned from the Underworld and the other would have returned from the realm of the Immortals. Both stars have significance for you. Occasionally more than one star can return on the same day so some people will have more than one Heliacal Rising Star or more than one Heliacal Setting Star. These stars, and their meanings, are guiding principles in your life.

### Your Heliacal Rising Star is:

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Deneb Algedi - The Ancient Law Giver

#### **Seeking the legal, physical or metaphysical laws that govern the world**

This is the star that has been walking the path of the underworld and has now emerged to be visible in the world of humans. This star, the Heliacal Rising Star, is the star that you were born under and it will bear gifts to you from the land of your past, your family and your genetics. It is your gift, the jewel or the treasure, which your ancestors handed you at your birth. This star is a theme in your life; helps to build your philosophies, and can at times take on a vocational pulse.

If you were born at moderate latitudes in the northern hemisphere, then most people born in late February or March will have this star as their Heliacal Rising star. Similarly, if you were born in the southern hemisphere in late August and September it will probably be your Heliacal Setting star. So this star does not give a great deal of personal information in this position. However it still represents the background theme in your life. Deneb Algedi is linked to the symbolism of the law-giving, justice-orientated ancient god who is trying to civilise his people.

Therefore, matters of justice are a theme of your life, and you are a person who is trying, in some way, to use wisdom and knowledge to protect and help the people around you.

### Your Heliacal Setting Star is:



Regulus - The Heart of the Lion

#### **A strong belief in the correctness of one's position, or path**

This is the star that has been living amongst the immortals of the pole, and has now, at the time of your birth, returned to earth. This star is known as the Heliacal Setting Star and is a gift or treasure given to you from your spirit, from your immortal soul, from your daemon. This star represents goals that you reach for; vocations that motivate you, and the spiritual pathways that you seek. This star represents your doorway to the immortals, or your journey towards a fulfilled life. That which gives you the greatest happiness.

Being one of the Royal Stars of Persia, this is one of the great historical stars of the sky. The Persians saw it as the Watcher in the North and linked the star to their mythical king Feridun who, according to their mythology, once ruled the entire known world. He was a good and great king whose mythical origins were similar to those of Zeus. Like Zeus, he was raised separate to his family, and suckled on a sacred cow. In his adulthood, he claimed his throne after a great battle. He is an image also very much like Osiris in Egyptian mythology: teaching; bringing peace and civilisation; and giving laws to his people. In his old age he decided to divide his great kingdom amongst his three sons. The two eldest fell upon and murdered their younger brother in order to take his lands, and this act so grieved Feridun that he took revenge upon his two elder sons. The resulting battle was the end of his kingdom and the end of the golden days of Feridun. The importance of this story is that it shows us the myth behind the military honours and success associated with Regulus. Like the other three Royal Stars, great success can be gained, but only by facing a particular nemesis. For Regulus, this nemesis is revenge. You may gain a great deal of success in your chosen field, but if you ever stoop to take revenge, you will lose power, position and standing in the community. Regulus indicates power and success, and so is active in the charts of successful people. But the higher this star takes a person, the more they must guard against revenge. To be born with one of the Royal Stars in such an

important position on the day of your birth will put a strain on the rest of your chart, for you will be pushed to succeed, to shine, or to move forward in your life. This may fit well with the rest of your chart, in which case you should step out, as success is yours. However, it may contradict other needs, in which case, by taking pride in small things, the deep pressure to shine that Regulus will apply to you can be eased. With Regulus in this position in on the day you were born, you should aim high, but with awareness of the danger of revenge.

### **Stars that were on the Angles at the moment of your birth...**

At the moment you were born the following star or stars were on your Cross of Matter. This is the cross made up of your Ascendant/D descendant axis and your MC/IC axis. Known also as the angles of a chart, these four points are your connection between the spiritual, or cosmic, world and the physical world in which you live. A star on one of the angles acts like a filter or lens between the world of your spirit and the material world, the world of form, shape and expression. Such a star will have a strong influence on your lifestyle, and the daily unfolding of your physical, emotional, and financial life.



#### **Markab - The Saddle of Pegasus**

##### **Physical and mental endurance and reliability**

Markab is the saddle of Pegasus and represents great solidness and reliability, a point of steadiness or the power to maintain stability under pressure. This could be a beneficial contact, giving you leadership skills and the ability to handle crises; or it could twist the other way, and manifest as a certain stubbornness and a refusal to move or consider other options. With Markab on the angles at the moment of your birth, then your approach to problems or life's ups and downs is to stand firm as a rock. This could lead to stubbornness, but also it can give you great endurance.



#### **Scheat - The Intellect**

##### **A physically talented, or gifted, person**

This star is linked to the idea of the Great Square of Pegasus, rather than to the image and symbolism of the horse. The square, in ancient cultures, represented the intellect. Intuition on the other hand was symbolised as circular. Scheat appears to have captured the very essence of intellect. However, this intellect becomes a body-intellect when the star is on an angle at birth. Scheat in this position indicates that you are physically gifted or talented in some manner. This may manifest in the sporting arena, or in the arts, or at some simpler, more everyday, level.



### Alkes - The Crater or the Cup

#### **To be seen as representing a concept or archetype**

The angles of a chart are the connection it has to the material world, the world of form, shape and expression. Any star on any angle acts as a filter, or a pane of coloured glass, which changes the nature of the way that the angle functions in your life. Alkes is the star of the Cup or Chalice and in this position it will mean that publicly, or professionally, or privately, depending on the angle, you carry a projection for others. You may represent an image or an archetype in your world. This projection can lead to difficulties, or it can lead to a great deal of fulfilment for those around you, and therefore yourself. There may be times when you struggle to be seen as yourself, or you may be comfortable with the concept that you have been asked to carry.

## **Stars that are linked to your planets...**

Stars form links or parans to your planets, via the angles of your chart. If a planet is at a key point of its daily movement, either Rising, Setting, Culminating or At the Bottom of the Sky, and at the same time a star is also at one of these key points in its daily movement, then the star is in paran to that planet. The angle that the star occupies also tells us the period of your life when the mythology of the star will be expressed. If the star is rising then it affects your youth, if culminating then the prime of your life, if setting the latter years, and if lower the star is a foundation, or summary statement concerning your life.

Only the visible planets are used in this report, as the outer planets are generational and do not have meaning at a personal level.

### **Some Stars are at a Phase of Arising and Lying Hidden**

Some of the stars that are in paran to your natal planets are in a stage of their cycle known as Arising and Lying Hidden. These stars can at times be seen at the latitude of your birth, however, in this period of time they are not visible in the night sky at sunset, and will still not be visible in the night sky at sunrise. So these stars have lost contact with the earth, and have returned to the underworld, the land of the dead. In this situation the stars will express themselves in a more fated manner, as they are no longer concerned with the land of the living, and the Egyptians believed that they could no longer hear your prayers. Thus you will struggle with these stars, as their meanings and myths will be more powerfully and bluntly expressed in your life. In this report, any star that is in a phase of Arising and Lying Hidden should be read with this emphasis in mind.

### **Some Stars are Circumpolar**

Some of the stars which are influencing your chart are circumpolar. This means that, for your birth location, they are visible every night, for the whole night, regardless of the time of the year. They are permanently in the realm of the immortals. These stars should be read with greater emphases for they have a tendency to express themselves in a more black and white manner due to their lack of contact with the ways of humans.

### **Stars of Your Youth**

All of these stars are rising as they form a paran to a planet. Therefore, all of these stars will express themselves in your childhood and young adulthood. Simply put, these stars influence the first third of your life. With these stars shaping your childhood, they will have an impact on your parents, schooling and social skills, and in that manner can have a large impact on your whole life. These stars are:



Alkes - The Crater or the Cup, with Mercury ♀ in Youth

#### **To undertake detailed and precise work**

Alkes in paran to your Mercury influences how you think and how you do business. Alkes' presence in your chart linked with Mercury talks of a careful thinker. You are a person who has ability with careful and precise work. This work may be art, or logic or writing. Indeed, it may express itself in any number of ways. However, you are at your best when you are allowed to plan, think and execute all in your own time. This is one of your talents, care and consideration.

 Alkes - The Crater or the Cup, with Saturn  in Youth



**Someone who is a source of new methods or doctrines**

Alkes in paran with Saturn combines the protection-oriented, nurturing, focused Alkes with the practicality of Saturn, which wants to consolidate everything that it touches. This combination therefore talks of your desire, and indeed ability, to create new ways of thinking and new ways of acting, that enrich the lives of others. Thus you are a law giver. You are a living vessel, a source, from which others can draw. Your actions become a foundation onto which others can build. This may be simply within your family where you may become the patriarch or matriarch of future generations. Or, if your Saturn is powerfully placed in your chart, then your work can become a publicly recognised foundation for others.

 Alnilam - The Belt of Orion, with Sun  in Youth

**A person who builds bridges between ideas or people**

This is the bright buckle of the belt of the god and the star is symbolically linked to pulling things together. Taking knowledge that is already there and improving and expanding the subject in such a way that a new foundation is laid. Alnilam is not a power star, or one for those who make a show of their work, but is concerned with the steady, reliable plod that can produce well-grounded, long lasting work. With Alnilam in paran with your Sun you are a person whose actions and sense of self are based on your desire to build a bridge between one subject or idea and another. You may do this intentionally, or it may just unfold in this manner. By your actions, ideas or motivations, you enable others to see or understand problems in a new light. It is these insights that you bring to others, whether domestically, locally or globally, by which you will be remembered.

 Altair - The Eagle, with Venus  in Youth

**The bold artisan, a person who is sexually and sensually orientated**

Altair in paran to your Venus will influence your responses in relationships, and your enjoyment of sensual and sexual pleasures. This is the boldness, daring and masculine energy of the eagle influencing your relationships and your sensual physical world. This combination emphasises your libido, thereby influencing the



type of relationships that you seek. Your need for sensual pleasure is also emphasised, and this can include eating, drinking, singing, partying or any other form of socialising. Indulgence is your shadow, but bold artistic or creative expression is your gift.

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Deneb Algedi - The Ancient Law Giver, with Jupiter **4** in Youth

**The reformer or expert who paves the way for others**

With Deneb Algedi in paran with your Jupiter, the law-giving expression of this star is blended with the educational, inspirational and humanitarian concepts of Jupiter. This combination indicates that you have a desire to either educate, or improve the lives of other people. In striving for this you endeavour to lay a pathway for others to follow. This may be a strong influence in your career, or it may find expression in your hobbies or recreational pastimes. Nevertheless, no matter in what area of your life this paran manifests, it does give you a desire to inspire others and point them to a better way.



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Phact - The Bow of the Argo, with Jupiter **4** in Youth

**The explorer, the wanderer through places or ideas**

With Phact in paran with your Jupiter, your ability to be successful is linked to a star which used to be part of the Argo. Situated on the top of the bow, Phact was the point on the craft which cut through the waves in uncharted waters. Phact, therefore, adds an element of exploration, of seeking the unknown, and of being prepared to move into uncharted waters. It can be a bold risk-taking statement or, alternatively, it could be the exploration of intellectual pursuits. In paran with your Jupiter, it indicates that your greatest successes come from the times when you have acted boldly. For some however, this can become addictive, and another side of this stellar combination is the person who lives the gypsy life-style. Constantly on the move, never able, or wanting, to settle down.

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Ras Algethi - The Natural Order, with Jupiter **4** in Youth

**A person who promotes a more naturalistic approach to life**

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With Ras Algethi in paran with your Jupiter, then fortunate events occur when you hold to your principles. Ras Algethi seeks the natural or correct balance of life, nature, and soul. This star is part of the constellation Hercules, and is symbolic of the older meaning of this constellation, which was to give homage to the natural order of the world. Together this star and planet will give a strong sense of devotion to what is considered the natural or correct order of the world. This could lead to fanaticism, but it could also make you a respected teacher and philosopher in spiritual, or environmental, practices.



Rukbat - The Steady Stance of the Archer, with Venus ♀ in Youth

### **To be consistent, or rigid, in your social views and ideas**

Arising Lying Hidden      That the time of your birth, and for this latitude, this star is in the phase of Arising and Lying hidden and is therefore to be read more in the extremes of its meaning, rather than a more balanced expression. Refer to the beginning of this report to refresh yourself with the meaning of such a star phase.

With Rukbat in paran with your Venus you will seek, and hopefully find, consistency in friendships and personal relationships. For Rukbat is the foot of the archer, Sagittarius, and is the expression of solidness, and a steady platform. This steadiness can give you strength in times of personal challenge, the ability to weather the storm and work through any emotional problems. However, your difficulty will be knowing when to let go. In addition, this stellar combination can make you a little too rigid in dealing with variations in the way that other people live their lives. Admire and seek consistency in your emotional life certainly, but guard against a tendency to dogmatism in defining the "correct" lifestyle for all.

### **Stars of Your Prime**

All of these stars are culminating as they form a paran to a planet. These stars will be influencing you in your adulthood, or the second third of your life. These stars will therefore have an impact on your career, adult relationships, children and financial prosperity. In addition, some of these stars will be doubly emphasised as they will not only be present and active in the prime of your life but will be shown, later in this report, to be coming from a deeper source, coming from the

foundation stones of your being. These stars are discussed here, as it is in this period of your life that you first encounter their impact they will, however, simply grow stronger as your life unfolds. The stars that are active in the prime of your life are:



Acumen - One of the Stings of the Scorpion, with Sun  in Prime

### **Personal attacks on one's credibility**

This is one of a pair of nebulae its twin being Aculeus. Both of these stars, Aculeus and Acumen, are the tail of Scorpio, the sting, and tend to be linked to attacks, not only physical, but also mental, verbal or spiritual. Acumen carries the negative or shadow side, so there are attacks that weaken, attacks that can slowly but surely erode you. With Acumen in paran with your Sun, you will find that life and life's problems can start to wear you down. These small attacks can, slowly over your life, weaken you and, because Acumen is linked to your Sun, it will also weaken your vitality and love of life. If the star is active in your youth, then it may effect your father or other authority-figures; they may being harsh on you, or weakened by life's struggles. However, if active in your adult years then the best approach to Acumen is to realise that you need to live your life with a philosophical frame of mind, allow time to sort out issues, and learn to bend and flow with the times.



Algol - The Head of the Beast, with Jupiter  in Prime

### **An obsession with power, whether political, physical or spiritual**

Algol was called Ras al Ghul by the Arabs, which means the Head of the Demon, and they considered this female demon to be the wife of the Devil. Ptolemy labelled the star as 'the bright one of those in the Gorgon's head. The Chinese called the star Tseih She meaning Piled-up Corpses. In Talmudic Law she is the first wife of Adam, Lilith, who left him because she refused to be submissive to his needs. Lilith then fled Paradise and became a demon of the wind. She was considered a curse, as she contained sexual pleasure and was the cause of all male wet dreams. The resulting impact in the Jewish, Moslem and Christian cultures was the suppression of all male sexual pleasure, which then led to the oppression of the sexual woman. Algol thus embodied everything that men feared in the

feminine. She is not the mother face of the goddess but rather the passionate lover or the whore. She is female kundalini energy. Algol is the wild, raw, frightening face of the outraged feminine, which has been labelled as demonic or simply as evil. This star contains immense female passion and power. It is the power of the feminine, or the potential power of Mother Nature, strong but not to be called evil. This star represents a strong consuming passion, which may devour you with anger and rage. If one can contain a conscious or unconscious compulsion to take revenge, and focus that passion into a more productive outcome, Algol is one of the most powerful stars in the sky. With Algol in paran with your Jupiter, then controversial issues or a confronting attitude, either in yourself or in those around you will bring you benefit or success, even though this achievement may lead to even greater confrontation with some groups. Passionate about your beliefs whether those beliefs are spiritually or materially based, you will move towards the fulfilment of these beliefs with little regard for social subtleties, niceties or protocol. With Algol fueling your personal philosophy of life, you do need to learn to temper your ideas, to learn to listen to others, or at the very least to learn to move forward with a little less drama and confrontation.



### Capella - The Charioteer, with Moon in Prime

#### **Seeking freedom for oneself and/or others**

Circumpolar

At this latitude this star is circumpolar and therefore never touches the earth. Thus you should delineate the meaning in a more forceful, or black and white manner. Refer to the beginning of this report to refresh yourself with the meaning of such a star.

Capella in most charts lends a nurturing but free-spirited flavour. The star is linked to Artemis the Greek goddess of the hunt and her Roman counterpart Diana. It is the concept of the fertile goddess, but she is linked to the horse and therefore embodies action and movement. With Capella in paran with your Moon, the freedom-loving, but domestically inclined, energy of this star is directed towards the desire to help others. If Capella was active in your youth then your mother-figure would have been a woman who sought the greatest good for others, yourself, or even of a whole community. If active in your adult years then this star can influence your career, leading you to work in areas committed to the improvement of the quality of people's lives. Or perhaps just giving you a desire to demonstrate, via your actions or example, that barriers can be broken.



Mirach - The Receptive Feminine, with Venus ♀ in Prime

**Beauty in body, soul or art**

Mirach is connected to concepts of the young fertile virgin: receptivity, feminine power, intuition, and the arts. The theme of this star is one of being receptive and fertile and, when in paran with Venus, Mirach will influence your social conscience, your responses in relationships, and your enjoyment of sensual and sexual pleasures. This combination is the concept of beauty or the vamp; the great artist and master of colour or words; even the advertising artist, the person who knows how to use words, colour, or their own physical beauty to influence others. Beauty, in all its expressions, is an important theme in your life. You will seek themes of beauty in your relationships, friendships and business dealings. What is important, of course, is to remember that physical beauty is only skin deep, and real beauty arises from peaceful well-being in one's soul and spirit.



Murzim - The Announcer, with Saturn ♄ in Prime

**Being able to influence others through one's words**

You have Murzims in paran with your Saturn. This star is called The Announcer because it rises before Sirius and announces the imminent arrival of that great star. Murzims, therefore, seems to embody the symbolism of the dog, for its nature is to announce, to make a noise, to speak out, to carry a message, or to have something important to say. With Murzims in paran to your Saturn your words carry weight, your words have power, because you know how to use them to build a platform or foundation on which to place your ideas. You may be a writer building a body of work, or a collector of books, music or any other form of communication. Saturn with Murzims builds something tangible, with information and announcements. This could be expressed in the launching of web sites, or a political campaign, or anything in-between. Take yourself seriously, because others do, others want to respect what you say.



Procyon - The One that Comes Before, with Venus ♀ in Prime

**Struggling to sustain personal relationships, or society's values**

With Procyon in paran with your Venus you seek adventure or newness in your lifestyle and personal relationships. For Procyon comes before The Shining One, Sirius, and so can indicate a quick rise but with no real substance. Procyon is like fireworks - wonderful to watch, taking centre stage, but quickly fading, and then needing more fireworks to sustain the thrill. This star can teach you the value of diversification. But such diversification, which may be welcomed in many areas of your life, can prove difficult when spun together with your values and relationship needs. An easier expression of this star can be found in art or fashion. By allowing yourself to follow fashion whims in clothing, colour, art and music, then you can enjoy the success and variety that this star can produce while, hopefully, not suffering its influence in your personal, or emotional, life.




Regulus - The Heart of the Lion, with Jupiter **4** in Prime

**To be involved with those who hold high office**

This star influences you in the prime of your life; however, its meaning and impact runs deep, as it is also active throughout your latter years. The nature of the star will have a strong impact on you because it colours the rest of your life.

Regulus in paran with your Jupiter indicates that success and achievement follow you, provided that you are noble in your intent, and can rise above the petty jealousy of others. Regulus is one of the Royal Stars of Persia and as such promotes success, achievement and even honours, coming to you from the area where you take this noble attitude. However, it is important to remember that the Persians saw this star as the Watcher in the North and linked it to one of their mythical kings. This king was a successful empire builder until he entered into a battle for the sake of revenge. This was his great undoing, and in the same manner revenge can also be your undoing. Accept the success, achievement, and at times luck, that this stellar combination can bring, but always ensure that you avoid using your position to do harm to others.



Rigel - The Protection of the Pharaoh, with Moon  in Prime

**The metaphysician, or one who is drawn to alternative, or hidden wisdoms**

This star is in the foot of Orion. The Egyptians saw Orion as the Pharaoh, and to

be under a Pharaoh's foot was to be under his protection. However, when the Moon is involved with a star, it adds to the star the qualities of caring, compassion and empathy, so with this stellar combination we have a forthright approach to all matters linked to caring, and your own emotional needs. You will actively seek the needs of your Moon. If your Moon is in an air sign, then you will seek knowledge and education; if in a earth sign, then you will actively seek material security, or understanding of the physical world. However, if your Moon is in a water sign, you will seek rapport with others and nature; and if in a fire sign, you will seek adventure. With Rigel in paran to your moon, you will want to take control of your emotional needs, and actively steer them in the direction you desire.



Sadalmelek - Lucky One of the King, with Jupiter **4** in Prime

#### **Inspirational breakthroughs that solve problems**

This influence of this star comes from your foundations, the roots of the tree of your life, your family history. In this period of your life you start to experience its energy in your social and professional world, but it grows stronger as you grow older until it eventually adds to the overall meaning of your life.

With Sadalmelek in paran with your Jupiter you will be a person who finds that fortune follows as a result of exploration, either academically, in travel, or even in the sporting arena. For Sadalmelek is one of a pair of stars in the constellation of Aquarius, both of which meant "lucky" to their Arabian namers. Indeed their names mean a form of luck, Sadalmelek being translated as Lucky One of the King, and Sadalsuud, its twin, meaning Luckiest of the Lucky. Sadalmelek is the more conscious form of this luck, and you will find that in applying yourself to problems, the lucky chance occurs that gives you the insight or breakthrough. Or you may attract fortunate events, in terms of meetings, friendships and ideas, when you travel and explore the world.

### Stars of Your Latter Year:

All of these stars are setting as they form a paran to a planet. These stars will be influencing you in your later years or the last third of your life. They will be influential in the nature of your reputation, the manner in which you retire, and the autumn of your life, its joys or its sorrows. These stars are:



Procyon - The One that Comes Before, with Moon  in Latter Years

#### **Changes in one's passions, shifts in likes and dislikes**

With Procyon in paran with your Moon then the ephemeral talents of this star are focused into the caring, compassion and emotional areas of your life. Procyon comes before The Shining One, Sirius, and so can indicate a quick rise but with no real substance. For Procyon is like fireworks - wonderful to watch; taking centre stage, but quickly fading. Nonetheless, this star can teach you the value of diversification in your life. If it is active in your youth, then your mother-figure will be a person with past glories or past fame. Or you may have had a variety of mother-figures, or homes, or places where your family lived. If active in your adult years then you can become emotionally involved with an idea, but soon find yourself moving on to other exciting concepts. The difficult side of this stellar combination is that if there is not enough variety in your hobbies and interests, then the shifting nature of this star can be expressed in your emotional relationships, where you will find it difficult to maintain long term friendships or relationships.





Ras Algethi - The Natural Order, with Saturn  in Latter Years

#### **A strong personal creed, a disciplined person**

Ras Algethi in paran with your Saturn indicates that you seek to build a body of principles, to establish a life philosophy, which you can hand on to your children or to others. Ras Algethi seeks the natural or correct balance of life, nature, and soul. This star is part of the constellation Hercules, and is symbolic of the older meaning of this constellation, which was to give homage to the natural order of the world. To you, therefore, this natural and correct order is the mortar that you





use to build your life. You will not compromise this order easily or quickly, but will hold fast to your creed, which will generally be simply based in natural, or spiritual principles.

 Regulus - The Heart of the Lion, with Jupiter  in Latter Years

**To be involved with those who hold high office**

This star first influenced your life in your middle years, the years of your prime, and its nature has continued to express throughout the latter years of your life. Refer back to the years of your prime for its meaning.

 Rukbat - The Steady Stance of the Archer, with Mars  in Latter Years

**A person who can cope with physical pressure**

Arising Lying Hidden      That the time of your birth, and for this latitude, this star is in the phase of Arising and Lying hidden and is therefore to be read more in the extremes of its meaning, rather than a more balanced expression. Refer to the beginning of this report to refresh yourself with the meaning of such a star phase.

With Rukbat in paran with your Mars you will be someone who can stand your ground in a disagreement. For Rukbat is the foot of the archer, Sagittarius, and is the expression of solidness, and a steady platform. With Rukbat in paran to your Mars you find this steadiness in the areas of your life where you are challenged, or where you are passionate and motivated. Strong focus gives you endurance. At times however, this endurance can turn to mere stubbornness, so you would be wise to learn to balance your determination with awareness of the possible end result of your endeavour.



Sadalsuud - Luckiest of the Lucky, with Jupiter **4** in Latter Years


### **To benefit by the fortunate turn of events**

With Sadalsuud in paran with your Jupiter you are a person who can benefit from a fortunate turn in events. For Sadalsuud is one of a pair of stars in Aquarius and both meant "lucky" to their Arabian namers. Sadalmelek is the other star and is translated as Lucky One of the King; Sadalsuud is the Luckiest of the Lucky. Sadalsuud is the more intuitive style of luck, the sort that seems to just occur, in contrast to the action of making your own luck, which belongs to Sadalmelek. Thus, with your Jupiter in paran to this star, some would call you lucky, but you would feel, and correctly so, that you are good at making the most of the luck that comes your way.

### **The Hearthstone of Your Life**

All of these stars are on the Nadir, the bottom of the sky, as they form a paran to a planet. These stars will express themselves, firstly, as the foundation of your life, the roots from which you grow, and secondly, as the summation of your life. These stars can be considered your hearthstone; they are there from the beginning, influencing you from behind the scenes, but only really become visible in your life as you grow old. Some of these stars would have first expressed themselves in the prime of your life and were discussed in that section. These hearthstone stars are:




Al Rescha - The Sacred Knot, with Moon  in Foundation

### **To be blessed with good friends**

When the Moon is involved with a star it adds to the star the qualities of caring, compassion and empathy. On a professional level, it will be involved with children, women's issues, health and welfare. On a personal level, it will colour your feelings and emotional well-being. If Al Rescha is active in your childhood, then it contained many diverse people and cultures. Your mother, or her family, may have been instrumental in this cultural diversity, or it may have simply been a factor of where you were living. If Al Rescha is active with your Moon in your adult years, then you will love and enjoy diversity amongst your friends. You will also enjoy a wide variety of foods, and may also find yourself acting as the bridge

between different groups of friends.



Betelgeuse - The Right Shoulder of the God, with Sun  in Foundation

### **Success in one's ventures**

This is one of the great stars of the sky and talks of unbridled success without complications. This is the right hand, arm-pit or shoulder of the god, so represents that which is clear and strong. Betelgeuse is effective, brilliant and successful. With Betelgeuse in paran with your Sun you are seen as a successful person, an individual who is empowered and capable. If active in your youth then your father-figure was larger than life, and may even have appeared too dauntingly successful for you to relate to. If active in your adult years then this is a blessing. Be confident in your ability to win through, to influence people and to be successful. Such a star is a gift, so use it wisely, for what you seek is what you will receive.



Diadem - The Woman's Crown, with Venus  in Foundation

### **Appeasement - a person who can make compromises**

The star takes its name from the word diadem, a symbol of royalty worn on the head or a small crown. Diadem seems to be about feminine strength. This star does not seek glory or personal fame. It belongs to the quiet workers, the people who slave for years helping or working for the benefit of a group but never seeking personal recognition or fame. And at times the sacrifice it asks may seem beyond the person's ability to give. With Diadem in paran to your Venus you will have to struggle with a tendency to agree or ingratiate yourself with others. Diadem is the concept of sacrifice to others and when in paran to the social awareness of Venus there can be a potential to concur too easily with the will, or thinking of others. The shadow of this is to never quite know what you believe in, or for what you stand. However, the resource of this stellar combination is your ability to put others at their ease, and to achieve your desired results while others think that you are merely agreeing with them.



Sadalmek - Lucky One of the King, with Jupiter **4** in  
Foundation

### Inspirational breakthroughs that solve problems

This star expresses itself in the prime of your life but continues to grow in strength as you age. Eventually it becomes one of the main defining features of your life. For more details on the meaning of this stellar combination, look again at the stars of your prime.

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# Star Legend

Each star has a pictogram that will help you remember the nature of the star as well as give you some simple information. There are three components to each star pictogram; the star magnitude symbol, the constellation image and the letter of the alphabet giving the star's common proper name.

The star symbol will tell you the brightness of the star.

★ = A star whose magnitude is less than 2.0. This is a bright or very bright star clearly visible even within a large city.

✦ = A star whose magnitude is between 2.0 and 2.9. This is a small star, clearly visible even within a city unless there is a great deal of light pollution, but better seen away from the city lights.

◇ = A star whose magnitude greater than 3.0 This is a faint star that would possibly not be seen if you live in a city, but would be visible on a clear night in the country. The human eye can see stars up to a magnitude of 6.0 provided the viewing conditions are good.

▽ = A star whose magnitude is variable, sometimes bright at other times not bright.

● = This is a nebula, not actually a star but an interstellar cloud of dust and gas.

The constellation image will tell you the constellation to which the star belongs, for example:



This is the pictogram for Regulus the bright star in the constellation Leo. The star symbol shows that it is a bright star and the image of the Lion represents Leo. All stars in Leo will have the same lion image.



This is the pictogram for Denebola another star that is not as bright as Regulus in the constellation Leo and ...



This is the pictogram for Zosma another star of similar brightness to Denebola also in the constellation Leo.

The letter of the alphabet will give you the first letter of the stars proper name.